

THE OBERLIN HERALD —

# People in Our Community

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Marie Zimmerman of Oberlin is in a nursing home in Wheat Ridge, Colo. Mail will reach her at Mountain Vista Assisted Living Center, 11800 W. 49th Ave., Wheat Ridge, Colo., 80033.

Ann (Dowling) Williams has moved to Oberlin from Gold Canyon, Ariz., to make her home. She purchased the former home of LaVern and Carolyn Burtis at 301 W. Adams. The Burtises have moved to a farm they bought in Iowa. Mrs. Williams is a 1961 graduate of Decatur Community High.

Nancy Brandt of Colorado Springs visited her daughter and family, Kim and Tim Davis, and her foster grandchildren from Monday to Thursday.

Elsie Winder and her son, Bruce Winder, returned home Monday from Kearney, Neb., where they had been with their husband and father, Earl Winder, who had neck surgery last week. He is recuperating, but will be in the hospital for another week or more. Mail will reach him at Box 1990, 110 E. 31st St., Kearney, Neb., 68848.

The Prairie Chapel benefit pancake supper had to be rescheduled due to the snowstorm and will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Sunday.

Steve and Cynthia Haynes attended the Colorado Press Association meeting at the Brown Palace Hotel in Denver on Friday and Saturday. He is a past president of the association.

Lelia Ann Benton has been transferred to the Decatur County Hospital, where she is recuperating from recent surgery at Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. Her husband Jack, who also had surgery there, has returned home.

Winning highs in pinochle at the Golden Age Center last week were Jack O'Toole, Dewaine Stapp, Ardis Roe, Kelva Dryden, Ivis Hanson and Henry Edgett. Lows went to Veanna Carman, Henry Edgett, Dorothy Moore, Jack O'Toole, Neil Marshall, Kelva Dryden and Doris Gilbert. Pitch highs went to Dewaine Stapp and Max Carman, with lows going to Henry Edgett and Veanna Carman. Bridge winners were Merle Shirley and Beth Sebaugh.

Griff and Cindy Lincoln visited recently in Brownsville, Texas, with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Harrier. Others from the area who traveled with the Lincolns were Ron and Patti Uehlin, Evan and Judy Goltl and Bill and Sam Gotchall. They also visited Ted and Kay Moon, who are spending the fall and winter at Fredricksburg, Texas.

Sid and Cheryl Metcalf attended a Kansas Music Educator Association program in Wichita on Friday. Their grandson, Bryson Metcalf, son of Shad and Jody Metcalf of Colby, was a participant.

Gail and Kay Marcuson spent from Tuesday to Friday in Denver, where he had a stent placed in his heart at St. Joseph's Hospital. They were house guests of Mark and Julie Hubbard in Lakewood.

Doris Fringer accompanied Dick and Linda Weber to Imperial, Neb., on Friday, where they were overnight and Saturday guests of the women's sister, Janice Kurth.

David Miller of Wildorado, Texas, is recuperating at home after being hospitalized several days after suffering a heart attack on Feb. 20. He is a 1981 graduate of Decatur Community High School and the son of Leon and Connie Miller and Jeanette Miller of Oberlin.

## Rotary Radio Day set

Oberlin Rotary Club members will man the microphones from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday at KFNF radio as a fund raiser for several of their projects.

Rotary Radio Day began in 1999 when Past District Governor Odetta Marietta of Russell told members about the possibilities of a fund raiser with the local radio station. The station donates the air time, and area businesses and citizens buy ads which Rotary members read over the air.

Rotarians become disc jockeys for an hour and spin their favorite music, read ads, give the local news and weather reports, along with sports scores.

## Club adds two members

Vince Carswell of the Great Northwest Insurance Agency and Martin Burtin of First National Bank were welcomed as new members of the Oberlin Rotary Club when the club met for lunch Feb. 23 at The Gateway.

Program chair Doyle Brown introduced Jim Hollowell, who talked about Rotary Radio Day, a fund raiser which will be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday on KFNF radio. Money raised goes to help pay

Money received helps the club with local, national and international causes, including two \$750 scholarships each year to two Decatur Community High School seniors, helps with contributions to the Decatur County Food Band, and helped build and maintain the safe play area at the baseball park.

The club recently gave \$2,000 to Nanette Zander for "Hope for Haiti" to help buy a generator and computers and help build a safe-drinking water project at an orphanage and school run by her mission. Members also sponsor the annual After Prom party for Decatur Community High students each year.

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Rotarian Dr. Doug Fair, who has retired, submitted his resignation as a member since he and his wife Sandy plan to travel and spend time with their family.

Guests were Chris Nelson, Daniel Dempewolf, Nanette Zander and Tammy Fredrickson.

## Lions name a vice governor

Sheryl Brenn, secretary of the Colby High Plains Lions Club, was elected as second vice district governor-elect for the Lions District of Western Kansas at the annual district convention at Fort Hays State University on Feb. 20.

She will assume her duties in July.

Pastor Charlotte Strecker-Baseler, president of the Oberlin Lions Club, attended the convention.

Mrs. Brenn holds Bachelor of

Science and master's degrees in Home and Family Economics from Kansas State University and taught schools five years. She and her husband Lawrence have three grown children and four grandchildren.

Lions Clubs says it is the largest community service organization in the world, with 1.4 million members in 45,342 clubs in 205 countries. This district has 1,685 Lions in 71 clubs.

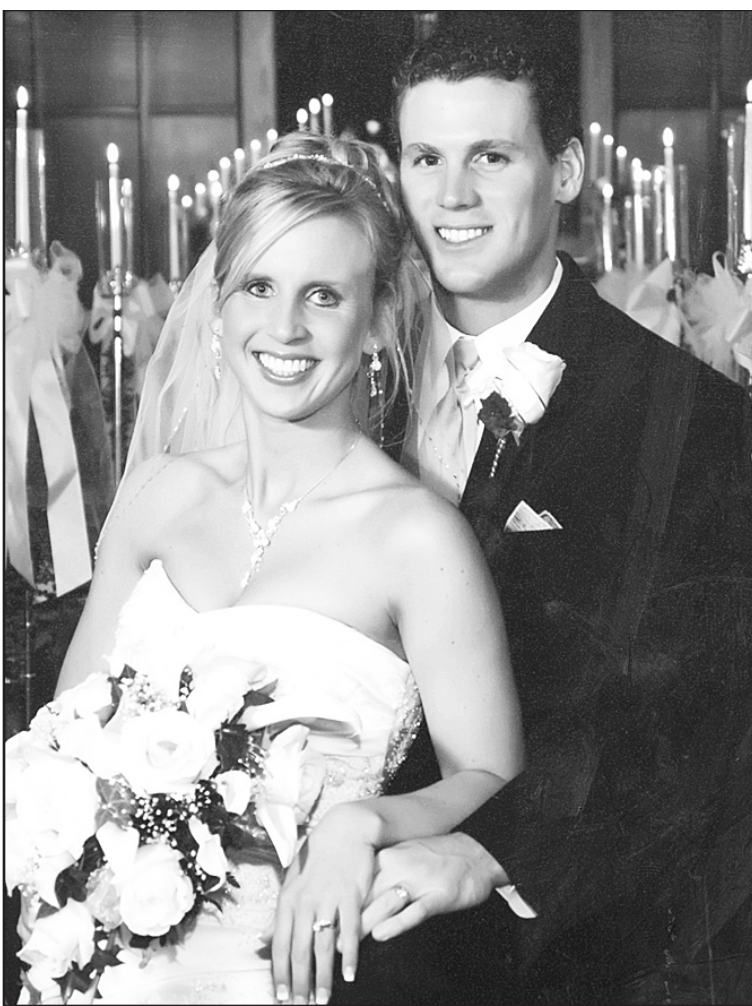
All proceeds will go to the Forget-Me-Nots for community projects. The program is directed by Dennis Brown, who uses the money to help the elderly in nursing homes or their own homes, by preparing meals and other activities.

Donations will be accepted.

## Benefit set for next Thursday

The Oberlin Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will hold its 11th annual homemade chicken-and-noodle benefit dinner for the Forget-Me-Nots program from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 11, at the Masonic Temple dining room.

An elevator is available to the second floor.



Ashley and Mark Perry

## Couple exchange vows in church at Goodland

Ashley Jo Hallagin and Mark Patrick Perry were married Saturday, Oct. 10, 2009, at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Goodland. Pastor Glenn Isernhagen officiated.

The couple's parents are Jean and Rollie Hallagin of Goodland and Sandy and Don Perry of Kingwood, Texas. The bride's grandparents are Blanche Hallagin of Goodland and Mary Votapka of Oberlin. The bridegroom's are Dorothy and Don Perry of Austerlitz, N.Y.

The bride was escorted by her father.

Matrons of honor were Angie Brumbaugh and Michele Ivans, sisters of the bride. Bridesmaids were Cody Pettibone, Jill Neitzel, Adriel Alstrom and Abbey Martin. Jennifer Joy and Crystal Thompson were the bride's personal attendants.

Best men were Ben McMillan and David Wilson. Groomsmen were Matt Bodin, Alex Medler, Justin Jones and Tyler Klaus. Quinn Collatt, Alex Miller, Josh Mosley and Justin Stein seated guests.

Candlelighters were Erica Brown, BreAnn DeLord and Alisa Jackson. Brennan and Brady Brumbaugh, nephews of the bride, were ring bearers. The flower girl was Brooklan Ivan, niece of the bride.

Soloists were Greg Hallagin and

Micah Halton. The pianist and organist was Linda Koons.

Brenda Ross, Autumn Hunt, Amy Dellea and Lauren Montano handed out programs and took care of the guest book.

A dinner, dance and reception followed at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Hosts were Ann and Rex Rowh, aunt and uncle of the bride, and Phyllis and Don Dawes, godparents of the bride.

The bride graduated from Goodland High School in 2001, from Barton County Community College at Fort Riley in 2003 with an Associate of Science degree, and from the University of Kansas at Lawrence with a doctor of pharmacy degree in 2009. She is a pharmacist for the Kroger Co. in Orange, Texas.

The bridegroom graduated from Kingwood High School in Texas in 2003, from Stephen F. Austin State University of Nacogdoches, Texas, in 2007 with a Bachelor of Science in forestry and from the University of Kansas at Lawrence with a Master of Science in education in 2009. He is the outdoor pursuits coordinator at Lamar University of Beaumont, Texas.

The couple lives in Groves, Texas.

## Bargain Box Plus gives to communities

The Bargain Box Plus thrift shop has donated over \$3,000 during the past year to civic and charity projects in the area.

The store at 106 N. Beaver takes used clothing, kitchen utensils, bedding, books, and other donated items, then resells them. Proceeds go for community needs. The store is co-owned by Marilou Long and Ann Mines.

Groups which have benefited during the past year include the

Salvation Army, \$400; Good Samaritan Beauty Shop, \$500; Food Pantry Samaritan Fund, \$500; the Norcat, Jennings and Oberlin fire departments, \$500 each; Teens for Christ, \$200; and the Decatur County Area Chamber of Commerce Farmers and Ranchers Banquet, \$250, for a total of \$3,300.

Donations may be left in one of the utility sheds south of the store after hours, Mrs. Long said.

## Quartet to perform at Oakley

The popular songs of the late 1950s and '60s will be recreated in a musical review by the quartet "Route 66" at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Oakley High School Auditorium.

A fabled highway, U.S. 66 started in Chicago and ended at the beach city of Santa Monica, Calif. Before the Interstate system, people driving cross-country were routed through small-town business districts and the heart of our cities. In Kansas, 12.8 miles of Route 66 passed through the southeast towns of Galena, Riverton and Baxter Springs.

The audience will experience an on-the-road mood as disc jockeys

promote recordings and pitch products through an oversize car radio on stage, while the four vocalists perform popular songs of the era.

Admission is by Western Plains Arts Association season ticket or at the door, \$15 for adults and \$8 for students.



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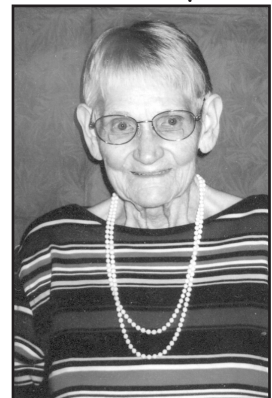
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## Club News

### Officers visit chapter

Chapter BH of PEO welcomed three state officers, Julie Cahoj, Teresa Franz and Gracie Bryant, to the February meeting.

The officers presented the final International Pilot lessons to the chapter. Chapter BH had been chosen earlier as one of 50 chapters to preview 10 pilot programs, and after the presentation and discussion, the consensus was that all chapters should have the opportunity to hear and participate in the

program.

Mrs. Cahoj presented a certificate of appreciation to President Peggy Roe from the international office. The Oberlin chapter has been invited to the state convention in June for recognition of their participation. State officer Teresa Franz presented the president's gavel pin to the outgoing president.

The program for the March meeting will be about the founders.

### Club enjoys pizza dinner

Pi Alpha Club met on Feb. 22 at Pizza Hut for a 6:30 p.m. Dutch treat dinner with Nora Bearley as hostess.

Mrs. Bearley is a charter member of the club, organized in May, 1951, along with Nadine Anderson, Fern Wenger and Eris Young.

Eleven members were present and Ila Ray received the hostess gift. Cards were signed for Margaret Lund and Mrs. Young.

The March 8 meeting will be at Sappa Valley Manor with Joyce Ploussard as hostess and Mert McEvoy as co-hostess.

### Arizona group celebrates 20

The 20th anniversary of the "Decatur County party" was celebrated Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the home of Max and Marlene Miller in Gold Canyon, Ariz.

Lunch was served to 33 former or present residents of Decatur County. Mr. Miller gave the blessing. Music after lunch concluded the celebration.

Attending were Don and Marie Aschwege, George and Clarice Meadows, Perky Barnett, Dennis

and Betty Campbell, Max and Marlene Miller, Rex and Billie Morton, Don and Shirley Carlisle, Doris Jean Oliver, Tom and Sadie Mae Cooper, Donna Roth, Ron and Joanne Cox, Samme Steinmetz, Jeanette Miller, Bob and Amy Jane Dodson, Jerry Thomsen, Wilma Jean Farrell, Duane and Marilyn Waldo, Bob and Sally Henningson, Herb and Jeanne Hoskins and Dwayne and Betty Jones.

## New Arrivals

### Reese B. MacDonald

Reese Byron MacDonald was born at 9:27 a.m. Jan. 8, 2010, in Gillette Wyo. He weighed just over 8 pounds and was 20 inches long.

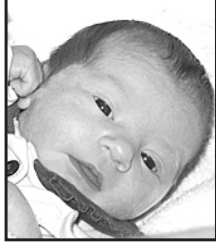
His parents are Tony and Julie MacDonald and he has a big sister Rela, 2. Grandparents are Tom and Patti Skubal, Oberlin, and Dave and Lynette Prowett, Gillette. Great-grandparents are Joseph J. and Eileen Borghi, Cheyenne Wyo. Among great-aunts and uncles are Donna and Karl Hazen, Oberlin, and Lisa and Randy Corbet, Burns, Wyo.



MacDonald

### Aubrie J. Vance

Blaize Vance and Alysha Tadlock of Goodland are the parents of a daughter, Aubrie Jeanne Vance, born at 5:44 p.m. Jan. 20, 2010, at the Cheyenne County Hospital in St. Francis. She weighed 5



A. Vance

pounds, 11 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long. Grandparents are Brian and Teresa Vance, Wray, Colo., and Adrian and Paula Tadlock, Oberlin. Great-grandparents are Shirley Reed, Goodland; Vernon and Shirley Vance, Rexford; and Delores Wheeler, Oberlin.

### Benefit set for March 12

The Smoky Hills Chapter of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans, sponsored by St. John's and Faith Lutheran churches, will hold a benefit pancake-and-sausage fund raiser for Kansas Nebraska Good News (KNGN) radio, 1360 AM, from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, March 12, at the St. John's Fellowship Hall, 510 N. Wilson.

The event will raise money for a tower the station hopes to build to serve northwest Kansas and southwest Nebraska. The station features Christian programming, bringing Good News to all. It has offices just west of McCook. The manager is Adam Spanier of Oberlin, a graduate of Decatur Community High School.

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