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Congressman Karl Stefan, accompanied by Mrs. Stefan, will leave soon for Washington. On January 3, next, Representative Stefan will begin his fifth term as representative from the Third Nebraska District. He will continue as a member of the Appropriations Committee. Other members of the Nebraska delegation are: Carl Curtis of Minden, How-Buffett of Omaha, Dr. A. L. Miller of Kimball. Hugh Butler of Omaha is the senior senator and Kenneth Wherry of Pawnee City is the junior senator.

The new third District is composed of the following counties: Antelope, Boone, Burt, Butler, Cedar, Colfax, Cuming, Dakota, Dixon, Dodge, Hamilton, Knox, Madison, Merrick, Nance, Pierce, Platte, Polk, Saunders, Seward, Stanton, Thurston, Wayne and York. People wishing congressional service should write to Karl Stefan, M. C., 1017 House Office Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Work of the Third District member throughout the district should be completed in a week. Then he returns to Washington. This work at home is personal contact with constituents who have personal problems; with officials of towns and cities and also consists of visits to airports and federal facilities. Much of this work can be easier transacted at home instead of by letter from Washington. Many of the problems accumulated at home will be taken to Washington.

There will be a number of important appropriation conferences before the winding up of the 77th Congress and before the opening of the 78th Congress on January 3. The future expenditures and the future financial needs of the many government bureaus and agencies will be discussed. Budgets are ready for many activities and immediately after the opening of the new congress the appropriation committee members will be busy in closed sessions in order to get the bills ready for the House.

Watch for the fight on silver. Some interests in the country are making a drive on Congress in an effort to repeal legislation authorizing the use of silver as money. The Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Arizona and representatives from other silver producing states are starting a fight for this move. Metals are scarce. Silver may be used for many other things than money and jewelry.

This office has on hand a number of copies of the story of William Tyler Page, the author of "The American's Creed," and also the story of how Mr. Page wrote that masterpiece. If you wish a copy we will be happy to mail it to you.

In answer to questions from musicians: Yes, the Army needs bandmasters, but you have to join the Army and take the basic military training first, and then you get a chance to go to the Army school of music. Army expects to develop 375 band leaders a year from its enlistment and commissioning personnel. Recruiting officers can tell you more about that.

Efforts to eliminate fuel oil rationing in the middle-west have failed. Joel Dean, director of the Fuel Rationing Division of OPA, notified this office that fuel oil rationing must include the middle-west. Practically the same information comes to this office regarding the rationing of gasoline in the mid-west in spite of efforts by many House members to postpone this rationing for 90 days.

Appointments to the naval and military academies will be made by the Third District member within a short time. The appointments of principals and alternates for both schools will be published in this newspaper.

Potato growers have had a hard time of it. Prices have been low. Rick Harrison of Beemer was offered 35 cents a bushel for his spuds. He took them back to his farm and fed them to his hogs.

One constituent asks these questions: How far did France get with the forty-hour week and strikes? The answer is obvious. Germany works 56 hours a day—

Wasted money is wasted lives. Don't waste precious lives. Every dollar you can spare should be used to buy War Bonds. Buy your ten percent every pay day.

no strikes; England works 60 hours a day—no strikes; Russia works 66 hours a day—no strikes; Japan's work week unlimited—no strikes. War is based on a 24-hour day. That is why bills have been introduced to increase the work-week in the United States while we are at war. Government departments are asking for 46 and 48-hour work weeks.

While many people in our district rejoice over the big corn crop, many farmers southwest of Lindsay had very little corn. A hail storm destroyed a lot of corn in that area. Some of it was insured.

Reports reach the Third District that the Nebraska delegation which is composed of all republicans are to organize in Washington. Such organizations have been formed by delegations from other states. The purpose is to get together and work on legislation which will be of most benefit to the state represented.

Each state is allowed one member on the party committee on committees, and one member from each state on the party national congressional committee. These selections are made by a vote of the state delegation. At the present time Congressman Curtis of Minden is the member on the committee on committees. The Third District member is on the national congressional committee. The Senate members have their own organization. House members consult Senate members from their states from time to time. House members are allowed on the Senate floor for visits or conferences with their Senators. They have no voice in the Senate. The same is true of Senators with regards to the House.

BRIEFLY STATED

Miss Dorothy Froelich spent Saturday in Lincoln.

Pete Duffy made a business trip to Norfolk on Tuesday.

Dale Hewett of Ainsworth was here Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Engler of Stuart were visitors in O'Neill on Tuesday.

Judge Mounts and Court Reporter Ted McElhany held court in Bassett, Springview and Ainsworth on Thursday.

Miss Mary Rose Biglin of Hot Springs, S. D., spent Saturday in O'Neill visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Biglin.

George Syfie, U. S. A., who is stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo., came Tuesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Syfie, Sr.

Pfc. Floyd Jareske, of Camp Pickett, Va., is visiting relatives and friends here.

Help Keep the Coast Clear — enlist in the Coast Guard now. 317 P. O. Bldg., Omaha, Nebr.

A heating stove set too close to a partition started a fire in the Steskal shoe shop this afternoon about 1:40. The fire department were promptly on the scene and the fire was soon out with slight damage.

Miss Roxanna Puckett spent last week-end with friends at Ainsworth.

Mrs. Esther Cole Harris and family were Thanksgiving guests of the Pat McGinnis family at Emmet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell went to Chicago on Monday, where they will visit relatives and friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kelly of Anita, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Snyder of Early, Iowa,

Underwriters Sponsor War Bond Program For December

The sale of bonds in northeast Nebraska during the month of December will be sponsored by the Northeast Nebraska Life Underwriters' Association, it was announced today by association president, H. M. Rink. "Every member of the association has pledged himself to do everything in his power to aid the cause of the bond selling program during the month of December," said Rink. Working in co-operation with the underwriters are D. E. Lockmon, county chairman, and the Holt county war bond and stamp committee.

One of the highlights of the December campaign will be a

difference can be made up during the December campaign," said Mr. Betzold.

County workers feel that December is a most appropriate month to buy war bonds; true it will be a heavy month as far as retail purchases are concerned, but for every dollar spent for merchandise by we at home, another dollar should be invested in war bonds as a gift to our boys in the service. It will be an appropriate gift, too, because every dollar invested in war bonds goes for providing food, clothing, guns, ammunition, and supplies, which now are so vitally necessary to the continuance of the allied of-



Northeast Nebraska Life Underwriters are sponsoring the sale of war bonds and stamps during the month of December. Assisting them with publicity and the preparation of the radio program for Sunday, December 13, is Dwight Havens, manager of the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, shown dictating material to his secretary, Mary Anderson.

three-hour radio broadcast on radio station WJAG on the afternoon of Sunday, December 13. A feature of the program, which begins at 3 o'clock p. m., will be talent from over northeast Nebraska; and those who have purchased bonds for this special day will receive recognition on the radio. Speakers from various towns and members of the association will also appear on the program. The program will be broadcast from the stage of the municipal auditorium and is open to the public.

According to figures compiled by A. J. Betzold, Madison county chairman, northeast Nebraska is to be congratulated on the splendid way in which they have made their individual quotas from month to month. "When all county totals of bonds sold are added together and compared with the total county quotas, the difference is only very small. With a little extra effort on the part of northeast Nebraska citizens, that

fensive recently begun. There is no finer way to celebrate the Holiday Season than to invest in the future by buying war bonds. Every investment made in war bonds further guarantees that American ideals will ever stand; it will give the holder of war bonds an income which will be so necessary in the reconstruction period after the war is won.

It's your America and it is worth fighting for. Make your real Christmas gift during the month of December the purchase of another United States Bond; it's a gift you will never regret giving. We, at home, can fight in the people's Cause by buying war bonds until the Cause is won.

For information and details on the purchase of war bonds during the month of December, see your local life underwriters. Members of the Northeast Nebraska Association who live in Holt county are: D. E. Lockmon, O'Neill; F. W. Withers, Atkinson; Ed Thorin, Chambers; H. J. O'Connor, Atkinson.

visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Pruss from Sunday until Tuesday. Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Snyder are sisters of Mrs. Pruss.

Dr. and Mrs. Brown entertained the Contract Club at a 7:00 dinner at a local cafe Sunday, followed by cards at their home.

Mrs. Wm. Ryan and son, Billie, left Sunday for their home in Ainsworth, after visiting relatives here for the past two weeks.

Miss Helen Toy of Chadron spent Thanksgiving here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Toy, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Dorothy Sutcliffe left on Tuesday for Washington, D. C., and Leesburg, Va., to visit relatives and friends. From there

she will go to New River, N. C., to visit her husband, who is a private in the marine corps, and is assigned to a Quartermaster's school there.

Misses Mary Jane Iler, Leah Iler and Roma MacLachlan spent Sunday and Monday in Sioux City visiting friends.

Miss Hazel Iler left on Sunday for Omaha, where she attends Duschene College, after spending Thanksgiving here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jack Honeycutt and son, Jackie, returned to their home in Omaha last Saturday, after visiting relatives and friends here for several days.

Defective teeth lead to a diet of soft foods. Eat raw vegetables and vitamins, "the diet of youth," and remain young. — Dr. Fisher, Dentist. 31-1

Jim Matthews, of Washington, D. C., came home last Thursday to visit relatives and friends for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clauson and Dr. and Mrs. Spencer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson on Thanksgiving day.

Ruth Harris of Ogden, Iowa, spent Thanksgiving here with her mother, Esther Cole Harris, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. R. V. Koupal of Lincoln and Lieut. Hugh McKenna of Sioux City spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenna.

Mrs. K. D. Fenderson entertained the Merrimex Club at a 7:30 p. m. dessert lunch at her home Tuesday night. Mrs. Lindberg won high score.

Jack Harty, who attends Loyola University in Chicago, left on Sunday, after spending Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harty.

Miss Genevieve Biglin returned to her home in Sioux City last Sunday, after visiting relatives and friends here for several days.

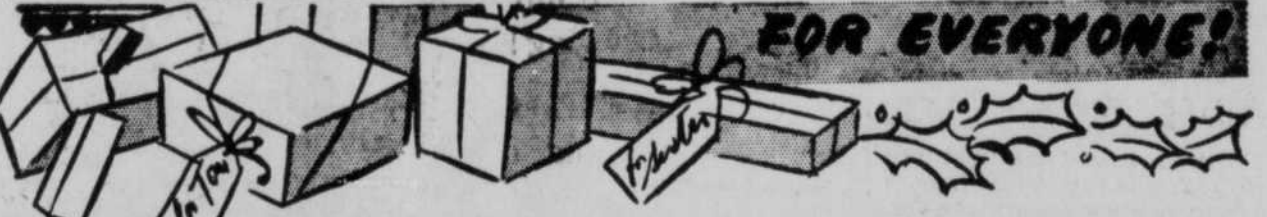
Henry Martin drove to Sioux City last Sunday to get his wife, who had undergone a major operation at Rochester, Minn., a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waldrop of Kearney spent Thanksgiving here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. E. Yantzi and daughter, Margaret Jean, returned home on Sunday from Omaha, where they visited relatives and friends over Thanksgiving.

Save At Brown-McDonald's And Choose

Practical Gifts



Not for donkey's years has it been so necessary for us to be so practical in our Christmas giving. Something people can USE is the order of the day. Use personally, or use for home convenience or comfort. Here you'll find practical gifts at practical prices that will aid war time budgets to take care of extra war time obligations.

FOR MEN

- Broadcloth Pajamas**
Two-piece style, colors and patterns a man likes. Smart trim. Each \$1.65
- Dress Shirts**
Sanforized shrunk. Lustrous white broadcloth or vat dyed prints. Each \$1.65
- Leather Wallets**
Compartments for currency, lodge and identification cards. Rich brown \$1
- Leather Belts**
Popular widths in brown or black leather, with non-rust buckle. Each 55c
- Gift Neckties**
Four-in-hands, generously cut and lined for extra wear. Richly patterned \$1
- Dress Gloves**
Lined or unlined leather gloves in slip-on style. Black or brown, pair \$1.98
- Luxury Robes**
Gabardine robes of rayon in solid colors of wine, blue, brown, etc. \$7.95
- Dress Socks**
Fine quality rayon in a big variety of fancy patterns. Anklets or socks 25c
- Gift Suspenders**
The new narrow widths in various colors. A practical and useful gift 55c
- Coat Sweaters**
For office wear, outdoors, etc. All wool for office wear, outdoors, etc. Part wool coats, button front. \$2.98
- Handkerchiefs**
Big white squares with narrow hems, or with colored borders. Each 15c and 25c
- House Slippers**
The comfort gift. Leather slippers with leather soles. Brown or black \$2.49

FOR WOMEN

- Rayon Stockings**
Sheer and clear for dress wear. Improved rayon, full fashioned. Pair 98c
- Beautiful Gowns**
Floor length night gowns of lustrous rayon. Tailored or trimmed. \$1.98 and \$2.98
- House Robes**
Of spun rayons and chenille. Lovingly enough for hostess wear. Each \$4.98 to \$7.95
- Quilted Robes**
Luxurious robes of quilted satin, plain or printed. Floor length. Each \$8.95
- Rayon Slips**
Tailored by Lorraine and noted for perfect fit. Tailored or trimmed at \$1.69
- Smart Sweaters**
Slipover or cardigan styles. Various colors. Long or short sleeves. \$1.98 up to \$3.98
- Gift Handkerchiefs**
Three in a box. Dainty white squares of sheer lawn with embroidery. Box 49c
- House Slippers**
Comfy felt slippers in assorted colors. Soft soles for foot ease \$1.29
- Fabric Gloves**
Suede finish, some with leather trim. A dressy glove for \$1.00
- Roomy Handbags**
Fabric bags in long reticule shape on a wood frame. Black or colors, at \$1.98
- Clever Pajamas**
Of lustrous satin or knit rayon. Butcher boy model. 2-piece, at \$2.98, \$3.98
- Pair Of Slacks**
Tailored of rayon. A grand gift for wear about the house and for sport \$5.95

FOR BOYS

- Dress Shirts**
Fine count fabrics, fast color in patterns boys and mothers like. Sizes to 14 79c
- Gift Ties**
Four-in-hand ties of good wearing rayon in assorted patterns and colors. Each 29c
- Boot Socks**
Part wool, heavy knit socks to wear with lace boots or slippers. Fancy tops 39c
- Pullover Sweaters**
Part wool for extra warmth. Long sleeves. For school or dress wear. \$1.49 and \$1.98
- Warm Mittens**
Thick rayon pile backs that look like fur. Leather palm. Red or blue. Pair \$1.29
- Sweat Shirts**
Heavy cotton shirts fleece lined. For gym wear or for boys who work outside 98c
- Ear Muffs**
Made of rayon pile fabric that gives lots of protection against cold. Pair 39c
- Union Suits**
Knit cotton suits with long leg and long sleeve. Knit wrist and ankle. Each 98c

FOR GIRLS

- School Dresses**
Cinderella cotton dresses for girls to 14. Smartly styled of superior fabric \$1.19
- Separate Skirts**
In solid colors or plaids, smartly pleated. Ensemble with a sweater \$2.98
- Warm Sweaters**
Slip-on or coat types, short sleeve and long sleeve styles. \$1.49, \$1.98 \$2.98
- Gift Mittens**
Toasty warm of bright-colored pile fabrics that go well with anything. Pair for 79c
- Chenille Robes**
For girls 4 to 14. Long robes in lovely colors. A grand gift for only \$3.98
- House Slippers**
Of warm felt in gay colors. Just right to slip on night and morning. Pair 98c
- School Anklets**
Cotton anklets in solid colors with turn down cuffs. Excellent wearing. Pair 35c
- Box Handkerchiefs**
White with fancy borders in colors. For school or other use. Three in box 49c

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"We will be waiting for you guys to help..."

THE LAST message from our boys on Corregidor, tapped out on a wireless key by tired fingers, said in part "They have got us all around and from the skies... the jig is up... we will be waiting for you guys to help." Yes, it is up to us. We are fast preparing to return with compound interest the dirty blows dealt us by Japan, and to wipe aggression from the earth. Vast sums of money are needed, right now. Buy war bonds — all you can — from income. Get them at this bank.

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Mrs. Addie Wrede has been informed of the death of her son-in-law, Wesley Eastman, of Greeley, Colo. His body will arrive here Saturday morning, and services will be held at the Methodist church at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Roy Lundgren returned to his studies at the University of Nebraska last Sunday, after spending Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lundgren.

Mrs. Josephine Kruntorad and son, James, of Pierce, spent Thanksgiving day here visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Helen Sirek.

Bob Parkins, who attends Loyola University in Chicago, returned to that place last Sunday, after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Parkins.

Mrs. J. M. Hayes and daughter, Mrs. Helen Barkhuff, of San Pedro, Calif., drove to Fremont last Friday for a short visit at the

home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hayes. Mrs. Hayes came back Tuesday night, while her daughter left Fremont for her California home. Mrs. Hayes will spend about a week here closing up some business and will then leave for Gilmore City, Iowa, where she will spend the winter with her mother.

Miss Pauline Tingley returned to Lincoln last Sunday, after spending the holidays visiting Miss Mabel Osenbaugh. Both girls attend the University of Nebraska.

Miss Marjorie Cronin entertained six girls at a one o'clock luncheon at her home last Saturday, afternoon complimenting Miss Pauline Tingley of Lincoln, who was the house guest over the holidays of Miss Mabel Osenbaugh.

Mrs. J. P. Brown and Mrs. W. H. Harty took Mary Harty to Sioux City on Monday, from where she returned to Chicago,

after spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harty, and other relatives.

Owen Davidson, U.S.N., who is stationed at Pensacola, Fla., came Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of his father, James Davidson, who was buried on Wednesday.

Miss Constance Biglin, who is a student nurse at St. Vincent's Hospital in Sioux City, returned to her duties last Sunday, after spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biglin, and other relatives.

Keith Vincent, who attends the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, returned to his studies last Sunday, after spending Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vincent, and other relatives here.

Miss Ruth Ann Biglin, who teaches school at Petersburg, left on Sunday, after spending the Thanksgiving holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Biglin.