

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

#### Divorces

Sept. 10: Douglas R. Dempewolf, Norcat, and Lucretia R. Dempewolf, Oberlin.

Sept. 21: Kellie Lorraine Cooper, Oberlin, and Ronnie Gene Cooper, Selden.

#### Limited Actions

Credit Management Service Inc. vs. Tamma and John Ritter, \$245; plus costs and interest.

Decatur County Board of Commissioners vs. Jerry Bishop and Erin Bishop, \$825; plus costs and interest.

interest. Credit Management Service Inc. vs. Malinda Van Pelt, \$669; plus costs and interest.

Butler Vet Clinic vs. Jerry R. Wescott, \$167; plus costs and interest.

Kansas Gas Service vs. Amanda Kreutzer, \$365; plus costs and interest.

Credit Management Service Inc. vs. Jeremy Stoney, \$408; plus costs and interest.

Decatur Health Systems vs. Kevin L. Cooper, \$405; plus costs and interest.

Decatur Health Systems vs. Cory A. Marine, \$685; plus costs and interest.

Decatur Health Systems vs. Nichole B. Thebert, \$8,967; plus costs and interest.

and interest. Decatur Health Systems vs. Lauren M. Willis, \$1,362; plus costs and interest.

Decatur Health Systems vs. Jennifer Zillinger, \$2,590; plus costs and interest.

### REGISTER OF DEEDS

Wilber R. and Barbara J. Stites quit claim to Wilber R. and Barbara J. Stites, as joint tenants, E/2 of Sec. 31, T2S, R26W; and W/2NW/4 of Sec. 6, T3S, R26W.

Jerry and Sharon K. Wolfram, quit claim to John H. Barrett and Carol I. Barrett, as joint tenants, Lots 1, 2, 3 and the N. 35' of Lot 4, all in Block 6, Original Town of Traer.

Judith Ann and Gary Vaughn to Slab City Farm, LLC., N/2SE/4, NW/4NE/4, and S/2NE/4, all in Sec. 19, T4S, R26W; and SE/4SW/4, SW/4NW/4, and N/2SW/4, all in Sec. 20, T4S, R26W.

and interest. Decatur Health Systems vs. Jennifer Zillinger, \$2,590; plus costs and interest.

### City Hall MUNICIPAL COURT

Thursday, Sept. 24: Shannon Schurr, Oberlin, dog at large, no city tags, \$115; Elton Jodoio, Plattsburgh, N.Y., speeding 50 in a 30 mph zone, \$155; Isaiah Smith, Parker, Colo., speeding 45 in a 30, \$125; Lawrence Marshall, Oberlin, dog at large, no city tags, \$115; Sidney Lampman, Oberlin, obstructing legal process or official duty, \$315; Anthony Heflin, Oberlin, illegal tags, \$165.

## Town Crier

**Today:** College planning day, high school.

Farmers Market, 8 a.m., in front of Chamber office.

Decatur Tomorrow airport informational conversation, 7 p.m., high school cafeteria.

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

**Thursday:** Junior high volleyball, 4:30 p.m., here, with Rawlins County.

Junior high football, 5:30 p.m., here, with Rawlins County.

**Friday:** Celebrate Recovery, supper, 6:30 p.m., followed by meeting and fellowship, Oberlin Community Fellowship Church.

High school football, 7 p.m., here, with WaKeeney-Trego Community.

**Saturday:** Mini-Sapa pancake and ham breakfast, 7 a.m., Bohemian Hall, with DCHS Singers, 8 a.m.

Museum bake sale, 8:30 a.m., Land Office.

Free tours of museum, all day.

Oberlin Invitational volleyball tournament, 9 a.m.

Kids fourth-grade football game, 10:30 a.m., Smick Field, with Ness City.

Kids fifth- and sixth-grade football game, noon, Smick Field, noon, with Ness City.

Lunch, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Bohemian Hall. Soda floats by Decatur County Helping Hands.

Taco salad supper, 5 to 7 p.m., Bohemian Hall, Royal Neighbors matching funds project with proceeds for upkeep of museum and grounds. Entertainment by John Juenemann and Myrna Jones.

Drawing for raffle items, 6:30 p.m. during taco salad supper.

Benefit potluck supper, 6:30 p.m., Lyle Community Building.

**Sunday:** Teens for Christ, 6-8 p.m.

**Monday:** Junior varsity football, 5:30 p.m., at WaKeeney-Trego Community.

Oberlin Elementary reading night, 5:30 p.m.

**Tuesday:** Jody Tubbs, state Veterans Commission, 9:30 a.m., courthouse.

High school volleyball, 4:30 p.m., at Rawlins County with Goodland/Brewster.

**Sunday, Oct. 11:** Little Red Riding Hood, 2 p.m., The Gateway.

Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission.

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. Donations of cash, nonperishable food

and household items are always needed.

**Monday-Friday:** At 1 p.m. at the 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, 217 N. Penn, weekdays at 11:30 a.m.

**Today:** chef salad, pineapple,

bread sticks, fruit cobbler.

**Thursday:** turkey-and-rice soup, broccoli salad, crackers, bread pudding with peaches.

**Friday:** sausage gravy, mashed potatoes, cook's choice vegetable, biscuit, pears.

**Monday:** baked spaghetti, corn, tossed salad, garlic bread, mandarin oranges.

**Tuesday:** roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, seasoned carrots, bread, cinnamon apples.

probably wouldn't do anything.

Sharleen Wurm, museum director, said this year's annual Mini Sapa Celebration will be held on Saturday, Oct. 3 at the museum, starting with a pancake feed.

The museum will stay open all day for people to tour.

A new awning is being built at the museum, she said.

Members discussed spending \$50 to put the "8 Wonders of Decatur County" on a Hays website, but didn't make a decision.

## Final bills paid for senior center

The Decatur County commissioners paid some final bills for the new Golden Age Center.

At the meeting Sept. 15, Greg Lohofener, with the Oberlin-Decatur County Economic Development Corp., said that part of the new community center building was about 99 percent done. There were just a few little things that needed to be finished, he said.

He had a bill for D&T Electric of McCook for \$6,943, one from Creative Dimensions for cabinets for \$6,717 and one from Sappa Valley Construction for \$22,762. The last bill, he said, is not all for work for the Golden Age Center. The commissioners approved paying for the center's share of the bill

at \$8,152.

Commissioner Stan McEvoy said the county also had received a bill for the sidewalks. That money, said Mr. Lohofener, is supposed to come from the city.

Commissioner Ralph Unger said the county did get some information about liability insurance for the senior center at just under \$700, but haven't had a bill yet.

The development group, said Mr. Lohofener, is still working on raising money to finish the other parts of the project, including the movie theater, recreation area and bowling alley. The first half of the theater seats have been paid for, he said.

Anyone wanting to give money for the project can come see him or

Marketing Director Connie Grafel, he said.

## TWO DAY HARDWARE TROUBLESHOOTING

Flexible class schedule determined after sign-up  
A \$20 fee and sign-up starts  
Sept. 28 – Oct. 6, call 475-2539

Mike Beaudette, Microsoft Certified Instructor  
Persons interested in taking an advanced A+ class through certification should also contact  
Mike Beaudette

- Anti-virus protection
- Basic hardware recognition
- Basic software maintenance
- Deciding on personal computer needs
- Hardware/software protection
- How to identify a scam
- Power capabilities and problems
- Spyware protection
- Understanding how virus works

# Obituary

## Gertrude Stinemetze

Gertrude Suzanna Stinemetze, 96, a 1932 graduate of Decatur Community High School, died Friday, Sept. 25, 2009, at McPherson.

She was born March 18, 1913, in Herndon, the daughter of Paul and Elizabeth (Steiner) Resch. She attended a Herndon area grade school until the sixth grade, then completed grade school at an Oberlin area school and Decatur Community High School. She received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Education at Fort Hays State University in 1942.

She married Clarence H. Stinemetze on Jan. 31, 1942, at Hays. He preceded her in death on Jan. 1, 1983.

She taught at grade schools in the Oberlin area, Syracuse and Ulysses for over 30 years before retiring. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church at McPherson, where she served as superintendent of the children's department of Sunday School; was secretary for Sunday School for 17 years and was a member of United Methodist Women and Gladys Gish Circle, all of the Ulysses United Methodist Church.

She was also a member of the

Civic and Study Club, Delta Kappa Gamma, Beta Phi Chapter, Hospital Auxiliary and Senior Center, all of Ulysses; Grant County Teachers Association, Kansas and National Education Association and a former member of the Kansas Retired Teachers Association and was a member of the Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and the Save N Share Shop, both of McPherson.

Survivors include three sons, Michael and Dorothy Stinemetze, San Antonio, Texas; Thomas and Sharon Stinemetze, McPherson; and Karl and Cindy Stinemetze, Dodge City; a sister, Wilma and Joe Luke, St. George, Utah; nine grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and five step-great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Carl and Elmer Resch; and three sisters, Laura Willett, Grace Jones and Frieda Resch.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at Glidden-Ediger Chapel in McPherson. Dr. Harold Nelson officiated and burial was at the Iuka Cemetery.

A memorial was established to donor's choice. Contributions may be sent to the funeral home, 222 W. Euclid Street, McPherson, Kan., 67460.

## Correction

A story in the Sept. 23 issue of *The Oberlin Herald* reported incorrectly that a van taking people to the Suzy Bogguss and Jim Salstrom concert at the Colby Community College Cultural Arts Center on Saturday would leave from in front of the museum. Because of the Mini-Sapa activities at the museum that day, said Mary Henzel, the van will leave from the south side of the courthouse at 6 p.m. The error was due to incorrect information given to the newspaper.

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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 Menu

### October 5 - 9 OBERLIN SCHOOLS

**Monday:** Breakfast: Apple or cherry turnover. Lunch: Biscuits and gravy, tri-tators. **Tuesday:** Breakfast: Breakfast bites. Lunch: Sloppy joes, scalloped potatoes. **Wednesday:** Breakfast: Cinnamon bun stick. Lunch: baked chicken legs, mashed potatoes, dinner roll. **Thursday:** Breakfast: Pancakes, ham pattie. Lunch: Hot dog, baked beans. **Friday:** Breakfast: bagel pizza. Lunch: Lasagna, green beans. Fruit served with all breakfasts; choice bar served with all lunches. Milk served with all meals.



## Markets

**September 28 closing markets**  
Wheat, \$3.63 bushel  
Corn, \$2.89 bushel  
Milo, \$4.45 hundredweight  
Soybeans, \$8.14 bushel  
Sunflowers, \$10.75 hundred-weight

## Weather

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

	Hi	Low	Precip.
Sept. 21	87	53	0.11
Sept. 22	66	46	0.53
Sept. 23	53	46	0.79
Sept. 24	54	45	0.42
Sept. 25	61	44	0.11
Sept. 26	67	42	0.00
Sept. 27	79	41	0.00

Precipitation totals for the week, 1.96; for the month, 2.15; for the year 22.80; one year ago, September 2008, 18.42

For 24-hour weather radio broadcast, tune scanner to 162.4 mhz.

By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer.

From the National Weather Service

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