

Mrs. Jesse Kelly

PAGE — The Royal Neighbors lodge elected officers for the coming year when they met at the IOOF hall Wednesday evening, December 7.

Mrs. Jesse Kelly was chosen orator; Mrs. R. F. Park, vice-orator; Mrs. Alta Finch, past orator; Mrs. Herbert Steinberg, recorder; Mrs. Anton Nissen, receiver; Mrs. Cordes Walker, marshal; Mrs. Ralph Larson, inner sentinel; Mrs. Robert Gray, outer sentinel;

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Mrs. Hester Edmisten, manager. Mrs. Jerry Lamason and Mrs. William Simmons were hostesses. Plans were made to entertain the past oracles at the annual Christmas party December 21. There will be a gift exchange.

Other Page News Wednesday, December 7, dinner guests in the R. D. Copes home were Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haynes and Mrs. Bertha Reed. The dinner honored the birthday anniversaries of Mr. Haynes, Mr. Harper, Mr. Gray, Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Copes. A no-host dinner was served and the afternoon was spent at cards.

On account of the basketball game Tuesday evening, December 7, the Commercial club drew a smaller crowd than usual. The December business of making arrangements for Santa Claus' visit and a free movie was taken care of. The ladies of the group spent the evening at cards. Hostesses were Mesdames Alta Finch, Elsie Corie and Evelyn Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood of Staplehurst were weekend guests in the William Neubauer home and called on other Wood relatives here and at Ewing. They came especially to hunt deer. Mr. Sterling Albright, who spent the summer working with a construction crew in Iowa, returned last Thursday from Merville, Ia., and expects to spend the winter months at Page with his mother, Mrs. F. G. Albright.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Olson of Oakland were Wednesday, December 7, dinner guests in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Merwyn French, jr. They brought Stephanie Patricia home from a stay of more than two weeks with her grandparents.

The EMC card club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stevens on Friday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dobbins, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Matschullat and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nissen.

Santa Plans Annual Journey to Page

PAGE—Santa Claus will make his regular visit to the Page community Saturday afternoon, following a free movie at the Page theater. Treats will be given to the children as usual.

Makes Tour of John Deere Plants—Ward Smith, salesman for the Harry R. Smith Implement Co. here, is participating in an expense paid tour of John Deere manufacturing plants in Iowa and Illinois this week.

Traveling by train with a group of other top award salesmen, Mr. Smith is studying plants at Waterloo, Ottumwa, Dubuque and Des Moines, Ia., and Moline, Ill.

Russell Goodwin of Neligh spent the weekend in the E. E. Gaskill home.

10-Ft. Drifts Linger in Deloit Community

DELOIT—The main roads were opened by the first of the week but some side roads remained closed. There are drifts 10 feet high along the roads which have been opened.

Other Deloit News Bob Bartak of Ft. Riley, Kans., spent the weekend with home folks.

Stanley Huffman made a business trip to Broken Bow recently.

A number of the neighbors attended the funeral for Alfred Lucas at Clearwater Friday afternoon. He was a former resident of east Deloit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Bartak went to Omaha Wednesday afternoon, December 7, to meet Keith, who came by plane from Ft. Sheridan, Ill. He received his discharge from the army that day.

Ewald Spahn recently visited relatives in Oregon. He made the trip by train.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gibbs and David of Norfolk moved Saturday to the Lambert Bartak farm recently vacated by the Wayne Paul family.

The HEO club met at the E. L. Sisson home last Thursday. A 1 o'clock covered dish luncheon was served. Gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Paul moved to their new home in Elgin on Friday.

Joe Knievel is building additional living quarters at the store. The basement is dug and a modern kitchen has been completed.

The pupils and teacher at Deloit are planning a Christmas program.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reimer and Elaine were dinner guests on Saturday at the Larson home in Ewing.

Mrs. Fred Harpster helped at the Clifford Potter home a few days last week.

Joe Knievel's transport truck was stranded north of Elgin from Saturday until Monday, December 3-5, during the storm.

7 Robins Linger in Celia Neighborhood

CELIA—Mrs. Clarence Focken said this week a group of seven robins at her place have not been discouraged by the rigors of the early winter weather.

The seven birds have been sighted on several occasions, even with 10 inches of snow on the ground and the mercury in the neighborhood of zero.

Mrs. J. B. Grady entertained the Jeudi club last Thursday evening with a dinner and cards. Winners were Mrs. Grady and Mrs. Max Wanser.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Givens, Mr. and Mrs. Art Givens, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kramer and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trostynski were guests at the Bernard Pongratz home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Van Fleet and baby daughter of Royal were here Friday to attend the funeral of the late Tom Perkins.

Jimmie Newton, Donna and David Perry celebrated their birthday anniversaries Saturday.

Bob Winkler of Omaha spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winkler.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Brockman attended the Saddle club turkey dinner at the O'Neill Legion hall Sunday evening.

Jackie and Chipper Cole, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Humpl of Atkinson, Saturday and Sunday.

They attended the Christmas program at St. Joseph's hall with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bock of Burlington, Ia., arrived Friday to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Cole, and family until after the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Leon Beckwith attended a meeting last Thursday at the courthouse annex for community chairmen of the polio drive. A film was shown. The drive will take place in January.

Alvin, Kenny and Jerry Focken, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Don Focken of Atkinson, returned home Friday. They had been staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brainard.

Mrs. John Conard visited Mrs. Charles Abart Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony O'Donnell of O'Neill visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Richards Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kee and daughter, Audrey, of Crofton spent Friday evening and Saturday morning at the Wayne Bates home. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kee in O'Neill Friday.

Mrs. Floyd Barnes spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Dean Perry and children.

The Ernest Kloppenborg family

of north of O'Neill were guests at Henry Kloppenborg's last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Guy Cole of O'Neill visited Mrs. Robert Cole last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fox and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Max Grenier were guests at the Bob Tomlinson home at Star Sunday.

The Gilbert Fox family and Wayne Fox were supper guests at the Tomlinson home Wednesday, December 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winkler were last Thursday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winkler.

Mrs. Walter Pease and daughter visited Mrs. Fritz Brockman and Connie last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brainard were guests at George Brainard's Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Gaffney visited Mrs. Charles Abart Wednesday, December 7.

Mrs. William Newton visited Mrs. Dean Perry and children on Saturday afternoon.

The Leo Weichman family of Stuart and Bob Winkler of Omaha were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winkler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Brockman, Connie and Jerry were supper guests at the Floyd Spindler home at Atkinson Saturday.

Frank Harrington of Omaha came Saturday to get Norma Lou Foreman, who had spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foreman.

Roland Wills of Wayne State college spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wills, and Art.

O'NEILL LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Passieux and daughter of Colorado Springs, Colo., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gallagher and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Passieux.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gaskill and family of Neligh spent Sunday in the Ed Gann and E. E. Gaskill homes.

Frank Grenier went to Ewing last Thursday and spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sawyer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Jenkins and children moved into their new basement house early this week.

Mrs. Otto Matschullat Fetes Help U Club

VENUS—Mrs. Otto Matschullat entertained the Help U club on Wednesday, December 7, at an all-day meeting. Thirteen were present. During the afternoon the losers of the attendance contest planned the Christmas party.

Officers were elected: Mrs. Sidney Faulhaber, president; Mrs. Ethel Waring, vice-president, and Mrs. Vincent Jackson, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. William Burton had charge of the entertainment. Cards were played. Mrs. Francis Boelter received high; Mrs. Kenneth Waring, low; Mrs. Bryan Finch, traveling; Mrs. Vincent Jackson, the door prize.

The Christmas party was to be held at the home of Mrs. Ora Caskey Wednesday.

Other Venus News

Mrs. Mervin Strope, jr., was hostess at a party at her home on Friday. Games were played during the afternoon and several prizes were given. Mrs. Strope served a lunch.

Mrs. Herman Dorr went to Creighton Monday, December 5, where she stayed with the Dale Dorr children until Friday while their mother was hospitalized at

Creighton with a new baby daughter. Mrs. Herman Dorr now has 10 granddaughters and no grandsons.

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Mr. and Mrs. Art Holz, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burival and family, Mr. and Mrs. Art Hibbs and Lilly, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Holz and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Mace, jr., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Holz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schmidt went to Nenzel last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt. Mr. Schmidt went deer hunting while there.

Mrs. Earl Orr of Butte spent last week visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lottin, and Jolee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hansen and family of Norfolk spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Flood.

Miss Margaret Joyce of Omaha is visiting relatives and friends in O'Neill.

Mrs. Ralph Tomlinson of West Point spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gettert and children moved into the house

vacated by Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Landis and family Saturday.

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