

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

Obituaries

Vivian Laurene Bishop

Vivian Laurene Bishop, 95, a lifetime resident of Decatur County, died May 10, 2006, at Wesley Medical Center in Wichita.

She was born Jan. 27, 1910, the fourth of five daughters born to John and Marie (Hess) Cilek, on a farm northwest of Jennings. She attended Plainview, Big Timber and Pleasant Ridge rural schools and graduated from Jennings High School in 1929.

She married Clyde Bishop on June 2, 1943, at the Methodist parsonage in Oberlin. He was the eldest son of Edison and Cora (Luekes) Bishop and farmed with his father in Custer Township southeast of Oberlin. She and her husband farmed and raised livestock. They moved to Oberlin in 1981 and he died on Oct. 22, 1986. She was a member of the Oberlin United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, ZCBJ Lodge, Fairview Club and Garden Club.

Survivors include two nephews, Robert Chandler, Flora Vista, N.M., and Terry Frickey, Florida City, Fla.; and two nieces, Sharon Bliss, Kissimmee, Fla., and Shirley Martin, Miami, Fla.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; four sisters, Grace Cilek, Ida Reynolds, Alfrida Weber, and Loretta Frickey; and a nephew, Harwood Chandler.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin. The Rev. Doug Hasty officiated and burial was at the Oberlin Cemetery.

Memorials were established to the church or Last Indian Raid Museum. Contributions may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Dena Hartzog Gillespie

Dena Hartzog Gillespie, 96, a longtime resident of Jennings, died May 9, 2006, at the Decatur County Hospital.

She was born Jan. 13, 1910, at Edmond, the daughter of James and Jennie (Bachover) Corbin. She was named Katie Corbin at birth and was the youngest of five children. Her father died in May of 1912, and she was placed in an orphanage in Concordia. She was later adopted by John and Maggie (Drent) Kroeze of Prairie View, then named Dena Kroeze. She graduated from Luctor School near Prairie View.

She married Harold Hartzog on April 11, 1928 and they had four children. They farmed near Long Island and he died on July 19, 1936. They lived at Agra the last year of his life, where he served as an evangelist and as pastor of the Assembly of God Church, a position she filled for a time following his death.

She married George Gillespie of Jennings on May 18, 1940 and they had two children. They lived on a farm southwest of Jennings and later built a new home in Jennings. Her husband died in 1990 and she spent her last years at the Good Samaritan Center in Oberlin.

Survivors include her children, Earl and Pat Hartzog, Hoxie; Bob and Joyce Hartzog, Oberlin; Daryl and Marjorie Hartzog, and Darlene and Martin LaRue, Jennings; Floyd and Erma Gillespie, Newcastle, Texas; and Dena Marie and Dan Way, Springfield, Mo.; 16 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and two step-great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; brothers and sisters, Julia, Charlie, Nola, Floyd and Louis Corbin and Chester Kroeze; grandchildren, Rose Marie Way and Mike Krizek, and great-grandson, Alan Fullbright.

Funeral services were held Friday morning at the Jennings United Methodist Church. Pastors Heidi Wiebe and Carrie Buhler officiated and burial was at the Jennings Cemetery.

Memorials were established to the Jennings United Methodist Church and Decatur County Good Samaritan Center. Contributions

may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Virginia Ike

Virginia Ike, 80, mother of Patricia Berry of Oberlin, died Saturday, May 13, 2006, at the Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin.

She was born April 26, 1926, at McCook, the daughter of Raymond Alexander and Bertha Fern (Logan) Ike. She was reared at McCook and attended school there.

She married George Vyron Ike on Nov. 5, 1943, in Oberlin. They lived in McCook until her husband's death on May 22, 1990, after which she moved to Oberlin. She was a member of the Oberlin American Legion Auxiliary.

Survivors include a son, George Ike Jr. and Margaret Ike, Lincoln, Neb.; two daughters, Patricia and Harold Berry Sr., Oberlin; and Lynda and Melvin Cox Sr., Bennett, Neb.; six grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; two grandsons, Melvin Cox Jr. in infancy and Harold Dean Berry Jr., on July 19, 1984; and a great-granddaughter, Dana Jeanine Berry, also known as Bailey, on Jan. 4, 1990.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin. Deacon Stan Chapin will officiate and burial will be at the Riverview Cemetery at McCook.

A memorial was established in her name. Contributions may be sent to the funeral home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Robert E. Morris

Robert E. Morris, 69, a 1955 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Saturday, May 13, 2006, at the Robert J. Dole Veterans Administration Medical Center in Wichita.

He was born Feb. 25, 1937, in Oberlin, the son of Claude and Sylvia (Post) Morris. He was reared in Oberlin and attended Oberlin schools. He served in the United States Navy for four years, specializing in electronics, then worked for the Burroughs Company in California. During that time, he was involved in the Coast Guard Auxiliary.

He returned to Oberlin in 1992 and was active in the Oberlin American Legion Post.

Survivors include his children, Robert Jr. and Tina Morris, Murietta, Calif.; Donna and Robert Welch, Grand Terrace, Calif.; and Sharon and Rick Medford, Marina Del Ray, Calif.; three brothers, Billy and Linda Morris, Little Torch Key, Fla.; Richard and Linda Morris, North Charleston, S.C.; and Chester Morris, Quinter; a sister, Beverly and Wayne Smith Sr., Waverly; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandsons.

He was preceded in death by his parents and step-father, Philorn Combs.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin. Burial will follow at the Oberlin Cemetery with military rites by the Oberlin American Legion.

A memorial was established in his name. Contributions may be sent to

the funeral home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

William Duane Mrstik

William Duane Mrstik, 75, a brother of Eugene Mrstik of Jennings, died March 19, 2006, at Milwaukee, Wis.

He was born Oct. 25, 1930, at Kanona, the son of Edward and Clara (Fiala) Mrstik. He was reared on a farm in the Kanona and Jennings area and attended Fairview School, Rock Island School and Jennings schools. He graduated from Jennings High School in 1948. He served in the United States Army from 1949 until 1952 and spent a year in Korea during the Korean War.

He married Janet Apostolos on March 23, 1953 and they lived in Milwaukee. He worked for 30 years as a truck driver for Healer Cartage and Arkansas Best Freight before retiring in 1986. A longtime friend, Susan Kalan, and her family, became an important part of his life.

Survivors include two sons, Michael Sr. and Laurie Mrstik, Milwaukee; and David and Jodi Mrstik, Oshkosh, Wis.; six grandchildren; two brothers, Eugene and Dona Mrstik, Jennings, and Eldon and Cruz Mrstik, Fillmore, Calif.; an aunt, Alice Fiala, Oberlin; a nephew, Terry and JoAnn Mrstik, Topeka; and a niece, Sondra Sanders, Camarillo, Calif.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a nephew, Gary Mrstik.

Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, May 26, at the Jennings United Methodist Church. The Rev. James Jennings will officiate and inurnment will be at the Jennings Cemetery with military honors by the Fort Riley Honor Guard.

Memorials may be made to the Jennings Cemetery or the Czech Museum at Jennings.

Markets

May 15, 2006 closing markets

Wheat, \$4.40 bushel
Milo, \$3.57 hnd weight
Corn, \$2.24 bushel
Soybeans, \$5.11 bushel
Sunflowers (unavailable)

Clyde Robert Hartzog, Petitioner
Darlene LaRue, Petitioner

Correction

An item in the People in Our Community column in the Wednesday, May 10, edition of *The Oberlin Herald* about those who attended the Rotary District Conference in Russell said that Merlou Robinson would be going to the Sao Paulo area in southeast Asia. It should have said Sao Paulo in southeast Brazil. This was a proofing error.

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The Oberlin Herald will correct or clarify any mistake or misunderstanding in a news story. Please call our office at 475-2206 to report errors. We believe that news stories should be fair and factual, and appreciate your calling to our attention any failure to live up to this standard.

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From the Record

Courthouse

These transactions were taken from the records in the offices of the Decatur County court clerk, sheriff and register of deeds:

DISTRICT COURT JAIL BOOKINGS

The following was booked into the Decatur County Jail last week:

Terrance Massey, 19, Leavenworth, May 9, indecent exposure, Decatur County Sheriff's Office.

AMBULANCE CALLS

These calls were reported last week by the Decatur County ambulance crew:

May 8: 4:24 a.m., medical, E. Ash, to Decatur County Hospital.

May 9: 9:25 a.m., Decatur County Hospital to Veterans Administration Hospital, Wichita; 10:20 a.m.,

motor vehicle accident, W. Commercial, to Decatur County Hospital; 5:38 p.m., Decatur County Hospital to Community Hospital, McCook.

May 11: 10:47 a.m., Decatur County Hospital to Good Samaritan Hospital, Kearney, Neb.; 11:07 a.m., flight from Decatur County

Hospital to Wesley Medical Center, Wichita.

City Hall

MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Ellen Horn, Oberlin, failure to yield right of way, \$100; Gregory Olson, Oberlin, speeding 45 mph in a 30 mph zone, \$106.

Town Crier

Today: Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., ambulance barn.

Democratic party meeting, 6:30 p.m., Frontier Restaurant.

Thursday: Last day of school for seniors.

Decatur Health Systems Community Walk, 4 to 7 p.m., Sappa Park. Meet at shelterhouse. Refreshments provided. Rain date is Tuesday.

Saturday: Senior recitals for Sarah Marcuson and Karyn Jordan, 2 p.m., Morgan Theater at The Gateway, sponsored by Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission.

Sunday: Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m.

Tuesday: Jody Tubbs, Kansas Commission on Veterans, 9:30 a.m., courthouse.

Public Notices

In the Matter of the Estate of)
NORMA ELWOOD FRANSDEN,)
Deceased.)

Case No. 2006-PR-13

NOTICE OF HEARING THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court by Mike Elwood, as a surviving son and heir of Norma Elwood Frandsen, deceased, praying for the determination of the descent of the following described real estate:

A tract of land beginning at a point One Hundred Fifty (150) feet South of the Southeast corner of that part of a tract of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Section Twelve (12), Township Three (3) South, Range Twenty-nine (29), West of the 6th P.M. conveyed to Albertena Jackson by that deed which is of record in Book 8 at Page 536 of the deed records of Decatur County, Kansas, thence West by a straight line to the West line of said quarter section (which is the East line of the present highway), thence South along the West line of Section 12 a sufficient distance to make a tract of ten (10) acres

by running a line from such point on the West line of said section straight East to the East line of the present road being the West line extended of Penn Avenue in the City of Oberlin, Decatur County, Kansas, thence North to the place of beginning; EXCEPT a tract deeded to Decatur Cooperative Association, Inc. and recorded in Book A-42 on Page 346 in the records of Decatur County, Kansas.

and all other property, real and personal, or interests therein, owned by the decedent at the time of death; and you are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before June 9, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. of said day, in said court, in the City of Oberlin, in Decatur 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 said petition.

Mike Elwood, Petitioner

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Estate of

D. Gillespie

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DECATUR COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of)
DENA GILLESPIE, Deceased.)
Case No. 2006-PR-14

NOTICE TO CREDITORS THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition dated May 15, 2006, has been filed in this court by Clyde Robert Hartzog and Darlene LaRue, as a surviving heirs and as the co-executors named in the Last Will and Testament of Dena Gillespie, deceased, praying for probate of the will, and for the appointment of Clyde Robert Hartzog and Darlene LaRue as Co-Executors of the estate.

You are further advised that the petitioners in this matter have requested administration pursuant to the Kansas Simplified Estates Act, and if such request is granted the court may not supervise administration of the estate and no further notice of any action of the Personal Representatives or other proceedings in the estate will be given except for notice of final settlement of the decedent's estate. Should written objections to simplified administration be filed with the court, the court may order supervised administration to ensue.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four 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.

Clyde Robert Hartzog, Petitioner
Darlene LaRue, Petitioner

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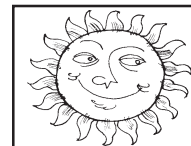
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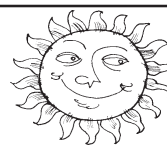


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WEATHER



Decatur County Weather - May 16th - May 20th

(National Weather Service)

(Information below for period ending 8 a.m. Mon.; maximum temperature for previous day.)

Tuesday: Morning will be clear, with a low around 43. North wind between 5 and 10 mph becoming with low around 43.
Wednesday: Morning, sunny, with high around 84. Night: mostly clear, with low around 50.
Thursday: Morning: mostly sunny, with a high near 90. Night: mostly clear, with a low near 50.
Friday: Mostly sunny, with a high around 88. Night: partly cloudy, with a low around 54.
Saturday: Morning: a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a high around 86. Night: a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 53.

Precipitation: for the week, 0.03; for the month, 0.19; for the year, 2.92.

Weather History: May 12, 1995-Intermittent tornado, wind and hail damage across Thomas and Sheridan counties included app. \$3.5 million crop damage.

By Jim Merriott - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer