

THE OBERLIN HERALD — From the Record

Courthouse

These transactions were taken from records in the offices of the Decatur County clerk, sheriff and register of deeds:

DISTRICT COURT
Traffic
June 15, Glenn Bollig, Norcat, operating vehicle without Class A license, \$148.
July 7, John B. Kidd Jr., Highlands Ranch, Colo., speeding 77 mph., \$155.
July 12, Gage Joseph Soderlund, Oberlin, no seat belt, \$10.
July 24, Yim Kiman, Joliet, Ill., speeding 86 mph, \$212.
Aug. 3, Earnest E. Fowler, Oberlin, expired registration, \$198.
Samantha Jo Meitl, Dresden, speeding 76 mph, \$149.
Gary Jay Sappel, Oberlin, no seat belt, \$10.
Bradley Bernard Wade, Oberlin, no seat belt, \$10.

Aug. 8, Randy D. Baker, Manifold, Okla., speeding 79 mph, \$167.
Divorces Filed
Janice Lynn Guthrie and David Dwight Guthrie, Oberlin
Limited Actions
The Bank v. Misty Gullion, Oberlin, \$545.
Nex-Tech Wireless v. Everett Urban and Jordan Urban, \$1,281.
Ritter Brothers Inc. v. Iowa Tank Lines Inc, Omaha, \$3,200.
Decatur Cooperative Association v. Angie Boss, Lenora, \$213.
Decatur Cooperative Association v. Jim May, Oberlin, \$225.
Decatur Cooperative Association v. Walter and Karen O'Handlen, Edmond, \$602
SHERIFF'S BLOTTER
The Decatur County sheriff's office reported the following call last week:

• An accident happened at 6:57 a.m. Sunday when Nicole Connell, Atwood, was heading east on U.S. 36 toward Norton and a deer jumped in front of her 1999 Toyota Corolla about seven miles east of Oberlin. "It probably totaled the car," said Undersheriff Allen Marcum. "It destroyed the whole front end."
The accident deployed both air bags, he said, but Ms. Connell was not injured.
REGISTER OF DEEDS
Patrick and Elvera L. Wendelin to Norman G. Wendelin, W/2 Sec. 9, T2S R30W.
United Northwest Federal Credit Union to Robert G. Strevey, Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 12, Original Town of Norcat.
Amy J. McDougal-Haas and Troy Haas to Amy J. McDougal-Haas and Troy Haas as joint tenants, a tract in W/2 NE/4 of Sec. 1, T3S R29W.

Town Crier

Today: Deadline to buy tickets for the Decatur County Hospital Benefit prime-rib dinner at 7 p.m., Saturday at Oberlin American Legion. Call 475-2208. Farmers' Market, 8 a.m., in front of Chamber office.
Story time, 10 a.m., Norcat Public Library.
Book Potpourri at Norcat Library, 1 p.m., everyone welcome.
Cards at Jennings Senior Citizens Center, 1:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.
Back-to-School Picnic and Shopping Spree drawing, 6:30 p.m., City Park.
Fourth-sixth grade football meeting and equipment checkout at 6:30 p.m., Pioneer Seed building, Hall and Rodehaver. For questions, call Greg Grafel, 470-7018.
Thursday: Rexford Senior Citizens, noon, at Red Barn.
Decatur County Farm Bureau annual meeting, 6:30 p.m. at Oberlin American Legion Hall. Sen. Pat Roberts, state Rep. Ward Cassidy. Make reservations at (785) 470-7042 or 475-2238.
Spuds and Splits, 6:30 p.m. for anyone over 40 at Red Barn in Rexford.
Oberlin City Council, 7 p.m., Gateway.
Norcat Cemetery Board, 7 p.m., Bee Nelson's home, 212 N. Dexter, to hear and answer objections and questions on the proposed budget and property-tax levy.
Friday: First day of classes for Oberlin schools.
Saturday: Potluck supper for Elmer and Margaret Waterman, Bonaire, Ga., 6:30 p.m., St. John's Lutheran Church.
Sunday: Liberty Star Community Picnic, noon at Powell Picnic Grounds, potluck. Bring a covered dish, your own table service and chair. Drinks furnished. Everyone invited.
Senior potluck, 12:15 p.m., Golden Age Center.
Scottish Band direct from Scotland, 7-9 p.m., Morgan Theater. Family entertainment, \$10 adults, \$5 students, under 10, free.
Monday: County Hospital Board, 5:30 p.m. at hospital.
Norcat City Council, 7:30 p.m., city office.
Tuesday: County commissioners, 9 a.m., courthouse.
Parents Night at Oberlin Elementary School, 6:15 p.m.
Ladies Tuesday Night bowling meeting, 7 p.m., at bowling alley.
Next Wednesday: Story time, 10 a.m., Norcat library.
Thursday, Aug. 23: Oberlin sports-drink scrammages; junior-

high volleyball, 4:10 p.m. in junior high gym; junior-high football, 4:30 p.m., Smick Field; high school volleyball, 5:15 p.m., high school gym; high school cross country and football, 7 p.m., at Smick Field..
Friday, Aug. 24: Oberlin high school volleyball, 4:30 p.m., at home with Hoxie and Wheatland-Grinnell.
Golden Plains Schools scrimmage at Rexford. Volleyball at 5 p.m., football at 6:15 p.m. Lions Club/Booster Club barbecue to follow.
Bob Salem Memorial Sprint Car races, 7 p.m., Oberlin Speedway. Call Rick Salem, 475-7010.
Saturday, Aug. 25: Jennings Firemen's Fun Day.
Meet the Godfather, 2 to 4 p.m., at Godfather's Pizza inside Eagle Convenience Store. Kids get a free fedora.
Bob Salem Memorial Sprint Car races, 7 p.m., Oberlin Speedway. Call Rick Salem, 475-7010.
Oberlin, Lund and Herndon Covenant churches, anniversary celebration and dinner, 6:30 p.m., The Gateway.
Sunday, Aug. 26: Oberlin, Lund and Herndon Covenant churches, morning services, 10:30 a.m., Gateway arena, followed by potluck dinner.
Benefit for Sunflower Theater, Vintage Rolling Stones (1978) Concert, 6 p.m., \$30 each. Tickets from Connie Grafel, Greg Lohoefer, Deanna Castle, LaMoine Wolfram or at the Business Entrepreneurial Enhancement Center. Taco bar preceding in the bowling alley.
Sept. 1....Oberlin Community 5K run/walk...8 a.m. at Oberlin City Park. Kids half-mile fun run...7:45 a.m. Proceeds to benefit Oberlin pool project or community parks. Send registration and fees to Kerrie Wahlmeier, 201 N. Beaver, Oberlin, 67749. Children \$10 by Aug. 24,

\$15 afterward. Adults \$15 by Aug. 24, \$20 afterward.
Golden Age Center: 1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, pinocle. Quilting, puzzles, games daily. Chicken-foot dominoes, 1 p.m. first and third Tuesdays. Mexican Train, second and fourth Tuesdays; 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, step exercise; 12:15 p.m., pot luck dinner, third Sunday each month.
Sunflower Recreation bowling alley: Open 5 to 10 p.m., Friday through Tuesday. Closed Wednesday and Thursday.
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.
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: harvest turkey soup, strawberries and banana, crackers, cookie.
Thursday: Waikiki meat balls, broccoli, pears, rice, birthday cake.
Friday: roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, seasoned carrots, bread, watermelon.
Monday: ham-and-scalloped-potato casserole, Italian blend vegetables, bread, apricots.
Tuesday: sloppy joes, tater triangles, spinach salad, bun, fruit crisp.
Next Wednesday: taco salad, cantaloupe or watermelon, chips, bar cookie.

Thank You

I would like to thank everyone for your support in the primary election. All of your positive comments and phone calls were very encouraging to me. I look forward to your continued support in November.

Senator Ralph Ostmeier (paid for by Ostmeier for Senate, Lori Edwards Treasurer)

THE OBERLIN HERALD — Obituaries

Elwyn E. Bell
Elwyn E. Bell, 74, Dresden, a retired truck driver, died Friday, Aug. 10, 2012, at the Hays Medical Center.
He was born Nov. 9, 1937, in Hill City, the son of Mark Earl and Leta Irene (Chalfant) Bell. He married Karen Stull on Dec. 8, 1962, in Logan. He was an Army veteran.
Survivors include his wife, Dresden; three sons, Michael Bell, Kirkland, Wash.; Rodney Bell, Peoria, Ariz.; and Shawn Bell, Glendale, Hill City; two daughters, Kim Schneider, Gorham, and Mona Chase, Ellis; three brothers, Duane Bell, Hill City; Larry Bell, Penokee; and Orman Bell, Hill City; a sister, Joyce Lyon, Wichita; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.
He was preceded in death by his parents and a son, Eric.
Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. today at Memorial Lawn Cemetery in Hill City with Phil Stinemetz officiating.
A memorial was established to the Dawson Place Nursing Home in Hill City, in care of the Stinemetz Funeral Home, 522 N. Pomeroy, Hill City, Kan., 67642.

Decatur County, the son of Charles and Alta (Knutson) Price. He grew up on the family farm in the Lyle area northwest of Norcat. He attended College Hill country school and graduated from Norcat High School in 1943. During World War II, he was a Seaman 1st Class in the Navy for two years.
He married Joyce Thielbar on May 19, 1946, in Norcat, and they lived on a farm near Norcat, where he farmed and raised and showed Shetland ponies. He retired in 2001. He was a member of the Norcat United Methodist Church.
Survivors include his wife, Norcat; a son Bob (Lea) Price, Mission, Texas; a daughter, Linda

(Keith) Jurey, Albuquerque, N.M.; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.
He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Russell Price and Kenneth Price; and three sisters, Bula Kelley, Minnie Crabill and Virginia Britton.
Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin. The Rev. Ed Woods will officiate and burial will be in the Norcat Cemetery.
A memorial was established to the Norcat Citizens Alliance, in care of the funeral home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749. To leave condolences, go to www.paulsfh.com

Corrections

An item in the People column in the Wednesday, Aug. 8, issue of *The Oberlin Herald* about Harry R. Clark, 91, who died in Hill City, said incorrectly that he was a great-uncle to Fred Anderson and Melanie Anderson of Oberlin. This was a reporter's error.
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An article about County Commissioner Ralph Unger on Page 1A of the same issue stated incorrectly that Mr. Unger had declined to be interviewed election night. This was a reporter's error. The reporter

missed Mr. Unger at the courthouse, and could not reach him later that night by phone. He said he was available for comment.
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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.

Virgil R. Price
Virgil Richard Price, 87, a retired Decatur County farmer, died Sunday, Aug. 12, 2012, at the Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin.
He was born Oct. 20, 1924, in

Markets

Monday closing markets
Wheat, \$7.93 bushel.
Corn, \$7.67 bushel.
Milo, \$7.32 bushel.
Soybeans, \$15.50 bushel.
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Weather

Forecast

Today: A 20 percent chance of showers after 4 p.m. Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 99.

Tonight: A 30 percent chance of showers 1a.m. with a low around 62. Winds could gust as high as 30 mph.

Thursday: Partly sunny, with a high near 77.

Thursday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 57.

Friday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny, with a high near 77.

Friday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 59.

Saturday: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly sunny, with a high near 85.

Saturday Night: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly clear, with a low around 62.

From the National Weather Service

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

	Hi	Low	Precip.
Aug. 6	92	63	0
Aug. 7	102	63	0.08
Aug. 8	89	58	0.01
Aug. 9	102	57	0
Aug. 10	87	56	0
Aug. 11	88	60	0
Aug. 12	95	62	0.04

Precipitation totals for the week: 0.13
Precipitation totals for the month: 0.39
Precipitation totals for the year: 7.94
One year ago: 20.34
For 24-hour weather radio broadcast, tune scanner to 162.4 mhz.
By Melvin Martin - NOAA Cooperative Weather Observer.