

# From the Record

## THE OBERLIN HERALD

# Obituaries

### Charlotte L. Evans

Charlotte L. Evans, 66, a 1954 graduate of Jennings High School, died Aug. 12, 2003, at Angel Arms Healthcare Center in McPherson. She was born Oct. 10, 1936, in Decatur County, the daughter of Eugene and Ruth (Stacy) Young. She had moved to McPherson in 1966 from Salina. She had worked as a teletypist for *The Salina Journal* and *The McPherson Sentinel*. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of McPherson.

Survivors include a son, Doug Huber, McPherson; a daughter, Cheryl Carroll; two sisters, Louise Cressler, Jennings, and Leotha Bohl, Phillipsburg; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Sherli Ann Strella and a brother, Lowell Young.

Funeral services were held Aug. 15 at Glidden-Ediger Funeral Home in McPherson with the Rev. Karen Rice-Ratzlaff officiating. Burial was in the McPherson Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society. Contributions may be sent to the funeral home, 222 W. Euclid Street, McPherson, Kan., 67460.

### Donna Lea Thompson

Donna Lea Thompson, 65, a sister of Dorothy Ward of Norcat, died Aug. 7, 2003, in Pennsylvania. She was born Dec. 20, 1937, the daughter of Luster and Pearl (Chappell) Dick, in Norcat. She was a 1956 graduate of Norcat Rural High School.

She married David Thompson on June 7, 1963, in Golden Colo., where they lived until moving to Pennsylvania.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Diane and Jeff Madison, Harrisville, Pa.; a brother, Donald Dick, Golden, Colo.; a sister, Dorothy Ward, Norcat; and five grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Darrel Dean Dick, in infancy, and Harold L. Dick.

Burial was in the Pleasant Valley Presbyterian Church Cemetery in Boyers, Pa.

### Mary Ann B. Vahling

Mary Ann B. Vahling, 87, a former resident of New Almelo, died Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2003, at Kenwood View Nursing Home in Salina.

She was born Aug. 2, 1916, in Angelus, the daughter of John G. and Frances A. (Swingler) Vahling.

As a young child, she moved with her family to a farm near New Almelo.

She attended St. Joseph Catholic School there.

She worked as housekeeper for Father Edward Sanders and Monsignor Michael Moran for over 50 years and retired in 1983.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, New Almelo, and St. Mary's Catholic Church, Salina.

Survivors include a brother, Joseph Vahling, Ellis; and four sisters, Agnes and Wilfred Marx, Morland; Anna Vahling, Salina; Josephine Werth, Hays; and Elizabeth and

Francis Wessel, Oakley.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, John A. and Louis J. Vahling, and a sister, Frances Osthoff.

Mass of the Resurrection was held Saturday morning at St. Joseph Catholic Church in New Almelo. The Revs. Vincent Thu Laing, Frank Cody and Rev. Mr. Stan Chapin officiated. Burial was in St. Joseph Cemetery.

A memorial was established in her name to the churches in New Almelo and Salina. Contributions may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan.

### Enis V. Wurm

Enis V. Wurm, 86, sister-in-law of Mabel Zimmerman, Alice Clark and Owen Wilson of Oberlin, died Aug. 8, 2003, at Accent on Elder Care in Arvada, Colo.

She was born Oct. 22, 1917, in Henrietta, Okla., the daughter of John and Secondina Barbero. She married Lewis Wurm on Feb. 21, 1937, in Denver.

Survivors include two daughters, Linda and Larry Gazda, Denver, and Beth and Tracy Waller, Tucson, Ariz.; sisters-in-law Alice Clark and Mabel Zimmerman, and brother-in-law Owen Wilson, all of Oberlin; seven grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, and a great-granddaughter, Cassandra Gazda.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at Moore-Howard Chapel with entombment at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Denver.

### Courthouse

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

#### DISTRICT COURT

##### Traffic

June 11: Johnnie Gallegos, Colorado Springs, speeding 77, \$102; Fuston Cross Jr., Fredrick, Okla., log book violation, \$80.

June 12: Angie Weller, Oberlin, speeding 82, \$132.

##### Limited Action

Discover Financial Services Inc. vs. Alan Hill, \$7,241, plus interest and costs.

Mastercard vs. Marvin Matchett, \$891, plus interest and costs.

Mastercard vs. Dorothy VanPelt, \$1,378, plus interest and costs.

#### REGISTER OF DEEDS

Russell and Margaret Rhodes to Jeffrey and Sheila Rhodes, the E 1/2 of Sec. 24 in T5S, R28W, 320 acres more or less (deed dated March 21, 1986).

Marvin Williams, a joint tenant with Edith Williams, quit claim to Jay Jones his undivided 1/2 interest in the E 80' of Lots 19, 20, 21 and 22, Block 10, Original City, Jennings.

Dale Kempt to Shelby Kempt, N 1/2 of Lot 23, Block 4, Original Town, City of Oberlin.

Leta Strevey to Robert and Kay Strevey, as joint tenants, the W 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 11, T3S, R26W.

#### AMBULANCE CALLS

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

Aug. 12: 9:38 p.m., medical, Dresden, no transport.

Last Wednesday: 7:52 a.m., medical, S. Cass, no transport.

Thursday: 7:10 a.m., trauma, E. Ash.

Friday: 8:37 a.m., trauma, N. Hwy. 83.

Saturday: 6 p.m., standby at car races, Decatur County Fairgrounds.

### City Hall

#### MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Vivian Russ, Oberlin, unattended motor vehicle, \$65; Donald Mentzer, North Platte, Neb., speeding, \$95; Marty Anderson, Colby, inattentive driving, \$110; Myrtle Warner, Oberlin, inattentive driving, \$110; Michael Battin, Bogue, inattentive driving, \$110; Chase McKittrick, Oberlin, inattentive driving, \$110.

### Correction

A story about Shane Elwood in the Aug. 13 issue of *The Oberlin Herald* stated incorrectly that he graduated from Decatur Community High School in 1993. He actually graduated in 1997. This was a reporter's error.

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The Oberlin Herald will correct or clarify any mistake 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

#### Aug. 18, 2003 closing markets

Wheat, \$3.45 bushel  
Milo, \$3.32 hundred weight  
Corn, \$2.32 bushel

## Town Crier

**Today:** School starts in Oberlin; heat schedule 7:20 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Colby Community College enrollment, 7-8:30 p.m., high school. Doorway Ministries pie and ice cream social benefit for Kristi Smith, 6-8:30 p.m., Teens for Christ Building, South Rodehaver. Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., south ambulance barn. **Saturday:** Fireman's Fun Day in Jennings. TACT Retreat, 6 a.m., Scott City.

**Sunday:** TACT Retreat, Scott City. Teens for Christ, 7-9 p.m.

**Monday:** Colby Community College enrollment, 7-8:30 p.m., high school.

**Tuesday:** Senior citizens potluck, 6 p.m., Wheat Ridge Terrace.

**Monday-Friday:** 1 p.m. at Golden Age Center: Monday, push pinochle; Tuesday, pitch; Wednes-

day, pinochle; Thursday, pitch; Friday, push pinochle. Last Thursday of month, senior bridge, open. Quilting, puzzles, games daily.

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

## School Menus

#### August 25-29 OBERLIN HIGH

Unavailable.  
**OBERLIN ELEMENTARY**  
**Monday** — Breakfast: cereal, toast, fruit. Lunch: pig in a blanket.  
**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Breakfast Pocket, fruit. Lunch: chicken glaziers, roll/butter. **Wednesday** — Breakfast: cereal, toast, juice. Lunch: sloppy joe/bun. **Thursday** — Breakfast: peanut butter and jelly sandwich, banana. Lunch: corn dog.  
**Friday** — Breakfast: cereal, toast, fruit. Lunch: burrito/salsa. Milk served with all meals. Choice bar served with all lunches.

#### PRAIRIE HEIGHTS

Breakfast is served daily: toast, cereal, juice. Lunches: **Monday** — sliced ham, au gratin potatoes, peas, rolls, oranges. **Tuesday** — corn dogs, beanie weenies, rolls, apple sauce, brownies. **Wednesday** — hamburgers, French fries, broccoli/cheese, pineapple. **Thursday** — pork roast, potatoes/gravy, corn, rolls, Mandarin oranges. **Friday** — barbecue beef subs, potato salad, green beans, frosted apples. Milk served with all meals. Salad bar served with all lunches.

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