

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

People in Our Community

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Mildred Holmdahl and Janeil Jensen returned home Thursday from Harrisburg, Pa., where they visited their daughter and sister, Jeanie Hengst, and family. They also attended the wedding of her son, Dr. David Hengst, and Susy Farling.

Dick and Linda Weber of Casper, Wyo., returned home Sunday after visiting a week with their daughter and family, Anita and Spencer Ketterl, Shawn and Ryan.

Winning highs in pinochle at Golden Age Center the past week were Veanna Orr, Henry Edgett, Kelva Swindler, Dorothy Moore, Dewaine Stapp and Aleen Van Vleet. Lows were won by Dorothy Moore, Shirley Gaede, Lawrence Wenger, Doris Fringer, Wilma May, Dale Votapka and Floyd Edgett. Pitch highs went to Henry Edgett, Aleen Van Vleet and Dorothy Moore with lows going to Dale Votapka and Doris Miller. Beth Sebaugh and Dorothy Cochran were bridge winners.

—Garage sale, Sat., 8-3, Methodist Church by donation for Pool Fund.

Dr. Eric Moore and his wife, Dr. Bridgette (Ostmeyer) Moore, Gabi and Callie will be moving to Manhattan this weekend, where he will be working at the College of Veterinary Medicine. His wife will be employed as an optometrist in Topeka for Dr. Gary Young of Manhattan, son of Dale and Eris Young of Oberlin. Mrs. Moore is the daughter of Randy and Judy Ostmeyer of Oberlin.

Connie Grafel hosted a steak supper for the first birthday of her grandson, Reece Grafel, Sunday at her home. Others attending the party were Greg and Amanda Grafel, and Kel; and Dan and Kade Grafel.

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Jack and Karen Metcalf were in East Grand Forks, Minn., recently visiting the Doug Richards family. They attended the varsity football game of their grandson, Cap, and celebrated the birthday of their daughter-in-law, Kristy, before continuing on a sightseeing trip to Washington state. The Metcalfs returned home Sunday evening.

Vera Lindemann is recuperating at Decatur County Good Samaritan Center from recent surgery after being hospitalized in Oberlin. Mail will reach her at 108 E. Ash, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Cousins Arlo and Bonnie Wurm, Bus and Carolyn Wurm, Eldred and Lorraine Wurm of Atwood, Bob Wurm, Owen Wilson and Mabel Zimmerman met at the Frontier Restaurant for dinner Friday evening, then went to the home of Mrs. Zimmerman to play pinochle.

Brad, Elaine, Sarah and Jared Marcuson, and Karyn Jordan spent Saturday and Sunday at the Kansas State Fair. Jared participated in the Fashion Revue. Leslie Marcuson and her friends, Jessica Criser, Lindsey Busch, Emily Richardson, Manu from Austria, and Laura Burton, all of Topeka, and Terry and Jane Criser of Wichita were also there for the Fashion Revue.

Weekend houseguests of Mike and Janeil Jensen and granddaughter, Shani Guzan, were Sherri Ayers and Shannon of Great Bend. All were Sunday dinner guests of Mildred Holmdahl, except Shani, who is employed at Pizza Hut.

Leoville High school alumni hold 14th triennial reunion

The class of 1948 of Leoville High School hosted the 14th Triennial Alumni Reunion on Sunday, Sept. 5.

The alumni attended Mass celebrated by Father Roger Meitl, class of 1951, and Father George Koch-ovelikkakam, assisted by Deacon Stan Chapin. After Mass, the group went to the Parish Hall for a social time before dinner. A business meeting followed, after which Rex Getz presented his magic show, the Amazing Cresko.

Classes of 1954, 1955 and 1956 were recognized. Two members of the class of 1944 were recognized for their 60th year.

The first graduate was Clara Schroer Schieferecke, who was honored as a graduate 79 years ago. The class of 1953 had the most members present with seven.

The class of 1956 will host the 15th Triennial Reunion on the Sunday before Labor Day in 2007.

Signing the guest book were:

1925: Mrs. Schieferecke, Dresden.

1939: Eleanor Kruse Meitl, Oakley.

1940: Germaine Kruse Weis, Dresden.

1941: Florence Kruse Zodrow, Selden.

1942: Irene Heim Kruse, Selden; Delores Karls Fleckenstein and David, Denver; Marjorie Schandler Hickert, Bird City.

1943: Vera Campbell Moeder Eyre, Torrance, Calif.

1944: Jerry and Mildred Heim Green, Colby; Noreen Hickert Crabill, Norton; Sylvester Ritter, Dresden.

1945: Leo and Hermine Weis, Dresden; Mary Ann Kruse Zodrow, Selden.

1946: Edwin and Irene Boor Huelsman, Oakley; Mary Ellen Campbell Meier, Hoxie, and daughter, Fran Stoop, Temple City, Calif.; Vic and Charlene Hickert Goscha, Longmont, Colo.; Marie Jean Hickert Vavroch, Oberlin; Edward and Cordula Ritter Werth, Park; Florence Ritter Thompson, Hoxie.

1947: Dean Kruse, Almena.

1948: Jack and Mary Bruggeman Minnick, Wichita; Alma Fortin

Lubbers, Grinnell; Elmer and Dee Fortin, Fort Collins, Colo.; Jerome and Pauline Heim, Hoxie; Eleanor Karls Basgall, Lawrence; Walter and Rosella Meitl, Oberlin.

1949: Lorene Heim Reinert, Lincoln, Neb.; Erma Jean McCoy Spresser, Margaret Rietcheck Ritter, Dresden.

1950: Richard and Alfreda Ritter Colling, McCook; Annabelle Schieferecke Heim, Westminster, Colo.

1951: Father Meitl, Oakley; Ron and Geraldine Miller Neff, Oberlin; Don and Bernadine Ritter Spresser, Dresden.

1952: Bill and Eulalia Otter Sughroue, Indianola, Neb.

1953: Alice Campbell Lindeman, Oakley; Dan and Virginia Diederich Rome, Lakewood, Colo.; Gerald and Helen Heim, William Schieferecke, Hoxie; John and Helen Karls, Selden; Sister Rebecca Otter, Great Bend; Donald and Agnes Sulzman Roberts, McCook.

1954: Larry and Della Dwyer Simoneau, Salina; Jim Herl, Dresden; Bill and Thelma Kreutzer Wieland, Colby; Harold Meitl, Green Valley, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. John Schieferecke, Westminster, Colo.

1955: Mart and Leona Boor Weir, Salina; Maurice Cersovsky, Herman and Joan Kaus Schwarz, Colby; Lee Herl, Hoxie; Connie and Charlotte Kreuthzer Otter, McPherson;

1956: Ralph and Mary Boor, Salina; Robert Bruggeman, Gilbert, Ariz.; Cecilia Otter Knepper, McCook; Violet Wagner Kinderknecht, Almena.

1957: Melvin and Karen Bruggeman, Hays; Jed and Rosemary

Diederich Simoneau, Cody, Wyo. **1958:** Gilbert and Carol Ann Otter, Norton.

1962: Darrel and Carlene Bruggeman, Selden; John and Kim Bruggeman, Hoxie; Carol Fortin Bollig, Aliso Viejo, Calif.

1963: Fran and Diana Kruse Knopp, Colorado Springs; Nicholas and Kathy Otter, Hoxie.

1964: Carl and Joan Weis Long, Topeka; Norbert Weis, Hoxie.

1965: Paul Schieferecke, Caney; Joe and Laura Vahling Dorenkamp, Joe and Renee Zodrow, Selden; Lorraine Welter, Lawrence.

1966: Donna Meitl Boswell, Wichita; Pauletta Meitl Bieker, Rexford; Bryce and Linda Stephens, Robert and Jane Weis, Hoxie.

1967: Eugene and Theresa Fortin Poland, Topeka.

1968: Ron and Patricia Meitl Grey, Wichita; Michael Welter, Paola.

1969: David and Janet Meitl, Dresden; Irene Long Schieferecke, McPherson; Jane Weis Fleming, Lindsborg.

1970: Joe and Janette Weis Cech, Goodland.

1972: Judy Otter Schuler, Ness City.

Associate members present who had attended Leoville school at one time included: Paul and Mildred Karls Welter, Dresden; Lorene Schandler Meyer, Arnold, Mo.; and Bernice Schandler Becker, Norton.

The school district closed in 1969.

Man appointed postmaster at Caney

Paul F. Schieferecke, son of Clara Schieferecke of Dresden, was recently appointed postmaster at Caney and will be installed at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Caney Post Office.

The oath of office will be administered by Shirley N. Crane, Manager, Post Office Operations, U.S. Postal Service.

He succeeds Amy Stephens, who was selected as postmaster at Coffeyville. Linda Noble served as Officer-in-Charge in the interim and

has returned to her clerk position at the Parsons Post Office.

Mr. Schieferecke began his postal career in 1982 as a part-time flexible letter carrier, then became a part-time flexible clerk at Norton. He also served as a distribution clerk in the Hays Post Office. He has served as postmaster of the Ness City Post Office since 1993 and also has served as officer-in-charge at the Ellis, Hill City, WaKeeney and Scott City post offices.

He is a 1965 graduate of Leoville High School.

Veterans meeting set Sept. 29

The Oberlin American Legion Post plans a meeting for all veterans and their families who want to learn more about veterans benefits from 9:10 to 9:40 a.m. next Wednesday at the post hall, 114 S. Rodehaver in Oberlin.

The American Legion, the nation's largest veterans service organization, helps more veterans and their dependents in filing for benefits than any other organization. American Legion members wrote the original GI Bill of Rights after World War II and have pioneered many veteran programs, including compensation for veterans exposed to radiation and Agent Orange.

The meeting is part of the Legion's annual Veterans Affairs Tour, during which state and district officers visit each of over 330 posts throughout Kansas. For details, contact James Tull at (888) 878-6881, extension 6850.

Man earns business degree

Jeremy David Bergling of Perth, Australia, has completed a Bachelor of Business Administration at Curtin University of Technology in Perth.

He was inducted into the Golden Key International Honor Society in recognition of his scholastic achievement and excellence.

He is the son of David Bergling of rural Herndon and Cindy Bergling of Herndon. His grandparents are Quentin and Olive Bergling, Atwood, and Laverne Niemeth, Herndon.

He and his wife Michelle live in Perth, where both are employed.



J. Bergling

Business offer signed

Rick Salem has opened Graphix by Salem at 702 Frontier Parkway in the brick building west of Crossroads Express on U.S. 36.

His signs, billboards and race car T-shirts are sold over a wide area, including Missouri, Oklahoma, Colorado, Wyoming and Kansas. He is assisted by his sister, Brenda Ploussard.

Mr. Salem is a 1972 graduate of Decatur Community High School and has two sons, Chad and Cody. His parents are Bob and Betty Salem.

Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. His phone number at the business is (785) 475-7010 or email rksalem@classicnet.net.

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