

# 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

Nov. 30, Karen E. Adelman, Selden, speeding 81 mph, \$179.  
Sept. 9, Michael T. Farley, Tolono, Ill., speeding 85 mph, \$203.  
**Marriage Licenses**  
Bryan Christopher Huff and Christine Ann Rudd, both of Oberlin.  
Shane Michael Harris and Virgin-

ia Ann Montgomery, both Oberlin.

### JAIL BOOKINGS

Jonathon Schwig, 19, McCook, Thursday, minor in possession, Red Willow County.

Rhonda Crappert, 44, McCook, Thursday, driving while intoxicated, Red Willow County.

### REGISTER OF DEEDS

Letha N. Hunnicutt, Greg A. and Arlene E. Hunnicutt and Dana Lee Hunnicutt to Larry Anderson, NW/4, Sec 6, T3S R30W.  
DeLane L and Crista E. Sauvage to Daniel Sauvage, Lot 8, Blk 16,

original city of Oberlin.  
Letha N. Hunnicutt, Greg A. and Arlene E. Hunnicutt and Dana Lee Hunnicutt to Richard C. Chambers Living Trust, the east 72.27 acres of E/2, SW/4 of Sec. 7 T1S R29W.

Trevor and Beth Harmon to Elmer and Lynnetta Ward, Lots 3 and 4, Blk 2, Sunnyside Addition to Oberlin, including adjacent E 10' of vacated East Ave.

Stephen G. and Patricia Ranz, quitclaim to Eric Stephen Ranz, Julie Elvira Ranz and Alex Austin Ranz, 1/2 interest, NW/4 of Sec. 32, T1S, R27, subject to life estate.

# Town Crier

**Today:** Widows and Friends, 8:30 a.m., breakfast at Frontier Cafe.

**Thursday:** Norcatur Senior Citizens, pinochle, 1 p.m. at Methodist Educational Building.

Junior high girls basketball, 2:30 p.m., at St. Francis.

Decatur County Area Chamber of Commerce annual banquet, 6:30 p.m. at Golden Age Center. \$15 per person.

**Friday:** Supporting Our Schools benefit soup supper, 5 to 8 p.m., high school cafeteria.

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

**Saturday:** Oberlin Invitational Wrestling Tournament, 10 a.m.

**Sunday:** Oberlin Kids Wrestling Tournament, 10 a.m., high school gym.

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

**Monday:** Oberlin schools, late start, 10 a.m.

High school scholar bowl, 4 p.m., at Oakley.

Free Throw Contest, 7 p.m. at

high school gymnasium. Open to boys and girls ages 10 to 14. Sponsored by Knights of Columbus.

**Tuesday:** County commissioners, 9 a.m., courthouse.

**Thursday, Jan. 19:** Junior high girls basketball, 4:30 p.m., here, with Rawlins County.

Junior high wrestling, 4:30 p.m., here, with Oakley.

High school wrestling, 6 p.m., here, with Oakley.

City Council, 7 p.m. at Gateway.

**Golden Age Center:** 1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinochle. Quilting, puzzles, games daily. Chicken-foot dominoes, 1 p.m. first and third Tuesdays. Mexican Train dominoes, second and fourth Tuesdays. 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, step exercise; 12:15 p.m. Potluck dinner, third Sunday each month.

Representative of the Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group will be at the county Health Department **once a month** for free wellness evaluations, including

testing.

**Tuesday, Thursday:** The Decatur County Food Pantry is open from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the United Church, 109 N. Griffith. Donations of cash, frozen or nonperishable food and household items are always needed.

### SENIOR MENU

Senior lunch at the Golden Age Center, weekdays at noon:

**Today:** chef salad, strawberries and bananas, bread sticks, crispy rice bar.

**Thursday:** sloppy joes, hash-brown casserole, corn, bun, apricots.

**Friday:** smokies, macaroni and cheese, winter mix vegetables, bread, ambrosia fruit salad.

**Monday:** smothered steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, beets, bread, peaches.

**Tuesday:** ground beef stew, gelatin with fruit, biscuit, bar cookie.

**Next Wednesday:** barbecue chicken sandwich, potato salad, baked beans, bun, fruit crisp.

# Honor Roll

Welcome and thanks to these recent subscribers to *The Oberlin Herald*:

**Elsewhere:** Joanne Grubb, Conroe, Texas; Rita Philbrook, Covington, Ga.; Bill Ater Sr., Burlington, Texas; Tefani Zadeh, Chicago; Myron Johnson, Spokane Valley, Wash.; Jesse Rummel, Glenwood, Ark.; the Rev. Wanda Scoble, Elmhurst, Ill.; Brad Ware, Gettysburg, S.D.; Tim Bailey, Broken Arrow, Okla.; Mary Reeves Leber, Mercer Island, Wash.; Virgil Jansen, Belleville, Ill.

**Colorado:** Kit Cushenberry, Thornton; Faye Lombardi, Lakewood.

**Nebraska:** Doris Crosley, Arapahoe.

**McCook:** Donna Chambers, Edwin Black.

**Kansas:** Curtis May, Hunter; Wayne Smith Sr., Burlington; Steve O'Toole, Olathe; Nancy Woods, Garden City; Shane Wurm, St. Francis; Royal Tacha, Hoxie; Edward Miller, Colby; Doris Peterson, Atwood.

**Area:** Frank Otter, Clayton; Eugene Mrstik, Jennings.

**Dresden:** Mark Meitl, Keith Muirhead.

**Oberlin:** Karon Scott, Jerry Fortin, Mirium Fisher, Elsie Wolters, Martha Fringer.

# School Menu

**Jan. 16-20 OBERLIN SCHOOLS**

**Monday:** No breakfast: late start. Lunch: pepperoni pizza, green beans.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast: pop tart (strawberry). Lunch: corn dog, macaroni and cheese.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast: ham combo, muffin. Lunch: chicken nuggets, au gratin potatoes.

**Thursday:** Breakfast: cold cereal, yogurt. Lunch: chicken-fried steak, mashed potatoes, pears.

**Friday:** Breakfast: mini-blueberry pancakes. Lunch: cheeseburger, tater tots.

Fruit served with all breakfasts, choice bar with all lunches, milk with all meals.

# Markets

**Jan. 9, 2012 closing markets**  
Wheat, \$6.36 bushel  
Corn, \$6.28 bushel  
Milo, \$6.00 bushel  
Soybeans, \$11.23 bushel  
(Decatur Co-op Association)

# Corrections


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.



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**Sunday, Jan. 14 - 2 p.m.**

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# Obituaries

## Curtis Leo McEvoy

Curtis Leo McEvoy, 78, a brother of Frank (Margaret) McEvoy of Oberlin, died Jan. 3, 2012, at the Hester Home in Benkelman, Neb., where he had been a resident the past three years.

He was born April 5, 1933, at Benkelman, the second of seven children of Leo and Doris (Sparks) McEvoy.

He attended school in Benkelman until the 10th grade, then quit to work at the Quality Market there.

He joined the Navy in April 1952, near the end of the Korean War, and served for four years until he was discharged in 1956.

After he returned, he was a roughneck in the oil fields near Sterling, Colo., and later worked at the Safeway and Red Owl markets in Sterling. He moved to Fort Collins, Colo., where he worked at the King Soopers on Taft Hill Road until he retired in 1988.

He married Aletha Hunt in 1956 and they had two children, Curtis Donvan and Tamra Jean.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his former wife, Aletha Hunt; two sisters, Geraldine Turpin and Rosemary Sauvage; and three brothers-in-law, Harold Brown, Bob Turpin, and Bill Randall.

Survivors also include a son, Don and Jean McEvoy; a daughter, Tamra McEvoy; three sisters, Indiana Wood, Doris Randall, and Janet and Norman Lee; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the nursing home or the Benkelman American Legion.

Graveside services were held Saturday afternoon at the Benkelman Cemetery with military honors, the Rev. Keith Reuther officiating.

Forch Funeral Chapel of Benkelman was in charge of arrangements.

## Larry Dee Smith

Larry Dee Smith, 73, Norton, who worked for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. 42 years before he retired, died Thursday, Jan. 5, 2012, at the home.

He was born April 12, 1938, in Edmond, the son of Lawrence and Vera (Brown) Smith. He attended school in Edmond until his junior year. His family moved to Hoxie, where he graduated from Hoxie

High School in 1956. He worked for an area farmer and Southwestern Bell for several years before serving in the Army from 1961 to 1963.

He married Mary Ellen Schlageck on Oct. 3, 1964, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Selden. They lived in Colby for three years before moving to Norton.

After military service, he returned to work for Southwestern Bell as an installer and repairman until he retired in 1999. He was a member of St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus, the Norton American Legion Post, the National Rifle Association, Pheasants Forever and Ducks Unlimited.

Survivors include three children, Douglas Smith, Robert Smith and Kathryn and Brian Pfannenstiel, all of Norton four brothers, Dean Smith, Great Bend; Don and Paula Smith, Sun City, Ariz.; Gary and Cris Smith, Hoxie; and Dale and Gail Smith, Colona, Ill.; a sister, Karen and Darrell Allen, Hoxie; and five grandsons.

He was preceded in death by his wife on June 30, 2006; his parents; two sisters, Xyla and Delores Smith; and his wife's parents, Herman and Kathryn Schlageck.

Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:30 a.m. today at the church in Norton with the Rev. Benjamin Saw Lone officiating.

Burial will be in the Selden Cemetery with the Rev. Mark Berland officiating and military rites by the Selden American Legion Post.

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

## JoAnne Vaughn

JoAnne Vaughn, 78, Colby, a native of Rexford and a former co-owner of the Colby Livestock Auction, died Wednesday, Jan. 4, 2012, at the Citizens Medical Center in Colby.

She was born June 12, 1933, the daughter of Albert and Maude Garrett. She grew up in Rexford and graduated from Rexford High School. She later graduated from Clark Business School in Denver.

She married Norris Vaughn on Dec. 28, 1951, and they lived in several places before moving to a farm south of Selden. They moved to Colby in 1967 after purchasing the Colby Livestock Auction. They sold the auction in 1983 but continued working together as partners in several other agriculture-related businesses.

After her husband's death in

1991, she continued running the family business with her son, Steve. She also owned and managed the Carousel Beauty Salon with daughter Judy for many years and was a volunteer at the Citizens Medical Center.

Survivors include two sons, Steve and Linda Vaughn, Colby, and Chuck and Rhonda Vaughn, Topeka; two daughters, Janet and Joe Johnson, Bertrand, Neb., and Judy and Howard Harger, Colby; two sisters, Sharlene Schrock, Holbrook, Neb., and Carol Jones, Austin, Texas; 11 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and her husband's parents, John and Gladys Vaughn.

Services were Saturday morning at the Colby United Methodist Church. The Rev. Jim Mardock officiated and burial was in Beulah Cemetery, Colby.

Memorials may be made to the Colby United Methodist Church in care of the Baalman Mortuary, Box 391, Colby, Kan., 67701.

## Sally Lea Wilmington

Sally Lea Wilmington, 72, daughter of longtime Oberlin lawyer L.F. Cushenberry, died Aug. 16, 2011, in San Anselmo, Calif., after a sudden illness.

She was born July 3, 1939, in Atchison and spent much of her youth in Oberlin and Dripping Springs, Texas.

She attended Cushing Academy in Massachusetts for preparatory school and then went to Hobart and William Smith College in Geneva, N.Y., where she met her husband, Richard Wilmington. They moved from Manhattan to Marin, Calif. in 1965.

After divorcing in 1972, she worked for the Greenery, a boutique floral business in San Francisco, before moving to a career in education.

The past 22 years she worked at San Domenico School. She attended her 50th college reunion in upstate New York last summer, then visited her brother, Kit Cushenberry, and his family in Denver.

Other survivors include two daughters, Allison Wilmington Houston and Leslie Ann Wilmington, and a son, Benjamin Newton Wilmington, and their families.

She was preceded in death by her father; her mother, Margaret Richards; and a sister, Connie Haeggi.

A memorial service was held Aug. 27, 2011, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in San Rafael, Calif.



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# Weather

**Forecast**

**Today:** Partly sunny, with a high near 31. Blustery, with a north wind between 20 and 25 mph, with gusts as high as 35 mph.

**Tonight:** Mostly clear and blustery, low around 11.

**Thursday:** Sunny, with a high near 29.

**Thursday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 19.

**Friday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 41.

**Friday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 23.

**Saturday:** Sunny, with a high near 44.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 23.

**Sunday:** Sunny, with a high near 46.

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

Date	Hi	Lo	Precip	Snow
Jan. 2	43	14	0	
Jan. 3	45	14	0	
Jan. 4	62	20	0	
Jan. 5	60	27	0	
Jan. 6	73	28	0	
Jan. 7	51	16	0	
Jan. 8	41	20	0	

Precipitation for week: 0.04  
Precipitation for month 0.04  
Precipitation for year: 0.04  
Precipitation one year ago: 0.55  
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By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer.

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