

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

Obituaries

Faith Anderson

Faith Selma Ruth Anderson, 87, a former nurse at the Oberlin hospital and a former resident of the Lund area, died May 5, 2012, in Westminster, Colo.

She was born Sept. 22, 1924, in Odebolt, Iowa, the daughter of the Rev. J.O. and Ethel (Hall) Lonquist. She grew up in the Midwest, where her parents ministered to Covenant churches in Iowa, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Illinois and Kansas. She graduated from high school in Elgin, Ill., in 1941. She received an Associate of Arts degree from North Park College in Chicago in 1943, and graduated from the Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing in Chicago in 1946. She worked in Denver for a year and then moved to Oberlin, where she was a nurse at Benton Memorial Hospital. Her parents were serving the Lund Covenant Church at the time.

She married Maurice Anderson in August 1947 at the Lund Church. They farmed until moving to Denver in 1953.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Susan Anderson, Colorado Springs, and June Anderson, Aurora, Colo.; a son Mark (Linda) Anderson, Aurora; a brother, David Lonquist, Aurora; eight grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers Karl, John and Jim Lonquist; and sisters Gail Wells and June Tennant.

Memorial services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Saturday at the Covenant Village of Colorado, 9153 Yarrow St., Westminster.

as a mechanical engineer in 1956, he worked at the Naval Civil Engineering Laboratory in Port Hueneme, Calif. He retired in 1972 as head of the Technical Services Department after 27 years of federal service.

Subsequently, he worked briefly for Jennings-Bartlett and Associates in Ventura and then for several years was director of purchasing for the Ventura Unified School District. He and his brother John formed the Camarillo Construction Co. in 1971. As licensed general building contractors, they specialized in custom home building and remodeling.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, the Pleasant Valley Historical Society, the Camarillo Hospice, and was the first president of the Pleasant Valley School District Personnel Commission. He was also a member of the Tau Beta Pi Association.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Bob (Shari Caldwell) Jochums, Berkeley Lake, Ga., and Bruce (Ellen Thomas) Jochums, Camarillo; three daughters, Christie Teague, Maricopa, Ariz.; Susan (Bob) Manis, Alpine, Calif.; and Marti (Greg) Lockwood, Camarillo; a sister-in-law, Merrie Jochums, Camarillo; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother John Jochums, and son-in-law Mike Teague.

Funeral arrangements will be given later. Memorial donations may be made to the Camarillo United Methodist Church, 291 Anacapa Drive, Camarillo, Calif., 93010.

Lee Ora Mockry

Lee Ora Mockry, 94, a former resident of rural Cedar Bluffs, died May 6, 2012, at Hillcrest Nursing Home in McCook.

She was born Dec. 24, 1917, on a farm north of Oberlin, the daughter of Earl and Esta (Brown) Lawver, and attended Oberlin schools.

She married Marion Mockry on Sept. 13, 1934, and they lived and farmed in the Cedar Bluffs-Traer area. She attended the First Assembly of God Church in McCook.

Survivors include a daughter, Jeannine (Stan) Reynolds, McCook; a daughter-in-law, Sharon Mockry (Leroy) Stevenson, Cedar Bluffs; a brother, Stan Lawver; a sister, Mara (Al) Johnson; five grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; a son, Lee Mockry; a grandson, Monty Mockry; a great-grandson, Landen Reimer; two brothers, Earl and Don Lawver; and a sister, Betty Dugger.

Funeral services were Thursday morning at the church in McCook with Pastors Leonard Reimer, Gregg Thee and Eddie McElhannon officiating. Burial was in the Oberlin Cemetery.

Memorials were established in her name in care of the Carpenter Breland Funeral Home, 305 West C St., McCook, Neb., 69001. Condolences may be sent at www.carpenterbreland.com.

Lee Nichols

Frankie "Lee" Nichols, 82, a former Oberlin Herald employee and Decatur County dispatcher, died Thursday, May 10, 2012, at the Hays Medical Center.

She was born Feb. 23, 1930, in Goltry, Okla., the daughter of Cecil Franklin and Lorna Alice (Gregg) Lakey.

She attended school in Colby and graduated from high school in Winona in 1949. She married Virgil Gail Nichols in August 1949.

She was editor and publisher of the Winona Leader newspaper from

1959 to 1973 and was a member of the Kansas Press Association. After moving to Oberlin, she worked for The Herald in advertising, as a dispatcher for the Decatur County Sheriff's Department, then as a clerk for the Decatur County Health Department while becoming a certified emergency medical technician.

She and her husband moved from Oberlin to Beloit in 1976, where she was a clerk at the state Youth Center. After her husband's death, she moved to Topeka, where she was a clerk for the Division of Youth Services of the Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services. She retired in November 1994, then moved to St. Francis.

She worked for the U.S. Farm Service Agency until she retired again in August 2005. She was a member of the St. Francis First Baptist Church and the Western Plains Arts Association.

Survivors include four children, Loyall (Barbara) Nichols and Dawn Nichols of Colby; Denise Packard, Grainfield; and Dru (Tracey) Nichols, Laramie, Wyo.; a sister, Alberta (Marvin) Barnett, Gem; a brother, Richard (Becky) Lakey, Santa Fe, N.M.; 14 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Lorna Nichols; a brother, Curtis Schielke; and a sister, Donna Leaverton.

A memorial service will be at 11 a.m. today at the church in St. Francis. Graveside inurnment will be at Elmwood Cemetery in Beloit.

Memorials were established to the church building fund or the arts association, in care of the Knodel Funeral Home, Box 306, St. Francis, Kan., 67756.

Corrections

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.

Markets

Monday closing markets
Wheat, \$5.43 bushel.
Corn, \$5.88 bushel.
Milo, \$5.31 bushel.
Soybeans, \$12.87 bushel.
Decatur Cooperative Association

Sunflower

Cinema
220 N. Penn
Oberlin
785-470-2200

The Avengers

3D PG-13
Friday May 18- 7 p.m.
Saturday, May 19 - 7 p.m.
Sunday, May 20 - 2 p.m.
This advertisement sponsored by:
Crop Production Services CPS
475-3494 1851 N. HWY 83

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

Traffic
May 2: Gerald J. Niemeth, Hern-don, speeding 76 mph, \$149.

May 3: Rosemary Germaine Andresen, Lake Metigoshe, N.D., speeding 76 mph, \$149.

Limited Actions

Nex-Tech Wireless vs Gary Skap-pel, Oberlin, \$417.

JAIL BOOKINGS

The following were booked into the Decatur County Jail:

Christopher Mercer, 22, Mc-Cook, May 1, driving while sus-pended, Red Willow County Sher-iff's Office.

Joseph Blake, 27, McCook, May 5, warrant for driving while sus-pended and failure to appear on ticket, Decatur County Sheriff's Office

Kyle Weiser, 27, McCook, May 8, probation violation, Red Willow County Sheriff's Office.

Nicholas Clapp, 20, McCook, May 8, probation violation, Red Willow County Sheriff's Office.

SHERIFF'S BLOTTER

The Decatur County sheriff's office reported the following call last week:

• Around 8:45 a.m. Caleb Baird was driving a 2003 Chevy pickup and pulling a trailer belonging to Decatur Co-op south on U.S. 83. When he hit the bridge 14 miles south of town, the trailer started whipping back and forth, said Under-sheriff Allen Marcum, and Mr.

Baird lost control and was dragged into the ditch. The tire on the driver's side popped. There were no injuries and nothing spilled out of the five chemical containers in the trailer. There was no ticket given.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Daryl Anne and Donald E. Brown Sr. to Gary J. Skappel and Lila M. Wills, Lot 3, Blk. 27, Johnson Addition, City of Oberlin.

Dean E. and Linda L. Esslinger to Travis and Shiela Dial, tract in S/2 of Sec. 12, T5S R26W.

Travis E. and Shelia M. Dial, quitclaim to Dean E. and Linda L. Esslinger, tract in S/2 of Sec. 12, T5S R26W.

Dean E. and Linda L. Esslinger to Travis Dial, tract in S/2 of Sec. 12, T5S R26W.

Travis Dial to Chase M. Braun and Herman C. and Phyllis I. Braun, tract in S/2 of Sec. 12, T5S R26W.

William C. Deines, trustee of the William C. Deines Trust, to James R. and Denise D. Abbey, SE/4 of Sec. 28, T2S R28W.

Eric C. Sedlmayer, quitclaim to Albert C. and Mary L. Sedlmayer, Lot 1 and 2, Blk. 10, Kenney's Addition, City of Norcatour.

James M. Shuman, transfer on death to Mindy I. Kell, Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 13, Summit Addition, City of Oberlin, and S/2 lot 5, Blk 5, Original Town of Oberlin.

Thomas J. Solko, trustee of the Richard D. Solko Family Trust, to Jean C. Solko, SW/4, S/2 SE/4, Sec. 19, T4S R30W.

Joanne C.L. and Norman G. Wendelin, to LGR Wendelin LLC, an undivided 1/2 interest in SW/4 Sec. 27, T2S R30W, less 6 acres of

former church property.

Joanne C.L. and Norman G. Wen-delin, transfer on death to Joanne C.L. Wendelin Revocable Trust, Lots 4 and 5, Blk. 4, Original town, now City of Oberlin.

Robert W. Jones, quitclaim to John Kettling, Lot 12, Blk. 2, Original town, now City of Jennings.

City Hall

MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday, May 10, Zachary Stark, Oberlin, failure to appear, warrant issued.

Chad Salem, Oberlin, trial pen-ning, arrested on March 4 for driving on a suspended license and having an open container of alcohol.

Jonathan Matson, McCook, fail-ure to appear, warrant issued.

Missy Uehlin, Oberlin, dog at large, no tags, continued.

Stephen LaBash, Oberlin, bat-tery, continued.

Jeffrey Waggoner, Oberlin, left of center and no proof of insurance, balance of \$196 paid.

POLICE BLOTTER

The Oberlin Police Department worked the following calls re-cently

• On May 4, Kaitlyn Gillespie, 22, WaKeeney, backed her 2008 Chevy Impala from the west side of the Cedar Living Center parking lot into a 1993 Dodge belonging to Sally May, which was parked in the middle part of the lot. The Gillespie vehicle was damaged on the passenger-side rear bumper and the May vehicle on the driver's side fender. The accident occurred on private property, so there was no citation.

Town Crier

Today: Story time, 10 a.m., Nor-catur Public Library.

Herndon Senior Citizens potluck, noon at Herndon senior center.

High school awards assembly, 2 p.m., auditorium.

High school baccalaureate, 7:30 p.m., auditorium, sponsored by Decatur County Ministerial As-sociation.

Cards at Jennings Senior Cit-izens Center, 1:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Thursday: Last day of school for seniors.

Seventh- and eighth-grade girls physicals, 6:30 p.m., at Oberlin clinic.

Ninth- and tenth-grade girls phys-icals, 7 p.m., Oberlin clinic.

Oberlin City Council, 7 p.m., the Gateway.

Oberlin American Legion meet-ing, 7 p.m., at Legion hall.

Eleventh and 12th grade girls physicals, 7:30 p.m., at clinic.

Friday: Norcatour Senior Cit-izens, 1 p.m., Methodist Educational

Building.

Regional track meet, 3 p.m. at Smith Center.

Saturday: Armed Forces Day.

High school graduation, 2 p.m., senior high gymnasium.

Sunday: Senior potluck, 12:15 p.m., Golden Age Center.

Senior recital, 2 p.m., Morgan Theater, Gateway, sponsored by Oberlin Arts and Humanities.

Monday: State golf meet at Sen-eca. Time to be announced.

Hospital board, 5:30 p.m., hospi-tal conference room.

Tuesday: County commission-ers, 9 a.m., Courthouse.

Third- through sixth-grade boys physicals, 6:30 p.m., Oberlin clin-ic.

Seventh- and eighth-grade boys physicals, 7:15 p.m., Oberlin clin-ic.

Ninth- through 12th-grade boys physicals, 7:45 p.m., Oberlin clin-ic.

Next Wednesday: Last of day of school for Oberlin students.

Dismissal at 11:30 a.m.

Thursday, May 24: Flag as-sembly for Memorial Day, 6 p.m., at Legion hall.

Community Picnic in the City Park, 6 p.m., Bring covered dish and table service.

SENIOR MENU

Senior lunch at the Golden Age Center, weekdays at noon:

Today: chef salad, tropical fruit, crackers, brownie.

Thursday: roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, orange gelatin with carrots and pineapple, bread and birthday cake.

Friday: macaroni and cheese with smokies, asparagus, strawber-ries and bananas, bread, cookie.

Monday: sausage gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, biscuits or bread, Mandarin oranges.

Tuesday: cook's choice entree, cheesy broccoli, mixed fruit, bread, bar cookie.

Next Wednesday: lasagna, spin-ach salad, pears, garlic bread, pud-ding.

Weather

Forecast

Today: Sunny, with a high near 91. Breezy, with a south wind 5 to 10 mph increasing to between 15 and 20 mph. Winds could gust as high as 30 mph.

Tonight: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunder-storms after 9pm. Mostly cloudy and breezy, with a low around 61.

Thursday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunder-storms. Mostly sunny, with a high near 88.

Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 58.

Friday: Sunny, with a high near 89.

Friday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 63.

Saturday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunder-storms. Mostly sunny, with a high near 86.

National Weather Service

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

Date	Hi	Lo	Precip
May 7	70	46	0
May 8	61	45	0
May 9	73	31	0
May 10	81	32	0
May 11	89	49	0
May 12	67	42	0
May 13	58	40	0.04

Precipitation for week: 0.04

Precipitation for month 0.04

Precipitation for year: 4.47

Precipitation one year ago: 9.29

For 24-hour weather radio broadcast, tune scanner to 162.4 mhz.

By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer.

From the National Weather Service



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