

THE OBERLIN HERALD

From the Record

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 23: Dana Bunstock, Bryan, Texas, speeding 83, \$138.
June 29: Thomas Barr, Fowler, Colo., speeding 78, \$108.

Marriage Licenses

June 6: Adam Michael Spanier, Oberlin, and Andrea Inez Marshall, Norcatour.

JAIL BOOKINGS

The following person was booked into the Decatur County Jail last week:

Chad Salem, Oberlin, 30, Aug. 1, battery, Oberlin Police Department.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Rodney Alstrom, trustee of the Max E. Alstrom Family Trust, to Steven, Larry, Thomas and Rodney Alstrom, as tenants in common, NE 1/4 and S 1/2 of Sec. 5; and S 1/2 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, all in Sec. 6; and SE 1/4, E 1/2 of SW 1/4, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, all in Sec. 7; W 1/2, and N 1/2 of NE 1/4, all in Sec. 8; and W 1/2 of Sec. 18, all in T4S, R30W.

Rodney Alstrom, trustee of the Jacqueline M. Alstrom Family Trust, to Steven, Larry, Thomas and Rodney Alstrom, as tenants in com-

mon, SW 1/4 of Sec. 6; NE 1/4 and S 1/2 of Sec. 5; S 1/2 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, all in Sec. 6; SE 1/4, E 1/2 of SW 1/4, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, all in Sec. 7; W 1/2, N 1/2 of NE 1/4, all in Sec. 8; and W 1/2 of Sec. 18, all in T4S, R30W.

Larry and Diana Alstrom, Steven Alstrom, and Thomas and Robi Alstrom, to Rodney Alstrom, SW 1/4 of Sec. 6; NE 1/4 and S 1/2 of Sec. 5; S 1/2 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, all in Sec. 6; SE 1/4, E 1/2 of SW 1/4, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, all in Sec. 7; W 1/2, N 1/2 of NE 1/4, all in Sec. 8; and W 1/2 of Sec. 18, all in T4S, R30W, reserving 25 percent each mineral rights as stated.

Carolyn Richards, trustee of the Carolyn J. Richards Revocable Trust, to Bradley Moore, E 1/2 of SE 1/4 and E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 16 and W 1/2 of Sec. 15, T1S, R29W, reserving mineral rights as stated.

Janet and Dale Bamesberger, William and Robyn DeMay, Joanne and Dan Grubb, Kathleen and Frank Felix, Robert and Diane DeMay, and Carolyn and Steve Richards, to Bradley Moore, E 1/2 of SE 1/4 and E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 16 and W 1/2 of Sec. 15, T1S, R29W, reserving mineral rights as stated.

AMBULANCE CALLS

These calls were reported last week by the Decatur County ambu-

lance crew:

July 25: 7 a.m., transport from Decatur County Hospital to Community Hospital, McCook; 1:58 p.m., trauma, Norcatour, to Norton County Hospital.

Last Wednesday: 2:57 p.m., medical, Jennings, to Norton County Hospital.

Thursday: 1:01 p.m., transport from Decatur County Hospital to Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital, Denver.

Friday: 4:37 a.m., medical, E. Ash, to Decatur County Hospital; 11:28 a.m., transport from Community Hospital, McCook, to Decatur County Hospital.

City Hall

MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Gary Wolters, Oberlin, littering, \$125, consumption of alcohol on public property, \$135; Brenda Diederich, Oberlin, dog at large, \$60; Chad Salem, Oberlin, domestic battery, 10 days jail, \$535, battery, \$285; Sean Fife, Oberlin, reckless driving, five days jail, \$535.

Federal Court

BANKRUPTCIES

Michael Bryan French, Oberlin, liabilities \$25,508, assets \$4,250, Chapter 13 (personal reorganization).

Town Crier

Today: Farmers Market, 8 a.m., on Penn Ave. in front of Chamber office.

Oberlin Business Alliance, noon, LandMark Inn.

Friday: Benefit barbecue for FROGS summer camp, 6:30 p.m., Oberlin City Park.

Concert by Oberlin Community Band, 7:30 p.m., City Park band shell. (In case of rain, go to high school auditorium.)

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

Monday, Aug. 15: Hunter education course, 6:30-10 p.m., ambulance barn. Pre-register at Dale's Fish 'N' Fun or Custom Trophy.

Wednesday, Aug. 17: Hunter education course, 6:30-10 p.m., Oberlin Gun Club.

Thursday, Aug. 18: Hunter education course, 6:30-10 p.m., ambulance barn.

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, pinocle; Tuesday, pitch; Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinocle. 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.

Markets

August 1, 2005 closing markets
Wheat, \$3.03 bushel
Milo, \$3.10 hnd weight
Corn, \$1.97 bushel
Soybeans, \$6.12 bushel
Sunflowers, (unavailable)

Obituaries

Harold Frickey

John Harold Frickey, 94, a longtime resident of Oberlin, died Sunday, July 31, 2005, at the Decatur County Hospital after a short illness. He had been a resident at Cedar Living Center for several years.

He was born March 24, 1911, at Blackfoot, Idaho, the son of John H. and Lizzie (Pauley) Frickey. Not long after his birth, the family, which included several older brothers and sisters, moved back to Kansas. He attended Center School in Center Township and Decatur Community High School.

He married Elvera Fiona (Onie) Davis on May 25, 1930, in Norton and she preceded him in death on March 24, 1994.

He lived most of his life in Decatur County and the surrounding area, with the exception of several years in McPherson. He worked as a farmer, at an elevator in Bird City and as a truck driver in McPherson, in addition to other occupations.

Survivors include his children, James and John Frickey, McPherson; and Judy Martin, Hutchinson; a brother, Norton Frickey, and a sister, Lela Huff, both of Denver; 13 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Marilyn Frickey Mines; four brothers, Sam Frickey, Dwight Frickey, Woodrow Frickey, Wendell Frickey, and two sisters, Fern Gaumer and Naomi Branvold.

Visitation will be at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin on Thursday and until service time on Friday. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Friday, at the funeral home with Pastor Charlotte Strecker-Baseler officiating. Burial will be in the Oberlin Cemetery.

Memorials were established to

Cedar Living Center and Decatur County Ministerial Association. Contributions may be sent to the funeral home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Neva Jean Taylor

Neva Jean Taylor, 71, a 1951 graduate of Jennings High School, died Sunday, July 31, 2005, at the Norton County Hospital.

She was born Nov. 17, 1933, at rural Jennings, the daughter of Jerry and Tyny (Shimek) Vacura. She attended Jackson Grade School and Jennings High School.

She married Jack R. Tacha on May 16, 1953, and he preceded her in death. She married Lee E. Taylor on June 6, 1969, and he also preceded her in death. She had lived at Norton, Jennings, Brewster, Wichita, Liberal and Minneola before returning to Jennings. She was a member of the ZCJB Lodge and Royal Neighbors.

She was also preceded in death by her parents and a son, Larry Tacha.

Survivors include a son, Mike Tacha, Jennings; a daughter, Jeri and Clete Brungardt, Wichita; and a daughter-in-law, Lisa Tacha; a sister, Marilyn and Dennis Wahlmeier, Cambridge, Neb.; and four grandchildren.

Graveside and inurnment services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Jennings Cemetery with James Jennings officiating.

A memorial was established in her name. Contributions may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Bernard M. Weis

Bernard M. Weis, 87, a retired farmer at Dresden, died July 28, 2005, at Hays Medical Center in Hays.

He was born Feb. 2, 1918, at the family farm home southeast of Leoville, the son of Michael and Theresa (Ritter) Weis. He was reared in the Leoville-Dresden area and attended country school and Leoville school. He was a farmer until retiring in 1983. He was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church at Leoville.

Survivors include three brothers, Ray and Germaine Weis; Ralph and Genevieve Weis, and Leo and Hermine Weis, all of Dresden; and two sisters, Sister Laurann Weis and Sister Bernardine Weis, both of Clyde, Mo.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Al, Urban and Joseph Weis; and a sister, Sister Vincencia Weis.

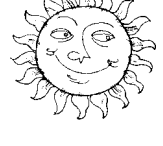
Funeral services were held Monday morning at the church in Leoville. The Rev. George Kochuvelikkakam and the Rev. Ben Saw officiated. Burial was in Mount Calvary Cemetery at Leoville.

A memorial was established in his name or to the Mount Calvary Cemetery. Contributions may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, Selden, Kan., 67757.

Corrections

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.

WEATHER



Decatur County Weather ----- August 2nd-6th

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
101/68	98/62	88/58	85/61	93/63
Normal High: 89 Normal Low: 62		Sunrise: 6:42 to 6:45am Sunset: 8:54 to 8:50pm		

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

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
July 26	92	62	0.32
July 27	73	48	
July 28	79	48	
July 29	91	57	
July 30	96	58	
July 31	98	64	
Aug. 1	102	63	

Two more days of nasty heat! A ridge of high pressure will be situated over the area until tomorrow which will keep temperatures at or close to 100. Tomorrow night a front will come through the area bringing with it cooler temperatures and more favorable conditions for rain Thursday and Friday. This weekend looks to be hot with the only scattered chances for rain.

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What to do with your zucchini

If you grow zucchini in your garden, you know a little goes a long way! Zucchini grows quickly, and even one plant can be overwhelming. Learning to use zucchini creatively is a challenge.

Zucchini is an edible gourd harvested at the immature stage. The ideal size is 6-10 inches in length. Once harvested, leave them unwashed, place in a plastic bag and refrigerate. They should be used within 2-3 days. Larger zucchini are best for the compost pile because they tend to be tough and have large seeds.

Squash blossoms are also edible, raw or cooked. Harvest the male blossoms, those with stems, when they are still a bit closed. Gently rinse and store in ice cold water, and use within 1-2 days.

These are typically stuffed with a filling, sometimes battered and fried, and served as an appetizer. They can also be tossed into salads to add color.

In general, summer squash is lower in nutritional value than winter squash. Leave the skin on to increase nutritional value. Summer squash is still a good source of calcium, potassium, folate, and vitamin A.

So what can be done with zucchini? A popular use is zucchini bread. To preserve, it is best frozen or pickled, but zucchini can also be grilled, steamed, broiled, fried, sauteed, or used in stir-fry recipes. It



Home Time

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mixes well with other vegetables such as tomatoes, onions and okra. Herbs and spices such as marjoram, cumin, parsley, dill, rosemary and savory enhance summer squash.

Here's a recipe that will use many vegetables from your garden. Substitute yellow squash for the zucchini, or use a combination of both. Add carrots, eggplant or whatever you have in the garden.

Summer Garden Vegetable Medley

- 3 medium zucchini (7-8 inches) or 5 small (4-5 inches), sliced
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 pepper, bell or any variety, seeded and cut into strips
- 6 trimmed, thinly sliced green onions with tops
- 2 cloves garlic, chopped
- 2 medium tomatoes, chopped
- 1 teaspoon toasted cumin seeds, ground
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- Wash and thinly slice squash and set aside. Prepare all other veg-

etables and set aside.

To toast cumin seeds, heat a heavy skillet over low heat. Add the seeds and shake the skillet periodically. When their aroma is noticeable, after about 5 minutes, remove skillet from the heat. Pour seeds into a mortar, allow to cool and then grind, or use a spice grinder.

Heat a not-stick skillet or wok over medium heat. Add oil. When oil is very hot, add peppers, onions and garlic. Cook for 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Add zucchini and tomatoes and continue cooking for 5 minutes.

Sprinkle with ground cumin, salt and pepper. Stir. Serve hot or cold. Makes 6 servings.

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