Amelia News

By Miss Florence Lindsey

Friends and relatives in this community were saddened by the death of Mrs. Delia Ernst, Dec. 19. She was with her daughterin-law, Mrs. Charlie Ernst at Wichita, Kan. Funeral services were in O'Neill Saturday morn-

Don Clemens has been seriously ill in the Atkinson hospital. He was ill several days before it was diagnosed as a ruptured appendix. An emergency operation was performed Thursday evening at 6 o'clock and he is recuperating satisfactorily. Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton (Bud) Clemens and a senior in Atkinson high school.

Miss Venita White returned home from the holidays Thursday evening from McPherson, Kan., where she is attending Central college.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith returned to their home at Maxwell, Nebr., Friday after visiting her sister and brother-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Waldo and their son, Hamp Smith and family. Mrs. Hamp Smith was not feeling very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Hatch and son, Akron, Colo., came Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Charles Bligh, Alliance, to Omaha Friday where they will visit over Christmas with their granddaughter, Mrs. Dick Brau and Mr. Brau. Mr. Bligh will also join them in Omaha.

Jerry Dickerson, Tulsa, Okla., came Saturday to join his wife and son, Floyd, at the Clyde Floyd have been staying with her Chambers News Burge home. Mrs. Dickerson and father, Clyde Burge, Robert, Joyce and Bruce since the death of Mrs. Burge the early part of November. The Dickersons will all return to their home in Tulsa after the holidays where Mr. Dickerson is coach in one of the

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nielsen, Rodney and Brad, Omaha, spent Christmas with Clyde Burge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ott, O'-Neill. Mrs. Gloria Landrum and Sally, Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Ott were Christmas dinner guests with the Floyd Adams fam-

Mr. and Mrs. Hienie Frahm, Patty, Douglas, Dannie, Sue and Gregg spent Christmas Day with her sister and family, the Walter Meyers, near Bassett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barnett, Greeley, Colo., came Friday night and will visit until after Christmas with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Barnett, Amelia and Mr. and Mrs.

Ned Aldersen, Chambers. Mr. and Mrs. William Schmit, Sara, Margie and Bill jr., Council Bluffs, Ia., came Saturday night and visited over Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Gertie

Mr. and Mrs. August Boltz, Grand Island, visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Berry Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stark, Ceresco, spent the holidays with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hansen and family.

Mr. and Mrs George Fullerton took the Dick Doolittle family to Grand Island Tuesday evening, Dec. 18, where they boarded a

train for California to spend the Mr. and Mrs. William Fryrear

spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lew Backhaus. Mrs. Art Doolittle and Dale took Mrs. Gertrude Marcellus to Omaha Wednesday from where she went to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Keeney and family, Bellaire,

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Forbes, Gerald and Lesly, Fort Collins, Colo., spent the Christmas season with relatives and friends in this vicinity and at Atkinson. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clauson,

Linda, Debra and Harold Lynn, Denver, Colo., spent the Christmas holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gilman and Mrs. Margaret Clauson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fisher had as their Christmas holiday guests their daughter, Miss Dorothy Fisher, Potterville, Mich., and Mrs. Lynn Myers and her husband and family, Covington, Ok-

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Backhaus spent Tuesday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Berry. Mrs. Lovina Thompson and Marilyn, Omaha, spent the holiday season with her sons, the Gene Thompson, Stanley Thompson and Vernon Thompson fam-

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Milton, Denver Colo., came Saturday to spend Christmas with her brother, Glenn White and family and her father, H. S. White. Mr White expects to accompany his daughter home to spend the win-

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Widman drove to Sioux City Thursday to bring their daughter, Marcia, home from College for the holi-

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Deirking, Amelia, took Mrs. Rena Deirking to Wayne last Friday where she spent the holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Pfeil and other re-

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Averill and small son, Sekiu, Wash., came Sunday to visit over the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walter, her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walter and family. The family were together Christmas eve at the Raymond Walter home and for Christmas dinner at the Wayne Smith home,

Jim Cavanaugh, Algona, Ia., came Saturday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cavanaugh and family. Jim is a radio engineer. Also visiting the Bernard Cavanaughs is his brother, Dick Cav-anaugh, Denver, Colo., who is also a radio engineer. The latter also spent some of the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Jim Cavanaugh sr., O'Neill. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barnett and daughter, Connie, Greeley, Colo., came to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Alderson, Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bar-

nett, Amelia. Spending the Christmas weekend with the Rev. and Mrs. Earl Hess were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hess and children and their son Robert Hess, all of Wichita, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stark, Cer-

esco, came Saturday to spend Christmas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hansen and family, Amelia, and to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Grimes and Gerald and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Carpenter were Sunday evening callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker, Amelia.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hankins, Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peltzer, Norfolk, were visitors in the A. A. Walter and Ruben Peltzer homes on Sunday, Dec. 23rd. Miss Connie Werner, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Werner, Chambers, was a passenger on the plane which crashed at the Grand Island airport Friday. Miss Werner is a stewardess on the line but wasn't working at the time. She is spending the holidays with home folks.

A Christmas Cantata was presented at the Memorial Baptist church Sunday morning by the adult choir and on Monday evening there was a watch night service including music, film,

Santa Claus visited town Saturday and in spite of the cold was greeted by a large turnout. The show "Teenage Millionaire" was presented free to everyone

Mrs. Esther Wood is spending Christmas in Lincoln with her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Hanna. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wintermote and girls spent the past

weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thorin, Duncan Among the guests attending the wedding of Keith Halsey and Hazel Shauld at Bassett Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Holcomb, Gary and Gail, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Young, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klabenes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Miller, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Grimes, all of Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grimes, Charlotte and Gleason and Pat Thompson of Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grimes, Gleason and Charlotte and Pat Thomson, Milford, came Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Grimes and to attend a wedding of Mrs. Grimes nephew, Keith Halsey at Bassett

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Mrs. Mark Hendricks

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heiser attended the Christmas program at school district 40. After the program, games were played and a lunch was served. The school vacation will run through Jan. 1. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shane called at the Merrill Anderson

home on business Tuesday. Arlin Hendricks spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Elmore Blain. He was

also there for supper.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks spent the day and evening at the Merrill Smith home Monday. Monday afternoon callers at

the Mark Hendricks home were Mr. and Mrs. Adam Tindall. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks spent Wednesday doing electrical wiring for Mr. and Mrs. Terry Wilson of Stuart. The Hendricks ate dinner and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Omer Poynts and also

spent the night with them. Mrs. Bob Cearns spent Wednes-day helping Mrs. Mark Hendricks with her house work.

Becky and Bobby Hendricks spent Wednesday night with their grandparents, Mr. and

Mark Hendricks. Dinner guests at the Mark Hen- Meek News dricks home Thursday were Mr and Mrs. Omer Poynts, of Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hend-

ricks. The Patrons of District 246 were invited to school for an afternoon of readings and games. The children exchanged guts. The school was dismissed for a two week vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collins were at the Connie Frickel home Friday. Mrs. Collins and the children will stay with her parents through the holidays. Bob returned to Omaha where he will work through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hendricks and family of Manhatten, Kan., spend the Christmas holidays at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hendricks and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks.

Saturday evening supper guests at the Ivan Wayman home were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hendricks and family of Manhatten Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks of Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Connell and family of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Kon Tuch and daughter of Lincoln. They all helped celebrate the birthdays of Ivan and

Irvin Wayman. The Mariners Class party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Rahn Friday evening. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dobias, Rev. and Mrs. Elmore Blain, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Klinger, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goldfuss, Miss Beverly Meyer, Mrs. Vivian Vaughn, Mrs. Leonila Cearns and Mr. Charles Chaffin. Mrs. Rahn is

the class teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Colfack called at the home of Mrs. Colfack's mother, Mrs. Adolph Arp, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Colfack spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Col-

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck and family were Friday evening supper guests at the home of Duane's mother, Mrs. Helen Beck. Miss Dorothy Scott was a Sun-

day dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck. Miss Karen Focken is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Focken. She will return to South Dakota where she is attending school January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heiser and children and Miss Bonnie Dobrovolny were shopping in O'Neill Friday afternoon.

Mr. Charles Chaffin is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Chaffin for the holidays. On New Years Day he will return to Miltonvale, Kan., where he is attending school.

Mrs. Frank Kilmurry and children were dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Troshynski Sunday. Leonard Troshynski and children of Guthrie Center, Ia., and Bernard Troshynski of Atkinson.

Miss Dorothy Scott was a Saturday night supper guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kilmurry were Monday dinner guests at the Frank Kilmurry home. Mrs. Hans Lauridson called at

the home of Aaron Lange, Monday afternoon where she visited with Mrs. Aaron Lange and Mrs. Sarah Callers. Mrs. Victor Frickel had Mis-

sionary League at her home Tuesday afternoon. This was the Christmas party.

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By Mrs. Fred Lindberg

The community was well entertained the past week with so many enjoyable school programs. The Joy school gave their program Monday evening and what is known as the Agee school and the Scottville school presented their programs on Tuesday night and Redbird school gave their program Wednesday night. Thursday afternoon the birthday club and safety club held their meeting at District 1. The safety club elected new officers resulting in Judy Searles, president; Marilyn Risor, vice president; Sharon Anson, secretary, Pam Crawford treasurer and Kathy Searles, news reporter. Mrs. Dorothy Curran, the teacher, was presented a blanket by the pupils. Lunch was served by the mothers of the pupils, having birthdays in De-

Mrs. Axel Borg and Mrs. Paul Nelson baked and decorated the wedding cake for Carol Lee Hansen and Arlin Eugene Svatos, Lynch, which took place on Friday at Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Walters were overnight guests Monday at the Don Rich home, Dakota City. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walters and Norma were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Christine

Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Anson were supper guests Tuesday at the George Nelson home. The occasion marked Wilma's birth-

Mrs. Rosa Bowers, Mrs. Fay Pinkerman and Veldeen Pinkerman were supper guests Monday evening at the Marion Woidneck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woidneck entertained Mr. and Mrs. Marion Woidneck and girls for supper Saturday evening in honor

Paul's birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Peterson arrived Saturday evening from Springfield, Mo., to spend their Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krogh and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peterson, Valentine. The Carl Krogh family plan to all gather home on Christmas eve. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Nyal Rowse and Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hallgrimson and girls attended a wedding at Bassett Sunday.

Miss Twila Hicks left Saturday to spend Christmas with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merril Hicks, Hastings,

Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Anson attended a surprise birthday parat the Oliver Anson home at Atkinson Monday evening. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Orland Anson and family, Newport, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Anson and family, Spencer, Mr. and

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The Ster. Fred Lineberg.

Mrs. Ed Walnofer and family, Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Buxton, Orchard. The surprise Venus News was on Oliver.

Friday morning the pupils and teacher of District 1 visited some of the homes and sang Christmas

The 4-H club members and families gathered at the George Nelson home Friday evening with a gift exchange, they played games for entertainment and lunch was

The Frank Nelson family were very happy to celebrate their Christmas Saturday as Franks two grandsons were present. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Argen Nelson, Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kaczor and Gerald. Paul Nelson sr. returned home Sunday with his son and daughter-in-law to Lincoln and plans to leave Monday for Salina, Kan., to spend Christmas with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mr. Gerald Harding and Mr.

Axel Borg left Tuesday morning for California to spend a few days with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ernst. Mr. and Mrs. Craig Connell and family, Omaha and Velda Ernst, Lincoin, were Sunday dinner guests at the Austin Searles

Mr. and Mrs. James Schmitz and family, Rochester, Minn., arrived Saturday to spend two weeks vacation with their ents and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Babl and Mr. and Mrs. John Schmitz. The John Schmitz family are planning a family get-together Christmas day at their home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pierson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Huston and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Schmitz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Worth and family arrived Saturday to spend a few days vacation with Ruths parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lindberg. They were all Sunday dinner guests at the home of Cash Arrasmith and the Roy Worth family were supper guests at the Roy Karr home, Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Searles had a chili supper at the John Green home, Butte, Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whetham and family, Belle Fourche, came Saturday to spend a short Christmas vacation at the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whetham, Spencer. Mrs. Wilbur Staples, Newport, Wash., sent her greetings by wire Sunday

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By Mrs. Ralph Brookhouser

Mrs. Edward Sukup, Orchard, was hostess at a Christmas din-ner at her home on Wednesday, Dec. 19. Her guests were the members of the Help-U-Club and Mrs. Leland Caskey. Each guest received a gift from Mrs. Sukup. Mrs. George Jeffrey received the door prize. The afternoon was spent at cards at which Mrs. Cfarence Finch jr., and Mrs. Leona Finch received the high score prizes and Mrs. Irvin Held

and Mrs. William Buxton, low. Mrs. Sidney Faulhaber received the traveling prize. A gift exchange was held. Dessert was served at the close of the afternoon. The afternoon entertainment was furnished by those club members having been absent most during the year, Mrs. Kenneth Waring will have the next club meeting January 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Waring were visitors at the home of Mrs. Leona Finch. Other visitors the fore part of the week were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Taylor and family, Scottsbluff.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Taylor and family, Scottsbluff, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Finch. Wednesday evening they met Margie Finch at Grand Island, who came to spend the holidays with her parents. Miss Finch is a teacher at Brea. Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffrey and Paul were Wednesday eve ning visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Caskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brookhouser went to Norfolk Tuesday

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where they visited at the Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brookhouser home. Wendell Strope shelled corn at the Evans farm for Gerald War-

ing Wednesday. Mrs. Arthur Neuhaus was bostess to a Christmas party for the Anniversary club on Thursday,

Larry and Gary Caskey accomanied Mr. and Mrs. Leland Caskey to Omaha Thursday. They plan to return home with Mr. and Mrs. Caskey for the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boelter motored to Omaha Thursday where they will visit their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Van Ostrand and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Waring returned Saturday, Dec. 15 from a 2 week trip to Biloxi, Mo. where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.

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