

To place your classified ad, mail (155 W. Fifth), fax (785-462-7749), phone (785-462-3963), or stop by our office at 155 W. Fifth

## Notices

**All Badash Crystal 50%** off, 40% off hand blown paper weights, 25% off Wilton Armetale, free Christmas refreshments. Prairie Museum Mart 1905 S. Franklin, Colby. 9 - 5 Tues. - Fri. 1 - 5 weekends.  
---12/5---12/9---

**Brown's Consignment Auction** Sunday, December 11, 10 a.m. Hoxie 4-H building. Saleable items welcome. Wide selection of items consigned. Taking bookings also for February 5th Auction. Evenings 785-675-3767 Mickey Brown.  
---12/2---12/8---

**Open House! Model** Trains and Toys. December 9, 10, and 11 from 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. 106 Logan St. Atwood, KS 67730  
---11/21---12/9---

**5th Annual Holiday Gift & Craft Fair**, Saturday, December 10, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Colby Community College Student Union.  
---11/11---12/8---

**Company's Coming: Carpet Cleaning** Special - 3 Rooms, only \$149.95! Dry-Foam Safe and Green Seal approved. Servicing NWKS mileage free since 1987! A+ Cleaners (785) 538-2526 or (785) 443-5400, Johnene Cheney.  
---10/26---12/19---

**Dan is back!** Dan Geschwentner. Small remodeling and repair jobs. Call 785-443-3673.  
---12/15---TFN---

**Classified ad deadlines** (word ads only). Noon the day before publication (noon Friday for Monday paper). Please check your ad the first time it runs. If you find an error, please call at (785) 462-3963 so it can be corrected, since we will not be responsible for errors after that first day. The *Colby Free Press*.  
---3/1---TFN---

## Help Wanted

**Cook - part time** position available. Flexible hours, experience preferred but will train the right person. Competitive pay. Apply in person at Fairview Estates, 1630 Sewell Ave., Colby KS 67701.  
---12/1---12/14---

**Carriers needed to deliver** the *Colby Free Press*! Great for someone needing extra income. A few hours a day, 4 days a week. Bonus after 3 months. To apply please stop by the office at 155 W. Fifth St., Colby or for questions call 785-462-3963.  
---11/30---TFN---

**CNA and CMA positions** available on all shifts for our growing Assisted Living Facility. We offer competitive wages, holiday pay, shift differentials, and other benefits available. Apply in person at Fairview Estates Retirement Community, 1630 Sewell Ave, Colby, KS 67701 - 785-462-2154. EOE  
---11/30---12/5---

**Colby Public Schools** is accepting applications for a **paraprofessional**. Sick leave, health insurance, state retirement package and other benefits may be available. A classified district application form may be picked up at the administration office, 600 West Third St, Colby, KS or downloaded from our website at [www.colbyeagles.org](http://www.colbyeagles.org). Applications accepted until the position is filled. EOE

## Help Wanted

**CDL Driver Wanted** local haul, home nights, permanent position. 785-899-7513 or 785-821-2217.  
---11/30---12/26---

**Travel Agency part time** mornings, occasional full time weeks. Extensive computer, phone, and people skills required. 785-462-6999.  
---11/30---12/5---

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**Sale Rep/Territory Manager.** Full time. Excellent Opportunity for experienced sales professional. 94 year old business is seeking an experienced sales person to sell and service accounts for agricultural and light construction equipment sales to dealers in our western sales area. Salary plus commission, benefits package, vehicle provided and expenses paid. CDL a plus. Send resumes to: Attn: Ag Department, PO Box 3207, Wichita, KS 67201 or [tpprice@pricebroseq.com](mailto:tpprice@pricebroseq.com).  
---11/25---12/22---

**Help Wanted: Farming** and Cattle operation. Must have experience on a feed truck, welding, handling cattle, doctoring, maintenance, etc. CDL a big plus! Pay based on experience and housing provided. 785-672-8469.  
---11/23---12/7---

**Looking for full** and part-time farm and ranch help near Brewster. Cell 785-672-0158 or Home 785-694-2233.  
---11/23---12/7---

**Wanted - Experienced Truck Driver.** Good pay, benefits, decent home time. Jack 785-675-8375 or Jim 785-675-2196.  
---10/12---12/5---

**Needing someone to** deliver newspaper bundle to Oakley 3 to 4 times a week. This would be great for someone who already commutes to Colby from Oakley. Please call the *Colby Free Press* if interested. 785-462-3963.  
---9/28---TFN---

**Now hiring for all** positions. Apply between 6 a.m. - 1 p.m., Monday - Saturday. See Don or Tammy at Village Inn Restaurant, 2215 S. Range.  
---9/7---TFN---

Colby Public Schools is accepting applications for the following coaching positions:

2011 - 12 Positions

- CHS Tennis Men's Head
- CHS Golf Men's Head

2012 - 13 Positions

- CHS Women's Head Volleyball
- CHS Head Cross Country
- CMS Volleyball Head (7th grade)
- CMS Volleyball Assistant
- CMS Basketball Boys' Head
- CMS Basketball Girls' Assistant

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## Help Wanted

**BREWSTER - The Colby Free Press** needs a part-time correspondent to report local news in the Brewster area. Call Kevin at 785-462-3963. Paid by the column.  
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## Child Care

**Licensed Day Care in Colby** has openings for 18 months to kindergarten age. 785-269-7509.  
---11/30---12/5---

## Misc for Rent

**Murray Equipment Leasing, LLC** in Colby is now offering construction equipment for rent. Some items include a 38 ft. skytruck forklift, and an 85 ft. boom truck. If interested please call 785-443-1339 or 785-462-6908.  
---8/3---TFN---

## Apartments for Rent

**3 - 4 bedroom**, large living area. 785-443-1346 or 785-443-3718.  
---12/5---12/9---

**2 bedroom basement apartment** for rent. For information call 785-443-1601.  
---11/30---12/5---

**South Park and Meadowlark** Manor. Rent based on income. Equal Housing Opportunity. [www.colbyhousingauthority.com](http://www.colbyhousingauthority.com) 785-460-6763.  
---9/21---TFN---

## Houses for Rent

**One bedroom house**, stove refrigerator, W/D hookup. Available January 1. No pets/smoking. 785-462-2529.  
---12/2---12/15---

**Very nice 3 bedroom** home. \$700 a month. Please call 785-443-2010.  
---12/1---12/7---

**2 bedroom, 1 bath**, central heat & air. Includes stove, refrigerator, washer & dryer. No pets. 785-462-0886.  
---12/1---12/7---

**4 bedroom, 2.5 bath** in a great location. \$875.00 a month. No pets and no smoking. Call 785-650-8195. Leave a message.  
---11/23---TFN---

## Mobile Home for Sale

**Very nice 2 bedroom** mobile home. Central heat and air, call 785-462-3248.  
---11/30---12/5---

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**WANTED:**  
**Truck Service Advisors**  
**Lube Technicians**  
**Technicians**

We are looking for a few good individuals that have some good communication skills and like to get a little dirty at times. We offer Excellent Benefits, Paid Holidays, Vacation, and 401k.

Please stop in today to fill out an application or if you would like you can apply online at [www.mypetrojob.com](http://www.mypetrojob.com) or you can call 1-888-6-PETRO-JOB (1-888-673-8765) hiring code 101

If you have any questions please give us a call here at the shop. 785-460-4260.

## Heavy Equipment Mechanic

Looking for a hard working team player, to help maintain a large fleet of late model heavy equipment and trucks for highway construction in Northwestern Kansas. Experience and mechanical knowledge of diesel and gas engines along with repairs of chassis, driveline, hydraulic, brake, electrical, ac and suspension systems required. Must be able to work with a high degree of independence and organizational skills, in a fast paced environment. Caterpillar experience a plus. CDL with drug screen required. Generous benefit package including health and life insurance, 401k retirement, paid vacation, travel expenses & holidays. Equal Opportunity Employer.  
[www.sporerland.com](http://www.sporerland.com).

**SPORER**  
LAND DEVELOPMENT INC  
Oakley, KS 785-672-4319  
[www.sporerland.com](http://www.sporerland.com)

## Mobile Home for Sale

**Very clean, 2 bedroom**, 1 1/2 bath. All appliances. 785-269-7179  
---11/23---12/7---

## Misc. for Sale

**Misc. roofing and construction** material for sale 740 E. 4th, drive by and look. Call and make an offer 785-443-1339.  
---12/2-12/8---

**Weight lifting equipment.** Adjustable weight lifting bench with attachments. Adjustable leg-squat spotter rack. 785-462-7357.  
---12/1---12/21---

**TV Stand - Excellent condition.** 71 1/2" wide, 71 1/4" high. Includes 32" Sanyo TV. \$225 - 785-462-2356 or 785-443-2690.  
---11/30---12/5---

**Opening: Sunday, November 27** thru December 18. FRESH CUT TREES, GARLAND and WREATHS! 1 mile west of Colby on Highway 24. Oh Christmas Tree. Monday - Friday, 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. And Saturday - Sunday, 1 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
---11/23---12/7---

**Heavy duty commercial batteries** and top quality filters for most everything on your farm at factory direct prices at Colby Ag Center 785-462-6132.  
---10/19---1/4---

## Wanted

**Wanted: Summer Grass** for 25 to 40 Spring Pairs in Oakley area. Jim Porter. 785-672-0393.  
---11/28---12/16---

## Vehicles for Sale

**2007 Chevrolet 2500** 4x4. Many extras and very clean. \$22,000. 785-462-2152.  
---11/21---TFN---

## Services

**Experienced with texturing**, painting, cleanup/removal of clutter. Experience with Rental management experience. Have 16 ft. car trailer for rent. 785-462-5861.  
---11/23---12/15---

  
**Pepsi Beverages Company** of Colby, KS has an **IMMEDIATE** opening for:  
**Relief Route Sales Driver**

CDL A or the ability to obtain one in 30 days is required.

Please review the detailed job descriptions, requirements, and apply online TODAY at [www.pepsibeveragesjobs.com](http://www.pepsibeveragesjobs.com)

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## The City of COLBY Assistant Technology Director

The City of Colby is accepting applications for an Assistant Technology Director. Starting salary is \$35K with room for advancement. Position reports to the Technology Director and will be responsible for assisting that individual with all information technology equipment and software operated by the City including, but not limited to, all servers, desktop and laptop computers, related peripheral equipment, data storage, plotters, telephone system, cell phones, meter reading equipment, VPN accessibility, wireless access points, records management programs, databases, Office, antivirus and operating systems. Qualified candidates should possess an Associate degree in a related field or 5 years of experience in a similar capacity. SCADA systems knowledge preferred but not required. Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, and City employment application (available at [www.cityofcolby.com](http://www.cityofcolby.com)) to: City Manager, 585 N. Franklin Avenue, Colby, KS or to manager@cityofcolby.com by January 15, 2012. Job description is available upon request. Call Mike Albers, Technology Director, at 785-460-4416 for more information. Equal Opportunity Employer.

## Services

**Tired of dodging roof** leaks every time it rains? Let Murray Roofing end the bucket brigade! Experienced in installing all types of commercial roofing systems, TPO, EPDM, Elastomeric coating, Torch-down, and Modified, Perfect for any flat or low-sloped roof and Various warranty options to fit every need. Call Murray Roofing an authorized Duro-Last Contractor today for your free estimate at 785-462-6908, 785-443-5347 or 785-443-1339.  
---3/16---TFN---

## Pets/Supplies

**Teddy Bear Pomeranians.** Very special litter, M & F party colored. Must see! 785-443-2470.  
---12/5---TFN---

## Public Notice

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS**

In the Matter of the Estate of Danette M. Ryan, Deceased.

No. 2011-PR-7

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are notified that a petition has been filed in this Court by James A. Wright, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of Danette M. Ryan, deceased, requesting that Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Will be construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorney fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of Danette M. Ryan, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before December 28, 2011, at 10:00 o'clock AM, in the District Court, in Colby, Thomas County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

JAMES A. WRIGHT, PETITIONER

Submitted by:  
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Colby, Kansas 67701  
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Attorney for Petitioner

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Even if you don't feel like getting out, you can still "go shopping" in the Classifieds!

## Public Notice

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS (Magistrate - Probate) (Proceedings Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59)**

In the Matter of the Estate of WILBUR D. BARNETT

Case No. 2011 -PR-47

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The State of Kansas to All Persons Concerned:

You are hereby notified that on November 16, 2011, a Petition for Appointment of Administrator in the Wilbur D. Barnett Estate was filed. Warren D. Barnett was duly qualified as said Administrator on November 16, 2011. All parties interested in said estate will take notice and govern themselves accordingly. All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the said estate within four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

Warren D. Barnett Administrator of the Wilbur D. Barnett Estate

Eimo Lund  
LUND LAW FIRM, CHARTERED  
118 West Hall, Post Office Box 267  
Oberlin, Kansas 67749  
Phone: 785-475-2312

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## Public Notice

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS**

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN D. URBAN, Deceased.

Case No. 10-PR-31  
PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 59

### NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of November, 2011, a Petition for Final Settlement has been filed in this Court by Agnes F. Urban, duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator of the Estate John D. Urban, deceased, praying that her acts be approved, that her account be settled and allowed, that the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto, that fees and expenses be allowed, that costs be determined and ordered paid, that the administration of the Estate be closed, that the Administrator be discharged and that she be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 16th day of December, 2011, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. (CST) of said day, in said Court, in the City of Colby, Thomas County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

Agnes F. Urban, Administrator

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Attorney for Petitioner

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## Stability • Rewards • Growth



### Purpose of Position:

The role is to maintain, program and install the instruments, controls and electrical systems on the OPPL system. Provide high level support to maximize system availability and increase reliability. Provide training and leadership for less experienced op/techs.

## I&E Operations Technician

**NE Colorado Area (Req. 12644)**  
**McPherson, KS (Req. 12645)**

### Requirements:

- Assure safe and operations of facilities through the implementation of best practices and improved maintenance management. Lead initiatives to improve facility reliability through new technologies and procedures.
- Provide technical leadership to operations technicians specializing in instrumentation and electrical. Coordinate maintenance activities on electrical, instrumentation and control systems.
- Ensure Williams System Integrity Plan is implemented and consistently followed.
- Using electronic tools including EMPAC and Maximo to ensure that base line maintenance, reoccurring maintenance and condition based maintenance practices are consistently executed.
- Oversee electrical and instrumentation contractors to ensure economic value and quality of work.
- Provide technical mentorship to peers. Assist management in developing strategies to cultivate technical skills.
- Work with coordinators of maintenance, engineering and management to develop maintenance strategies and projects to improve system reliability and efficiency.
- Be available to handle callouts at night, weekends and holidays. To assist in troubleshooting process equipment and in operational efforts to return facilities to service.
- Accurately calibrate accounting quality flow measurement.
- Troubleshoot instrumentation and control systems on a variety of equipment including electric driven motors, centrifugal pumps, control valves, pressure regulating valves, VFD's.
- Troubleshoot electrical systems including low and medium voltage protective relaying and switchgear, motors, motor starters and generators.
- Perform routine maintenance on instrumentation control and electrical systems
- Train and mentor peers so they can develop the skills necessary to maintain their own areas of responsibility.
- Ability to change seals on pumps and do routine pump maintenance including vibration analysis and alignments.

### Qualifications:

- High school diploma or GED required. Associate's or two-year technical school degree in mechanical, electronic, instrumentation or related field preferred. An equivalent combination of education and experience will be considered.
- 3+ years of related experience required.
- Distributed Control System troubleshooting, maintenance and control programming preferably with the Foxboro I/A Series System.
- Programmable Logic Controller troubleshooting, maintenance, and control programming. Desired systems include: Allen Bradley PLC-5, SLC 500, CLX5000, and Omni flow computers and coriols meters.
- Human to Machine Interface development. Desired systems include: Fox Draw, Intellution Fix 32, GE Simplicity, and Allen Bradley Factory Talk.
- Experience with the following preferred
- Low and Medium Voltage Switchgear maintenance and troubleshooting.
- Low and Medium Voltage Protective Relaying maintenance, troubleshooting, and settings design.
- Low and Medium Voltage Motor Starters, VFDs, and Soft Starter maintenance and troubleshooting.
- Brushless Exciter maintenance and troubleshooting.
- Accounting Quality NGL Measurement Systems

**To apply or view these current opportunities, please visit [www.williams.com/careers](http://www.williams.com/careers) Candidates should apply to the appropriate req. #**

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## The Colby Free Press is looking for Carriers!

After School; Monday - Friday  
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For more information call the Colby Free Press office: **785-462-3963** or stop in at **155 W. 5th Street**