

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

2nd Hand Rose's Christmas Open House. Friday, November 26 and Saturday, November 29 from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Everything newly restocked. Christmas Galore!
---11/21---11/25---

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---12/1---

Golden Shears Barber Shop 315 Center, Oakley. Tuesday - Saturday, 8 a.m. - noon & 1 - 5:30 p.m. 40 years experience. Call for appointment 785-671-4213.
---10/26---11/21---

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---

Help Wanted

First National Bank is accepting applications for a Customer Service/Teller Position in their Colby location. Qualified applicants should have proficient office technology skills, strong people skills, be customer oriented and willing to take on a variety of job duties. Attention to detail is a must. Excellent benefit package includes insurance, vacation, sick leave and 401K. Applications available at the Bank. 785-460-2000 EOE/AA Member FDIC.
---11/16---11/30---

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---

PSI Transport is always looking for good company livestock and grain haulers as well as shop mechanics. Competitive pay, life/health/dental benefits and bonus program available. EOE 785-675-3477.
---6/6---TFN---

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.
---3/25---TFN---

Child Care

Lisa's Little BusyBee Daycare has two openings for 6 month to 4 years old. Call 785-443-1599.
---11/17---11/23---

Misc for Rent

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

Buildings for Sale

Steel Buildings - Reduced factory inventory. 30x36 - Reg. \$15,850, now \$12,600. 36x58 - Reg. \$21,900, now \$18,800. 866-609-4321 Source: 1MR.
---11/9---11/21---

Apartments for Rent

Very nice 1 and 2 bedroom apartments, all utilities and cable paid. Call 785-443-3472.
---11/21---11/28---

Apartments for Rent

South Park and Meadowlark Manor. Rent based on income. Equal Housing Opportunity. www.colbyhousingauthority.com 785-460-6763.
---9/21---TFN---

Houses for Rent

Very nice 3 bedroom home. Please call 785-443-2010.
---11/21---11/28---

Mobile Home for Rent

2 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, all appliances. 785-462-1047.
---10/26---TFN---

Misc. for Sale

Large Portable Frame for Banner sign. Was Grandma Shirley's sign at Bourquin's Old Depot Restaurant. Contact www.BigIronAuction.com Bourquin 785-443-2774.
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Portable Heavy Duty Horse Stables built for windy Kansas weather. Contact www.BigIronAuction.com Bourquin 785-443-2774.
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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.

Vehicles for Sale

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

Seed and Feed

KCIA certified seed wheat. AGRIPRO TAM III POSTROCK newly released SY-GLOD, also FULLER. Paul Nauer 785-678-2339 or 785-678-8083.

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.

Pets/Supplies

Needing to find a good home for a male black cat. Seven years old, already fixed and declawed. Very friendly and loves attention. If interested, please call 785-443-5478 or 785-443-5224.

Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of Carol J. Williams, a/k/a Carol Jean Williams, Deceased.
No. 2011-PR-46

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:
You are notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by Melissa Siruta, one of the heirs of Carol J. Williams, a/k/a Carol Jean Williams, deceased, requesting: Descent be determined of the following described real estate:
Lot Thirteen (13), Block Four (4), Pioneer Subdivision to the City of Colby, Kansas, as shown by the recorded plat thereof;

An undivided one-fourth (1/4) interest in and to the East Half of the Southeast Quarter (E 1/2 SE 1/4) of Section Eleven (11), Township Eleven (11) South, Range Thirty-two (32), West of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Logan County, Kansas;

An undivided one-fourth (1/4) interest in and to the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Twelve (12), Township Eleven (11) South, Range Thirty-two (32), West of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Logan County, Kansas, LESS AND EXCEPT THREE (3) TRACTS which are specifically described in the Petition;

An undivided one-fourth (1/4) interest in and to the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Nine (9), Township Eleven (11) South, Range Thirty-one (31), West of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Gove County, Kansas; and

An undivided one-fourth (1/4) interest in and to the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Eleven (11) South, Range Thirty-one (31), West of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Gove County, Kansas;

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death. And that such property and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by the decedent at the time of death be assigned pursuant to the terms of the "Family Settlement Agreement" dated October 26, 2011.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before November 28, 2011, at 10:00 AM in said Court, in the City of Colby, in 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.

MELISSA SIRUTA
PETITIONER

Submitted by:
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Colby, Kansas 67701
(785) 460-3383
Attorney for Petitioner

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Help Wanted

Maclaskey Oilfield Services, Inc. is now hiring transport drivers for crude oil hauling. Class A CDL with hazmat and tanker endorsements and a current DOT physical required. Candidates must be willing to work overtime and weekends. We are an expanding crude oil purchasing company with 34 years of oilfield experience. Please send resume to Maclaskey Oilfield Services, Inc., PO Box 222, El Dorado, Kansas, 67042 or call Allison Albright, Office Manager, at 316-321-9011 for details.
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Volunteer Needed: for AARP Tax-wise program in Colby, Feb. 1 to April 15, 2012. Must be willing to do sample returns for certification. Work with experienced people. Need to be willing to learn computer and internet usage. Call Earle at 785-462-2990.
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Use the *Classifieds!*



Public Notice

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING FOR AMENDING THE 2011 BUDGET

The Governing Body of the City of Colby, Kansas will meet on the 6th day of December, 2011, at 7:30 P.M. for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed amended use of funds.

Detailed budget information is available at the Office of the City Clerk and will be available at this hearing.

Fund	2011 Adopted Budget			2011 Proposed Amended
	Actual Tax Rate	Amount of Tax that was Levied	Expenditures	
Water Fund			\$ 995,776.00	\$ 1,142,512.00
Sewer Fund			\$ 1,229,118.00	\$ 1,320,623.00
Law Enforcement Trust			\$ 102,928.00	\$ 127,928.00

Joni L. Ketchum, City Clerk

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Help Wanted
Atwood Location
Full Time & Part Time shifts also available
Apply at:
310 Grant, Atwood, KS
EOE

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 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.

Public Notice

Comparison of Levies				
DISTRICT	Valuation	2011	2010	Levy Diff.
State		1.500	1.500	0.000
County	91,166,241	34.596	34.583	0.013
CITIES				
Brewster	2,244,487	47.723	44.262	3.461
Colby	42,579,803	32.280	33.582	-1.302
Gem	329,543	12.960	12.858	0.102
Menlo	286,639	16.602	11.126	5.476
Oakley	194,334	81.432	81.430	0.002
Rexford	716,415	31.591	32.014	-0.423
TOWNSHIPS				
Barrett	2,334,598	23.161	22.732	0.429
East Hale	1,707,533	22.831	22.211	0.620
West Hale	1,787,288	13.543	13.501	0.042
Kingery	2,602,601	21.689	21.081	0.608
Lacey	1,290,270	23.332	27.488	-4.156
Menlo	1,616,074	29.351	29.226	0.125
Morgan	9,971,991	11.478	11.872	-0.394
North Randall	4,047,028	17.707	17.528	0.179
South Randall	6,596,687	13.461	13.327	0.134
Rovohl	2,571,559	20.724	21.180	-0.456
Smith	1,897,487	18.125	18.077	0.048
Summers	7,028,952	15.869	15.852	0.017
Wendell	1,362,952	31.922	32.438	-0.516
SCHOOL DISTRICTS				
USD 274-General	9,573,161	20.618	22.094	-1.476
USD 274-USD Gen	9,316,213	20.000	20.000	0.000
USD 275-General	2,544,817	24.039	24.222	-0.183
USD 275-USD Gen	2,502,979	20.000	20.000	0.000
USD 291-General	507,124	14.367	14.743	-0.376
USD 291-USD Gen	482,722	20.000	20.000	0.000
USD 314-General	7,608,942	33.070	24.635	8.435
USD 314-USD Gen	7,096,355	20.000	20.000	0.000
USD 315-General	65,851,708	28.077	26.336	1.741
USD 315-USD Gen	60,399,275	20.000	20.000	0.000
USD 316-General	5,980,489	26.651	22.908	3.743
USD 316-USD Gen	4,694,188	20.000	20.000	0.000
C.C.C.	91,166,241	40.709	35.208	5.501
CEMETERY DISTRICTS				
Colby Cemetery	64,575,710	1.617	1.615	0.002
Gem Cemetery	2,457,051	1.173	1.186	-0.013
Fairview Cemetery	1,902,713	2.382	2.366	0.016
Rexford Cemetery	3,139,616	2.939	2.886	0.053
FIRE DISTRICTS				
Rural Fire Dist. #1	9,883,271	1.928	2.512	-0.584
Rural Fire Dist. #3	25,690,803	1.836	1.889	-0.053
Rural Fire Dist. #4	3,976,854	1.543	1.563	-0.020
Rural Fire Dist. #5	3,943,301	1.418	1.676	-0.258
SD Co RFD #1	286,639	4.981	4.981	0.000
LIBRARY				
NWKL Library	48,392,104	1.130	1.065	0.065
RECREATION DISTRICTS				
City of Colby		2.916	2.967	-0.051

2011 Thomas County Tax Levies
Valuation of Thomas County is: 91,166,241
Levies shown are taxes per \$1000 valuation

STATE LEVIES	K.S.A.	Levy
State General		1.500
Education Building	76-6b01	1.000
State Institutions Bldg.	76-6b04	0.500
Total		1.500

COUNTY LEVIES		
General	79-1946	10.967
Road & Bridge	79-1946	8.160
Noxious Weed	2-1318	0.374
Employee Benefit	12-15, 102	7.385
Ambulance	65-6113	1.631
Svc Program for Elderly	12-1680	0.698
Direct Election	25-2201a	0.516
Historical Society	19-2651	0.737
Extension Council	2-610	1.274
Free Fair	2-132	0.147
Mental Health	19-4011	0.456
Mental Retardation	19-4011	0.787
Sanitary Landfill	65-204	0.310
County Health	65-204	0.166
Building Maintenance	19-15, 116	0.988
Total		34.596

NWKL REGIONAL LIBRARY		
General	76-6b01	0.978
Employee Ben.		0.152
Total		1.130

SCHOOL DISTRICTS	General	Cap. Outlay	Bond & Int.	Recreation	Supp Gen	Total
USD 274	72-6431	72-8801	10-113	19-1927	72-6433	13.543
USD 275	20.000	3.993	1.688	14.937	40.618	61.626
USD 275	20.000	8.041		15.998	44.039	88.078
USD 291	20.000	2.000		12.367	34.367	76.734
USD 314	20.000	5.000	1.000	27.07	53.070	106.140
USD 315	20.000	1.000	5.631	21.446	48.077	96.154
USD 316	20.000			26.651	46.651	93.302

TOWNSHIPS	General	Road & Bridge	Nox. Weed	Emp Ben	Debt Svc	Spec Rd.	Total
Barrett	23.161						23.161
East Hale	22.831						22.831
West Hale	1.775	11.768					13.543
Kingery	21.689						21.689
Lacey	3.040	20.292					23.332
Menlo	2.837	24.184		2.33			29.351
Morgan	3.235	8.243					11.478
North Randall	17.707						17.707
South Randall	1.025	12.436					13.461
Rovohl	20.724						20.724
Smith	2.521	15.604					18.125
Summers	15.869						