

# Obituaries

# THE OBERLIN HERALD — 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

Dec. 24: Trent Odens, Springfield, S.D., speeding 80, \$120.  
Dec. 29: John Crenshaw-Gradner, Boulder, Colo., speeding 82, \$132; Pamela Lamb, Indianola, Neb., driving under the influence, transporting open container, \$559, diversion, \$250.  
Jan. 5: Robert Fry, Stephenville, Texas, speeding 86, \$159; Cody Turner, Stephenville, Texas, speeding 86, \$159.  
Last Wednesday: Donald Person, Columbus, Neb., speeding 79, \$114.  
Friday: Levi Tibbs, Eldorado, Texas, speeding 84, \$144.

#### Limited Action

Board of Commissioners of Decatur County vs. Van Messersmith, \$118, plus costs and interest, etc.  
Board of Commissioners of Decatur County vs. Kirk Ware, \$11, plus costs and interest.  
Capital One Bank vs. Lisa Stacy, \$959, plus costs and interest.

#### Small Claims

First National Bank vs. Kevin and Barbara Berry, \$128, plus costs and interest.

First National Bank vs. Jessica Gamblin, \$502, plus costs and interest.  
First National Bank vs. Lynn Sauvage, \$246, plus costs and interest.

#### Marriage Licenses

Dec. 12: Brandon Lee Fenner, Hoxie, and Jennifer Teresa Carter, Colby.  
Dec. 19: Bryan Dean Kempt and Megan Lanette Corbett, both of Oberlin.  
Dec. 31: Jerry Lee Wewel and Yen Thi Nguyen, both of Omaha, Neb.

#### REGISTER OF DEEDS

Marvin and Edith Williams to Eric and Christina Green, as joint tenants, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block 8, Original City, Jennings.  
Harold and Marilyn Black to Karen Spahr, Lots 7 and 8 in Block 5, and the N 1/2 of vacated Jefferson Street S of and adjoining Lot 8, Johnston Addition, City of Oberlin.  
Robert and Sharon Ream to Kelva Swindler and Gleason Dryden, as joint tenants, a tract in the SW 1/4 of Sec. 1, T3S, R29W, app. 110' x 120'.  
Jerry and Shirley Gallentine quit claim to Ann Gallentine, a 46.54 acre tract in the E 1/2 of Sec. 23, T3S, R26W.  
John and Ann Gallentine quit claim to Jerry Gallentine, a 35-acre tract in the W 1/2 of Sec. 23, T3S,

R26W.  
Vayle Rohan, conservator for Amy L. Kincaid, quit claims to Vayle Rohan, a 4/9 interest in the NE 1/4 of Sec. 26, T3S, R27W.

#### AMBULANCE CALLS

These calls were reported last week by the Decatur County ambulance crew:  
Jan. 5: 5 p.m., standby at fire, S. Buffalo; 5:56 p.m., medical, E. Commercial.  
Friday: 10 a.m., transfer, Decatur County Hospital to Hays Medical Center; 2:55 p.m., transfer, Hays Medical Center to Decatur County Hospital; 7 p.m., medical, S. Buffalo to Decatur County Hospital.  
Sunday: 7:24 p.m., transfer, Decatur County Hospital to McCook Community Hospital.

## City Hall

### MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Anna Mae Ketterl, Herndon, limitation on backing, \$65; Bev Reiter, Oberlin, dog at large, \$60; Elsie Goodnight, inattentive driving, \$110, leaving the scene of accident, \$335.

## Federal Court

### BANKRUPTCY

Donald Bruce and Julia Marie Ray, Oberlin, liabilities \$53,685, assets \$32,325.

## James Logan Dickinson

James Logan Dickinson, 60, an employee of Murfin Oil Drilling since 1977, died Jan. 5, 2004, at his home in Oberlin.

He was born Aug. 31, 1943, in Hartsville, Mo., the son of Carroll Logan and Francis Leroy (Marcom) Dickinson. His family moved to Wilder, Idaho, in 1953, where he finished his education. He worked for a time harvesting hops and beets in Idaho, and for a furniture moving company and saw mill in Missouri. He enlisted in the United States Army and left for Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., on his 18th birthday. He received a marksman rifle award while there.

He married Wanda Marie Janousek on July 10, 1970, at her parents' home in Oberlin, where they made their home. He worked in construction for Nichols Building Supply for seven years before starting with Murfin Oil Drilling Company. He was a member of the Oberlin American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda Dickinson of the home; three sons, Bengy and Dwayne Dickinson, both of Oberlin, and Brett and Cameron Dickinson, Lawrence; a daughter, Tammy Dickinson and fiancé, Chris Barrientos, Wichita; a brother, Charles Dorris, Nyssa,

Ore.; sisters, Alice Dorris, Boise, Idaho, and Bonnie and Bud Wilkes, Wilder, Idaho; a brother-in-law, Bill Matchett, Oberlin; and a grandson, Spencer Dickinson.

He was preceded in death by his father and stepfather; infant sister, Betty Lue; sister, Carolyn Sue Brown; and sister-in-law, Bertha Matchett.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at Oberlin Community Fellowship in Oberlin. Brother Bobby Cornelius officiated and burial was in the Oberlin Cemetery with military rites by the Oberlin American Legion Post.

A James L. Dickinson Memorial Fund was established. Contributions may be left at Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Thursday at the church with burial to follow in St. Joseph Cemetery at New Almelo.

Pauls Funeral Home of Oberlin is in charge of arrangements. A complete obituary will be carried in *The Oberlin Herald* next week.

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## Town Crier

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

**Thursday:** Extension sponsored lesson, "Cooking in a Crock", 9 a.m., Gateway community room.  
Junior high girls basketball, 4:30 p.m., here, with Goodland.  
Junior high boys wrestling, 4:30 p.m., at Goodland; Goodland/Quinter.

**Friday:** High school basketball, 6:30 p.m., at Quinter.

**Saturday:** Oberlin Invitational Wrestling Tournament, 10 a.m.

**Sunday:** Senior citizens potluck, 12:15 p.m., Golden Age Center.  
Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m.

**Monday:** Gifted seminar, grades 6-8, all day.

Site Council meeting, 6:30 p.m.

**Tuesday:** Jody Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs, 9:30 a.m., courthouse.

Rotary, Gateway, noon.

Story Time, 4-4:30 p.m., Oberlin Library.

Oberlin Invitational Basketball Tournament, 5 p.m.

Oberlin Business Alliance planning session, 6 p.m., Stanley Hardware basement.

Weight Watchers, 6-7 p.m., Medical Arts Building.

**Next Wednesday:** Chamber coffee hour, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., The Bank.

Blood drive, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., The Gateway.

College Financial Aid Night, 7-8:30 p.m., high school.

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

## Markets

**January 12, 2004 closing markets**  
Wheat, \$3.76 bushel  
Milo, \$4.22 hnd weight  
Corn, \$2.56 bushel  
Soybeans, \$7.30 bushel  
Sunflowers, \$10.80 bushel

## Corrections

A story in the Jan. 7 edition of *The Oberlin Herald* said the food donated to the annual food drive at Stanley Hardware was given by the Decatur County Hospital. It was actually from Decatur Health Systems, which includes the hospital and other operations. This was a reporter's error.

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In the same issue, a story about a backing accident at The Gateway parking lot said that John Lamb was backing his 1995 Ford Taurus. It was actually his wife, Lois Lamb, who was driving. This was the result of incorrect information given to *The Herald*.

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In the same issue a story about a house fire said that the dog woke up all three people living in the house. The dog actually woke up Charles Bartholomew and he woke up Holly Martinez. 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.

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## WEATHER

**Decatur County Forecast for January 13<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup>**

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon
58/24	49/19	55/21	41/15	43/16	46/18	49/19
Normal High	42			Sunrise 8:00 to 8:02am		
Normal Low	15			Sunset 5:39 to 5:46pm		

The cold Arctic air and snow will remain over the Great Lakes and New England States this week. For the High Plains above normal a temperatures and dry weather will continue. Dry cool fronts early Wednesday morning and Friday will knock temperatures into the 40's for Friday and the weekend. Breezy northwest winds can be expected both Wednesday and Friday. The next chance for precipitation will be next Monday night and Tuesday in the form of light snow.

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**(National Weather Service)**  
(Information below is for period ending Mon. 7 a.m. Maximum temperature is for previous day.)

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
Jan. 06	4	-13	
Jan. 07	23	-3	
Jan. 08	33	11	
Jan. 09	46	14	
Jan. 10	49	14	
Jan. 11	65	18	
Jan. 12	58	17	

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