

## Zelfer and Barton wed

Amber Lynn Zelfer and Brice Dell Barton were married on Jan. 6, 2001. Father Galen Long officiated the 3 p.m. ceremony at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Colby.

Parents of the couple are Tom and Deloris Zelfer of Grainfield, and Jerry and Peggy Barton, Colby. Grandparents of the bride are Rudy and Violet Weber of LaCrosse, and the late Frank and Bertha Zelfer. Grandparents of the groom are Bob and Pansy Barton and Erwin and Wilma Thiele, Colby, and the late Paul Dell.

The bride's father escorted her down the aisle. The bride wore a sleeveless satin and sheer A line gown with a sequin and pearl overlay with a cathedral length train. The bride carried a cascading bouquet filled with fresh red and white roses, stephanotis, dendrobium orchids, evergreen, leaves and ribbon with gold accents, and her late grandmother's rosary.

Maid of honor was Cassie Zelfer, Grainfield, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Cara Barthel, Burlington, Okla., Jodi Schmidt, Salina, and Heather Webb, Manhattan, all friends of the couple. They wore two-piece hunter green gowns and carried fresh bouquets of red and white roses.

The junior bride was Andrea, daughter of the bride, who wore a white sleeveless dress similar to the bride's. She also scattered red and white rose petals down the aisle. The groom seated the grandmothers and mothers before the ceremony.

Best man was Freeman Bearley, Manhattan. Groomsmen were Randall Neff and Jason Duffey, both of Colby, and AJ Ebert, Stillwater, Okla., all friends of the couple. The ring bearer was Logan Weber, godson of the bride.

Candlelighters were Shelly Barton and Jenny Niblock, sisters of the groom, Colby. Ushers were Alan Dizmang, brother of the groom, Paul



**Amber and Brice Barton**

Niblock, brother-in-law of the groom, Tom Simpson and JR Mattson, friends of the couple, all of Colby.

Greeters for the ceremony were Butch and Carol Weber, uncle and aunt of the bride, and Jay and Susan Woofter, uncle and aunt of the groom. Lector for the wedding was Butch Weber. Vocalists for this special event were Luanne Lee and Jeff Owen, and pianist was Kathy Jamison, friends of the couple.

Tyler, Cameron and Joshua Weber, cousins of the bride, handed out programs. Nicole Weber, cousin of the bride, passed out the wheat and bells following the ceremony.

Upon arrival of the wedding party by limousine to the American Legion in

Colby, a dinner, reception and dance followed the ceremony. Hosts and hostesses were Jay and Marilyn Hughes, Jerry and Marla Weber, uncles and aunts of the bride, and Gary and Paula Makings, uncle and aunt of the groom.

Katrina Thiele, cousin of the groom, attended the guest book and the gift table. Serving at the reception table were the groom's sisters, Bonnie Dizmang, sister-in-law of the groom, and Connie Long, friend of the couple. A special friend of the couple, Reva Eicher, arranged much of the decorating at the Legion for the dinner and reception. Following a cruise to the Caribbean Islands, the family is at home near Colby on the farm.

## Irish Chain quilt started by group

There were 10 at the Tuesday community dinner on May 8. Pat and Rosalie of the Northwest Kansas Library System van joined us for dinner, and exchanged books. There were seven quilters. The *Bargella* quilt was finished on May 1. They have started on an *Irish Chain* quilt. An afternoon visitors were Bertha Fiken and her granddaughter.

Randy Ausmus and Dionna Bartel of Phoenix, Ariz., arrived at the home of Lawrence and Louise Denning in Sharon Springs on Monday afternoon, the 7th. They left Tuesday morning and arrived at Roger and Marge Ausmus' home for a visit with family and friends, especially with Michele and Larry Werth and family. They left for Arizona on Thursday, May 10.

Helen Gates was in Citizens Medical Center in Colby for several days. A speedy get-well to her.

Rodney Bussen, Weskan, was a Sunday supper guests of his mother, Rosalie Bussen. Darris Bussen stopped by Thursday afternoon. On Friday, Rosalie visited her mother, Edith Wigginton in Quinter.

Winona has lost a longtime resident. Leta Werner, 88, died Monday, May 14, 2001, in the Gove County Medical Center in Quinter. Her funeral service was on Wednesday, May 16, at 2 p.m.



**Rosalie Bussen**

• Winona Correspondent

in the United Methodist Church, Winona, with burial in the Winona Cemetery. Our sympathy to the families. We'll miss her.


Mother's Day guests of LaVonne Baxter were Karen and Abe Montemayer and Linda, Garden City, and Greg Baxter. On Monday, Pat and Bill Weeks, Hoxie, LaVonne and Greg traveled to Lincoln to visit a sister-in-

law, Hazel Marcotte. She is very ill.

Saturday visitors of Rosalie Bussen were Rod, Carol, Cody and Caimen Bussen, Weskan; Terry Bussen of Oakley; Bill and Diana Bauman, Wallace. Sunday visitors were Regina Madsen, Elizabeth, Colo.; Darris Bussen, Sharon Springs, and Terry. Regina returned home on Monday. Rosalie's gifts were two new cement patios, trees trimmed, house painted, flowers planted, calls, chocolates and a music box. Pretty good, eh?

A Mother's Day visitor of Evelyn Langdon was her daughter, Joyce Boehme of Goodland. They enjoyed dinner in Colby.

~ SHARON VAP BENEFIT ~



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Dismissals  
Courtney Faylor and infant female,  
Atwood

## Death

**Rosa Schoenberger**  
Rosa Schoenberger of Oakley, 90, died Friday, May 18, 2001, at Citizens Medical Center, Colby. She was a homemaker and had lived 59 years in the Oakley area, coming from Ness City. She married Leo Schoenberger on Oct. 13, 1931, at Grainfield. He died in 1971.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Kennedy-Koster Funeral Home, Oakley, the Rev. Bob Kelly officiating. Burial will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery, Oakley. Visitation will be 2-9 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

## Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day  
Hi-Plains Co-op

Wheat	\$2.87
Corn	\$1.76
Milo	\$2.90
Soybeans	\$3.87

## Commencement exercises well attended

A large crowd attended the high school graduation commencement at the Golden Plains School on Sunday afternoon, May 13. David Miller gave the address, Angela Albers, the Class of 2001 salutatorian and Christopher Broeckelman, the Class of 2001 valedictorian each gave talks. Amy Carman sang two beautiful songs. A video project of the class was presented. After all the ceremony, many parties were held for the graduates. An open house was held at the Barn by Ray and Berneda Zoberst for Brent Johnston sponsored by Mark and Cindy Basgall for their son Christopher. Robert and Peggy Dible held open house for their son, Jared and Travis Durham at their home in Menlo. There were probably others that I didn't hear about. It was a big day for all the seniors.

Ileene MacPhail has returned home after spending the winter in Arizona.



**Lula Thieler**

• Rexford Correspondent

She is recovering from a serious illness and we hope the best for her.

Paul Dible of Denver and Jeff and Ruth Sperling and Kari of Newton visited Ron and Janette Dible the weekend of May 6 to celebrate Ruth's birthday.

Mother's Day guests of Vesta Roth were Rick Roth and son Chris of Stockton and Dan and Janice Roth and Kristin of Dodge City. They all enjoyed dinner in Colby.

Last weekend guests of Bill and Donna Dible were Anita Passantino and daughters, Alexis and Gabriella of Kansas City. They all went to Colby on Sunday to observe Mother's Day with

Lewis and Frances Black at a local Cafe.

On Saturday evening, May 12 Ray and Berneda Zoberst, Sue Hayes of Oakley, Chet and Nina Hayes of Grinnell went to McCook, Neb., to visit Murlin and Luella Krizek and help their grandson, Scott Smalley celebrate his high school graduation.

Guests of Lawrence and Zula Horinek to celebrate Mother's Day were their sons, Gary Delzeit and Larry Horinek of Colby. Larry's friend, Summer, and children were guests also. Larry was the cook for the barbecue.

Farmers are working full time in the fields now to get their crops planted. The rains last week were great but slowed the field work down.

Seven members of the Red Barn Band went to the Lantern Park Manor in Colby on Tuesday to help them celebrate senior citizen week. Those who went were Betty Nickols, Peg Greenwood, Zula Horinek, Eunice Sanford, Gene Rogers, Edna Colson and Grace Cheney. The band members enjoyed the afternoon as much as the residents did.

Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Bob Williby of Oberlin. The Willibys are former members of this community, and Bob is a cousin of Betty Carswell, Jean Hawkins and Vesta Roth. Sympathy is extended to all the family.

## Cub Scout Day Camp planned

Cub Scout Day Camp will be June 9 at the Thomas County Fairgrounds. It starts at 9 a.m. and goes until about 4 p.m. The cost is \$18, but it includes a t-shirt, patch, extreme bowling and supplies. Events include BB range, archery, crafts, space walk, and others. All boys entering 1st-5th grades are welcome but must be members of Cub Scouts. For information contact Deanna Oesterreich at 462-3267.

## Happenings

Miller, recording secretary, Colby; Carol Karlin, corresponding secretary, Grinnell; and Sheila Krehbiel, treasurer, Colby. Mike Linden of Colby is the director. Rehearsals are held every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Colby United Methodist Church. Guests are welcome and encouraged to attend.

The Hi-Plains Harmony Chorus of Sweet Adelines International recently held officer elections. Marlene Cooper of Hoxie was elected president. Other officers include Peggy Barton, vice-president, Colby; Marge

Colby Grade School PTO is taking orders for school supply packets until Tuesday, May 24, according to Pam Sager, PTO spokesperson. Please send orders and money to the Colby Grade School.

## Community Calendar

**THURSDAY, MAY 24**

Kiwanis, Student Union, noon  
Last day of Colby Public School: dismiss at 1:30 p.m.  
Combined UMW Cluster meetings, United Methodist Church, noon  
Gulf War Syndrome meeting, Student Union, 7 p.m.  
Family History Center, 1145 S. Franklin, 7-9 p.m.  
UMW Friendship Cluster, Marilyn Stark, 7:30 p.m.  
Tumbleweed Chorus, United Methodist Church, 8 p.m.  
Step-parenting discussion group, 8:30 p.m.; call Deb at 462-3870 or Randy at 462-7168.

## HAMBURGER FRY

**Wednesday, May 23 • 6:30 p.m.**

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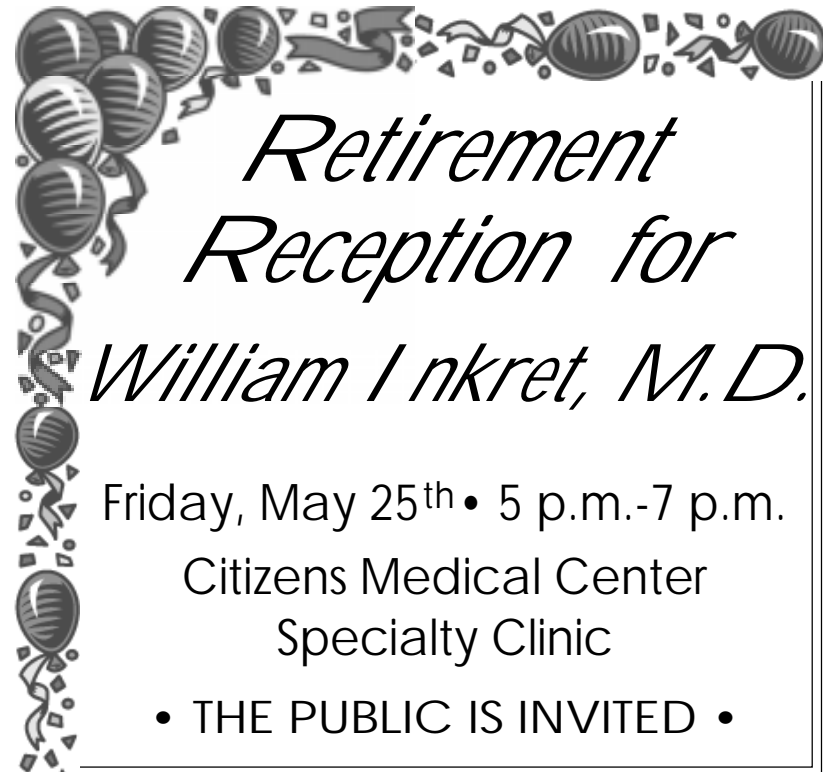
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