

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:

SHERIFF'S BLOTTER

The Decatur County Sheriff's office worked these calls last week:

- A rollover accident about 9:50 p.m. Thursday on County Road 471. Jane Carlisle, 55, was driving a 2001 Dodge minivan east of road 471 when she swerved to miss a deer, rolled the van, and ended up in a field west of the Cedar Bluffs cemetery. Deputy Patti Skubal said Mrs. Carlisle wasn't injured, but the van was totaled. There was no ticket given.
- Sometime overnight from Friday to Saturday, someone ran into the new fence around BCI, the business that went into the old Jennings School, causing an estimated \$800 in damages to the fence. No arrests have been made.
- Sometime between 12:30 and 1 a.m. Saturday, someone drove through a yard a mile northeast of Jennings. Deputy Jay Tate said there were tracks from two vehicles, which tore up the lawn. There has been no arrest yet, he said.
- Monday morning, officers

served an arrest warrant on Marie Coronado for the Atwood Municipal Court at her house in Oberlin on Oak. She was turned over to Atwood officers at the county line.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Ken Badsy, sheriff of Decatur County, to the U.S. Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, part of Lots 4, 5 and 6, Block 3, Sappa Addition, City of Oberlin.

Travis and Fawn Eskew to Travis and Fawn Eskew, as joint tenants, an irregular tract in the SW 1/4 of Sec. 18, T1S, R29W.

Lorne and Wendy Vogel to Lawrence Brennan, Lots 13 and 14, Block 7, Original Town, City of Oberlin.

Donald and Daryl Browder to Lawrence Brennan, Lot 15, Block 7, Original Town, City of Oberlin.

Lawrence Brennan to South York LLC, Lots 13, 14, and 15, Block 7, Original Town, City of Oberlin.

Elwood and Norine Bailey to Bus and Coach International, an irregular tract in the NE 1/4 of Sec. 25, T4S, R27W.

Shirley Johnson to Gary and Marsha Richards, as joint tenants, Lot 2, Block 10, Rodehaver Addition, City of Oberlin.

Ken Badsy, sheriff of Decatur County, to the U.S. Secretary of

Housing and Urban Development, the S 12' of Lot 1 and all of Lots 2 and 3 in Block 15, Johnston's Addition, City of Oberlin.

Ardith R. Wayne, transfer on death to Patrick Luedders, Natalie Merica and Chris Luedders, W. 40' of Lot 9, block 16, Summit Addition, City of Oberlin.

AMBULANCE CALLS

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

Aug. 21: 2:42 p.m., medical, N. Martin, to Decatur County Hospital.

Aug. 22: 12:54 p.m., air ambulance, Decatur County Hospital to Hays Medical Center.

Thursday: 7:09 p.m., standby, Soap Scrimmage at high school football field.

Friday: 2:02 p.m., air ambulance, Decatur County Hospital to Hays Medical Center; 2:10 p.m., trauma, N. Grand, no transport.

Sunday: 10:41 p.m., medical, E. Ash, to Decatur County Hospital.

City Hall

MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: John Barber, Beloit, spinning tires, \$105; Lee Gilroy, Las Vegas, speeding, \$166.

Memorial service for pitcher held Monday in Norcatour park

A memorial service was held Monday morning at the Elden Auker City Park in Norcatour for Elden Auker, a former major league pitcher and Norcatour native for whom the park was named.

Mr. Auker, 95, died Aug. 4, 2006, at the Indian River Hospital in Vero Beach, Fla. Pastor Terry Worthington of the Norton

Church of God officiated.

Considered one of the greatest all-around athletes ever to come out of Kansas, Mr. Auker earned nine varsity letters in three sports — baseball, football and basketball — at Kansas State College in Manhattan.

He graduated in 1928 from Norcatour High School and played 10 years in the major leagues, six for the

Detroit Tigers, one for the Boston Red Sox and three for the old St. Louis Browns.

Elden Auker Park was built in his honor in downtown Norcatour and he asked to have his ashes scattered there. His son Jim was present for the service and scattered his father's ashes.

Cooler temperatures keep water use down

Cooler temperatures helped keep water use in the City of Oberlin down last week, but until the City Council decides otherwise, the city is still on water restrictions.

The city has been on an even-odd watering play since the beginning of the summer when people started to use enough water that the city was pumping over 700,000 gallons on consecutive days. Last week, the city pumped over the trigger only once, 733,000 gallons on Thursday.

On water restrictions, people with even addresses can water on Wednesday, Friday and Sunday and

those with odd addresses they can water on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from midnight and 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. to midnight. No outside water use is allowed on Monday.

The city pumped:

- 476,800 gallons on Monday, Aug. 21.
- 643,000 gallons on Tuesday, Aug. 22.
- 675,000 gallons last Wednesday.
- 733,000 gallons on Thursday.
- 513,000 gallons on Friday.
- 514,000 gallons on Saturday.
- 280,000 gallons on Sunday.

Markets

August 28, 2006 closing markets

Wheat, \$4.16 bushel
Milo, \$3.16 hnd weight
Corn, \$2.07 bushel
Soybeans, \$4.59 bushel
Sunflowers (unavailable)

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Corrections

On the OH! page in the Aug. 23 edition of *The Oberlin Herald*, Coach Trevor Williams' name was spelled Trever in a caption above his picture. This was a reporter's error.

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WEATHER

Decatur County Weather --- Aug. 29th - Sep. 2nd

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
78/57	85/59	88/61	85/58	78/55

Normal High: 84
Normal Low: 57

Sunrise: 7:07 to 7:11am
Sunset: 8:12 to 8:17pm

The recent cool weather is a reminder that fall is just around the corner. High's today will remain below normal then rest of the week they climb back into the 80's. For week one of area high school football we could see a few storms sneaking in with a cool front. Chances for rain will continue Friday night and Saturday then exit the region for the Labor Day holiday. August moisture has been nice, but we still need more!

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(National Weather Service)
(Information below for period ending 8 a.m. Mon.; maximum temperature for previous day.)

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
Aug. 21	85	61	
Aug. 22	87	54	
Aug. 23	97	64	
Aug. 24	97	67	
Aug. 25	74	52	0.31
Aug. 26	73	55	
Aug. 27	78	54	0.37

Precipitation: for the week, 0.68; month of August, 3.64; for the year, 11.61.

Weather History: Aug. 28, 1993-Up to 8 inches of rain caused a \$2.5 million loss when the pinto bean crop sprouted, and washed out a section of Highway 25, in south Thomas County.

By Jim Merriott - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer

Billie E. Craig

Billie E. Craig, 76, of Norcatour, a retired farmer, died Aug. 17, 2006, in Denver.

He was born April 9, 1930, in Wymore, Neb., the son of Clayton and Alta Craig.

He served as a quartermaster in the U.S. Marine Corps; worked for the Army Corps of Engineers on the Gavinsport Dam in Yankton, S.D.; owned a used furniture and appliance store; and later farmed in Missouri and Kansas before retiring in Norcatour.

Survivors include four sons, Doug and Mary Oberle, Denver; Clayton Craig, Lakewood, Colo.; Shannon and Norma Craig, Denver; and Chuck and June Hixon, Norcatour; three daughters, Sherry and Royce Shurtleff, Denver; Robin and Jim Cabaret, Salem, Mo.; and Gwen Craig, Denver; three brothers, Leonard Craig, Washington; Art Craig, Diller, Neb.; and Vern

Craig, Kansas; three sisters, Mildred Stevens and Inez Willett, Beatrice, Neb.; and Neva and Duane Fisher, Union, Neb.; 15 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were Wednesday at the Norcatour Cemetery.

Memorials were established to the Cancer Patient Care Fund or the Cancer Education Fund at the University of Colorado. Contributions may be sent to Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton, Kan., 67654.

Gladys E. Madden

Gladys E. Madden, 77, a 1946 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Aug. 17, 2006, at Antioch.

She was born Jan. 11, 1929, in Bassettville Township in Decatur County, the daughter of Clarence and Wilna (Hanchett) Corcoran. She received a Bachelor's Degree from Marymount College in Salina.

She married Henry J. Madden in Salina and they lived in Abilene. She was a teacher and had worked for the St. Andrew's School and the Abilene Public Schools. She was a member of St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Abilene.

Survivors include a son, Stephen and Pat, Blue Springs, Mo.; two daughters, Coleen and Ken Wedge, Antioch, and Victoria and Marvin Pratt, Indianapolis, Ind.; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She preceded in death by her husband, Henry, in 1976; her parents; a brother, Virgil Corcoran; and a sister, Eva McGee.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Wednesday at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Abilene with Father Henry Baxa officiating. Burial was at Mount Calvary Cemetery at Salina. Martin-Becker-Carlson Funeral Home of Abilene was in charge of arrangements.

Town Crier

Tonight: Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., ambulance barn.

Thursday: Open bridge, 1 p.m., Golden Age Center.

Junior high volleyball, 4:30 p.m. here, with St. Francis.

Junior high football, 5:30 p.m. here, with St. Francis.

High school cross country, 4:30 p.m., Norton.

Friday: Last Indian Raid Museum benefit tailgate party, 5:30 p.m., Oberlin City Park.

High school football, 7 p.m., here, with St. Francis.

Monday: No school or mail, most businesses closed, Labor Day.

Junior varsity football, 6 p.m., at

St. Francis.

Tuesday: High school volleyball, 4 p.m., Colby and St. Francis, at Colby.

Wednesday, Sept. 6: Red Cross Bloodmobile, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., The Gateway. Walk-ins welcome.

Sunday, Sept. 10: Teens for Christ opening night, Water Wars, grades 7-12 only, 6 p.m., City Park.

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

bridge, open. Quilting, puzzles, games daily.

The Decatur County Food Pantry is open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday and Thursday at the United Church, 109 N. Griffith. Gifts of nonperishable food and household items are always needed.

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.


School Menus

Sept. 4-8

OBERLIN SCHOOLS

Monday: No school (Labor Day).

Tuesday: Breakfast: cereal, muffin, tropical fruit. Lunch: biscuits and gravy. **Wednesday:** Breakfast: French toast sticks, applesauce. Lunch: fish sticks, roll with butter. **Thursday:** Breakfast: sausage/egg/cheese biscuit, Mandarin oranges. Lunch: lasagna, garlic roll. **Friday:** Breakfast: cereal, muffin, pears. Lunch: beef and noodles, roll with butter. Milk served with all meals. Choice bar served with all lunches.



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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of Townships — DECATUR County, Kansas
for the year ending December 31, 2005 for the Preparation of the 2007 Budget.

ROOSEVELT TOWNSHIP					
	Cash Balance Jan 1 st	Receipts	Expenditures	Cash Balance Dec 31 st	Outstanding Warrants as of Dec. 31 st
GENERAL FUND	5,781	3,123	7,939	965	160
ROAD FUND	3,769	15,698	18,834	633	-0-
SPEC MACH	11,850	5,000	-0-	16,850	-0-
TOTALS	21,400	23,821	26,773	18,448	160

Outstanding Indebtedness as of December 31, 2005 \$ -0-

Certified by: TERRY RUSH (Township Treasurer), ELDEN LONG (Township Trustee), PAUL UEHLIN (Township Clerk)

SAPPA TOWNSHIP					
	Cash Balance Jan 1 st	Receipts	Expenditures	Cash Balance Dec 31 st	Outstanding Warrants as of Dec. 31 st
GENERAL FUND	7,457	325	865	6,917	750
ROAD FUND	5,904	12,912	9,580	9,236	-0-
SPEC MACH	6,600	-0-	-0-	6,600	-0-
TOTALS	19,961	13,237	10,445	22,753	750

Outstanding Indebtedness as of December 31, 2005 \$ -0-

Certified by: ROD BRYAN (Township Treasurer), PAUL SHIELDS (Township Trustee), RICHARD ANDERSON (Township Clerk)

SHERMAN TOWNSHIP					
	Cash Balance Jan 1 st	Receipts	Expenditures	Cash Balance Dec 31 st	Outstanding Warrants as of Dec. 31 st
GENERAL FUND	5,135	1,980	1,100	6,015	-0-
ROAD FUND	3,210	9,741	11,134	1,817	-0-
TOTALS	8,345	11,721	12,234	7,832	-0-

Outstanding Indebtedness as of December 31, 2005 \$ -0-

Certified by: LARRY ROE (Township Treasurer), BART SNYDER (Township Trustee), BRAD UEHLIN (Township Clerk)

SUMMIT TOWNSHIP					
	Cash Balance Jan 1 st	Receipts	Expenditures	Cash Balance Dec 31 st	Outstanding Warrants as of Dec. 31 st
GENERAL FUND	10,669	582	7,723	3,528	-0-
ROAD FUND	11,903	12,617	12,627	11,893	-0-
TOTALS	22,572	13,199	20,350	15,421	-0-

Outstanding Indebtedness as of December 31, 2005 \$ -0-

Certified by: ELAINE MARCUSON (Township Treasurer), MONTE MOORE (Township Trustee), BRAD MARCUSON (Township Clerk)

The above named Township Officers do certify that the foregoing is a summary of moneys received by the various Townships and expended together with the indebtedness of said various Township for the year ending December 31, 2005.

All of the above Townships had 0 Outstanding Indebtedness as of December 31, 2005. Detailed Statements of Receipts, Expenditures and Liabilities are available at the Office of the Decatur County Clerk. Form required by K.S. A 80-410 - Done so by - Marilyn Horn, Decatur County Clerk