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Miss Metzger Married at Omaha Wednesday

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Metzger and Member of Two Pioneer Families of Cass County.

Miss Marguerite Metzger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Metzger of Omaha, was united in marriage to Neil W. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Hall, Wednesday at 11 a. m. at the home of her parents in the presence of relatives and intimate friends. Dr. Harry G. McClusky officiated. He is pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Plattsmouth of which the bride's maternal grandmother was a charter member. The wedding vows were spoken before the fireplace and the mantel was decorated with white candles and chrysanthemums and pompons. White chrysanthemums tinged with pink were used throughout the house. The bride was attired in a street length gown of erick blue moss crepe and her corsage was of white rosebuds. Miss Betty Rose of Omaha who was maid of honor, was dressed in a gown of byrrh moss crepe. She wore a corsage of tallman rosebuds. William Metzger, brother of the bride, was the best man. A wedding breakfast for relatives and close friends followed the ceremony, after which the couple left for a trip south. Mrs. Hall is traveling in her wedding dress with a blue mole coat, black antelope shoes, hat and bag. They will reside in Harlan, Ia., where Mr. Hall is connected with the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing company. Mrs. Hall has attended Lindenwood college, is a graduate of the University of Nebraska and is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Mr. Hall is also a graduate of the University of Nebraska and belongs to Delta Tau Delta.

Judge and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. McClusky of this city, Mrs. Rose N. Creamer and Mrs. Henry Foster of San Jose, California, were among the relatives to attend the ceremony.

SPENT NIGHT AT CABIN

From Saturday's Daily—
The three new Tenderfoot Scouts, Jim Brown, Albert Richards and Bob Webb, who have been assigned to the Lone Wolf patrol, with Edwin Hiber, patrol leader, spent yesterday afternoon and last night at the cabin at Camp Wheeler. They had planned to remain today, but with the storm coming up through the night, came to town this morning in the car of the Scouter who was with them over night.

The boys got a thrill when a package of firecrackers that had been secreted in the log on their fireplace by an older Scout, started popping at about 9:30. Another thrill came after they were in bed, when two of the older Scouts came out from town and came stomping into the cabin.

Elmer Webb, troop committeeman was with the boys over night, being accompanied by Donnie who spent his first night away from mother.

HEARING ON CLAIMS

From Saturday's Daily—
The county court was a very busy place today as the hearing on the claims of the estate of the late C. Lawrence Stull was taken up.

The report of the special administrator, Searl S. Davis, was received and the funds in his hands paid over to the court and the hearing of claims taken up.

The newly appointed administrator of the estate, Frank A. Cloldt, had filed objections to all claims that a hearing might be had and objections to some had been made by the heirs.

WILL WINTER IN SOUTH

Charles K. Bestor has decided to avoid the chill of the Nebraska winter and Thursday left for the southland where he expects to remain until the coming of the spring.

Mr. Bestor is to spend the time at Corpus Christi, Texas, where he will enjoy fishing and the mildness of the southern climate. While in the south Mr. Bestor expects to call on Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Mayfield at their winter home at Portland, a suburb of Corpus Christi.

TO VISIT AT LYONS

From Friday's Daily—
Raymond C. Cook, deputy grand custodian of the A. F. & A. M. of Nebraska, will conduct a school of instruction at the Masonic lodge in that city today. A number of local Masons will be present also to take part in the program this evening. William F. Evers, superintendent of the Nebraska Masonic Home, will show pictures of the Home in this city for the entertainment of the Lyons people. Frank A. Cloldt of this city will also give a vocal number and E. H. Wescott a piano offering. Frank Farnam, of the Nebraska Masonic Home, a member of the Lyons lodge will accompany the party.

Santa Claus is Coming with a Treat for Kiddies

Will be in Plattsmouth Saturday, December 18, According to a Message Just Received.

The Journal is pleased to be able to answer in the affirmative the oft-repeated question of the past fortnight, "Is Santa Claus coming to Plattsmouth this year?"

A message direct from Santa arrived today, stating that he will be able to be here one day while on his pre-Christmas rounds. He is much occupied this year, he says, with the busiest schedule he has ever had, and will not be able to stop while enroute to Kansas and other points to the south, but will spend a good part of the day Saturday, December 18, while en route back to his home in the northland. He is making long jumps (sometimes by airplane) in order to cover the large territory. It has not been decided definitely just how he will get into Plattsmouth for his day's visit, but further information will be given from day to day as additional messages come in.

He promises to have a gift for each good boy and girl in this territory, if they will but come to Plattsmouth to greet him when he is in town. So, bear the date in mind and watch for further announcement.

ORGANIZED AG PLANS

Less than a month away, Organized Agriculture at the Nebraska college of agriculture in Lincoln will feature a well-rounded program. The theme of the entire program will be: "Life and Living." The dates of the meetings are December 6-10 inclusive.

The Cass County Farm Bureau was informed this week that publication of the entire program is now underway. Copies will be available soon. Two general sessions are planned on Thursday and Friday.

The fifteenth annual Fun Feed is scheduled for Wednesday evening, December 8. The Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation holds its annual convention the first two days of the week, December 6-7. One of the big programs of the week will be that of the Nebraska Farm Equipment association. It will feature rural electrification, pump irrigation and soil conservation. George W. Kable, noted authority and editor of "Electricity on the Farm," is to be one of the leading speakers. Various types of wells will be discussed. W. E. White of Ogallala is billed to talk about: "Electric-driven Irrigation Pumps as the Utilities See Them."

EXHIBITION AND SPELLING BEE

Old-fashioned school exhibition and spelling bee, at U. P. church, Murray, Friday evening, Dec. 3. A Jitney lunch at recess. Public invited. n25-2tw

PROGRAM AND PLATE SUPPER

At Pleasant Ridge School, Dist. No. 41, Dec. 3. Everyone welcome. June Kell, teacher. 1tw-n29-djd

The Mynard aid is serving a chicken pie supper and bazaar on Thursday, December 2. Serving starts at 5 p. m. 1tw-n29d1d

You always get fairest treatment from your home town merchant.

Thanksgiving Brings Many for Home Gatherings

Holiday Is Marked by Many Pleasant Dinner Parties in the Homes of the City.

From Thursday's Daily—
The spirit of Thanksgiving found expression today in many very happy home gatherings over the city when family groups met in the enjoyment of holiday dinner parties and the pleasures of a day together in the traditional American observance. Among these were noted the following:

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Goos have with them for Thanksgiving, their daughter, Miss Harriett, student at Doane college, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Schmidtman, Dr. and Mrs. George Schmidtman, of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidtman, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Schmidtman, Jr. and Janis.

The J. W. Crabill home entertain a group of the relatives for the holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Fisher, Mrs. Bianch Northcutt and son, Richard, of Omaha and Mr. and Mrs. Clement Westor and daughter, Clementine.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Price have as their guests for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. George Lierman, of Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Minor are entertaining as their guests on the Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pollock, parents of Mrs. Minor, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Perry and children, Herbert Minor, student at Nebraska, is also home for the holidays.

Mrs. Orpha Hall and son, of Lincoln and Robert Hall, who is attending the University of Nebraska, are here for the Thanksgiving holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, where a family dinner is to be enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wescott are entertaining today at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Street Wescott of Lincoln. Mrs. Antonia Stranglin and daughter, Madeline, Miss Clara Mae Morgan, of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott, Mrs. John L. Tidball, John Tidball, Jr., Miss Marjorie Ann Tidball of this city and Miss Alice Eaton of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lutz are entertaining today at their home at a family dinner, Bruce Miller of Peoria, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Lutz and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hiatt and daughters, Alice and Helen and Mr. and Mrs. William L. Heinrich.

The E. A. Webb home is the scene of a very pleasant family party today, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Fellers of Omaha with Lloyd Lee, May Ellen, Geraldine and Lawrence of Omaha, being the guests. Mrs. Fellers is a sister of Mrs. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bulin are entertaining for Thanksgiving Mrs. Etta Mockenhaupt and Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Mockenhaupt of Greenwood, Ray Bourne, Betty Bulin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vandervoort and son, Paul III.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wiles are with Mr. Wiles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wiles for Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wiles are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schliefer and two children, Carl and Glen of Louisville. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene O. Vroman and children are spending Thanksgiving and the week-end at Chicago where they are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. York, parents of Mrs. Vroman.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bajock have as their guests today at a family dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Record and son, of Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walling and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Sedlak were Thanksgiving day visitors at Murray where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clell Gansemmer at their farm home at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Yelick have a group of the children and grandchildren here today for a family party. These include Mr. and Mrs. Edward Yelick and son of Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leacock and family of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. George Dorland and son, Emerald, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carr and son, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Yelick, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Yelick and Richard, Robert and James Yelick, Jr.

Judge and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury have as their guests at the Thanksgiving dinner today Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Metzger and family of Omaha. Mrs. Rose N. Creamer and Mrs. Henry Foster of San Jose, California. Mrs.

Foster who has been a guest of the Metzger family in Omaha, is leaving Sunday for her home on the west coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess F. Warga are spending the Thanksgiving holiday at Omaha, where they are dinner guests of Miss Anna Warga.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Ofe are entertaining at dinner Mrs. Henrietta Ofe, mother of Mr. Ofe and William Saechtjen, an uncle of Mr. Ofe.

The William A. Robertson home is the scene of a very pleasant family party with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy, of Lincoln, here. This brings all of the family home with the exception of Midshipman James Robertson II, who is engaged in his duties at the naval academy at Annapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Soennichsen and daughter, Mary Phyllis, with Mary Rosencrans and Robert M. Walling motored to Falls City, where they are dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Davis.

County Treasurer and Mrs. John E. Turner and daughter, Dorothy Jean, are at Marquette, Nebraska, where they are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Turner and family. Others to join the family party there are O. S. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Cook and family and Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Bothwell, of Elmwood.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Noble a family dinner is featuring the holiday. Those to attend are Evan Noble and daughter, Loretta, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Wiles, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Noble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McMaken, Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Swatek are having their family as guests at Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson, George F. Swatek of Lincoln, Miss Mary Swatek of Omaha, Ted Spauptat of Omaha and Wilma Swatek.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ofe and son, Carl, Jr., are at Madison, where they are members of a family group at the home of Mrs. Ofe's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farley are entertaining at Thanksgiving dinner a group of relatives and friends. The invited guests are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tunnel, Miss Helen Farley of York, Nebraska, Miss Estelle Baird, Miss Caroline Baird, Mr. Clifford Tunnel of King City, Missouri, Dr. M. Luella Carter of Doane college, Crete, Nebraska, and Miss Olive Gass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alwin have as guests at their Thanksgiving dinner, Mrs. Maude Bunch and Mrs. Hazel Burley.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon T. Arn, Sr. and Beatrice, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kraeger, Mrs. Minnie Anderson of Union, Mrs. Arn's mother and Mrs. Kraeger's grandmother, is also a guest.

The Searl Davis family is spending Thanksgiving day with Mr. Davis' mother, Mrs. Mary M. Davis, at Lincoln.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Cummins have as guests for Thanksgiving Mrs. Lorene Cummins and Frank and Mary Alice, of Cedar Creek; Mrs. Madge Johnston of Omaha and her mother, Mrs. Carrie L. Wilson.

The Fitch Seniors are spending the day at the home of their son, Bob Fitch, Jr.

Guests at the Andy Robinson home today are Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Feehaver and Richard of Tekamah; Mr. and Mrs. B. Knox and son Kenneth and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Feehaver of Fremont.

Jean Hayes is here from West Side, Iowa, where she is engaged in teaching, to spend her Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hayes.

Vince, Clem and Herb Sundstrom came home from the University of Nebraska Wednesday night to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sundstrom. They will be guests at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Yosta Davis at Louisville. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Esther Sundstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. James Rishel and family are spending Thanksgiving at the Miles Reazer home in Glenwood, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wiles are having Thanksgiving dinner at home. Their guests include Mr. and Mrs. Luke Wiles and Miss Elizabeth Spangler, Doctor and Mrs. H. C. Leopold and Mrs. Vannie Black and son Robert of Lincoln.

Mynard Club Holds Election of Officers

Glen Wiles, President; Mrs. Karl Grosshans, Vice-President; Mrs. R. C. Cook, Secretary.

Mynard Community club held its annual election and oyster stew Friday evening, November 26th. After community singing which was led by Mrs. Sherman Cole and accompanied by Mrs. Roy Cole, the officers for the coming year were elected. The result was: Glenn Wiles, president; Mrs. Karl Grosshans, vice-president; Mrs. Raymond Cook, secretary; John Valtery, treasurer.

The refreshment committees had prepared plenty of delicious oyster soup and the members present enjoyed it very much. As it is the tenth anniversary the past presidents were seated at a table on the stage and each called upon in the order in which they had served to speak a few words. Wm. Nolte was the first president, followed by Reuel Sack, then C. L. Wiles, C. C. Spangler, E. H. Spangler, Roy Cole, Sherman Cole, Raymond Cook, Arthur Wetenkamp, Herman Meisinger. C. C. Spangler moved away several years ago so he was not present and Raymond Cook was away, so Mr. Cook's place at the table was taken by his vice-president, Mrs. John Valley, who read the letter which he had sent. Mr. Spangler's vice president, Mrs. E. H. Spangler, was absent also, so he was represented by Mrs. C. L. Wiles who was secretary during the year that he had served. Mr. Glenn Wiles was also seated with his predecessors. The members received the past officers' talks with much appreciation.

After the supper they departed, looking forward to another successful and happy year under the capable management of the efficient officers selected. These officers will begin to serve with the first of the year and will select their committees and present them at the next meeting which will be Dec. 31.

ANNUAL GET-TOGETHER PARTY
Babbitt's Annual Get-Together party will be held Tuesday night at the Legion Community building. A special invitation advertisement to every farmer in this trade territory and their families to be present was published in the Semi-Weekly. The business associates of Mr. Babbitt in Plattsmouth and their employes and respective families are also invited. There will be entertainment and a floor show by Thompson's Dance Studio of Omaha, a brief address by a representative of the Research Department of the International Harvester Company, which line of farm implements he handles, and a dance with music by the Rudy Probst orchestra of Omaha.

Mr. Babbitt has held two similar parties since locating here in 1935, both of which were attended by larger crowds than he could accommodate at his place of business on Main street, so this year he has arranged for the larger quarters. "We are giving it for our farmer friends and fellow business men," said Mr. Babbitt, "in appreciation of the nice business we have enjoyed during the past season."

SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Mrs. E. J. Ferrle, who is recuperating here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Chriswiser, is now doing very nicely. Mrs. Ferrle has suffered from injuries sustained when thrown from a moving car and which made it necessary for hospital treatment. She is now able to be around some in the house and it is hoped will soon be able to resume her usual activities.

VISITING OLD FRIENDS

Erl Teepell, of Alexandria, Virginia, who is a traveling representative of the refrigerator car company that has several shops over the country, including the BREX here, is in the city.

Mr. Teepell was formerly store keeper for the car company here and has a host of friends who are delighted to have the opportunity of meeting him.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

D. H. Ashbaugh, one of the victims of last Saturday's auto wreck, has so far recovered that he was able to return home and is looking after his work at the Cass County Motor Co. garage as usual.

Mrs. John Sattler, Jr., today was reported as showing much improvement, she having had a rest and sleep and her temperature much better than it has been at any time. Her progress in the last few days is most pleasing and encouraging to the family.

Mrs. Ashbaugh and Mr. Sattler are both still at the Clarkson hospital but it is hoped may soon be released as the ill effects of the bruises and injuries are growing less.

Jury Awards Fay McClintock \$5000 Damages

Verdict Given Jointly Against Michael Hausladen and Oscar Weber of Nebraska City.

From Saturday's Daily—
After a trial of three days duration a verdict was rendered this afternoon in the case of Fay McClintock against Michael Hausladen, et al. The case was given to the jury late Friday afternoon and a verdict reached last night, but owing to the absence of Judge W. W. Wilson, who had returned home, the verdict was not received until this afternoon at 1:45 when it was read in district court.

The jury gave Mr. McClintock a judgment for \$5,000 against the defendants, Michael Hausladen and Oscar Weber, the verdict being jointly against the two defendants.

The plaintiff had sued for the sum of \$20,000 for personal damages alleged to have been sustained in an automobile accident on highway No. 75, near the residence of C. L. Pittman on February 11, 1937. It was alleged in the petition that McClintock, employed as a mechanic in the garage of Claude A. Ruse had been out with the defendant Hausladen testing a car that he had repaired and belonging to Hausladen, who near the Pittman place started to turn into the yard of the Pittman place.

A car was coming from the south driven by Mr. Weber and which struck the Hausladen car with the plaintiff riding on the running board. As the result of the accident he was in the hospital for some time.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY

This week marks the first anniversary of the Rosen Motor Co. in this city and completes a very successful year in every way for this enterprising organization.

Mr. Edward A. Rosen, manager of the company, has been very successful in his handling of the business and feels very appreciative of the support and patronage that has been given him by the residents of Plattsmouth and Cass county.

In observance of the first anniversary the company is staging their anniversary sale at their garage building on Washington avenue. The advertising of this sale is appearing in the Journal on page four and is well worth the study of the buying public.

MERCHANTS CONTRIBUTE

So fine has been the response to a request for prizes from the merchants for Monday night's card party to raise funds for paint and incidentals connected with the repair of toys by the Recreational Center, that the Legion Auxiliary, sponsors of the movement, will probably have to secure additional quarters to handle the large number of players. The request for tickets continues with nearly a hundred sold or reserved.

HAS HORSES SHOT

Fritz Siemonett, one of the leading farmers of the Cullom community, has two of his best horses shot this week while they were running in the pasture at the farm. The horses were shot with a rifle and one of the animals so severely wounded that it may be permanently crippled. The other was not so severely injured.

Bach's Store Retires from the Business Field

One of the Oldest Business Establishments of the City Purchased by Soennichsen's.

The A. G. Bach store, one of the oldest business houses of the city, today closed its activities and the stocks of goods turned over to the H. M. Soennichsen company.

The store has been operated by Mrs. A. G. Bach since the death of her husband in 1934, but her health has not been the best in the recent years and which is making it necessary for her to lay aside the cares and responsibilities of business.

The Bach stores were established here over fifty years ago by August Bach, Sr., who for many years operated the Main street store as well as his South Park store, the latter at one time having a large trade among the residents of the south part of the city. The South Park store was closed two years ago and all of the business handled from the store on lower Main street. A. G. Bach operated the stores after the death of his father until his own death and since which the wife has been in charge.

The Soennichsen company is expecting to move the stock of goods to their store building on Main street and where it will be handled along with their regular lines.

FUMBLES LOSE GAME

Plattsmouth fans who were at Tarkio, Missouri, Thanksgiving day were disappointed in the fact that the Tarkio college team on which there are five Plattsmouth young men, met defeat from Peru Teachers 12 to 6.

The Teachers scored first in the second period following recovery of a Tarkio fumble on the 40. Passes, Shields to Hall to McHugh, put Peru on the Tarkio five and Shields tossed a short pass to Hall for the counter. Schoonover, Tarkio quarterback, fumbled on his own three yard line in the third period and Shields recovered and plunged over for the second Peru touchdown.

Tarkio staged a sensational passing attack in the final period that netted them their one touchdown. Hummel tossed to Ryan, McPherson and Schoonover to net nearly a hundred yards. Schoonover took the ball over for the score.

CARS HAVE SMASHUP

Friday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock a small auto smashup occurred at the intersection of Fifth and Vine streets. H. A. Deiter, of Nebraska City, salesman for Paxton & Gallagher, was driving west on Vine street, and Frank Bestor was driving north on Fifth street.

The two cars met in the intersection altho the drivers of both cars tried to avoid the collision when they saw the cars approaching. The front of the Bestor car was smashed in as it hit the Chevrolet tudor sedan in the center.

Mr. Deiter was bruised somewhat in the wreck as he was sitting on the side of the car hit. Mr. Bestor escaped with only a shaking up.

DIES IN CALIFORNIA

From Saturday's Daily—
Word was received here today of the death of Ruth Virginia Richardson, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Richardson, who are now located at Colusa, California.

The little girl passed away Friday and the family are returning from the west with the body. They expect to reach Omaha Monday evening and the body will be brought here to the Sattler funeral home.

Definite announcement of the funeral time will be made on the arrival of the family Monday night.

ATTEND CONVENTION

The state convention of the Christian Endeavor is in session this week at Auburn, opening Friday at the First Presbyterian church in that city. There is a very large attendance at the meetings and speakers from all sections are in attendance and discussing the problems.

The delegates from this city to the meeting are Eleanor Minor, Richard Hitt and Jean Knorr.