

Obituaries

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 27: Kenneth Pletcher, Ardmore, Okla., Okla., speeding 78, \$108.
 May 30: Albert Lewis, Falls City, Neb., speeding 79, \$114.
 June 14: Connie Pomeroy, Oberlin, speeding 76, \$96.
 June 23: Stann Hartzog, Jennings, speeding 80, \$120.
 June 27: Sara Close, Columbia MO, speeding 87, \$168.
 June 28: Robin Manker, Jacksonville, Ill., speeding 79, \$114.
 June 29: James Clinkingbeard, Fort Peck, Mont., speeding 78, \$108.
 July 9: Terry Laflan, Ogallala, Neb., speeding 78, \$108.

JAIL BOOKINGS

These persons were booked into the Decatur County Jail last week:
 Rosalinda Sanchez, 23, Colorado, July 12, outstanding warrant from Topeka, Decatur County Sheriff's office.
 Sean Fife, 20, Oberlin, July 17, 3 counts of forgery, Oberlin Police Department.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Thomas and Babbette Edlund to Richard and Clara Russ, as joint ten-

ants, part of Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 4, Garwood Addition, City of Oberlin.

Bryan and Megan Kempt to Bryan and Danna Rhein, as joint tenants, Lot 4, Block 12, Original Town, City of Oberlin.

Richard Decker to Richard E. Decker Living Trust, NE 1/4 of Sec. 6, T3S, R27W.

AMBULANCE CALLS

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

Last Wednesday: 4:21 p.m., flight from Decatur County Hospital to Wesley Burn Center, Wichita.

Saturday: 2:51 p.m., transport from Norton Correctional Facility to Wesley Medical Center, Wichita.

City Hall

MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Hulett Schuyler, Oberlin, disobeyed traffic signal, \$95; Donna Guinn, Oberlin, failure to yield right of way, \$95; Drew Martin, Oberlin, spinning tires, \$85; Brok Rule, Oberlin, dog at large, \$60; Kurt Underwood, Childress, Texas, minor in possession, \$235; Stephen Debes, Hays, minor in possession, \$235; Casey Koehler, Mayfield, minor in possession, \$235; Aaron Ploussard, Oberlin, purchasing beer for minors, \$500 fine, \$150 jail care, \$35 court cost, 15 days jail confinement, 1 year probation for additional 15 days (30

days total).

POLICE BLOTTER

The Oberlin police department worked these calls last week:

• Around 12:15 a.m. Saturday morning an officer tried to issue a warrant for Sean Fife on forgery charges at his home in the 100 block of South Griffith. Mr. Fife pulled into his yard and was told by the officer that there was a warrant for him and he took off running, said Police Chief Wade Lockhart. Officers started looking for him in town after that.

The search continued until 3 a.m. with Patrolman Scott Zeigler, Allen Rogers and Chief Lockhart out. After that Patrolman Zeigler, who was on duty, continued the search.

Mr. Fife was found in Rawlins County on Sunday and after another foot chase was arrested.

He had his first appearance in court Monday on three counts of forgery. There are other charges pending. He is being held in the Decatur County Jail on a \$2,500 bond.

• Around 8:55 p.m. Sunday, officers received a call that four boys from Sappa Valley Youth Ranch had run. Sometime just before 10:30 p.m., said Chief Lockhart, two of the boys were found by the sheriff's officers east of the ranch in a field. Both were returned to the ranch.

Later the other two turned themselves back into the ranch.

Town Crier

Monday, Wednesday and Friday through July 29: FROGS Day Camp, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Oberlin City Park.

Tuesday: Farmers Market, 8 a.m., in front of Chamber office.

Thursday: Commodity distribution, 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., Golden Age Center.

Maps available at Chamber office after 3 p.m. for community-wide garage sale.

Friday: Community-wide garage sales, 3 p.m.

Saturday: Community-wide garage sales, 8 a.m.

Downtown extravaganza with fresh produce, sidewalk sales, vendors, food booths, rummage sale and barbecue lunch at gazebo by Decatur County Ministerial Association.

Tuesday: Weight Watchers, 5-6 p.m., Medical Arts meeting room.

Decatur County Food Pantry is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Saturdays, at the United Church, 109 N. Griffith. Gifts of non-perishable food and household items are always needed.

Summer months: High school office will be open Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to noon, and 1 to 3 p.m.; Friday, 8 a.m. to noon.

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

day, Thursday, Friday, 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 water for bacteria and nitrates. For details call (785) 475-8118.

Correction

A story about the new grocery store in Jennings in the July 13 issue said that the name of the business would be Mom's Lil' Grocery. The correct name is Mom's Lil' Market. 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.

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE
 (Published in The Oberlin Herald, Wednesday, July 20, 2005)1t

EARLY PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Oberlin, Kansas is proposing to make improvements to the public sewer system. The proposed project will involve the construction of a new three-cell lagoon system and appurtenances, and the installation of a lift station and grinder. The construction is to occur on land owned by the City of Oberlin located within the east one-half of Section 12 of Town-

ship 3 South, Range 29 West. The project will involve approximately 10 acres located in the 100 year floodplain. The City is interested in discussing alternatives to this project and securing public perceptions of possible adverse impacts that could result from the project and possible mitigation measures. Please send written comments to City of Oberlin, City Hall, 1 Morgan Drive, Oberlin KS 67749. Comments will be accepted until August 4, 2005.

Honorable Kenneth M. Shobe
 Mayor, City of Oberlin

Markets

July 18, 2005 closing markets
 Wheat, \$3.13 bushel
 Milo, \$3.61 hnd weight
 Corn, \$2.27 bushel
 Soybeans, \$6.57 bushel
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WEATHER



(National Weather Service)

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

| Date | Hi | Low | Precip. |
|---------|----|-----|---------|
| July 12 | 91 | 66 | 0.22 |
| July 13 | 91 | 65 | |
| July 14 | 90 | 60 | |
| July 15 | 93 | 60 | |
| July 16 | 93 | 61 | |
| July 17 | 94 | 64 | |
| July 18 | 96 | 63 | 0.90 |

Precipitation totals: for the week, 1.12; month of July, 2.26; current year to date, 15.54; previous year to date, 13.43.

National Weather Service—Weather History for July 16: "In 1994...3-4 inches of rain across Oberlin...flooded a dentist's office and the American Legion Hall."

By Charlotte Meints, local observer

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Marjorie L. Pollak

Marjorie Lovejoy Pollak, 85, a native of Oberlin, died July 15, 2005, at Westminster, Colo.

She was born Oct. 27, 1919, at Oberlin, the daughter of Loyd and Vessie Ruth (Weimer) McGee. She attended Oberlin schools and graduated from Decatur Community High School in 1937. She also was a graduate of Colorado Women's College and Parks College and was an accountant.

She married Roland Lovejoy and they had a son, Richard. Both preceded her in death. She later married Klaus Pollak and he survives.

Other survivors include two stepdaughters, Stephanie Slosky and Renee Volk.

Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at the Westminster Presbyterian Church. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday at the Oberlin Cemetery.

Olinger Crown Hill Mortuary of Wheat Ridge, Colo., is in charge of arrangements.

Luther Boutz

Luther Boutz, 78, of Englewood, Kan., a native of Jennings, died July 8, 2005, at Wesley Medical Center in Wichita.

He was born Dec. 17, 1926, at Jennings, the son of Albert R. and Theresa H. (Walkmeyer) Boutz. He attended school at Jennings.

He married Betty Alford on Nov. 4, 1951, at Goodland. He was a World War II Army veteran and worked in the oil fields at Medicine Lodge and Liberal.

He was a member of the Community of Christ in Liberal and the Teamsters Union, and a life member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Liberal.

Survivors include his wife, Betty; a son, Kenneth Boutz, Englewood; three daughters, Janice and Andy

Bissett, Rogers, Ark.; Thresa and Jerry Kilgore, Cartwright, Okla.; and Debra and Verl Curtis, Salida, Colo.; five brothers, Darrel and Dorothea Boutz, Zinndale; Leo and Arlene Boutz, Concordia; Everett and Bonnie Boutz, Jefferson City, Mo.; Glen and Anita Boutz, Mulvane, and Homer and Marcia Boutz, Colorado Springs; five sisters, Freda Morgan, Oskaloosa; Flora Edwards, Clarkston, Wash.; Frances Mosier, Norton; Doreen and Dave Course, Belleville; and Leona Somers, Raytown, Mo.; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held July 12, 2005, at the church. Pastor Milton Rice and Elder Darwin Hoffman officiated.

Francis E. Williamson

Francis E. Williamson, 86, a native of Dresden, died July 13, 2005, at the Norton County Hospital.

She was born Nov. 22, 1918, at Dresden, the daughter of Elfred and Bessie (Boardman) Foster. She attended Dresden schools.

She married Lyod Yahne in 1936 and he preceded her in death. She married P. W. Williamson in the 1970s and he also preceded her in death. She had lived in Great Bend and California, before moving to Jennings. She was a member of the United Methodist Church and Royal Neighbors of Jennings.


Survivors include three sons, Raymond Yahne, Jennings; Edward Yahne, Norton; and Thain Yahne, Hays; a daughter, Jennette and Robert Hall, Sacramento, Calif.; two sis-

ters, Gertrude Musick and Alice Kolsky, Dodge City; nine grandchildren, and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; three brothers, Kenneth Foster, Rex Foster and Lawrence Foster; a sister, Mary Brouhard; and an infant daughter, Fleda May Yahne.

Memorial services were held Tuesday morning at the Jennings United Methodist Church with Pastor Carrie Buhler officiating. There was cremation.

A memorial was established in her name and contributions may be left at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin.



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