

Obituaries

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 REGISTER OF DEEDS

Leona Harms, transfer on death to Daniel Harms and Carmen Harms, Lot 9, Block 4, Original Town, now City of Oberlin.

Box-4 Inc., quit claim, 1/2 interest each to Barbara Dehlinger Kansas Living Trust and Ky Dehlinger Kansas Living Trust, irregular tract in the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Sec. 31, T2S, R28W.

Barbara Dehlinger Kansas Living Trust and Ky Dehlinger Kansas Living Trust, quit claim, to Box-4 Inc., tract of 9.8 acres in SW 1/4, Sec. 31, T2S, R28W, in trade for above. Roberta Petracek to Thomas

Votapka, the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 14, T4S, R27W.

City Hall

MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Keith VanPelt, Oberlin, improper backing, \$105; Clement Koerperich, Oberlin, disobeyed stop sign, \$115; R.J. Phifer, Oberlin, exhibition of speed (spinning tires), \$155; Edgar Juarez, Cambridge, Neb., no driver's license, \$305.

Town Crier

Today: FFA dairy cattle judging, 8 a.m., Hays.

Fall Harvest Celebration and turkey dinner, 5 to 7 p.m., Oberlin Covenant Church.

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

Thursday: Open bridge, 1 p.m., Golden Age Center.

Junior high Northwest Kansas League volleyball tournament, 2 p.m., seventh grade at Oakley; eighth grade at Quinter.

Friday: Red Cross volunteer training, 6-9 p.m., ambulance barn.

High school football, 7 p.m., here, with Beloit.

Saturday: Red Cross volunteer training, 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., ambulance barn. Call (785) 475-3338 for details.

Regional cross country, 11 a.m., at Hill City.

Substate volleyball, 1 p.m., here.

Anna Seeber Shaw drawing workshop will not be held this Saturday.

It was Oct. 13. "The Curious Savage" by Southwest Nebraska Community Theater Association, 7:30 p.m., The Gateway, sponsored by Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission.

Sunday: Kansans for Life fund raiser, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m., Oberlin Pizza Hut.

Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m. **Monday:** Halloween Cleanup, 6:15 p.m.

Tuesday: Oberlin Elementary musical, 7:30 p.m., gymnasium.

A representative of the Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group will be at the county Health Department once a month for free well evaluations, including testing water for bacteria and nitrates. For details call (785) 475-8118.

The Decatur County Food Pantry is open from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday at the United Church, 109 N. Griffith. Gifts of nonperishable food and household items are always needed.

Monday-Friday: At 1 p.m. at

Golden Age Center, Monday, pinocle; Tuesday, pitch; Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinocle. Third Thursday of the month, senior bridge, open. Quilting, puzzles, games daily.

SENIOR MENU

Senior lunch at the Golden Age center, 220 N. Penn Ave., weekdays at 11:30 a.m.

Today: chili, five-cup salad, crackers, cinnamon roll.

Thursday: roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots, bread, pears, birthday cake.

Friday: turkey, sweet potatoes, beets, bread, cranberry apple salad.

Monday: cook's choice entree, party potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread, peaches.

Tuesday: Salisbury steak, winter mix vegetables, apricots, roll, pudding.

Next Wednesday: witch's stew, frog-eye salad, crackers, jack-o-lantern cake or bars.

Corrections

A story on the front page of the Wednesday, Oct. 10, *Oberlin Herald* on reclassification of Kansas high schools incorrectly reported that sports other than football at Decatur Community High School would continue in Class 3A level. Actually, said Joe Dreher, high school activities director, all sports, not just football, will move to Class 2A.

The article quoted Mr. Dreher as saying, "We will not play St. Francis in football, but regain Norton in the trade;" that is true, but Mr. Dreher said the wording was not correct. Oberlin and St. Francis will not meet in football for at least two years.

To fill the 2007 and 2008 football schedule, said Jim Keenan of Oakley, commissioner of the

Northwest Kansas League, the Northwest Kansas League and the Mid-Continent League will schedule games between each league without a merger. Seven teams in the Northwest Kansas League and seven in the Mid-Continent league will play 11-man football.

The cooperative arrangement between the leagues will allow each school to fill its football schedule for the next two years, said Mr. Keenan. Mr. Dreher said league officials haven't decided how to handle championships yet.

This was a reporter's error.

A story in the same paper said that Anna Seeber Shaw would have a workshop at the Oberlin Covenant Church on Saturday, Oct. 20. The

workshop actually was held this past Saturday, Oct. 13. This was the result of incorrect information given to the newspaper.

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In the past two Pigskin Pick 'Em stories one of the participants was named as Brock Benson. The man's name is actually Brock Baxter. This was a reporter's 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.

Honor Roll

Welcome and thanks to these recent subscribers to *The Oberlin Herald*:

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Larry Robertson, Diana McCarbrey, Wichita; Kevin Rush, Olathe; Larry Alstrom, Hoxie; Kenneth Carter, Paul and Kathy Nauer, Jennings; June Vavroch, Hays; Agnes Pruitt, Troy Marshall, Norcatar; Wayne Marietta, Russell; Estella Harold, Norton; Eileen Witt Kastens, Hays; David Lamb, Winona; Wes DuBois, Salina; Mrs. Ron Fikan, Atwood; Eugene Wurm, Greg Marintzer, Herndon; Dr. and Mrs. Gary Young, Manhattan.

Nebraska: Brett Carr, Kearney; Hulda Frick, Indianola; Helen Helm, Cambridge;

Oberlin: Evelyn Olson, Darlene Hilton, Faye Meitl, Doug Mason, Norman Wendelin, Norman Gallentine, Lee Gilliam, Chris May, Frieda Goetze, Larry Smith, Darlene Fisher, Jason and Megan Ketterl, Marvin May, Opal Bryan, Jason Fortin,

Violet Schissler, Stuart Henzel, Elmo Bailey, Mrs. Merle Shirley, Ronald Bryan, Dr. Stephen LaBash, Dorothy Bell, Judy Wenger, Jerry Alstrom, Ray Lohofener, Marion Wenger, Richard Langness, Myrtle Waldo, Kirk Ulery,

Owen Wilson, Alyce Avery, Bob Berls, Danyeh Uehlin, Vena Walters, Dolores Depperschmidt, Janice Cundiff, Father Henry Saw Lone, Gayle Carlson, Elden Anderson, Barbara Castor, Jody Merrill, Allen Diederich, Rhonda Manning,

Decatur County Museum, Betty Harden, Juanita Williby, Norine Schweitzberger, John Schultz, Verl Sauvage, Merlin Anderson and Ethel Railsback.

Wilbert A. Jording

Wilbert August Jording, 90, a brother of Mildred Cochran of Oberlin, died Sept. 22, 2007, at his home in Dayton, Wash.

He was born Nov. 3, 1916, in Palmer, the son of John and Mary (Daugeford) Jording. He attended the public and Lutheran parochial school at Traer. After finishing eighth grade, he worked on a local farm, then joined the Civilian Conservation Corps at Atwood.

He married Marguerite Kloepper in 1936 and they moved to Walla Walla, Wash., where he worked for Safeway. He later transferred to Dayton, where he managed Safeway until 1943, when he joined the Navy. He served in the South Pacific on a cargo ship and was in Japan after World War II. After his discharge he returned to Dayton and worked for the U.S. Postal Department. He later owned his own neighborhood grocery store, Willie's Grocery, which he and his wife and family operated for 25 years. His wife died in 1998. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion and Lutheran Church.

Survivors include two sons, Edward and Jane Jording, Clarkston, Wash., and Dennis and Sherrie Jording, Olympia, Wash.; a daughter, Karla and Robert John, Dayton, Wash; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two sisters, Esther Hoffbauer, Toppish, Wash., and Mildred Cochran, Oberlin.

He was also preceded in death by six brothers and two sisters.

Memorial services were held Sept. 29 at the Hubbard-Rogg Chapel in Dayton with the Rev. Jim Edwards officiating. Burial was at the Dayton City Cemetery.

A memorial was established to Hospice or the First Christian Church. Contributions may be sent to the funeral home at 111 S. 2nd Street, Dayton, Wash., 99328.

Mildred Kleidosty

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. today at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Herndon for Mildred Kleidosty, 82, of Herndon, who died Sunday at Cedar Living Center in Oberlin. Father Galen Long will officiate and burial will be at St. Mary's Cemetery.

A memorial has been established in her name. Contributions may be sent to Williams Funeral Home, 109 N. 2nd, Atwood, Kan., 67730.

A complete obituary will be carried in next week's paper.

Verle Dean Miller Sr.

Verle Dean Miller Sr., 86, of Spearville, died Oct. 4, 2007, at Trinity Manor in Dodge City. He was born Oct. 13, 1920, at Jennings, the son of John and Jessie (DeWolf) Miller. He married Twila Liester on Oct. 4, 1941, at Atwood. He was an army veteran of World War II.

He lived in Hoxie 17 years before moving to Spearville. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign War Post at Grinnell and St. Frances Catholic Church of Hoxie.

Survivors include his wife, Twila of Spearville; two sons, Verle Jr. and Barbara Miller, Hays; and Donald and Ruth Miller, Dighton; two daughters, Karol and Edward Havel, Imperial, Neb., and Barbara and Lee Naasz, Spearville; 14 grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a son, John in 1976; a daughter, Sandra Combs in 1984; and a granddaughter, Kimberly Miller.

Funeral services were held Monday morning, Oct. 8, at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Dighton with Father Warren Stecklein officiating. Burial was at the Dighton Memorial Cemetery.

A memorial was established to the church at Dighton. Contributions may be sent to Mickey-Leopold Funeral Home, 1024 Sheridan Ave., Hoxie, Kan., 67740.

Beatrice V. Wolfram

Beatrice Vivian Wolfram, 84, a 1941 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Oct. 9, 2007, at Cedar Living Center in Oberlin. She was born April 23, 1923, in Center Township in Decatur County, the daughter of Simeon and Agnes Helms (PirkI) McCoy. She attended Traer Grade School and after graduating from Decatur Community High School, she taught school in Decatur County for several years.

She married Henry M. Wolfram on Aug. 18, 1945, at the Immanuel Evangelical Church in Herndon. They lived most of their married life in Decatur County, including the towns of Traer and Oberlin, with the exception of three years when they lived in WaKeeney. She worked as a dietary aide at Decatur County Hospital for 27 years. She and her husband moved to Cedar Living Center and celebrated 62 years of marriage there in August. She was a member of the Oberlin Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include her husband, Henry; two children, Larry and Sandra Wolfram, Liberal, and Connie and Curtis Meixner, Arkansas City; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and an infant sister, Mildred Elizabeth McCoy.

Funeral services were held Friday morning at Pauls Funeral Home. The Rev. Royce Leitner officiated and burial was in the Oberlin Cemetery.

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

Markets

Oct. 15, 2007

closing markets

Wheat, \$7.57 bushel
Milo, \$3.23 hnd weight
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Agency gets \$69,000

Development Services of Northwest Kansas has received a \$69,000 grant from the Dane G. Hansen Foundation to repair roofs at Wheatland Development Center in Colby and Reed Developmental Center in Hays.

Both facilities suffered damage during winter storms early this year. Since most of the damage was determined to be "pre-existing" by an insurance adjuster, the agency was forced to pay for most of the costs itself.

"We are deeply appreciative to the Hansen Foundation for their vital support of the services we provide to people with disabilities," said Jerry Micahud, president. "These repairs will allow us to continue to provide the highest in quality service...."

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WEATHER



Decatur County Weather - October 16th - 22nd

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
68/43	70/40	65/38	70/40	68/43

Normal High: 65
Normal Low: 35

Sunrise: 7:53 to 7:59am
Sunset: 6:53 to 7:02pm

Some may think today's weather is chilly, but it is actually seasonal for mid October. Generally by now we have seen our first frost, but this year we'll have to wait a while longer to kill the bugs and plants. Other than an outside chance for rain showers Wednesday and Wednesday night the period looks dry. Rainfall this weekend has next year's wheat crop coming out of the ground and slowed the finish to this year's fall harvest. All in all the weather is pretty decent now that the warm and windy conditions have left!

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

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
Oct. 8	74	37	
Oct. 9	83	38	
Oct. 10	66	40	
Oct. 11	72	41	
Oct. 12	61	41	
Oct. 13	57	52	trace
Oct. 14	57	52	0.15

Precipitation: for the week, 0.15; for the month of October, 0.15; for the year, 20.17.

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By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer