

Newport News

By Mrs. Oliver Gilg

Visitors the past week in the V. E. Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilkinson and Charles of Albany, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Doyle Parker and daughters of Kansas City, Mo.

Vicki Skinner left Friday to spend the weekend with relatives in Ainsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox and family of Bassett.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson and family of Laurel, Mont. and Lizzie Johnson were callers Wednesday evening in the Reno Gordon home. They left Thursday for their home in Montana after a three day visit with relatives.

Mr. Vern Armstrong and Aletha of Scottsbluff were visitors with relatives from Thursday to Tuesday and were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hasch.

Sophia Lashmet received word of the birth of a great-grandson to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Farrier at Rapid City, S. D. Mrs. Farrier was the former Deloris DeBolt of O'Neill.

Howard Fox returned to his home at Climax, Colo., Thursday after a five day visit with relatives. His mother, Mabel Fox, accompanied him and will be with Mrs. Howard Fox who had just returned home from a Denver hospital. She will also visit a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tocko at Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fuller were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Amos Hart home at Bassett.

Mrs. Lorena Keller and Cheri Hartung returned Friday evening from a month's stay in Lincoln.

Mr. Tom Fox of Lynwood, Calif. was a Monday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gilg.

Nellie Bogue was a weekend guest of Lizzie Johnson and they attended her fellowship dinner in the Newport Methodist church Sunday.

Max Utter went to Whitney Thursday after his sister, Gretchen, who had spent the past week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Blust.

The Alvin Cerny family returned to their home in Pacomia, Calif. on Saturday after visiting with his parents, the Ed Cerny's and other relatives.

Mrs. Oliver and Bob Gilg accompanied by Mrs. O. W. Wolcott of Bassett and Roger Wolcott of Woodlake were Ainsworth visitors Friday afternoon and were callers in the Mary Wolcott home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nelson and Lonnie were Sunday visitors in the Ed Bausch home near Atkinson and evening callers in the Leo Schneider home also of Atkinson.

Mrs. Harold Colfack and family and Mrs. Louis Oxner and girls were Atkinson visitors Friday in the Oscar Keithly and Nels Colfack homes.

Joyce Reynolds of Atkinson is visiting in the Colfack home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fox and family were weekend guests in the Gene Hamik home near Atkinson.

Mr. Abe Stahl of Atkinson was a visitor Thursday in the Harold Colfack home.

Friday evening dinner guests in the Elmo Keller home were Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Greenfield and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stolopart and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seger and family and Mabel Fox.

Mrs. Bernie Dyer and granddaughter of Gregory, S. D., Mr. and Mrs. Ward Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fair of Stuart, Mrs. John Hasch and Mabel Anderson were callers Friday afternoon in the Ray Olson home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Everingham spent Monday in the Elmer Swanson home at Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle Parker and daughters of Kansas City, Mo., visited Mr. and Mrs. Garlen Anderson at Mills Wednesday evening. Mrs. V. E. Anderson accompanied them and visited in the home of Mrs. Sadie McCoid at Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Schoenberger and family and Mrs. Bill Green of Ogden, Utah, were Saturday evening callers in the Frank Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colfack and family of O'Neill were Sunday callers in the Harold Colfack home.

Irvin Christon returned Sunday evening from his checkup at Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adams of Ainsworth were Saturday callers in the Ray Dokes home.

Visitors the past week in the Albert Osterman home were Mr. and Mrs. Udell Brown and Julia, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Copeland and family, Mr. and Mrs. John R.R. Berkeimer and Marilyn, Alice Copeland, Harold Hutton and Mouna Stolopart.

Mrs. Bernie Dyer, Len and Marcia Blaski of Gregory, S.D., and Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Mrs. Sinkler of Dallas, were bel Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Von Seggern of West Point were Thursday night guests in the Frank Ammon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shollenberger and family of Nebraska City, were visitors in the Bill Farr home from Tuesday to Thursday. The Bill Shollenbergers, Bill Farris, Jim Segers A. Max Karo, Daisy Holliday, the Lloyd Aldermans and Mahlon enjoyed a picnic supper Tuesday at Hidden Paradise Park at Long Pine.

The Oscar Anderson's held a family reunion July 3 at the Ainsworth park. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Marion, Kan., Don Andersons family of Mills, the Igle Andersons of Riverview, Charles Bowdens of Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson and Sandra Decker of Grand Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sparks of Grand Island and Mr. and Mrs. L. Bert Hines and grandchildren of Omaha were weekend guests in the Esli Sparks and Pete Kelly homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hyden, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hyden and Larry McCarthy were Sunday visitors in the John Emerson home.

Mrs. Tom Kelly of Valentine was a visitor Sunday evening in the Pete Kelly home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jacob and family spent Sunday in the Ernest Gossard home at Ainsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McMillan and Kathy were Sunday afternoon callers in the Louis Streloro home near Bassett.

Carol Pickenpugh and Bud, Jim and Bob Mitchell of Omaha spent the weekend in the Fay Pickenpugh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Poblems and family of Wayne were Saturday dinner guests in the Bill Farr home.

Capitol News- Pensions For War Veterans Comes Up Again

By Melvin Paul
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN—The problem of a pension for World War I veterans will continue to come up in congress. That's the belief of Louis R. Eby, Director of Veterans Affairs for Nebraska.

He says he thinks the pressure on Congress by World War I veterans and other quarters to provide an adequate pension for all who served in the Great War will produce one in the next session of the lawmaking body. The director feels a pension will be based on age and income.

A pension bill has been passed by Congress but Eby said it benefits the young veterans and widows and children at the expense of the older, or World War I veterans. This is because of income levels of the pension, Eby says, which counts social security as income for older veterans, thus reducing to a low figure the number who can qualify.

Young veterans do not qualify for much social security if they were unable to work and thus could get as high as \$100 per month from the government under the new pension, he added.

Therefore, he says he feels a separate pension bill affecting only World War I veterans will come about, probably in the next meeting of the lawmakers.

Thirty-eight states have given bonus payments to veterans of the first war and some to World War II servicemen. But, in Nebraska a Veterans Aid Fund was established with income going to needy veterans and their families as an outright gift. Nebraska has about 24,000 veterans of World War I.

State Fair
They are starting to hustle a little bit faster in the Capital City. "They" are the employees of the State Fair Board, headed by Secretary Ed Schultz.

Sept. 3-9 are the dates for the annual agricultural exposition and although work goes on year around it begins stepping up in July and August as the grounds are made ready.

Schultz announced that premium money offered at the Fair will be a record total this year, \$83,176. This compares with \$82,093 in 1959.

The cash premiums, the secretary said, will be in addition to the ribbons, plaques and trophies offered by the Fair Board and various merchandise and scholarship awards presented by business firms and civic organizations. Exhibitors of livestock will get the biggest share of the cash premiums.

The Fair Board has 29 members selected from five districts for two year terms. Presidents or elected delegates of county agricultural societies are ex-officio members and are entitled to attend the annual meeting but they have no vote unless the society held a fair the preceding year and filed a report according to law.

The State Board of Agriculture, as the Fair Board is designated in law books, is required to publish an annual report in addition to its prime function of managing the state fair.

The state owns 250 acres of land on which the fair is held and activities of the department, an agency of state government, are paid for out of fair revenue and legislative appropriations.

A territorial Board of Agriculture was authorized in 1858 and the first exposition was held at Nebraska City, Sept. 21-23, 1859. It was not a financial success and enthusiasm of the board diminished.

The other fairs were held in Nebraska City in 1868 and 1869. It was not until Feb. 25, 1879 that a law passed prescribing duties of the Board of Agriculture and providing for a State Fair.

Tax Cut Likely
State Tax Commissioner Forrest Johnson indicates it is possible to cut the state property

tax about 10 cents for every \$1,000 worth of property owned by a Nebraskan. Johnson said this is because of an increase in the worth of property reported this year.

The state levy is used, along with miscellaneous receipts, to operate state government. Currently, Nebraskans pay \$8.45 for every \$1,000 assessed value of property they own to operate state government. This is in addition to the local levies, such as for school districts and county and city governments.

The state levy is set by the Board of Equalization which is expected to meet before Aug 1 to determine how much Nebraskans will pay for state government in 1960.

Handicapped
There are many handicapped children attending regular school systems in Nebraska who need special aid. That's the word from Galen Dodge, state director of the special education division of the State Educational Department.

To try to remedy the situation, the department will ask the 1961 Legislature to appropriate more money to get children enrolled in special courses.

In the past the Legislature has not paid the amount of funds it said it would, Dodge commented, toward the cost of educating the handicapped youngsters. As a result, he added, many schools have dropped such programs. Currently 119 schools in 81 school districts have special programs for the youngsters.

Naper News

By Mrs. John Schonebaum

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cerny and Pauline of Pacomia, Calif. arrived last Sunday to spend their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cerny, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beem and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Vogt and Kelly of Herrick S. D., Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker and Joyce of Winner, S.D. and R. M. Beem enjoyed a picnic dinner on Sunday in the Vincent Reiser home, in honor of Connie Reisers first birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lebsack of Lincoln brought Bobby and Patty Schultz back to their home last Saturday after spending the past week in Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. Lebsack remained to visit with relatives till Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Camin and Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aylin and son of California were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schockemaier and family of Bonesteel. They also celebrated the seventh birthday of Johnnie Aylin.

The Kramer reunion enjoyed a get together on Sunday, July 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hermesen and family of St. Charles, S. D. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kramer and John of Naper, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Parlet and Scott and Teresa of Winner, S. D., Mr. and Mrs. George Kramer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kramer and Mary

Lynn of Lake Andes, S. D., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kramer and Randy of Platte, S. D., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kramer and Annette of La-Mirada, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Higgins, Marcia and Monica, of Loup City and Mrs. Carl Cunningham of Naper.

Thursday evening visitors in the home of Mrs. Anna Gosch and Albert were Mr. and Mrs. George Lebsack of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Reinie Fuhrer, Bill, Janis, Patty, Carolyn and Bob by Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Don Beauchamp and daughter of Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Schockemaier and family of Bonesteel, S. D. and Mr. and Mrs. Ern Juracek.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Ed Cerny, Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cerny and Pauline were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Camin of Anoka were Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Camin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stahlacker and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fischer and family and G. E. Peppel were Sunday evening visitors in the Edward Peppel home.

Mrs. Robert Willuweit and Mrs. Hazel Blake of Jamison were Thursday afternoon visitors in the William Ulrich home.

Last Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reinie Fuhrer of Bonesteel, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Uhlet of Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Fuhrer and Fred Ott and Larry.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ahlers and family in honor of Mrs. W. Ahlers birthday

were Mr. and Mrs. John Schonebaum and Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. August Ahler, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stahlacker and Laura.

Several ladies surprised Mrs. H. Helenbolt at the Locker on Thursday afternoon for her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cerny, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cerny and Pauline and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aylin and son returned to their home in California on Monday after vacation with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ulrich were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mitchell and sons of Spencer. Lonnie Mitchell returned home with his grandparents for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bauld of Herrick, S. D. were Sunday dinner and luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claus Seih.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Helenbolt and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Vogt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Seih and Mrs. Stella Cunningham helped Hazel Helenbolt celebrate her birthday on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander were Sunday evening visitors in the William Ulrich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Seih were Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Red Fuhrer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Green and son of Bristow and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nicolous and sons of Butte were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stahlacker and family of Speeher, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allpress and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis enjoyed a picnic supper at the Jerald Schmitz home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kaster of Mesa, Ariz. spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Speck Whitely and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Whitely and Debra and Tim went to Newman Grove on Friday evening and spent the weekend with the Clem Whitely family.

Bus Schedule

Leave Sioux City	11:30 a.m.
Arrive O'Neill	3:30 p.m.
Leave O'Neill	3:46 p.m.
Arrive Sioux City	7:15 p.m.
Leave Winner	6:00 a.m.
Arrive O'Neill	9:00 a.m.
Leave O'Neill	9:30 a.m.
Arrive Omaha	3:50 p.m.
Return	
Leave Omaha	8:30 a.m.
Arrive O'Neill	12:15 p.m.
Leave O'Neill	3:00 p.m.
Arrive Grand Island	4:05 p.m.
Leave Grand Island	4:05 p.m.
Arrive Omaha	7:45 p.m.
Return	
Leave Omaha	7:45 a.m.
Arrive Grand Island	11:20 a.m.
Leave Grand Island	12:30 p.m.
Arrive O'Neill	4:00 p.m.
Leave O'Neill	4:15 p.m.
Arrive Valentine	7:15 p.m.

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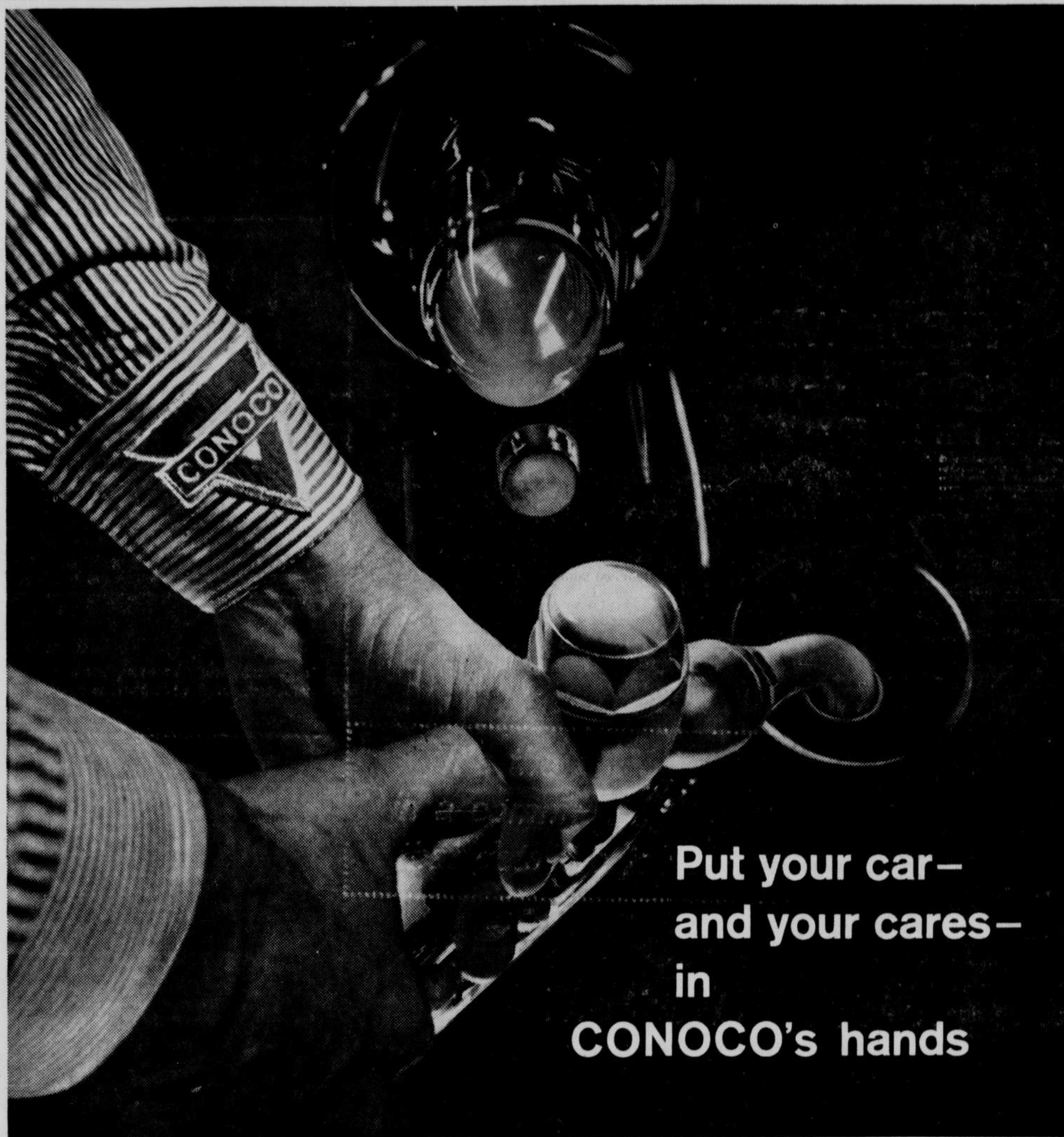
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