

Family

Deaths

Elizabeth Ann Basgall

Elizabeth Ann Basgall, 77, a Grinnell homemaker, died Sunday, Aug. 30, 2009, at the Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby. She was born Feb. 18, 1932, in Hays, the daughter of Joseph and Bertha (Scheve) Bockwinkel. She graduated in 1950 from Grinnell High School. On Nov. 5, 1952, she married Wilfred E. Basgall in Angelus. She lived in Grinnell most of her life. She was a member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Grinnell and the St. Mary's Altar Society, and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband in 1988; a brother, Joe Bockwinkel; and a sister, Ellen Mae Zerr.

Mrs. Basgall is survived by two sons, Thomas (Lexie) Basgall, Herndon, and Stanley Basgall, Grinnell; two daughters, Maureen (Grant) Ostmeyer and Gerri (Kenny) Geist of Oakley; and 11 grandchildren. A funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 3, 2009, at the church, with Father James Thomas, Father Michael Elan and Father Dana Clark officiating and burial in the church cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the church Parish Center. A Rosary and wake service will begin at 7:30 p.m. The family suggests memorials to Hospice Services, in care of Kennedy-Koster Funeral Home, Box 221, Oakley, Kan., 67748.

Henry M. Neely Jr.

Henry M. Neely Jr., 83, formerly of Colby, died Sunday, Aug. 30, 2009, at the Lake Point Nursing Center in Augusta. He is survived by his wife, Augusta; a son, James (Marla) Price Neely of Derby; a sister, Jimmie Donnahey of Clovis, N.M.; and two granddaughters. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 3, 2009, at the Headley Funeral Chapel, Augusta, with burial in the Latham Cemetery. Visitation will be from 1 to 8 p.m. today, with the family to greet friends from 6 to 8 p.m. The family suggests memorials to the Latham United Methodist Church, in care of the funeral home, 813 State St., Augusta, Kan., 67010.



Henry Neely

Corrections

An article about the Brewster High cross country team on the Sports page of the Thursday, Aug. 28, edition of the *Colby Free Press* failed to include freshman Ben Baird as a member of the team. This was a reporting error. ☆☆☆☆☆ The Colby Free Press wants to maintain an accurate record of our town. Please report any error or lack of clarity in a news story to us at 462-3963.



Amanda and Matthew McCarthy

Rose Hill the site for outdoor ceremony

Amanda Campbell and Matthew McCarthy were married June 20, 2009, in an outdoor ceremony at a friend's house in Rose Hill. The wedding was performed by Dr. Don Olsen of the Plymouth Congregational Church in Wichita. Amanda is the daughter of former Colby residents Jerry and Janet Campbell of Emporia. She is the granddaughter of Dean and Gloria Lewis and Eugene and Ila Campbell, all of Hugoton. Matthew is the son of Naoma McCarthy-Reardon of Golden City, Mo., and David McCarthy of Lamar, Mo. He is a grandson of Jack and Barbara Nelson and Donna and Phil Davison, all of Golden City, and the late Ruth Lunde of Fergus Falls, Minn. Matron of honor was Marcy Neff. Best man was Jessie Taylor. Brandon McCarthy, brother of the groom, served as groomsman.

Brandon Swalla, Quinton Sterling, and Daniel Faught were the ushers. The wedding party wore lily corsages and boutonnières made by the bride's mother. Musicians were members of the bride's family, Kris, Eddie and Kristyn Campbell. Crystal Milliken attended the guestbook. Program and gift attendants were Cindy Schafer and Mary Nordstrom. A reception, dinner and dance followed. Cake and punch servers were aunts of the bride, Dana Seidle, Cindy Kilbourn, Marretta Campbell and Jackie Lewis, along with Nichole Kilbourn, a cousin of the bride. The bride is working on a master's degree in industrial and organizational psychology from Emporia State University. The groom is a public health technician at McConnell Air Force base in Wichita, where the couple lives.

Fort Larned plans special Labor Day

During the 1860s, the route to Fort Larned along the Santa Fe Trail seemed long and dangerous. Today, however, it's a short drive over the Labor Day weekend. At the historic frontier fort, you can witness events much as they might have happened while the fort was an active post. Staff and volunteers will dress as soldiers and civilians of the late 1860s. Everyday garrison life will be depicted, with soldiers in the barracks and drilling on the parade ground with weapons. Programs include firing of Springfield rifles and the fort's howitzer cannon. Watch the blacksmith at work. Visit with the quartermaster's clerk or an officer's wife. Most of the refurbished buildings will be staffed, and at 4:30 p.m. each day there will be a retreat ceremony, including lowering of the 20x36 foot garrison flag and firing of the cannon. An original play, "The Oxbow Incident," will be presented at a dinner theater just as it might have been in 1860s in the quartermas-

ter's storehouse on Saturday. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. with the play to follow. The dinner is \$12; call (620) 285-6911 for reservations. A free matinee on Sunday and Monday will begin at 2 p.m. On Saturday and Sunday, Dr. Joe Meany, historian, will present a program on "Galvanized Yankees," captured Confederate soldiers who pledged allegiance to, and served in the Union Army rather than go to prison. This is sponsored by the partner organization, Fort Larned Old Guard. Fort Larned National Historic Site is six miles west of Larned on K-156. It is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; admission is free. For information, go to www.nps.gov/fols.

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