



Michael and Danielle Schiltz

Couple wed in Las Vegas

Danielle Sauvage and Michael Schiltz of Selden were married on Saturday, April 22, in Las Vegas, Nev. Parents of the couple are Rita and Troy Erdman, McCook, and Bill Sauvage, Oberlin, and Jerry and Paul Schiltz, Selden. Their grandparents are Juanita Williby, and Keith and Maxine Sauvage, Oberlin, and Edna Schiltz and Bob Pope,

Selden. A reception was held on May 6 at the Selden Parish Hall. The bride is a registered nurse at Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby. Her husband is employed with Schiltz Harvesting. They are making their home at Selden.

August wedding planned

Lacy Zodrow and Paul Tally of Oberlin plan to be married on Saturday, Aug. 5, at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Oberlin. Parents of the couple are Leo and Carrie Zodrow and Gerry and Theresa Tally, all of Oberlin. The bride-elect graduated from Decatur Community High School in 2004 and Northwest Kansas Technical College in 2005 with a Associate of Medical Assistant Degree.



Lacy Zodrow, Paul Tally

She is business administrator at Fredrickson Family Dentistry in Oberlin. Her fiance graduated in 2002 from Decatur Community High School and is a farmer and rancher.

Graduate enlists in Army guard

MeLinda Jo Dempewolf, a 2006 graduate of Decatur Community High School, has enlisted with the Army National Guard. She will be leaving for boot camp at Fort Jackson, S.C., on Tuesday. After completing her training there, she will go to Advanced Individual Training at Fort Lee, Va.

She expects to return home in early November and be assigned to a unit in Larned. She plans to enroll at Barton County Community College in January. MeLinda is the daughter of Doug and Chris Dempewolf of Norcatur. Her address is Box 38, Norcatur, Kan., 67653.



M.Dempewolf

Benefit set at Rexford Sunday

A beef-and-noodles benefit will be served at 11:30 a.m. on Sunday at the Rexford Community Hall for Phyllis and Allen Cheney, who suffered extensive damage to their house and barn during recent storms. All proceeds will be used to help

with the cost of repairs. For details, call Lyn Cheney at (785) 687-8042 or Kay Cheney, (785) 687-4651. Donations may be left at any branch of The Bank or mailed to Cheney Benefit, c/o Lyn Cheney, Route 2, Box 38, Rexford, Kan., 67753.

Championship game Dec. 2

If you are a Big 12 college football fan, it would be a good idea to start making plans for the conference championship game Saturday, Dec. 2, at Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City. Dr. Pepper Big 12 Championship game tickets can be purchased through all Ticketmaster outlets, by phone at (800) 676-5488, and online at www.ticketmaster.com. Tickets are not being sold through the Big 12 office. Tickets are priced at \$50, \$60,

\$70, and \$80, plus convenience and handling charges. It would be a good idea to check and see if it is necessary to purchase a parking permit. Group tickets and premium ticket packages, which include prime seat locations, parking, and hospitality, are available by calling Arrowhead Stadium at (888) 992-4433. Kickoff for the game is set for 7 p.m. Central Time, with a national broadcast on ABC.

Grant workshop in Colby

Western Prairie Resource Conservation and Development will sponsor a Grant Writing II workshop with Dr. Don Udell on Tuesday to Thursday, July 18-20.

The seminar will take grant writers through the research process for foundations and government funding.

Jodi the Viking 40 and Fabulous



From Your Peeps



Club News

Auxiliary holds meeting

Three officers and two members of the Oberlin American Legion Auxiliary met at the post home on June 14 with Angela Corcoran as hostess. The president, Mrs. Corcoran, opened the meeting by leading in the Pledge of Allegiance and preamble. Donations were received from the Virginia Ike and Bob Morris families for the funeral lunches. Membership Chairman Carol Allen reported 129 paid members with several not paying this year's dues. She said next year's dues will be coming soon. The president read items from the district letter and letters of thanks from Lydia Karnopp for

the scholarship she received this year, and Justine Miller who gave an update of her year at college made possible, in part, with the scholarship she received last year. Present officers will remain for another year. Dana Marintzer will be color bearer and Phyllis Metcalf will serve as chaplain when needed. Joslyn Wade was Poppy Girl and helped distribute flowers on Poppy Day. The monthly letter from the platoon in Iraq was read. It was noted that the temperature was 127 degrees in Iraq the day the letter was sent. The next meeting will be on Sept. 14.

P.E.O. gives scholarship

Chapter BH, P.E.O. Sisterhood met at 9:30 a.m. on June 22 at the home of Violet Shaw with Becky Vollersten assisting. Guests included Jennifer Shaw and her mother, Anna Shaw. Jennifer was presented with her P.E.O. Senior Girl Award check for \$500. She shared her future plans with the group and also the scrapbook of her life which her mother had made for

her. Members shared "The Story of Me" with stories, photos and scrapbooks during the June 8 meeting at the home of Betty Jones. Diane Frickey was co-hostess. The next regular meeting will be at 2 p.m. on Aug. 13 at the Decatur County Good Samaritan Center when members entertain with the August birthday party.

Diabetic group meets

Diabetes Under Control group met on June 13 at the United Church with six members present. Dorothy Pryor was hostess. A sympathy card was signed for Bernie Vacura in the loss of his mother. Elsie Wolters led a discussion on the importance of knowing and understanding Hg A1C, normal blood pressure, and lipid profile. Members are to have these checked before the next meeting so they may be compared to the good A1Cs. She

said knowing the normal readings will help to understand the kind of control that is needed. She emphasized that according to the American Diabetes Association, attaining the A1C, blood pressure and LDL cholesterol goals can greatly reduce the chances of stroke, heart attack, kidney failure, eye damage, and nerve injury. There will be no meetings held for the summer.

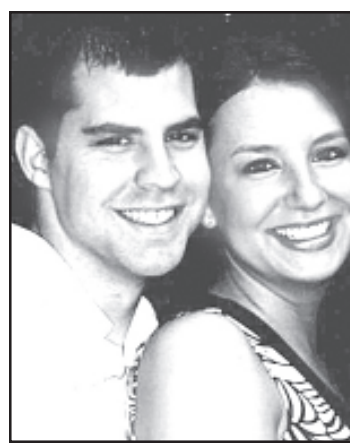
Hopkins reunion held at McDonald

The family of the late Ellis and Olga (Koehler) Hopkins, former Oberlin residents, met for a reunion on Saturday at the Senior Center in McDonald. All but two of the nine children were present. Unable to attend were Nita Giles and her husband John of Weed, Calif., and Gary Hopkins and his wife Shirley of New Castle, Colo. Those present included Yvonna Sawyer and Marsha Layman, Rushville, Neb.; Jim and Cindy Beglin, Omaha; Mike Sawyer, Lin-

coln, Neb.; Joan Tongish, McDonald; Douglas Tongish, Goodland; Mike and Diana Tongish, Atwood; Janice and Stan Horinek, Dixie Bowersox and Nancy Horinek, Salina; Kenny and Janette Chisham and Terry Chisham, Lenora; Diane Kline, Fort Morgan, Colo.; Lemoine Hopkins and friend, Sally, Belen, N.M.; Jerry and Cheryl Hopkins, Denver; and Clinton and Linda Hopkins, Atwood. Callers included Cecil Hess, Oberlin, and Mary Lou Olson, Herndon, family friends.

Herndon couple plans July vows

April Portschy and David Sattler of Herndon plan to be married on Saturday, July 22, at the United Methodist Church in Oberlin. Parents of the couple are Leon and Marita Portschy, and Tom and Myra Sattler, all of Herndon. The bride-to-be is a 2003 graduate of Herndon High School and a senior at Kansas State University, majoring in human resource management and leadership studies. Her fiance graduated in 2002



from Herndon High School and is also a senior at Kansas State University. He is majoring in mechanical engineering.

Students earn awards

Several junior high students received Presidential Awards for Educational Excellence during the spring awards assembly last month. They included Clay Andersen, Marissa Baker, Jessica Fredrickson, Ashley Horton, Kira Meitl, Mary

Olson, Adrienne Pauls and Nolan Wasson. Making the presentations was counselor Nita Lavielle. Improvement awards went to Kirsten Haas and Kaden McFee. Nolan Peters received the Exception Award for extra effort.

Planning a Wedding?

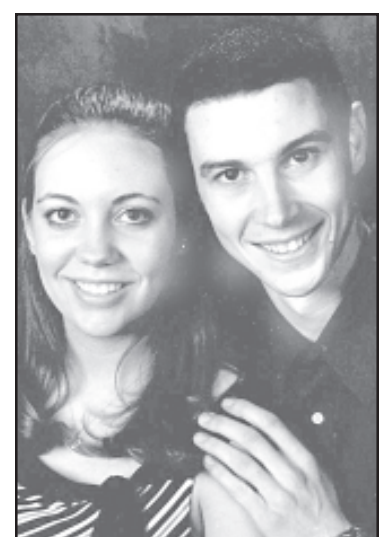
The Oberlin Herald
is happy to run pictures and stories of weddings.

However, we need the information within five weeks of the marriage. Write-ups received after this date require a \$10 charge for each month past the deadline date.

Stop by our office for a wedding form.

Wedding date set for July 29

Kortney Stapp and Jerrod Poire plan to marry at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 29 at the United Methodist Church in Norcatur. A reception, dinner and dance will follow at The Gateway in Oberlin. Parents of the couple are Dave and Patty Stapp, Norcatur, and Dan and Debbie Poire, Westphalia. The bride-elect is a 2003 graduate of Decatur Community High School in Oberlin. She received an Associate Degree in science from Allen County Community College in Iola and will graduate from Emporia State University in May 2007 with a major in psychology and a minor in sociology, then plans to work on her masters degree in psychology at Emporia State. She is



Kortney Stapp, Jerrod Poire employed at Thomas Transfer as a leasing consultant. Her fiance graduated in 2001 from Burlington High School and attended Allen County Community College. He is a pharmacy technician at the Medicine Shop in Emporia.

Couple plans fall wedding

Tawny Rice and Cody Shaw plan to be married on Saturday, Sept. 16, at the First Christian Church in Medicine Lodge. Parents of the couple are Mark and Sandra Rice, Medicine Lodge, and Rick and Tammy Shaw, Selden. Their grandparents are Floyd and Rosalie Spade, and Irene Rice, Medicine Lodge, and the late Ernest Rice; Carol Shaw, Selden, and the late Floyd Shaw; Reed and Marilyn Griest, Jewell, and the late Jolene Griest. The bride-to-be is a 2003 graduate of Medicine Lodge High School and a 2006 graduate of Colby Community College, where she received



her Vet-Tech degree. Her fiance graduated in 2000 from Golden Plains High School at Rexford. Both are employed at Cedar Mills Marina in Gordonville, Texas, at Lake Texoma.

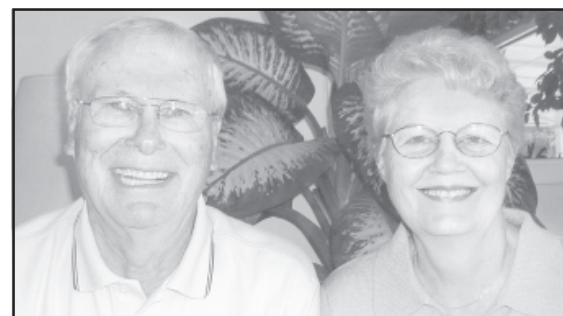
Farm Credit Associations boost FFA 'Stars' program

The Farm Credit Associations of Kansas have given \$10,000 to the Kansas FFA Foundation in support of the "Stars Over Kansas" program. The donation makes the group the foundation's first five-star donor, reaching the highest level of recognition given by the organization. Contributing to the donation are Frontier Farm Credit, Farm Credit of Central Kansas, High Plains Farm Credit, Farm Credit of Southwest Kansas, Farm Credit of Ness City, and Farm Credit of Western Kansas. "Stars Over Kansas" recognizes the best-supervised agricultural experience programs in the state and gives three youths the Star Farmer, Star in Agribusiness and Star in Ag Placement awards. As award recipients' programs grow, they may apply for the American FFA Degree and compete for National FFA star awards. Doug Hofbauer, president and chief executive officer of Frontier Farm Credit, said supporting the state FFA association complements the goals and vision of his group to promote a growing and prosperous rural economy. "As a former agricultural education instructor, I've personally seen students gain leadership skills and hands-on job experience through Ag Ed and FFA involvement," he said.

The recent \$10,000 donation is in addition to previous sponsorships of the state association's National Chapter Community Development award, a leadership workshop at the state FFA convention, and the Agricultural Service proficiency award. Farm Credit Service of Southwest Kansas made a separate donation to the foundation. In total, the associations have given more than \$12,000 to support the Kansas FFA and agricultural education. A check presentation for the donation was held at the 78th state FFA Convention on June 2 in Manhattan. Jerrod Westfahl, chair of the foundation's board, said the support of the Farm Credit Associations helps the foundation achieve its goal to provide new and improved programs and opportunities for members of the Kansas FFA. Kansas Farm Credit Associations also support agricultural students through scholarship programs.

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475-2206

A Card Shower is Requested by the Family of Carl and Charolette Neff for their 50th Anniversary - JUNE 30



In honor of this milestone your family would like to thank you for all your love and strength throughout the years and wish you a Happy Anniversary! from: Sherri Neff, Vicki and Ron Fisher, Bob and Julie Neff, Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren

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