

Ewing News

By Mrs. Harold Harris

Ben Larsen had the following visitors Sunday at St. Anthony's hospital where he is a patient: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pruden and Mrs. Ben Larsen, Ewing; Melvin Pruden, Fort Riley, Kan., and a friend from Page and Mrs. Mae Pruden, O'Neill. Ernest Pierson is also a patient at St. Anthony's.

Mrs. Mildred Wright accompanied Mrs. Lucile Biddlecome to Madison Saturday night where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hegr and family. The occasion was in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Biddlecome and Mr. Hegr.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Loughrey and family, Norfolk, attended the funeral service of Mrs. Daisy Wilson held Sunday afternoon at the United Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Waudo Davis and Marie were Sunday dinner and evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Watters, Colby, Kan., were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merton Dieck and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Minarik and Larry spent Sunday at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Woslager.

The Past Matrons' club and Sars Kensington which was postponed Friday, Feb. 23, will be held Thursday (today) at the home of Mrs. Aubrey Wood.

Sunday afternoon guests at the Aubrey Wood home were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pierson and the Rev. and Mrs. Lester Spragg and Vicki.

Albert Schindler, Omaha, came Saturday to attend the wedding of Floyd Scholl and Elizabeth Beck at St. John's church. Mrs. Schindler and her mother, Mrs. Edith Scholl, accompanied him home Sunday. Mrs. Scholl plans to visit several days at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olson were Sunday dinner guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Olson and family, near Clearwater. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson, Elgin.

Sharon Kropp was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Max Jeffers at O'Neill Saturday.

Mrs. Ben Larsen makes daily trips to O'Neill to spend some time with her husband who is a patient at St. Anthony's hospital. He was entered Wednesday suffering from a heart attack. Mrs. Mae Pruden accompanied her home Sunday and was an overnight guest at her home.

Jephthah Chapter No. 85, Order of the Eastern Star, postponed the banquet and School of Instruction which was to have been held Saturday, Feb. 24, due to stormy weather and bad road conditions. No future date has been set for this event.

Callers at the home of Mrs. Mabel Boies Thursday were Mrs. Boyd Dochow, Concordia, Kan.; Mrs. Sena Richard, Topeka, Kan.; Mrs. Iola Hill, Beatrice, Kan.; and Mrs. Michael Hays, Vermilion, Kan. All are daughters of Mrs. Daisy Wilson, whose funeral was held Sunday.

(from last week)

Mrs. Lavinia Kobold, Sioux City, Ia., and Mrs. John Sehi were guests Saturday at the home of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Koenig. In the afternoon the women visited Mrs. Anna Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sojka and family were Sunday guests at the Koenig home.

The Golden Valley 4-H club met Monday afternoon at the home of Anita Parks. Ten members answered roll call. They made needle books and discussed the tools needed in sewing. The group taking beginning baking discussed muffins. Lunch was served by Anita's mother, Mrs. Harold Parks.

Clifford Juracek and Jerry Black, students at the Norfolk Junior college, spent the weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Juracek and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Black.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bartos, O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tuttle were Monday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Tessmer and sons.

Mrs. Walter Sievers and son, Don, Brunswick also two grandchildren were guests Saturday at the home of Mrs. Josie Sievers.

Ernest Norwood entered the Tilden hospital after becoming ill Monday due to over exertion while shoveling snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Snyder returned home Saturday from Central City where they spent a few days at the home of their son, Arthur Snyder and family.

Duane Hord returned to his work at Syracuse Sunday evening after spending the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hord.

Mrs. Will Conner, who was hospitalized at St. Anthony's hospital in O'Neill last week, came home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Roland Hord and son, Duane, Syracuse, were dinner guests Sunday at the Alfred Napier home.

Mrs. George Montgomery was a Saturday dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hord.

Roland Hord, who has been staying at the Kenneth Hill home near Page doing chores while Mr. Hill was hospitalized, returned home Monday.

Carol's Conoco Bowling team of Ewing participated in the bowling tournament held at O'Neill Sunday. Members are Mrs. Weldon Alexander, Mrs. Lorraine Wright, Mrs. Don Ruroede substituting for Mrs. Roger Pofahl who was in Omaha, Mrs. Herbert Kirschmier and Mrs. Rocky. Due to the road conditions a few teams were unable to be present and their games were scheduled for a later date so no returns have been announced.

Mrs. Ed Urban and Mrs. Robert Pruden were Thursday callers at the Richard Bollweit home in Neligh.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kay and family spent the weekend at Rosalie and Pender with relatives. They found their homeward trip hazardous over the icy and snow packed roads.

Mrs. Ed Kaczor and family were callers Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Latzel. The Latzels have been ill with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Angus and family visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watson McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Angus. They delayed their homeward trip to Lincoln until Monday.

A fire alarm was sounded about 10 p.m. Friday and firemen were called to the Don Parsons place in the northeast edge of town where a building used for the storage of hay and straw was afire. The fire had by then made such headway little could be done to save the building or its contents. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons were not at home at the time. A neighbor saw the blaze and called in the report.

Mrs. Martha Hill and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Kenneth Hill, returned home Sunday night

from Oklahoma. They returned by the way of Omaha where they got Mr. Hill who was able to go to his home at Page after being hospitalized for some time. They report driving hazardous due to the ice and snow packed highways.

The Boy Scout committee, Troop 181, held a meeting Monday evening to make arrangements for the first meeting of the troop Tuesday evening, Feb. 27 at the C & NW Railway depot. Bob Eppenbach will be the new master. All boys 11 years and over interested in the re-organization of Troop 181, are eligible to belong in this troop.

Nebraska's share of this amount would be \$604.5 million. The per capita cost for each man, woman and child in Nebraska would be \$422.43. This is your share of the proposed budget for the coming year for each member of your household. This is a tremendous sum of money to be taken out of the income of each of you. This is why I oppose so vigorously many of the new spending programs which have been proposed to the Congress. The breaking point is rapidly being reached in the amount of taxation which the American taxpayer can bear.

The Administration is going to ask the Congress for standby authority to set up a \$2 billion Federal public program to be available to the President if a recession should set in. It is interesting to note that the Executive Board of the AFL-CIO Building and Construction Trades Department took this action some time ago and are the ones who urged the President to act. Again, this is another measure which transfers the authority of the Congress to the Executive Branch of our government. We need some carefully studied plans to reduce the cost of government by the

President, instead of continued messages to increase the cost.

If you note carefully the Secretary of Agriculture's report to the Congress on the Administration's new farm program, you will see that one of the biggest surprises of the Kennedy Administration this year is the abandonment of the "family farm" concept of agriculture. The Secretary in a speech in Chicago estimated that within the next

25 years, 50 million acres of land would have to be taken out of production. The only interpretation which can be placed on this statement is that the goal of the Administration is the elimination of the family farm and the retirement of thousands of farmers from agriculture in the next 25 years. The President's farm program is presently the subject of hearings by the House Agriculture Committee.

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