Family

Roberta (Bert) Casey

died Saturday, Oct. 1, 2005, at Citizens Medical Center.

Bert was born on May 21, 1947, in Sheridan County. She had a career as a surgery technician for Citizens Medical Center in Colby.

Survivors include her son, Jon E. Casey, Gardner; daughter, Julie A. Miller, Damar; brothers: Victor Bielser, Hoxie, Roy Bielser, Colby, David Bielser, Schoenschen; sisters: Ruth Ann Graefe, Moline; and Lois Ryan, Kearney, Neb.; and 6 grandchildren.

Roger Lynn Blau

Roger Lynn Blau, 55, of Colby, died Saturday, Oct. 1, 2005, at Citizens Medical Center, Colby.

He was born on Sept. 9, 1950, in Colby and was the area manager for a grocery store chain before taking a job with Hi-Plains Co-Op in

He is survived by a son, David K. Blau, Oberlin; a daughter, Sheree MacNaughton, Wellington, Colo.; brothers: Doug Blau, Cedar Crest, N.M., Brent Blau, Springfield, Neb., Mike Blau, Garden City, Greg Blau, Edwardsville; and 5 grand-

p.m. at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel. A memorial service is scheduled for 11 a.m., Thursday, at Colby United Methodist Church with Pastor Brad Herndon of Colby offici-

Brewster.

a later date and donations may be left at any Colby bank or the chapel, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby, Kan. 67701.

Happenings

Piano recital Sunday

The piano students of Sharon Kriss, Colby, invite the public to attend "An Afternoon of Pop and Patriotic Piano" music at 4 p.m., Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Colby United Methodist Church. Those students performing are: Joshua Baden, Brett Bandy, Brooklyn and Brittany Bange, Morgan and Lauren Bell, Mandy Edmundson, Allie and Abby Friesen, Jeremy Harter, Hollie Herbel, Valarie Higerd, MaKayla Hoffman, Katrina Kaus, Kevin Lang, Sara Martin, Taylor

Markets

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Roberta (Bert) Casey, 58, Colby, today, at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby with a memorial service scheduled Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Colby United Methodist Church.

> Pastor Brad Herndon of Colby will officiate.

A private graveside service will take place prior to the memorial service at Brewster Cemetery in

Memorials may be made to Pioneer Memorial Library, Colby. Donations may be left at any Colby bank or the chapel, 745 S. Country Visitation continues until 8 p.m., Club Dr., Colby, Kan. 67701.

Visitation continues today until 8

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Memorials will be designated at

McClure, Cameron McLaughlin, Cynthia, Jennifer, and William Mick, Abby Miller, Michelle Myers, Katelin Neuenschwander, Karl Pratt, Renea Reasoner, Courtney Reilley, Alexi, Ariel and Kale Regier, Kelsey Shields, Ashley Standage, Andrew and Anna Taylor, Brenly Terrell, Brianna Thummel, Michael Tubbs and Andrea

Bible Study group starts today in Rexford

The Barn Bible Study resumed today with Jolene Hansen as the teacher. All are welcome, however there is no child care provided. The class will study the Women of Faith book entitled "Cultivating Contentment" for 12 weeks. There is no homework, but there is a workbook which can be purchased.

October birthdays are as follows: Mary Ann Juenemann-9th; Ron Dible-11th; Betty Carswell-22nd; Rhelda Dible-26th; Betty Nichols-28th; Wes Bencken-29th; and Fran Leach-30th.

The Red Barn Gang (band) has scheduled practice the seond and fourth Fridays at 1:30 p.m. to begin preparation for the busy time of performances, which peaks near Christmas.

Jay Dahl is a new member and anyone else is welcome to join them for a fun experience.

Darrell Leh finally was able to return to Rexford the other day after being in the hospital for a month. We are so happy to have Darrell and Marjorie back in town. On Sept. 28, Tucker Ryan, weighing seven pounds, was born in Hays to Brandi and Ryan Wark.

Tucker has one sister, Brooke, age nine.

Grandparents are Kevin and Susan Wark, Colby; Kathy Albers, Colby; and Fred Albers, Rexford. Great grandparents are Darrel and Valerie Wark, Colby; Hankie Beckman, Colby; Merl and Ruth Chance, Jennings; and Alfred and Anna Albers, Selden. Great-great grandmother is Naomi Flipse from Colby.

Koffee Klatch attendees last week were Doris Jean Oliver, Jean Hawkins, Vesta Roth, Hulda Wark, Berneda Zoberst, Grace Cheney, Eunice Sanford, Deb Stepper, Freda

Community Calendar

•Colby College nursing staff to participate in potluck breakfast,

• Annual Ogallala Commons Fall Conference and Field Tours Day,

•No school at Colby Public Schools, staff development

Sondra **Barnett**

• Rexford Correspondent

Ketchum, Delores Dible, and Sondra Barnett. Doris Jean brought some delicious chocolate chip cookies to share with the group.

Hulda Wark had some foot surgery done as an out-patient in Atwood. She's progressing very well. About fifteen members of the Northwest Kansas Prayer Conference held an all-day meeting and luncheon at the Shepherd's Staff

Glendora Bastin is improving and gaining in strength for the most

Her son Louis Bastin, Fort Smith, Arkansas was here for almost two months, staying with her, but has now returned to his home. Now son Kenneth, who lives near her will be helping her as needed.

Rex and Betty Carswell spent last weekend with their daughter Terry and Steve Salter in Mc-Pherson. This is just a reminder to gather items to be used for the

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children's shoe box ministry of in Wichita. Samaritan's Purse. Items can be dropped off at the church. Edna Colson's granddaughter Dianne Davis, Erin and Abigale, Norton came to get her last Saturday. She spent the week-end with her daughter Kathryn and Floyd Richard, Chris and Amie in Norton. Edna, Dianne, Erin Abigale, Kathryn and Amie all attended the Norton High School music program on Sunday evening.

Three couples from Arlington, Texas spent a week working on the last three rooms at the Shepherd Staff Hotel. Berneda Zoberst's grandson, Shelby Barnett, Oakley injured his neck in a car accident and was flown to Wichita. He is home now and doing much better.

Jay and Nancy Dahl had an enjoyable weekend. They went to Wichita for the Gaither Homecoming Concert and also spent the night at the home of Nancy's sister Louise and Jerry Latimer, who live

Special Thanks

Words can not express the

gratitude and appreciation we have for the Colby Community, especially Sheriff Mike Baughn Under Sheriff Jason Moses Deputy Allen Marcum and all his friends in law enforcement. during this difficult loss of our beloved son, brother, nephew cousin, and grandson. Cory was special and lived his life in service to others. He chose to call Colby "home" and it is easy to understand why he felt so tied to the Colby Community. He will be deeply missed by not only his immediate family but also his "Colby family and friends. Thank you for all your prayers flowers, cards, letters and memorial donations. Thank you for the beautiful service and luncheon at the Methodist Church You are all very special to us Keep Cory close to your hearts as his memory will continue to be a part of Colby for some time to come. God Bless you all.

Micke L. Steele Blair, Dan Blair, Jayson Steele, Larry & Arlyce Steel Lance & Linda Steele & Fam. Kelly Donahue & family

Next Saturday evening will be the annual pumpkin toss by the Teens for Christ teams from the area. The entire town is invited out to the park at 5:30 for the meal, which is available for purchase for a reasonable price. The pumpkin toss competition will follow in the lot just south of the park.

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and put flowers there with care. But no one knows the heartache as we turn to leave you there. To some you may be forgotten, to others part of

But to us who loved and lost you, your memory will always last.

the past.

Your memory is our keepsake; with that we will never part. God has you in His keeping and we have you in our hearts.

> Sadly missed by his family.

Business

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