

Obituaries

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
Aug. 11: Steven Heinze, Bloomington, Ind., speeding 82, \$132; Penny Pitford, Edina, Mo., speeding 82, \$132.

Aug. 15: Kevin Williams, Paola, speeding 77, \$102.

Aug. 25: Chet Ely, McCook, speeding 79, \$114.

Aug. 31: James Roberts, Gordon, Texas, speeding 79, \$114.

Limited Action

The Bank vs. Truck Town, quiet title, 1973 GMC Astro semi tractor.

Divorces

Aug. 18: Lennis Randolph vs. Katherine Randolph, both of Jennings.

SHERIFF'S BLOTTER

These calls were worked recently by the Decatur County Sheriff's Office:

- Wayne Larson, 57, rolled his 1982 GMC pickup two times trying to avoid a deer around 12:30 a.m. last Wednesday on road 3S. Under-sheriff Randy McHugh said Mr. Larson was traveling east when he lost control trying to miss the deer. He received a ticket for failure to report the accident until later that morning. There were no injuries.
- Worked an accident on Friday, Aug. 26, when Janice O'Hare, 59, of Norcarat hit a deer in the road in her 1996 Ford Taurus. She was traveling west on U.S. 36 at mile marker 95 when the deer jumped into the road. There were no injuries and she didn't get a ticket.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Karen and David Gay, quitclaim to Roger D. Lippelmann, the S 1/2

of the NE 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 4, T2S, R28W.

Roger and Linda Lippelmann, quitclaim to Roger and Linda Lippelmann, co-trustees Roger D. Lippelmann Trust and co-trustees of the Linda K. Lippelmann Trust, 1/2 interest each, surface estate of S 1/2 of NE 1/4 and NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 4, T2S, R28W.

Marvin and Vivian Hansen, trustees of the Revocable Inter Vivos Trust of Marvin A. Hansen and Revocable Inter Vivos Trust Vivian I. Hansen, to Ivan LeRoy Auker, Lot 1, Block 1, and S 20' of former Elm Street, N of and adjacent to Lot 1, Block 1, Sappa Addition, and W 1/2 of former alley E of and adjacent to property, all in City of Oberlin.

Richard VanOtterloo, Cheryl and Steve Hankle, Susan and Van Peyton, and Larry VanOtterloo to Laurene M. (Bryan) VanOtterloo, part of Lots 30, 31 and 32, Block 2, Benton-Smith Addition, City of Oberlin.

AMBULANCE CALLS

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

Friday: 1:50 p.m., medical, S. Beaver, to Decatur County Hospital.

Saturday: 5:45 p.m., standby, races at fairgrounds; 8:43 p.m., motor vehicle accident, U.S. 83 and 36, no transport.

City Hall

POLICE BLOTTER

The Oberlin Police Department worked these calls recently:

- Last Tuesday, two boys, 14 and 15, ran away from Sappa Valley Youth ranch. The boys were caught on the dirt road just east of the ranch by staff. An Oberlin police officer took the boys back to the ranch. Po-

lice Chief Wade Lockhart said the boys are looking at misdemeanor theft charges for taking a hand-held two way radio with an estimated value of \$363.

- On Monday, said Chief Lockhart, the same 14-year-old tried to run from the ranch again around 4:39 p.m. Officer Troy Haas picked him up on the road to Sappa Park. He was taken back to the ranch.

- On Thursday, officers were called to the ranch when a 17-year-old reportedly was beating up on a 15-year-old.

- On Friday, Aug. 5, Chief Lockhart got a call from the hospital that a man had been stabbed. Alferdo Contreas, 28, of Garden City told him he had been dropped off here. He said he was walking through the city when a large white vehicle stopped and a number of people jumped out, robbed him and stabbed him.

Later his girlfriend picked him up and saw the stab wound and insisted she take him to the hospital. Mr. Contreas was moved to the hospital in Hays and later released.

Chief Lockhart said he saw the man at the fair and asked him to come in and talk, but the man never showed up. He hasn't been able to locate any evidence around town to back up Mr. Contreas' story.

Federal Court

BANKRUPTCIES

(Chapter 7 unless otherwise noted)

Lowell and Verna Byarlay, Oberlin, liabilities \$45,094, assets \$36,870.

Chris Ervin Kuhlman, Oberlin, liabilities \$235,541, assets \$42,180.

Murry and Audrey Pavlicek, Oberlin, liabilities \$133,726, assets \$77,885.

Town Crier

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

Oberlin Business Alliance, noon, LandMark Inn.

Thursday: High school cross country, 4:30 p.m., at Quinter.

Junior high school football and volleyball, 4:30 p.m., here, with Oakley.

Hurricane relief pancake-and-sausage benefit, 5:30 p.m., Oberlin American Legion.

Friday: Oberlin Business Alliance tailgate porkburger and polish sausage fund raiser, donation, 5:30 p.m. before football game at City Park. Homemade ice cream and dessert benefit for fireworks by St.

John's Lutheran Church.

High school football, 7 p.m., here, with Quinter.

Saturday: Junior varsity volleyball tournament, 9 a.m., at Quinter.

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

Junior varsity football, 5:30 p.m., at Quinter.

School board meeting, 7:30 p.m., district office.

Tuesday: Diabetes Under Control meeting, 2 p.m., United Church.

High school volleyball, 4:30 p.m., here, with Hill City/Oakley.

Wednesday, Sept. 14: Late start day at Oberlin schools, 10 a.m.

American Legion Auxiliary, 6:30 p.m., potluck and Girls' State pro-

gram.

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.

Monday-Friday: At 1 p.m. at Golden Age Center, Monday, pinocle; Tuesday, pitch; Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinocle.

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

Honor Roll

Welcome and thanks to these recent subscribers to *The Oberlin Herald*:

Colorado: Meredith J. Huff, Denver.

Elsewhere: Dr. Shannon Addleman-Gillund, Tinley Park, Ill.; E.P. Gardner, Mount Vernon, Texas; Patty Savage, Loganville, Ga.; Frank Ashley, Elmhurst, Ill.; Barry Brooks, Lilburn, Ga.; Jim Clausen, Denton, Texas; Edward J. Wurm, Albany, Ore.; Lyle Pummer, Ozark, Mo.; Jerry L. Gallentine, Rapid City, S.D.; L.D. Anderson, Austin, Texas; Beckie Almquist, Zumbrota, Minn.; Mary Hupka, Punta Garden, Fla.; Thomas McCoy, Belle Fourche, S.D.; Arden L. Flaska, San Diego, Calif.; Sheila DeKnight, Stockton, Mo.; Mrs. Steve Ranz, Fertile, Minn.; Lorraine Love, Coronado, Calif.; Lona Plotts, Springfield, Ore.; M.L. Welter,

Iowa City, Iowa; Delphine Spencer, Culbertson, Neb.

Kansas: Cinda Flax Insurance, Arnold; Marilyn Henke, Kelly Olson, Manhattan; Kenneth VanVleet, Shawnee; Golden Plains USD 316, Ray Zoberst, Rexford; Gene Overmiller, Goodland; Don Sulzman, Paul T. Welter, Fred Bremer, Dean Gawith, Lawrence Miller, Dresden; Fred McKee,

Hoxie; Harwood Lockhart, Maxine Brooks, Norton; L.J. Skubal, Selden; Renee Harman, Frank Ward, Norcat; Chuck Johnson, Wichita; Diana L. Cochran Black, Newton; Don Grafel, Karl Wendelin, Herndon; B&J Farms Inc., N.J. Griffith, Clayton; R.L. Montgomery, Mrs. Richard Rhodes, Elwood Bailey, Jennings.

Markets

September 6, 2005 closing markets
Wheat, \$3.08 bushel
Milo, \$2.75 hnd weight
Corn, \$1.76 bushel
Soybeans, \$5.49 bushel
Sunflowers, (unavailable)

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

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

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
Aug. 30	87	56	
Aug. 31	91	56	
Sept. 1	73	49	
Sept. 2	83	49	
Sept. 3	85	61	
Sept. 4	91	62	
Sept. 5	91	65	

Precipitation totals: for the week, 0.00; for the month of August, 4.66; for the month of September, 0.00; current year to date, 20.52; previous year to date, 16.79.

National Weather Service—Weather History: On Sept. 1, 1929, "...the temperature soared to 107 degrees in McCook, Nebraska...a record for the month of September at that location."
By Charlotte Meints, local observer

Decatur County Weather--- Sept 7th - 11th

Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
78/51	81/53	83/55	86/57	88/59

Normal High: 82
Normal Low: 54
Sunrise: 7:16 to 7:19 A.M.
Sunset: 7:57 to 8:04 P.M.

With a trough over the western U.S. and a ridge over the eastern U.S. the weather pattern is blocked over the High Plains. The area will continue to see south southeast winds, plenty of humidity, above normal temperatures and chances for storms each day. These storms would be slow movers with locally heavy rain and some isolated reports of hail and/or strong winds. This time of year we generally see rains before we plant wheat and soon we will start to see the afternoon high temperatures cool with shorter days and the approach of fall.

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Maurine J. Barenberg

Maurine J. Barenberg, 84, a 1938 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Aug. 9, 2005, at Lakewood, Colo.

She was born Sept. 3, 1920, at Ludell, the oldest child of Harry and Esther (Davis) Olson. She attended grade school in Rawlins County and high school in Oberlin. She furthered her education in Denver in beauty school and worked as a cosmetologist for several years. She worked in a war munitions plant during World War II and later in the car title division of the Motor Vehicle Department of Golden, Colo., until she retired. She also assisted her husband in his car dealership, LeRoy's Auto Sales.

Survivors include her husband, LeRoy; a son, Norman and Janet; two grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; a brother, Harold and June Olson; and two sisters-in-law, Agnes Barenberg, Rudy, Ark., and Lucille Barenberg, Aurora, Colo.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a sister, Evelyn and Victor Hartman; and a brother, Emmet and Rosemarie Olson; a sister-in-law, Wilma and Bernard Bryant; and three brothers-in-law, Lavirtus, Cletus and Lester Barenberg.

Memorial services were held on Aug. 15, 2005, at the Shrine of St. Anne Church in Arvada. Burial was at Fort Logan National Cemetery.

A memorial was established in her name to Hospice of St. John, 1320 Everett Court, Lakewood, Colo., 80215.

Arlin Bohl

Arlin Bohl, 68, whose wife, Leatha, is a cousin of Wayne and Louise Cressler of Jennings, died Thursday, Sept. 1, 2005, at the Phillips County Hospital in Phillipsburg. He was a resident of rural Stuttgart.

Survivors include his wife, Leatha, Phillipsburg; a brother, Marvin Bohl, Agra; a grandson, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Lutheran Church in Phillipsburg with Pastor Joel Hiesterman officiating. Burial was at the First Lutheran Cemetery at Stuttgart.

Memorials have been established to the church, the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association. Contributions may be sent to Olliff-Boeve Memorial Chapel, 1115 Second St., Phillipsburg, Kan., 67661.

Riley Westyn Carman

Riley Westyn Carman, infant child of Curtis and Shana (Westerman) Carman, died Aug. 31, 2005, at Hays Medical Center in Hays.

Riley was born there on Aug. 31, 2005.

Survivors include the parents and a sister, Oaklynn, Colby; maternal grandparents, Larry Westerman, Kensington, and Gary and Carol Friesen, Scott City; maternal great-grandmother, Betty McElderry-Tuxhorn, Kensington; paternal grandparents, Steve and Helen Carman, Selden; paternal great-grandmother, Edith Carman, Selden; and aunts, uncles and cousins.

Riley was preceded in death by maternal great-grandparents, Frank and Julia Westerman, and Marvin McElderry, and paternal great-grandparents, C.C. Carman and Frank and Betty Hockran.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Selden. The Rev. George Kochuvekkakam officiated and burial was at the Selden Cemetery.

A memorial was established in Riley's name. Contributions may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749, or Pauls Funeral Home, Selden, Kan., 67757.

Maurine Hoenninger

Maurine Hoenninger, 86, granddaughter of early Oberlin settlers John and Jenny Love, died Aug. 18, 2005, in Phoenix.

She was the daughter of Pearl (Love) Miller. She spent many summers in Oberlin with relatives as a child.

Survivors include four children; five grandsons; and two great-grandsons.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Red; an uncle, Boyd and Edith (Blickenstaff) Love; Goldie (Love) Simpson; Fern (Love) and Bob McCrea; and Grace (Love) and Guy Litton.

Burial was beside her husband at the National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona in Phoenix.

Gladis Joy Hunter

Gladis Joy Hunter, 96, of Topeka, a former Oberlin teacher, died Monday at Aldersgate Village in Topeka.

She was born Feb. 20, 1909, in Luray, the daughter of Frank Leslie and Etta May (Clark) Joy. She attended elementary and high school in Luray, graduating in 1926.

She married Marion Gaumer in 1933 and he died in 1935. They made their home in Oberlin. She married Wilbur Eugene Hunter on Oct. 27, 1941, in Oberlin and he preceded her in death on April 15, 2005. They lived in Oberlin until 1966 when they moved to Topeka. The couple moved to Aldersgate Village in 1989.

She attended Emporia State College and Fort Hays State College,

where she received her degree in 1965. She taught for 25 years in elementary schools in Luray, Oakley, Oberlin, and Topeka. She retired in 1971 from the former Sunny Elevation School in the Auburn-Washburn school district.

She was a member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Topeka, where she served as deacon for two years; Presbyterian Women; Delta Kappa Gamma; Topeka Retired Teachers Association; and the National Association of Federal Employees.

Survivors include two daughters, Lynn Gaumer Flanders, Overland Park, and Janet Hunter Woerner, Yucaipa, Calif.; a son, Thomas Hunter, McPherson; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a sister, Leslie Torrence, Hutchinson.

Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. today at the Multipurpose Room of Trent Plaza at Aldersgate Village. Inurnment will be private.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1275 SW Boswell, Topeka, Kan., 66604; the Good Samaritan Fund at Aldersgate Village, 7220 SW Asbury Drive, Topeka, Kan., 66614; or to Heart of America Hospice, 3715 SW 29th St., Suite 20, Topeka, Kan., 66614. Penwell-Gabel Mid Town Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Messages may be left for the family at www.PenwellGabel.com.

Karen L. Molstad

Karen L. Molstad, 51, of Colby, a 1971 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2005, at Littleton, Colo.

She was born Oct. 13, 1953, in Chicago, Ill., the daughter of Bill and Margaret (Ann) Ooton. Her family later moved to Oberlin, where they owned a drapery business for several years.

She worked as an administrative clerk for Rural Development and was a member of the Colby Chapter of the Eastern Star; Hi Plains After 5 Club and Ascension on the Prairie Episcopal Church in Colby.

Survivors include her husband, Steve Molstad, and son, Kyle Molstad, Colby; her parents, Bill and Ann Ooton, Franklin, N.C., and a brother, Kris Ooton, Gainesville, Fla.

Memorial services were held Tuesday morning at Colby United Methodist Church with Pastor Don Martin of Colby officiating. Burial was at Beulah Cemetery at Colby.

Memorials may be given in her name. Contributions may be left at any Colby bank or sent to Harrison Chapel, 190 S. Franklin Ave., Colby, Kan., 67701.

Sunday liquor sales on agenda

The Oberlin City Council will continue a conversation about Sunday sales of alcohol and beer at the 6:30 p.m. meeting Thursday.

The item was tabled at the meeting at the end of August so councilmen could get public comment. City Administrator Gary Shike said he hasn't heard a whole lot yet, but the issue will be on the agenda on Thursday.

If the council agrees to Sunday sales, liquor stores will be able to stay open on Sunday and merchants will be able to sell 3.2 percent beer.

Mr. Shike said the council will be comparing prices of accountants to do the city audit. Mapes and Miller does the audit now, but the council decided to ask for bids to see what

other companies would charge.

The council will need to see if anyone wants to attend a state League of Municipalities meeting the second weekend in October in Wichita and appoint a delegate.

Mr. Shike said he received a phone call about marking crosswalks at the intersection of Cass and Commercial, near the Dollar General Store. He said the council needs to discuss it.

Although lifting the even/odd water restrictions will probably be discussed, he said, he doesn't anticipate any action. Water use hasn't been too bad recently, he said, but the rain has helped. Mr. Shike said he didn't know when watering restrictions will be lifted; that is up to

the council.

The council will meet upstairs at The Gateway. The meeting is open to the public and will be aired on local cable access channel 7.

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