

# 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

March 31: J-Carlos Rodriguez Ibarra, Ypsilanti, Mich., speeding 76, \$96.  
 April 1: Arthur Ebner, Logan, speeding 78, \$108.  
 April 4: Jodie Wenger, Oberlin, speeding 76, \$96.  
 April 13: William Cappel, McCook, Neb., speeding 83, \$138.

#### Limited Action

D&M Sinclair vs. Michael Coberly, \$944, plus costs and interest, etc.  
 D&M Sinclair vs. Tom Garrett, \$634, plus costs and interest, etc.  
 D&M Sinclair vs. Wade and Leslie Jones, \$500, plus costs and interest, etc.  
 D&M Sinclair vs. Amy Junginger, \$660, plus costs and interest, etc.  
 D&M Sinclair vs. Evan and Jody Robertson, \$351, plus costs and interest, etc.

#### Small Claims

Oberlin Medical Arts PA vs Jerry and Erin Bishop, \$1,427, plus costs and interest, etc.  
 Janice Hacker, et. al., vs. Tony and Beth Miller, \$1,610, plus costs and interest, etc.

#### JAIL BOOKINGS

The following person was booked into the Decatur County Jail last week:  
 Robert Deneger, 20, McCook, April 18, driving under the influence, Red Willow County.

## REGISTER OF DEEDS

Wayne and Shelby Hackney to Rodney Moore, W 1/2 of Lot 3 and E 35' of Lot 4, Block 22, Summit Addition, City of Oberlin, and N 1/2 of vacated alley.

Grace Cook, quit claim to Harold Cook, Merlin Cook, Connie Quaduor, and Jeanette Miller, two tracts in the NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 1, T3S, R29W.

Susan McCarthy, Stephen Sloan and John Sloan, trustees Dennis L. Sloan Irrevocable Trust, to Wayne and Phyllis Zwickle, as joint tenants, E 45' of Lot 6 and vacated Sunrise Street, Block 3, Carman Addition, City of Oberlin.

Polish Traders LLC by agent/partner Curtis E. Venn to Lee Miller, part of Lots 1-6, Block 1, Pine Addition, Jennings.  
 Sharon and Gary Bliss, Shirley and Edwin Martin, and Terry and Kim Frickey, to Travis Raile and Valisha Castle, Lots 3 and 10 in Block 19, Summit Addition to City of Oberlin.

First Oberlin Rentals LLC to Michael and Crystal Cook, as joint tenants, Lots 2 and 3, Block 2, Wenger Addition, City of Oberlin.

Lewis and Teresa Diederich to Cody Salem, the W 55' in Lots 10 and 11, Block 18, Rodehaver Addition, City of Oberlin.

## AMBULANCE CALLS

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

April 18: 4:22 a.m., medical, E. Ash, to Decatur County Hospital; 9:30 p.m., trauma, N. Marks, no transport.

Last Wednesday: 1:28 p.m., standby, fire in Dresden; 10:44 p.m.,

medical, E. Mill, to Decatur County Hospital.

Thursday: 5:15 a.m., medical, S. Cass, to Decatur County Hospital. Saturday: 6:25 a.m., medical, E. Ash, to Decatur County Hospital.

Sunday: 3:04 p.m., medical, N. York, to Decatur County Hospital; 4:09 p.m., standby, Oberlin Speedway; 9:40 p.m., medical, E. Oak, no transport.

## City Hall

### POLICE BLOTTER

The Oberlin Police Department worked these calls recently:

• Fidele Electric and Woodcrafting was broken into sometime between 11:30 p.m. Friday and 9 a.m. Saturday. Police Chief Wade Lockhart said someone cut the fiberglass garage door in the alley. The person took saw blades and drill bits costing a total of \$75. They opened the safe and took \$190.  
 Damage to the door was around \$100.  
 The case is under investigation.  
 • On Thursday, April 14, Anita Hirsch, 43, was backing her 2000 Chevy Silverado out of the driveway at 207 N. Wilson when she hit a 1992 Dodge Dakota pick-up belonging to Chris Bailey parked on the street. Both trucks had damage. Mrs. Hirsch received a ticket for improper backing.

## Federal Court

### BANKRUPTCIES

(Chapter 7 unless otherwise noted)  
 Michael and LeAnna Dempewolf, Oberlin, liabilities \$94,345, assets \$65,194.

Gilbert and Charlotte Hart, Oberlin, liabilities \$44,938, assets \$64,555.

# Obituaries

## Terry Steier

Terry Steier, 31, a 1992 graduate of Herndon High School, died April 17, 2005, at the United Medical Center-West Hospital in Cheyenne, Wyo.

His death was the result of a head injury which he suffered when he was struck with a softball while playing in a game at the Converse Softball Complex in Cheyenne, according to the Wyoming *Tribune-Eagle* newspaper.



Terry Steier

He was born June 26, 1973, in Oberlin, the son of Curtis L. and Deborah (Eby) Steier. He married Gina Frazier in June 1996 in Kearney. They had two children, Dalton and Tyla.

He was a truck driver in Cheyenne for S & S Builders General Contractors and was on the security staff for Scooters Bar. He was a rodeo clown and also rode bulls.

Survivors include his parents; two sons, Dalton Seybold, Wilcox, Neb., and Corbin Steier, Kearney, Neb.; a daughter, Tyla Steier, Wilcox; two sisters, Teena and Tabitha Steier, North Platte, Neb.; and his grandmother, Verna (Lippold) Eby, Goodland.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Herbert and Florence Steier, and George Eby, and an uncle, Stan Eby.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at the Christian Church in Indianola, Neb., with Scott Mustion officiating. Burial was in the Indianola Cemetery.

A memorial was established in his name. Contributions may be sent to Carpenter Breland Funeral Home, 305 West C, McCook, Neb., 69001.

dar Living Center.

She was born March 9, 1928, in Oberlin, the daughter of Floyd and Francis Emma (Richards) Lewis. She graduated from Red Willow High School in 1947.

She married Harlan Edward Geihlsler on Aug. 12, 1947, in Oberlin. They made their home on a farm southeast of McCook until she moved to Cedar Living Center in Oberlin. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Ash Creek.

Survivors include her husband, Harlan, McCook; a son, Dean Geihlsler, McCook; two daughters, Debra Geihlsler, Chicago; and Donna Geihlsler, Wichita; two half-brothers, Ray and Nancy Ulrich, Florida; and LeRoy and Avis Ulrich, McCook; a sister, Katherine Prater, Stephenville, Texas; four half-sisters, Mary Lou and Bob Ross, Culbertson; Kay and Dean Michaels, Denver; Heddy and Wayne Reiners, McCook; and Virginia Mowe, McCook; six grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a half-brother, Robert Ulrich; and a sister, Carol Aardal.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at St. John's Lutheran Church, Ash Creek, with the Rev. Mark Stahla officiating. Burial was in the Danbury-Marion Cemetery.

A memorial was established in her name. Contributions may be sent to Carpenter-Breland Funeral Home, 305 West C, McCook, Neb., 69001.

## Grace M. Moxter

Grace M. Moxter, 86, mother of Marlene Moxter of Oberlin, died April 19, 2005, at Cawker City.

She was born March 22, 1919, on a farm south of Cawker City, the daughter of Waldo G. and Nellie (Flicker) Newquist. She was a retired kindergarten teacher. Her husband died in 1987.

Survivors include a son, Lowell Hays; two daughters, Marlene

Moxter, Oberlin, and Nancy Apel, Hays; three grandchildren; and three step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday morning at the Cawker City Baptist Church. Burial was at Prairie Grove Cemetery at Cawker City.

Memorials were established to the church. Contributions may be sent to Waconda Funeral Home, 815 W. First, Cawker City, Kan., 67430.

## Russel Norton Bainter

Russel Norton Bainter, 89, a retired farmer/stockman in the McGraw area, died Sunday at Sheridan County Health Complex at Hoxie.

He was born June 7, 1915, the son of Wayne and Edith (Batchelder) Bainter, in Union Township in Sheridan County. He attended McGraw grade school and graduated from Dresden High School.

He and Valeria Marie Smith were married by the Rev. Carlton on June 15, 1940, at Jennings and she preceded him in death. He moved to Hoxie in 1993.

Survivors include four sons, James and Twila, Hoxie; William and Rosalie, Selden; Robert and Sandra, Hays; and Dale and Esther, Hoxie; a daughter, Jean and Jerome Mazanec, Colby; two sisters-in-law, Mary Smith, Sharon Springs, and Edna Smith, Lawrence; 16 grandchildren; and 27 great-grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Louis; three sisters, Opal Harold, Wilma Prince, and Ileen Wright; two granddaughters, Robin Mazanec and Jennifer Bainter; and a great-granddaughter, Peyton Bainter.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. today at the United Methodist Church in Hoxie. The Rev. Pat Ault-Duell will officiate and burial will be in the Hoxie Cemetery.

Memorial contributions were established to the Sheridan County Health Complex or Long Term Care Unit. Contributions may be sent to Mickey-Leopold Funeral Home, 1024 Sheridan Ave., Hoxie, Kan., 67740.

## Town Crier

**Today:** Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., ambulance barn.  
 Drama Club production, 9 a.m., high school auditorium.  
 Community prayer vigil, 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., Oberlin Covenant Church, 810 W. Cedar, sponsored by Decatur County Ministerial Association.

**Thursday:** Food Pantry, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., United Church, 109 N. Griffith.

**Friday:** Sixth-grade orientation at high school.

**Saturday:** Food Pantry, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., United Church.  
 High school golf, 9 a.m., at Atwood.

State music contest, Concordia. ZCJB Lodge 100th anniversary meeting and dinner, Bohemian Hall on museum grounds; benefit supper for public by museum, 5:30 p.m.; free dance, 7-9 p.m. Bring canned item to dance for Food Pantry.

**Sunday:** Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m.  
**Monday:** Food Pantry, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., United Church, 109 N.

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

## Corrections

A story about extended hours for the Decatur County Food Pantry in the April 20 *Oberlin Herald* identified a new volunteer as Shari Rodgers. Her name is Shari Rivers. This was a reporter's error. Also, the pantry does not need peas. The request for peas was the result of information given to the newspaper.  
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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.

## Markets

**April 25, 2005 closing markets**  
 Wheat, \$3.02 bushel  
 Milo, \$2.97 hnd weight  
 Corn, \$1.91 bushel  
 Soybeans, \$5.60 bushel  
 Sunflowers, (unavailable)

## Public Notice

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
 (Published in The Oberlin Herald, Wednesday, April 27, 2005)1t

### TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION NO. 2005-BA-04

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROPERTY TAXATION POLICY OF THE BOARD OF GARFIELD TOWNSHIP WITH RESPECT TO FINANCING THE 2006 ANNUAL BUDGET FOR GARFIELD TOWNSHIP, DECATUR COUNTY, KANSAS.

WHEREAS, budgeting taxing and service level decisions for all township services are the responsibility of the township board; and

WHEREAS, the ad valorem property tax is a primary source of revenue for financing township services; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the GARFIELD Township Board to minimize the property taxes used to finance township services at the lowest possible level, while exercising our stewardship responsibility to maintain basic services for our citizens; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the GARFIELD Township Board that, to the extent possible within the context of the needs of township residents, a 2006 Budget for GARFIELD Township will be adopted that does not require property taxes to be levied for township purposes in an amount exceeding an amount levied to finance the 2005 GARFIELD Township Budget, except with regard to revenue produced and attributable to taxation of 1) new improvements to real

property; 2) increased personal property valuation, other than increased valuation of oil and gas leaseholds and mobile homes; and 3) property which has changed in use during the past year, or with regard to revenue produced for the purpose of repaying the principal of and interest upon bonded indebtedness, temporary notes or no-fund warrants; and

WHEREAS, despite the desire of the GARFIELD Township Board to adopt a 2006 Budget while adhering to a maximum level of property taxation described in the foregoing paragraph, the residents of GARFIELD Township are to be aware that the 2006 GARFIELD Township Budget will require property taxes to be levied in an amount greater than the level defined in the desired maximum level defined in the preceding paragraph, due to road improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the GARFIELD Township Board of Decatur County that it is our desire to notify the public of the increased property taxes to finance the 2006 GARFIELD Township Budget as defined above and in the 1999 Senate Bill 45.

ADOPTED this 25th day of April, 2005 by the following Board Members of Garfield Township of Decatur County.

Done at the direction of the State of Kansas.

The GARFIELD Township Board:  
 John Gallentine, Trustee  
 Gwynn Ward, Treasurer  
 Gene Gallentine, Clerk

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May 2005						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Dr. Rubinowitz Hematology/ Oncology	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18 Dr. Curtis Cardiology	19	20	21
22	23 Dr. Rubinowitz Hematology/ Oncology	24 Dr. Miller Cardiology Clinic	25 Dr. Frankum General Surgeon	26 Dr. Reeves Podiatry	27 Dr. Reeves Podiatry	28
29	30	31				

TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT, PLEASE CALL (785)626-3211  
**Cheryl Banister, RN - Specialty Clinic Director**  
 Thank you for allowing us to assist in your healthcare.

**WEATHER**

**Decatur County Weather ---- April 26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup>**

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
58/33	60/35	63/38	65/35	58/33

Normal High: 66  
 Normal Low: 38  
 Sunrise: 6:43 to 6:48am  
 Sunset: 8:32 to 8:36pm

Cool weather will prevail through the week and into the weekend. Chances for rain look promising too. Today will be breezy with northwest winds gusting to 25mph. Wednesday remain cool and dry then scattered storm chances enter the forecast for Thursday through Saturday. This should give us another .50" of rain and keeping us above normal for the month. For the year we are right at our normal precipitation, but some places just to our north and west are drier.

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

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
April 19	75	53	
April 20	81	51	
April 21	75	46	
April 22	65	42	
April 23	61	27	
April 24	59	29	
April 25	*	33	0.10

(\* = unavailable)  
 Precipitation totals: for the week, 0.10; for the month 2.39; for the current year to date, 5.47; previous year to date, 4.37.  
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