

Deer Hunting Chief Rock Falls Activity

ROCK FALLS—There has been considerable activity and excitement since the last paper went to press, as eager hunters, who had been fortunate enough to obtain a license tried to get their deer.

The majority were successful. However some were not so fortunate.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Larson of Venus and Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Lieb and Kathy were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Derickson several days, and the group, including Sam, got their deer.

The Larsons and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hynes and Lynda were Sunday dinner guests of the Dericksons.

Other Rock Falls News

Mrs. James Newman and Joyce of Stuart were visitors at the John Schultz on Thursday, December 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hegler and sons, James and Douglas, were overnight guests at the Floyd Johnson home on Friday, December 7. They were on their way from California to St. Paul, Minn., where Mr. Hegler had been transferred.

Robert Yantzi and daughter, Debbie, spent last week with Mrs. Kathryn Yantzi.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Strong and sons, Ronald and Donald, of Omaha, visited at the Albert Sterns home from Tuesday, December 4, until Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Strong is the former Mildred Sterns. Other Sunday guests were Edward Sterns and sons, Edward, Bernard, Roger and Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Sterns and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Taylor, Norman and Barbara, spent Tuesday, December 4, and Saturday evenings at the John Schultz home.

Herb Underwood and Pat Gallagher were dinner guests at the Floyd Johnson home on Wednesday, December 5.

The Lyle Vequist family were Friday evening, December 7, visitors at the Henry Vequist home.

Friday evening visitors at the Lou Brown home included Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Drucke and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Taylor and children.

Danny, Douglas, Colleen and baby sister, small children of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Drucke, spent Saturday, December 8, at the Lou Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sterns and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Strong were Friday evening, December 7, visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McMillan of Emmet. Mrs. McMillan is Mrs. Strong's mother. Sunday, December 9, dinner at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Orville Morrow, and family.

Mrs. James McNulty visited Sunday afternoon, December 9, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lyle Weir and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Weber of St. Paul were Sunday, December 9, dinner and evening guests of the Floyd Johnson family. Mrs. Weber and Mrs. Johnson are cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Derickson and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Lieb were supper guests of the Don Hynes family on Thursday, December 6.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz are girls visited at the home of John's mother, Mrs. John Kersensbrock, and family, on Sunday evening, December 9, after church.

Mrs. Floyd Johnson and Linda were supper guests Saturday, December 8, of the Gordon Johnson family in their new home on West Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. William Claussen were guests at a birthday dinner on Sunday, December 9, at the Claussen farm near Emmet honoring the 12th birthday anniversary of Kenny Claussen of Atkinson. Other guests included Kenny's mother, Mrs. Margaret Claussen, and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Claussen. The latter baked the birthday cake.

John Richardson was a visitor at the Albert Sterns home on Thursday, December 6.

Recent Moves

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Savidge and Cynthia, 7, Phillip, 5, and Sharry, 4, moved from Wilber the first part of the month to north of Northern Heights. His mother, Mrs. Anna Savidge of Ewing, visited them recently. He is district manager for J. I. Case company.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lorenz have moved into the Bowen house north of the Methodist church and Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Arnold and Michael moved into the Lorenz house.

Card Party Held Sunday Eve

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sullivan and Mrs. Mary Tomlinson were in charge of the Friends of St. Mary card party held Sunday evening. Ira Moss won the door prize. Mrs. Margaret Boler won high and Bob Devoey, low at bridge. Gilbert Winchell won high at pinochle and Morgan Ward, low. Miss Shirley Ross won high at pitch and Mrs. Charles Richter, low.

Patsy Ann McKay Marks 7th Birthday

Patsy Ann McKay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carrol H. McKay, celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary at a party Sunday afternoon. The guests were the little girls in her second grade class at St. Mary's Academy. Ice cream and cake were served.

4-H Members Back the Attack on Highway Deaths



TOP WINNERS IN THE 4-H FARM AND HOME SAFETY PROGRAM use a battering ram to dramatize the decision of the two million 4-H members to smash the barricade of 42,000 fatal accidents which annually block safe motoring on America's highways. Urging them to "Back the Attack" is A. G. De Lorenzo (right), Public Relations Director of General Motors, awards donor for the nation-wide safety program. Each of these national winners received \$300 college scholarships from GM. In addition, they and the other 42 state winners received all-expense trips to the 35th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago from General Motors. Left to right are: Loretta Hales, Spanish Fork, Utah; Richard Parsons, Parsonsburg, Md.; Anita Mae Wenger, Powhattan, Kansas; Marjorie Rauwerdink, Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; Ella Lou Hembree, Brainer, Okla.; Richard Mitchell, Denver, Colo., and Clyde Templeton, Olin, N. C.

State Capitol News

Conflict in Health Department

LINCOLN—It's no secret that a rift exists between Gov. Victor Anderson and the state board of health over the operation of the state health department.

And, instead of being resolved, the breach is widening.

Basically, the argument does not involve personalities. It is one of procedure over who has authority to govern the department.

Observers speculate that the conflict may have to be resolved in the 1957 legislature, either by abolishing the seven-member board or clarify law on who has authority over what matters.

Governor Anderson said several state senators have discussed the possibility of legislation to abolish the board.

The governor admits there has been difficulty with the board over policy. But he emphasized the problem in no way affects members of the board, five of whom have been reappointed by the governor.

Dr. Joseph Burt of Lincoln, board vice-chairman, says the trouble stems from interpretation of the basic policy-making authority.

Difficulties came into the open when the board proposed substantial pay hikes for department personnel. The governor held them up pending a study. The board contended the governor did not have the authority.

Then the governor went to the attorney-general for an opinion on who has the final say in health department matters.

Attorney-General C. S. Beck came up with this answer: The governor still retained his authority over the department, as was the case before the board was established by the legislature, because of the way the law creating the board was written.

Thus the governor appoints seven persons to do the job formerly handled by the health director, Dr. E. A. Rogers. But the board has the power to appoint Rogers and set his salary.

Last May, the governor called the board in for a "man to man" talk about its duties. But there has been little improvement since.

It is known the governor has received a sizeable number of complaints from citizens on the lack of tact in some cases on the part of health department employees.

It is believed the governor took up this matter with the board and that he is not satisfied with the results.

There has been a continuing series of "incidents" between the governor and the board, none serious, but all pointing to the breach between the two.

Now, four department staff members, two of them assistant heads of divisions, quit to go to jobs with higher pay. Doctor involved, who has not been directly involved in the difficulty between the board and the governor, would not comment on significance of the resignations.

But, he noted that pay raises of five percent slated to go into effect November 1, had been turned down. Rogers said loss of the staff members is "discouraging. But you can't blame them for taking positions which they feel offer them more."

University Budget

There has been considerable speculation on how much of an increase in tax funds Governor Anderson will recommend for the University of Nebraska.

Informal sources say the figure may be as much as \$4 million, and is almost certain to be \$2.5 million.

The school is seeking a \$5,563,125 increase in state tax funds for the 1957-59 biennium.

Recommendations of the governor go to the legislature where they carry considerable weight. The governor also is expected to say how much of the increase he recommends for the school should go for the salaries.

Chancellor Clifford Hardin says the salary problem is the most pressing one facing the school right now. Most of the increase sought would go for salaries.

The governor has made it known that he will have to look favorably on the matter of salary increases for some personnel but that he is opposed to adding new persons.

However, in the case of the university, he is expected to give some consideration to new personnel which the school says it needs to offset climbing enrollments.

Accelerated Roads — State Engineer L. N. Ress has pin-pointed the magnitude of the accelerated federal aid program for roads.

If Nebraska used all the money available from the federal government for the interstate highway, and all regular federal aid funds allocated in 1956, it would have to award \$927,000 worth of contracts per week, starting last July 1, to use it all in the next three years.

That calculation does not include the regular federal aid funds which are not yet under contract, but allocated to Nebraska, Ress said.

Ress stated if the counties don't quadruple their present use of federal funds and the cities don't step up their pace three-fold, Nebraska will have \$132 million to match at the end of the next three years.

Of that figure, about \$3 million will be federal aid for the interstate highway which Nebraska, under its present revenue structure can't match Ress said.

Right now, Nebraska is one of 11 states that are lagging in the interstate highway construction program. Nebraska hasn't used any of the money the federal government has made available on a \$9 federal, \$1 state matching basis.

Ress said the highway administrators throughout the nation are trying to keep current in federal aid expenditures for the interstate highway. This, he said, is because if they don't congress could conceivably cut back the program in the future.

Plans Yule Party

The Chez a Marie club will hold a Christmas party Monday at the home of Mrs. Joseph McCarville, Jr.

Auxiliary's Future Plans Study Topic

STAR—The Ash Grove auxiliary met at the hall Tuesday, December 4. Discussions were held on future plans for the auxiliary.

Reports were made on the bazaar and supper, also the lunch sold at the Lyman Parks farm sale.

At the close of the meeting, the group sang the birthday song for Mrs. Ben Vonasek. Mrs. Vonasek served the refreshments. Her birthday anniversary was that day.

Next auxiliary meeting will be Wednesday, January 2, instead of Tuesday, January 1.

Other Star News

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Derickson were in Omaha Wednesday, December 5.

Ewalt Miller visited with his brother, Richard, Monday, December 3.

The Star Get-Together club meets this week at the home of Mrs. Bob Tomlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Miller spent Saturday evening at the Gerald Waring home.

Arnold Miller had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Waring and Arlee. Other visitors were Glen Waring and son and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Godel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lysle Johnson and family were Sunday visitors at the Archie Kroycek home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krugman and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Juracek and family.

Miss Hazel Marie Johnson was honored at a bridal shower Saturday afternoon at the Ash Grove hall. Mesdames Bob Sholes, Johnny Babi and Marvin Richter were in charge.

Earns Promotion with Nevada Bank

Mrs. Rose M. Pollock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart of O'Neill, has been appointed paymaster for the First National Bank of Nevada. She is in charge of central payroll for the statewide bank system.

Mrs. Pollock, who graduated from high school here and from a business school in Omaha, went to Reno, Nev., in 1946 as an employee of Mutual of Omaha. She joined the Nevada banking firm in 1950, first as a secretary. She transferred to the head office payroll department last July.

Her husband is William S. Pollock of Reno. They have two daughters, Colleen and Pamela.

Informal Party

Company D of the National Guard held an informal party at the Legion club for their wives and guests Monday evening.

Mrs. Nelson Hostess

Mrs. Richard E. Nelson will be hostess for the bridge club next Monday. They will have dinner at the M and M.

Frontier Printing.

Riverside News

Alice Shrader returned home after a few days' visit with the Verl Gunter family at Crookston.

Ava and Bruce Fink of Page visited at the Bert Fink home Friday while Leo cabled hay for Wendell Switzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller visited at the Dave Pollock home Friday evening. They were dinner guests at Bert Fink's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery left early Thursday morning to visit their daughter, Mrs. James (Beverly) Love and family at Buffalo, N. Y., stopping enroute at the John Pennington home near Aurora, Ill., leaving there to continue their journey Monday morning.

Mrs. Earl Pierson ate dinner Friday with her mother, Mrs. Edith McClanahan at Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Deke Lorenzen and Mr. and Mrs. Rol Hord visited with the Alphonse Wosinger family Wednesday evening, December 5.

James Gunter visited at the Lyle Switzer home Wednesday, December 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fry and family were supper guests of his mother, Mrs. Kitty Fry Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wehenkel and Barbara of Neligh were Sunday dinner guests at the Robert Montgomery home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery ate supper Tuesday with the Rol Hord family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pribnow and Marana of Cedar Rapids were Sunday dinner guests at the Earl Pierson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Napier visited with the Kenneth Hill children Tuesday evening, December 4, while Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Napier took Russel Napier and some of the pep club girls to the basketball game in Tilden.

Mr. and Mrs. Web Napier and Russel gave a dinner Sunday, honoring Mr. and Mrs. John Napier with the following guests, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Napier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harpster and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Napier and daughters.

Celia News

Marvin Kroeger and A. F. Svoboda of Schuyler spent Monday, December 3, to Thursday hunting deer at the John Sichenoder home. Charley Tashler also hunted with the group. Each of them got his deer.

Charles Johnson went Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Lois Lauridsen, and family for a few days.

Hans Lauridsen went to Lake Andes, S.D., on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sichenoder and Gail spent Sunday, December 2, with her mother, Mrs. Fern Morsett, and family at Royal. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Raff and her mother of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck and daughter, also Dorothy Scott, were Friday supper guests at the William Maloum home.

Monday evening, December 6, guests at the Duane Beck home were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hoffmann and sons and Mr. and Mrs. William Maloum.

Alex Forsyth left Sunday for Nogales, Ariz., and expects to spend Christmas with his sister, Mr. Lou Bellman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maloum accompanied Dorothy Scott to O'Neill Thursday morning. In the afternoon they went to Battle with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck and daughter.

Rev. and Mrs. Steinkamp were Monday evening, December 3, visitors at the Mark Hendricks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. William Maloum and Billy were Friday night supper guests at the Dorothy Scott home.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hoffman and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Beck and family and Vernon Whitehead enjoyed an oyster supper at the home of Mrs. Inez Beck in Atkinson.

Vickie Frickel was a Monday, December 3, overnight guest at the Leonard Chaffin home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beck were Thursday afternoon and supper guests at the Duane Beck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Krugman of O'Neill were Sunday afternoon and supper guests at the Le Roy Hoffman home.

Dorothy Scott and Mr. and Mrs. William Maloum and Billy were Sunday supper guests at the Duane Beck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kilmurry, Theresa and Dickie were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Duane Beck home.

Arlin Hendricks spent Sunday with the Leonard Chaffin family.

- Platform Rockers 39.50 to 49.50
- Floor Lamps 9.95 to 22.50
- Mirrors 7.95 to 29.50
- Hassocks 4.95 to 13.95
- Radios 16.95 39.95
- Step Tables 8.95 to 39.50
- Cedar Chests 49.50
- Chrome Dinettes 59.50 to 129.50
- Bedroom Suites 169.50 to 249.50
- Card Table Sets 34.75 to 46.75
- Vanity Lamps 2.95 to 5.95
- JUVENILE TABLE & Chair Sets 10.95 to 19.95
- TV Sets RCA - ADMIRAL 229.95 to 349.50

MAKE WISHES COME TRUE WITH GIFTS FOR YOUR HOME

SPECIAL LIGHTED PICTURES 7.95 to 19.95

ELECTRIC BLANKETS 24.95

- Swivel Chairs 39.50 to 89.50
- Table Lamps 4.95 to 12.95
- Pictures 2.95 to 12.95
- Step Stools 8.95 to 13.95
- Electric Clocks 4.95 to 9.95
- Coffee Tables 9.90 to 39.50
- Clothes Hampers 7.95 to 12.95
- 2-Pc. Sectionals 179.50 to 239.50
- Hidabeds 209.50
- Record Players 24.95 to 79.95
- TV Lamps 4.95 to 7.95
- Juvenile Rockers 7.95 to 12.95
- Smokers 5.95 to 14.95

Midwest Furniture and Appliance Company

PHONE 346-J WEST O'NEILL

CHRISTMAS TREES

NOW ON SALE!

at the building located at 112 South Fourth street or 2 doors north of the Police Station (former Osborne Appliance).

Trees will be on sale every day (except Sundays) from 9 to 12 and from 1 to 5 and Thursday and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9.

American Legion
SIMONSON POST 93

COAST TO COAST STORES

10 MORE SHOPPING DAYS

Christmas Sale

Save on Gifts for Everyone on Your List

Easy Steering 36-INCH SLED \$2.99	Carving & Steak KNIFE SET \$9.95 \$6.95 Value	A Workshop Gift WALL RACK \$1.88	Multiple Burning TREE LIGHTS \$1.99
Strong steel undergear. Curled end runners. Brightly painted hardwood top.	9-Piece set with carving knife, fork and sharpening steel, plus 6 stainless steel steak knives.	with 12 jars that slide easily in and out of metal rack. 8 1/2 x 18 inches.	An American made set with 7 bulbs that burn independently. For indoor use. With tree clips.
Kitchen Tools 7-PIECE SET \$9.95 \$7.95 With Rack Value	25-Foot Trouble LIGHT \$2.25 \$1.50 Value	Personal Papers STEEL FILE \$2.39	10 Inch Red TRICYCLE \$7.69 \$6.99 Value
All of stainless steel. Fork, spoon, masher, ladle, turner, spatula. On handy rack.	Push through switch and extra convenience outlet in the handle. \$2.25 value.	Fitted with 8 file folders and automatic safety lock. Size 12 1/2 x 5 x 10 inches.	Sturdy 1 1/4 inch tubing with 9/16 inch rubber tires. Red with white trim.

COAST-TO-COAST STORES
O'Neill, Nebr. Phone 125