

# From the Record

## Courthouse

These transactions were taken from the records in the offices of the Decatur County clerk, sheriff and register of deeds:

### SHERIFF'S BLOTTER

The Decatur County Sheriff's Department worked these calls:

- An accident at 7:32 p.m. on Sunday a mile west of Jennings on K-383 when a deer jumped in front of a 1998 Plymouth driven by Van Randy Schultz, 45, Smith Center. Deputy Jay Tate said there was damage to the front of the vehicle, but no injuries.

- Damage to a 2004 Mercury Sable owned by Sid Metcalf. The car was parked at the end of Decatur County Road 308 off of U.S. 83 on Tuesday, Jan. 30. The next morning when the Metcalfs arrived they found vandals had kicked the doors in, broken the tail lights, scratched the exterior, tried to kick out the windows, and punctured the tires on the driver's side. There was over \$5,000 of damage.

- Darrel Ferguson, 51, Oberlin, reported that he was westbound about half a mile east of U.S. 83 on Decatur County Road 308 around 5 p.m. the same day, when his 1983 Ford van was pulled into the ruts. The van turned sideways and spun into the north ditch, rolling to its

side. There were no injuries or passengers.

- Thomas Peter, 42, Selden, was driving a 2006 Dodge Durango south on K-383 at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 30, when a deer jumped out from the north ditch at mile 57, about two miles west of Jennings. There were no injuries.

- John C. Waitkus, 23, was arrested in Norcat 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 3, on a Decatur County District Court warrant for false information, also known as a bad check.

### REGISTER OF DEEDS

Hildegard Euhus Revocable Trust, H. Stuart Euhus Trust, Patricia and Forrest Junod, and Vernadean Moore to Shirley Shields Revocable Trust, the SE 1/4 of Sec. 16, T5S, R30W.

Angela and Eric Hart to Schwab Farms LLC, the SW 1/4 of Sec. 12, T1S, R27W.

Hildegard Euhus Revocable Trust, H. Stuart Euhus Trust, Patricia and Forrest Junod, Vernadean and Stanley Moore, and Shirley Shields Revocable Trust, to Kent and Diana Euhus, as joint tenants, the S 1/2 of the SW 1/4, the S 1/2 of the SE 1/4, the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, and the W 1/2 of the NW 1/4, all in Sec. 3, T3S, R30W.

JPMorgan Chase Bank NA, trustee for George A. Steele Residuary Trust, to Gerry and Theresa Tally, as joint tenants, the SW 1/4 of Sec. 27, T2S, R29W.

### AMBULANCE CALLS

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

Last Wednesday: 1:22 a.m., medical, Dresden, to Decatur County Hospital; 6:58 a.m., transport from Decatur County Hospital to Via Christi-St. Francis Hospital, Wichita.

Friday: 2:14 p.m., medical, Leoville, to Decatur County Hospital.

Saturday: 7:51 a.m., medical, E. Frontier Parkway, to Decatur County Hospital; 9:49 a.m., transport from Decatur County Hospital to Hays Medical Center.

## City Hall

### MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday: Donna Bradley, Plumas, Manitoba, Canada, speeding 42 in 30 mph zone, \$97; Clarence Esser, Mandan, N.D., speeding 41 in 30 mph zone, \$91; Liane Martin, Herndon, speeding 46 in 30 mph zone, \$127; Cody Richards, Oberlin, dog at large, \$80; Karen Sue Glodt, disobeyed stop sign, \$115; Donald Relaford, Oberlin, speeding 42 in 30 mph zone, \$97.

## Town Crier

**Today:** Junior high music contest, all day, Colby College.

High school speech, all day, at Dighton.

Senior menu: chicken and dressing casserole, mashed potatoes and gravy, three-bean salad, rosy pears.

Blood pressure clinic, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Golden Age Center.

Legion Auxiliary potluck supper, 6:30 p.m., at Legion with Girls State candidates.

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

**Thursday:** Senior menu: roast pork, apple sassy sweet potatoes, cole slaw w/pineapple, bread, birthday cake.

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

Oberlin Elementary, junior and senior high parent-teacher conferences, 5 to 9 p.m.

**Friday:** No school. Oberlin Elementary, junior and senior high parent-teacher conferences, 8 a.m. to noon.

Senior menu: baked spaghetti, tossed salad, cook's choice fruit, garlic bread, crisp rice bar.

High school regional wrestling

tournament, 2 p.m., at Norton.

**Saturday:** State piano, to be announced.

High school regional wrestling tournament, 11 p.m., at Norton.

**Sunday:** Senior potluck, 12:15 p.m., Golden Age Center.

Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m.

**Monday:** No school, teacher training day.

Senior menu: ground beef stroganoff, peas, beets, noodles, strawberry shortcake.

Junior high league girls basketball tournament, 4:30 p.m., here.

High school C team basketball, 6 p.m., here, with Norton.

**Tuesday:** Jody Tubbs, Kansas Veterans Affairs, 9:30 a.m., courthouse.

Senior menu: hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots and onions, bread, applesauce.

Junior high league wrestling tournament, 2 p.m., at Oakley.

High school C team basketball, 4:30 p.m., here, with Phillipsburg.

High school basketball, 6:30 p.m., here, with Phillipsburg.

**Next Wednesday:** Senior menu:

baked fish, cheesy broccoli, rice pilaf, bread, apricots.

**Thursday, Feb. 22:** Foot care, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Oberlin Meal Site by Cottonwood Home Care, \$8 fee. Call 475-2208 for appointment.

**Saturday, March 3:** Northwest Wind Special Olympics basketball game with teachers and staff, 1 p.m., Oberlin Elementary School.

**Monday-Friday:** At 1 p.m. at Golden Age Center, Monday, pinocle; Tuesday, pitch; Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinocle. Third Thursday of the month, senior bridge, open. Quilting, puzzles, games daily. Senior lunch at the center, 220 N. Penn Ave., at 11:30 a.m.

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.

## Markets

**February 12, 2007 closing markets**

Wheat, \$4.30 bushel

Milo, \$6.53 hnd weight

Corn, \$3.91 bushel

Soybeans, \$6.50 bushel

Sunflowers, \$14.50 hnd weight

## Corrections

An obituary for Jeanee Tacha in the Feb. 7 issue of *The Oberlin Herald* gave the name of her surviving sister and her husband as Joyce and Gerald Snead. It should have been Joyce and Gerald Ryan. 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.

## Gly A. Shaw

Gly A. Shaw, 91, a 1933 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Jan. 23, 2007, at McCrite Nursing Home in Topeka.

She was born Oct. 9, 1915, at the farm home of her parents, Harriet and Floyd Gilbert, three miles from Achilles. After graduating from high school, she taught school two years in Decatur County elementary schools.



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She married Clayton Baker on July 9, 1934. They had two boys, Wilbur Floyd Baker, who preceded her in death, and Jerry Lee Baker. During World War II, they lived in California where her husband worked in the shipyards. She took in laundry, babysat and raised rabbits to sell. Her husband preceded her in death.

She married Walter Shaw on May 27, 1954 and he also preceded her in death, as did her parents and a brother, Denzel Gilbert.

She was a volunteer at the Last Indian Raid Museum in Oberlin, serving in several capacities. She spent most of her life in the Oberlin and Jennings communities. She moved to Topeka in January 2001 to be closer to her son, Jerry, and his family. She lived at the McCrite Plaza Retirement Community Center, living independently there for six years.

Survivors include a son, Jerry and Elisa Baker, Berryton; a brother, Jay Gilbert, Colby; and a sister, Cletus Hammerschmidt, Hays; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, March 24, 2007, at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to the United Church of Oberlin or the Last Indian Raid Museum of Oberlin. She was an organ donor prior to her cremation. Inurnment will be at the Oberlin Cemetery.

## Dorothy A. Breiner

Dorothy A. Breiner, 69, retired Norcat postmaster, died Thursday, Feb. 8, 2007, at the Andbe Home in Norton.

She was born July 10, 1937, at Norton, the daughter of Charles and Genevieve (Dellere) Carroll. She was reared on a farm east of Norton. She attended Norton County schools and graduated from Norton High School.

She married Reid Breiner on April 2, 1956, in Norton. They made their home on the family farm near Norcat. She was a member of the St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church of Norton and the National Association of Postmasters of the United States.

Survivors include a son, Jason and Staci Breiner, Norcat; four daughters, Julie and Kent Legg, McCook; Jacque and Jeff Eklund, Hutchinson; and Jean and Brad



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## Obituaries

McMullen, Norton; and Jennifer and Brian McKenna, Norton; four brothers, Francis and Patty Carroll, Amarillo, Texas; Charles and Jan Carroll, Wichita; Timothy and Diana Carroll, Sedalia, Colo.; and Lawrence and Patty Carroll, Wamego; four sisters, Mary and Carl Richard, Miltonvale; Janice Carroll, Colorado Springs; Genevieve and Ron Diekemper, Carlyle, Ill.; and Anita Carroll, Manhattan; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Reid, on April 7, 1996; and a brother, Joseph Carroll.

Mass of Christian Burial was held Monday morning at St. Francis Catholic Church at Norton. The Rev. Vincent Thu Lang officiated and burial was at the Norcat Cemetery.

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

## Jay Joseph Miller

Jay Joseph Miller, 78, a 1947 graduate of Norcat High School, died Jan. 29, 2007, at the Andbe Home in Norton.

He was born Jan. 11, 1929, in Norton County, the son of Joseph Franklin and Mary Ruth (Collins) Miler. He attended rural grade school and Norcat High School. He graduated from Fort Hays State University with a Bachelor of Science in agriculture. He also attended a mechanic's school in Kansas City in 1952. He served in the U.S. Army in Germany with the Occupation Forces, then returned to the farm at Norcat, where he spent his life farming. After his retirement, he moved to Norton and moved to the Andbe Home 17 months ago.

He attended the Norcat United Methodist Church and was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a sister, Jean and Ted Lee, Louisville, Ky., and two nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Graveside services were held at the Norton Cemetery on Friday afternoon, Feb. 2. Pastor Lew VanDer Wege officiated.

A memorial was established in his name. Contributions may be sent to Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W.

Main, Norton, Kan., 67654.

## Orvis L. Nelson

Orvis Leroy Nelson, 87, of Atwood, husband of the former Veda Mae Henningsen, died Friday, Feb. 9, 2007, at North Platte, Neb. His wife is a 1944 graduate of Decatur Community High School.

He was born March 30, 1919, on the family farm in the Tully community in Rawlins County, the son of Peter and Mary Frances (Goin) Nelson. He entered the armed services in 1942 and served in the African Invasion with the 591st Engineer Boat Regiment as an amphibious engineer during World War II.

After his discharge, he purchased a farm southwest of Achilles.

He married Veda Mae Henningsen, daughter of Otto and Genevieve (Cooper) Henningsen, in 1947. He was a member of the Atwood American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Veda Mae; a son, Donald Jay, Ludell; three daughters, Shirley and Dale Vap, and Jane and Skip McCain, Atwood; and Joan and Patrick Kania, Newbury, Ohio; four grandchildren; a step-grandson; eight great-grandchildren; a sister, Maxine and Clifton Starkey, Brewster; and a brother, Dale and Mary Nelson, rural Colby.

He was preceded in death by his parents; an infant son, David Lee; a sister, Zelma West McDonald; and an infant granddaughter, Marsha Lee McCain.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today at the United Methodist Church in Atwood with the Rev. Terry McGuire officiating. A private burial will take place at a later date at Lone Star Cemetery in the Tully community.

A memorial has been established in his name. Contributions may be sent to Williams Funeral Home, 109 W. 2nd, Atwood, Kan., 67730.

## Lumir Jesse Skubal

Funeral services are pending for Lumir Jesse Skubal, 81, who died Monday at the Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin. He was a 1943 graduate of Jennings High School and he and his wife, Jean, lived in Leoville.

Pauls Funeral Home of Oberlin is in charge of arrangements.

A complete obituary will be carried in next week's *Oberlin Herald*.

## IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

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# School board cancels meeting

Snow fell hard and fast Monday afternoon, coating everything standing still in white in no time.

With a little over an inch on the ground and snow still falling, the Oberlin School Board decided not to hold its monthly meeting, postponing it until 5:30 p.m. Monday at the district office. Superintendent

Kelly Glodt said they decided to cancel the meeting since some of the members live in the country and it was still snowing.

There was no word about whether the students and staff would have school on Tuesday.

By about 9 p.m., the snow had

stopped, though the wind was still blowing things around.

## City Council has meeting on Thursday

The Oberlin City Council will hold its second meeting of the month on Thursday.

The meeting, which is open to the public, is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. at The Gateway. The second meeting of the month isn't televised on local access cable channel 7 at the request of the council.

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# WEATHER

Decatur County Weather - February 13<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup>

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
20/5	18/5	30/10	40/15	38/13

Normal High: 46  
Normal Low: 19

Sunrise: 7:34 to 7:39am  
Sunset: 6:18 to 6:23pm

Another 2" to 4" fell across the County yesterday putting yearly totals close to 40". It will be cold today and tomorrow with a nice warm-up expected over the weekend and for most of next week. Could get another dusting of snow tomorrow, past that the next 7 to 10 days will be dry. Next week high temperatures forecasted in the 50's should aid in melting a bunch of snow and be nice for those ranchers who are calving.

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

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
Feb. 5	40	25	
Feb. 6	42	20	
Feb. 7	29	21	
Feb. 8	19	14	
Feb. 9	23	18	
Feb. 10	27	19	
Feb. 11	35	27	

Precipitation: for the week, 0.0; for the month, 0.29; for the year, 0.29.

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By Jim Merriott - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer