

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

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
Aug. 14: John J. Cranston, Colby, speeding 45 in a 30 mph zone, \$135.
Divorces
Aug. 16: Travis Lynn Durham and Brianna Jo Durham, Menlo.
Aug. 19: Tielia High, Oberlin, and Anthony High, Norcatur.
Limited Actions

Reeves Seedhouse vs. David Gould, \$64, plus costs and interests.
Small Claims
Addleman Drug Store vs. Jeff Rowilson, \$97 plus costs and interests.
Larry Fought vs. Ora Elton Gillespie, \$779 plus costs and interests.
REGISTER OF DEEDS
Larry Vavroch, Gregory and Lynn Vavroch to Donald E. Meints Decedents Trust, Lot 1, Blk. 1, Wenger Addition to the City of Oberlin.
Sharon L. Black and Clyde

Jay Hecox, and Kevin and Tami K. Black, to Sharon K. Brown, NE/4NW/4, Sec. 2, T3S, R29W.
City Hall MUNICIPAL COURT
Thursday, Aug. 28: Adam Steinmetz, Oberlin, speeding 45 in a 30 mph zone, \$125; Gene Soderlund, Oberlin, unlawful operation of all-terrain vehicle, \$125; Tara Votapka, Oberlin, inattentive driving, \$130; Stelian Andreca, Oberlin, disobeyed traffic signal, \$125; Timmarie Sporn, Oberlin, improper backing, \$125.

Town Crier

Today: Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., ambulance barn.
Thursday: Deb Lundeen of Kearney Orthopedics will speak about equipment, processing and joint replacement, 11 a.m., senior meal site. Public welcome.
High school cross country, 4:30 p.m., at Norton.
Junior high volleyball, 4:30 p.m., here, with St. Francis.
Junior high football, 5:30 p.m., here, with St. Francis.
Diabetic Support Group, 7 p.m., lobby of the Specialty Clinic, Decatur County Hospital.
Friday: Theater tailgate supper, 6:30-7 p.m., City Park behind football stadium.
High school football, 7 p.m., here with Osborne; elementary cheerleaders to perform at half.
Saturday: Sunflower Cinema benefit matching fund potato bar, 5 to 7 p.m., Golden Age Center, sponsored by Oberlin Royal Neighbors.
Sunday: Annual employee picnic for Decatur Health Systems, Emergency Medical Services and Oberlin Clinic employees, 4:30 p.m., Sappa Park.

Monday: Early childhood screening program, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Oberlin United Methodist Church. Call school office, 475-2122, for details.
Junior varsity football, 5:30 p.m., here with Oakley.
Oberlin Elementary School Reading Night, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Oberlin School Board meeting, 7:30 p.m., district office.
Tuesday: High school volleyball, 4 p.m., here, with Colby/St. Francis; elementary cheerleaders perform during match.
Tuesday, Sept. 16: Economic Development Corporation-sponsored wind power presentation, 7 p.m., Gateway. Public invited.
A representative of the Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group will be at the county Health Department once a month for free well evaluations, including testing water for bacteria and nitrates. For details, call 475-8118.
The Decatur County Food Pantry is open from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday at the United Church, 109 N. Griffith. Gifts of cash, nonperishable food and household items are always

needed.
Monday-Friday: At 1 p.m. at Golden Age Center, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinochle; Tuesday, pitch; third Thursday of the month, senior bridge, open. Quilting, puzzles, games daily.
SENIOR MENU
Senior lunch at the Golden Age Center, 220 N. Penn Ave., weekdays at 11:30 a.m.
Today: hamburger steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, bread, cherry cobbler.
Thursday: chicken and noodles, tomatoes and cucumbers, peas, bread, pineapple.
Friday: cheeseburger upside down pizza, spinach salad, peaches, cook's choice complement.
Monday: baked spaghetti, tossed salad, seasoned carrots, bread sticks, mixed fruit.
Tuesday: meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, cook's choice vegetables, bread, mandarin oranges.
Next Wednesday: barbecued pork sandwich, Italian blend vegetables, coleslaw, bun, applesauce

Members discuss hotel, motel

Members of the Oberlin Convention and Visitors Bureau talked about ideas to get another motel or hotel in town at a meeting at the LandMark Inn.
Connie Grafel, marketing director for the Oberlin-Decatur County Economic Development Corp., said at the meeting Aug. 18 that she has talked with her Super 8 motel contacts. It would take a financial commitment to get a franchise hotel, she said.
Gary Anderson, owner of the LandMark Inn, said at a recent Decatur Tomorrow meeting, the members brainstormed some ideas. One was to attach a hotel to The Gateway. It would be great for the hotel developer and for The Gateway, he said.
A possible downside to that, said Mayor Joe Stanley, is fairness. How can the city allow one hotel to attach to The Gateway, but then not another one? Any deal would have to be put up to bids, he said.

Maybe the city could retain some of the ownership in the hotel, Mr. Anderson suggested.
Another idea would be a breeze-way, said Carolyn Burtis, owner of Metcalf Real Estate.
Kem Bryan, board chair of the Chamber of Commerce, asked if the bureau members would be OK with having someone other than the Chamber secretary do the books for the bureau. The bureau members approved asking for bids for the job. Mrs. Bryan said the chamber secretary spent 30 to 40 percent of her time doing books for the Chamber, the bureau and the Oberlin Business Alliance.
Both the alliance and bureau pay the Chamber quarterly for the help.
The bureau members agreed to get bids and still pay the Chamber the same amount for now.
The members also talked about a commercial they had done for KAKE television. Some of the

members can get the commercial open on a DVD, but others cannot. The commercial is already being aired.

Public Notices

End water restrictions
PUBLIC NOTICE
(Published in The Oberlin Herald, Wednesday, September 3, 2008)11
RESOLUTION #638
A resolution declaring an end to the water

supply emergency.
WHEREAS water usage has declined significantly in recent days,
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Oberlin, Kansas that the water supply emergency previously declared is hereby cancelled.
ADOPTED by the City Council and approved by the Mayor this 28th day of August, 2008.
Joe Stanley, Mayor
Attest: Karen Larson, City Clerk

Markets

Sept. 2 closing markets
Wheat, \$6.94 bushel
Corn, \$5.23 bushel
Milo, \$8.20 hundredweight
Soybeans, \$11.64 bushel
Sunflowers, not available

Sunflower Cinema



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Saturday, Sept. 6 • 7 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 7 • 2 p.m.

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WEATHER

Forecast
Today: Sunny, with a high near 74. North wind 5 to 15 mph becoming east. **Tonight:** partly cloudy, with a low around 46. East wind between 5 and 10 mph becoming calm.
Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 77. East wind between 5 and 10 mph. **Night:** A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. mostly cloudy, with a low around 51. east wind between 5 and 10 mph.
Friday: A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 67. **Night:** A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1 a.m. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 52.
Saturday: Partly sunny, with a high near 76. **Night:** Mostly cloudy with a low around 52.
Sunday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy with a high near 77. **Night:** a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 55.
Monday: Partly cloudy, with a high near 74. **Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 50.
Tuesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 76.
From the National Weather Service on-line forecast. Decision Weather forecast not available.

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

	Hi	Low	Precip.
August 25	84	62	0
August 26	84	62	T
August 27	87	62	0
August 28	85	59	0
August 29	84	46	0
August 30	86	46	0
August 31	91	61	0

Precipitation totals for the week, Trace; for the month, 2.51; for the year 15.19
For 24-hour weather radio broadcast, tune scanner to 162.4 mhz.
By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer.

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Obituaries

Bernard C. Larue
Bernard Charles Larue, 75, a semi-retired area farmer and trucker, died Tuesday, Sept. 2, 2008, at Hays Medical Center in Hays.
He was born Nov. 4, 1932, in Decatur County, the son of Charles and Leta (Moore) Larue.
He was reared on the family farm southwest of Oberlin in Decatur County. He attended Shaw Country School and Selden Grade School before his family moved to Oberlin in 1946. He attended Oberlin Elementary School and Decatur Community High School, graduating with the Class of 1951. He served in the United States Army with the 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 69th Armored Division.
He married Joan Marie Larson on Aug. 5, 1954, in Oberlin, where they lived all of their married life. He farmed and worked as a truck driver most of his adult life, a vocation he passed on to his son.
Survivors include his wife, Joan Larue, Oberlin; two children, Charlene and Edward Weber, Ellis, and Bruce and Marianne Larue, Oberlin; and four grandchildren.
He was preceded in death by his parents and a granddaughter, Erin Leigh Weber.
Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin. Pastor Bernt Larson will officiate and inurnment will follow at the Selden Cemetery.

Memorial was established in his name. Contributions may be sent to the funeral home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.
Ann Martin
Ann Martin, 91, a longtime resident of Herndon, died Thursday, Aug. 28, 2008, at the Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin.
She was born Aug. 7, 1917, in Beardsley, the daughter of Adam and Hester (Rooney) Haller. She was reared on a farm near Beardsley and attended a country school nearby.
She married August Martin on April 20, 1937, at St. John's Catholic Church in Beardsley. They made their home on a farm five miles north of Herndon. They retired from the farm in 1978 and moved to Herndon. Her husband preceded her in death on June 24, 1992. She continued to live in Herndon until moving to the Cedar Living Center a week before her death.
She was a member of St. Mary's Assumption Catholic Church and St. Mary's Altar Society in Herndon.; Rawlins County Extension Board, Herndon Senior Citizens, Herndon Library Board, Richland Club and Silver Haired Legislature. She served on the Precinct Republican Committee and St. Mary's Church funeral dinner committee and volunteered at the Good Samaritan Center in Atwood and

Cedar Living Center in Oberlin.
Survivors include her children, Robert and Liane Martin, Herndon; Richard and Bette Martin, Lebanon, Neb.; John and Fontella Martin, El Paso, Texas; Henry and Lorri Martin, Herndon; Julia and John Geisinger, Selden; Cecilia and Ron Lehman, Tribune; Lucille and Don "Butch" Evans, McCook; and Irma and Terry Schreiber, Scottsdale, Ariz.; four brothers, Jake and Junita Haller, Richland, Mo.; Charles and Patricia Haller, Fort Lupton, Colo.; Joe Haller, Cedar City, Utah; Pat and Elsie Haller, Hemmingford, Neb.; a sister, Monica Adams, Landers, Calif.; two sisters-in-law: Dorothy Haller, Cedar City, Utah; Phyllis Haller, Alliance, Neb.; 24 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.
She was also preceded in death by her parents; six brothers, Paul, Andrew, John, Nick, Hubert and Louis Haller; three sisters, Marie Eby, Theresa Able and Ruth Prettyman; and three grandchildren, James Allen Martin, James August Martin and Jessica Jo Evans.
Mass of the Resurrection was held Monday morning at the church in Herndon. The Rev. Daniel Scheetz officiated and burial was at the church cemetery.
A memorial was established in her name. Contributions may be sent to Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749.

Correction

A story about the first meeting of Teens for Christ in the Wednesday, Aug. 27, edition of *The Oberlin Herald* was just plain wrong. The only correct information was the time, date and place of the meeting. This was due to old information

being sent to the newspaper. A corrected item appears in this week's paper.
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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.

School Menus

Sept. 8 - 12 OBERLIN SCHOOLS
Monday: Breakfast: pancake sausage on a stick. Lunch: meat balls, baked beans. **Tuesday:** Breakfast: french toast. Lunch: chicken strips,

au gratins. **Wednesday:** Breakfast: biscuits and gravy. Lunch: pizza, green beans. **Thursday:** Breakfast: pancake, ham patty. Lunch: chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes. **Friday:** Breakfast: breakfast combo.

Lunch: turkey and cheese sandwich, chips.
Fruit served with all breakfasts; choice bar served with all lunches. Milk served with all meals.

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