

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:

DISTRICT COURT

Traffic

April 1: Edward Jarmer, Hastings, Neb., speeding 77, \$108; Donald Meeske, Colorado Springs, speeding 77, \$108; Steven White, Bremen, speeding 82, \$138.

April 4: Keith Olson, Herndon,

failure to yield, \$126.

Limited Action

Dillon's vs. Timothy Hatfield, \$47 plus costs and interest, etc.

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Glen and Theresa Fisher, Randall and Carol Fisher, Brian Fisher, Donna Reist, Fern Shafer, and Lynette and James Seymour, to Eugene and Tonya Tally, as joint tenants, the SW 1/4 and the W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 21, T2S, R28W.

Jay Dee Anderson to the Anderson Family Trust, 1/2 interest in the

SE 1/4 of Sec. 33, T4S, R29W.

Sheryl and Richard Patterson to Anthony and Tielia High, as joint tenants, Lots 1 and 2, Block 17, Original City of Norcatour.

Ken and Janet Badsky to Tully and Theresa DuPree, the NE 1/4 of Sec. 35, T2S, R30W, less tract 100' x 500'.

Bruce Guinn to G & G Properties and Investments LLC, an irregular tract in the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 6, T3S, R28W.

Maurine N. Ehrlich

Maurine N. Ehrlich, 96, a native of Jennings, died April 14, 2007, in Colorado Springs.

She was born in 1910 at Jennings, the daughter of Frank and Anna Teresa (Havlina) Shimmick. She attended Jennings schools and graduated from Fort Hays State University. She was a retired school teacher and her primary goal was to teach children a love of music in school and church.

She married Bernard Ehrlich on Aug. 25, 1940, at the home of her

parents in Jennings. They lived most of their life in Colorado Springs, where they moved in 1959. She was a member of the Highland Park Baptist Church.

Survivors include a great-nephew, Brian and Nicole Shimmick, and family, Centennial, Colo.; a niece, Kay and Kenn Hampton, Colorado Springs; a foster son, Leroy and Dorothy Salazar, Ignacio, Colo., and a nephew, Glen Wilner.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; a brother,

Arthur Shimmick; a sister, Lillian Shimmick; a nephew, Frank Shimmick; and a great-niece, Sharyl Shimmick.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at the church in Colorado Springs. A service was held Saturday morning at the Jennings United Methodist Church with Pastor Carrie Buhler officiating. Burial was at Big Timber Cemetery, rural Jennings.

Pauls Funeral Home, Oberlin-Selden, was in charge of local arrangements.

Town Crier

Today: Knowledge Master Open computer bowl, all day, high school. Oberlin school district employee recognition dinner, 7 p.m., high school cafeteria.

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

Thursday: Junior and senior high school, spring sports pictures. Junior high track, 3 p.m., at Colby.

Oberlin American Legion meeting, 7:30 p.m., election of officers, possible Avenue of Flags changes, at Legion Hall.

Friday: Sixth-grade orientation, 1:45 p.m., high school. Kayette Recognition Banquet, 7 p.m., high school cafeteria.

Saturday: High school golf, 9 a.m., at Atwood.

State music, all day, Southeast of Saline Jr./Sr. High School, Gyppsum.

Sunday: Tour to Traer and Herndon, meet at 2 p.m., Gateway parking lot, sponsored by Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission.

Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m.

Fifth Sunday Sing-along, 7 p.m., United Methodist Church. Public welcome.

Monday: High school golf, 9 a.m., Thomas More Prep, Hays.

Tuesday: Jody Tubbs, Veterans Affairs, 9:30 a.m., courthouse. Oberlin Rotary Club, noon, Gateway.

Oberlin Invitational track meet, 3 p.m.

Next Wednesday: TACT senior farewell picnic, 5:30 p.m., City Park.

Girls physicals, 7 p.m., Oberlin Clinic.

SENIOR MENUS

Oberlin meal site, in the Golden Age Center:

Today: barbecued meatballs, mixed vegetables, apricot halves, bread, rice.

Thursday: oven-fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, bread, pear slices.

Friday: chili with beans, citrus slices, crackers, cinnamon roll.

Monday: hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, bread, fruit.

Tuesday: salmon patty with sauce, peas, jello with bananas, bread, brownie.

Next Wednesday: swiss steak, savory carrots, cottage cheese salad, rice, peaches.

County gets report on fair

The Decatur County commissioners heard a little about a recent Fair Board meeting last Tuesday and asked the board to post the dates of the 2008 fair.

This year, said Commissioner Stan McEvoy, who goes to board meetings on behalf of the commission, the fair is scheduled for Tuesday through Saturday, Aug. 7 to 11.

Mr. McEvoy said the old pork burger stand is out, with a new one to go up before summer. The board wants to look at bids for exhaust fans in the new stand, he said.

Kevin Brown, with Sappa Valley Construction, said the dirt work for the new livestock building has been started. The board asked Mr. Brown for an estimate on what it will take to finish the building with electrical service and fencing.

Mr. McEvoy said they also looked at a proposal from KFNF Radio for advertising for the fair for \$3,500, but the board decided they didn't want to do that much with just one station.

He said the board voted to have all of the officers' names on board's financial accounts. They agreed to have two signatures on each check. The checkbook, said Mr. McEvoy, was given to the treasurer, as it had been kept in the extension office. There hasn't been any problems with the extension office and the check book, he said, but it needs to be handled by the treasurer.

In other business, the commissioners:

- Heard that the fair board will invite a group that raised money for the livestock building to the next meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 9 at the fairground.

- Heard there is a new hog virus out so they won't be weighing the animals in at the same time this year. Instead, the tags will be sent home and people will have to do it themselves.
- Heard that the old garage door

- at the ambulance barn went to Noxious Weed Director Gaylen Huntley, who will use it for parts.
- Heard that Ambulance Director Linda Manning is doing some spring cleaning at the barn.

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The High Plains ArtFest Committee

Board approves teacher contracts

The Oberlin School Board approved contracts for teachers at both the grade and high school during its regular meeting this month.

Before approving the contracts Monday, April 9, the board held closed sessions for 15, 5, 10 and 5 minutes to discuss nonelected personnel.

The board approved tenured contracts at the high school for Dick Ahlberg, Leigh Davis, Caleb Howland, Randy Olson, Brenda Breth, Candy DeJmal, Nita Lavielle, Wendy Scott, Tim Breth, Pat Dorshorst, Marlene Moxter, Tina Williams, Mark Bricker, Joe Dreher, Susan Nelson and Trevor Williams for full-time spots.

with Wray, which did the first part of the three-year project.

In other business, the board:

- Approved the resignation of Maria Campo, who has taught Spanish at the high school for two years, and wants to teach at a bigger district for a year before she returns home to Spain.
- Approved the use of a bus for the high school music department trip to Denver on May 25 to see the musical "Wicked" at the Beull Theater.
- Heard the new sound system in the high school gym should be in by graduation. Mr. Glodt said he thought people would be impressed by the quality.
- Agreed that board members

Barb Olson and Delayne May will hand out diplomas at graduation, with Mr. Glodt handing out his son's.

- Appointed Mrs. May as the board negotiator for teacher contracts. Monte Moore already has been appointed to the team.
- Agreed to hire Track Renovations and Coatings Inc. of Uniontown for \$42,785 to recover and repaint the high school track. Activities Director Randy Olson asked if they had talked to the company about moving the long pits outside the field. Mr. Glodt said he didn't get bids for that, but they can look at it when the firm gets here.

Corrections

A sports story in the April 18 edition of *The Oberlin Herald* said that Decatur Community High junior Rory Wendelin had lettered in two sports. Wendelin has not lettered. The mistake was an editing error.

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tion any failure to live up to this standard.

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.

Markets

April 23, 2007 closing markets

Wheat, \$4.74 bushel
Milo, \$5.50 hnd weight
Corn, \$3.36 bushel
Soybeans, \$6.22 bushel
Sunflowers, \$15.30 hnd weight

Sunflower Cinema

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7 p.m.

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Sun., Apr. 29
2 p.m.

Ticket Price: \$3⁰⁰

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Decatur County Weather ---- April 24th - 28th

Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
55/38	60/40	65/42	70/44	75/46
Normal High: 68 Normal Low: 40			Sunrise: 6:46 to 6:52am Sunset: 8:30 to 8:34pm	

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

Date	Hi	Low	Precip.
April 16	74	44	
April 17	60	45	
April 18	69	35	
April 19	68	46	
April 20	75	55	
April 21	74	55	0.50
April 22	65	50	0.86

Precipitation: for the week, 1.36; for the month, 1.76; for the year, 4.75.

For 24-hour weather radio broadcast, tune scanner to 162.475 mhz.

By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer

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Please join us for a retirement ceremony in honor of **Melvin Waterman** on Friday, April 27, 2-4 p.m.

Melvin has been in Decatur Co-op Crop Production for 31 years.

Refreshments will be served

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