

Social Briefs

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Mrs. Zora Adams and daughter, Iona, are visiting in Des Moines, Iowa.

Mrs. Georgia Goosby of Omaha is in Lincoln to conduct Vacation Church School for the Newman Methodist church.

Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Newton of Beatrice are in Lincoln because of the illness of his son, Bert Newton, who is a patient at St. Elizabeth hospital.

Mrs. Elmira Robinson was hostess to a group of ladies at her home Monday evening where the announcement of the coming marriage of Miss Jackie Farr of York, Neb., and Mr. Melvin Tarpley was made.

Rev. M. J. Bradford, pastor of the Church of God in Christ at Omaha, is conducting meetings in the state of Michigan.

Miss Evelyn Edwards is reported having a very nice time on her visit in San Antonio.

Mr. Bert Newton, who underwent an appendectomy at St. Elizabeth hospital, is convalescing nicely.

Mrs. Brevy Miller left Sunday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Walter Fox in St. Louis.

Mr. Fred Johnson, old time resident of Lincoln, returned last week after an absence of 35 years to visit his cousin, Mr. John Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson.

June 30th, Mrs. Kathryn Barker, former Lincolnite and daughter of Major Moore, died in Omaha. Last rites were held July 3rd.

Visiting her brother and niece, Mr. Guy Stevens and Mrs. Margaret McWilliams, for several weeks, was Mrs. Pearl Benford of Minneapolis, Minn.

Visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, is Mrs. Clemmie Walker of Palmyra, Mo.

The executive committee of the NAACP will meet Friday evening, July 30, at 8 o'clock in the library of the Urban League.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Gibson, who returned to Lincoln on July 14 after a two-year stay in Branford, Conn., were dinner guests of Mrs. Dovie Boyd, 1638 No. 23rd.

Mr. Joseph Burden was also a guest.

Miss Mary Sampson visited her mother, Mrs. Lena Sampson and aunt, Mrs. William Perkins in Omaha on Saturday.

Mrs. William Perkins and her daughter Louise are vacationing in Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. I. B. Colley will return home this week after a month's vacation spent with his nephew, LeRoy Colley, in Chicago and other relatives and friends in Lexington, Mo., South Bend and Terre Haute, Ind., and Kansas City, Mo.

Paul Clayton Lewis will leave for Chicago Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. Rae Lee Harris and to see the annual Bud Billiken Parade.

Mrs. Ritha Banks is visiting her daughter Pomona (Peaches), in Omaha.

Teen Age Chatter

By Dorothy Greene.

Greetings Gates:

This week finds many of our 'teens are out of the city. Uncle Sam has let three more of our boys come home on their first furlough. Mainly speaking, Walter Walker, Bobby Graham and Charles Botts. Seems like old times having them back.

Löpy and Vonna Finley are spending part of their vacation in Kansas City. I know they are having a good time.

Richard Holcomb has recently returned from Kansas City where he spent a few days.

Albert Bowen left for a nice vacation in Denver, Colo., July 24.

Tommy Gardener left July 18, for Tulsa, Okla., to spend the summer.

Winifred Dennis recently returned from the Sunday School and A. C. A. League convention

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

By Mrs. Brevy Miller

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CARROT RING

2 eggs well beaten
1 cup evaporated milk
1/2 teaspoon sugar
Pepper
1 1/2 tablespoons butter or vitamized margarine
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup blanched almonds
2 1/2 cups grated raw carrots
Combine eggs, milk, salt, sugar, pepper, coarsely chopped almonds, and carrots. Blend thoroughly. Melt butter or margarine in ring mold. Let it run around

which was held in Atchison, Kans.

Vonna and Löpy Finley returned recently from a vacation in Kansas City. They reported having a real good time.

Jeanette and Betty Venegar left to spend their vacation at their home in Detroit, Mich.

Maurice Crouch was the dinner guest of Robbie Powell Sunday afternoon, July 25, 1948.

Emma White and Norma Dunn left Sunday for the Methodist Church Camp at Milford, Neb. Bye now, DOTTY.

mold to oil thoroughly. Pour extra butter into carrot mixture. Fill mold. Set in a pan of hot water. Bake in a slow oven (325° F.) until firm, about 1 hour.

GARDEN GUMBO.

3 lb. soup bone.
2 qt. cold water.
1 onion, quartered.
1 teaspoon salt.
2 cups tomatoes.
1 cup lima beans
2 cups raw corn
1/4 head young cabbage, chopped.
5 or 6 sliced carrots.
2 cups green beans.
1 cup diced potato.
1/4 cup chopped celery.
1 cup peas.
1 bunch leeks.
6 sprigs parsley.
1 cup chopped okra.

In hot fat brown half of meat cut from the soup bone. Add remaining meat, bone, cold water, onion and salt. Cover kettle. Bring to boil. This takes about 15 minutes over a medium to high flame (yellow tip about 3/4" long). Reduce heat to a low blue flame and cook slowly for 2 hours. Then add all the fresh vegetables; cover kettle; again bring to boiling (takes about 20 minutes on medium high flame as before). Reduce to low blue flame and simmer for 1 1/4 hours. No further flame adjustment is necessary.

LEGAL NOTICE OF MEASURE TO BE VOTED UPON

NOVEMBER 2, 1948

(BALLOT TITLE)

PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

AN ACT relating to veterans of World War II; providing for compensation and terms of eligibility of Nebraska residents who served in the Armed Forces of the United States within certain periods of World War II; providing for the administration of this act, defining terms, and creating the veteran's compensation fund; authorizing the Department of Veterans' Affairs to establish rules and regulations; providing for a three and one-half mill levy upon all taxable property of the State, except intangible property, for the years 1949 to 1953, inclusive; and to provide penalties.

TITLE AND TEXT OF PROPOSED LAW

A law relating to veterans of World War II; to provide for the payment of compensation in recognition of patriotic services of residents of the State of Nebraska who served in the armed forces of the United States, within certain periods of World War II; to define terms; to provide for the terms of eligibility of such persons for compensation payments and the amounts thereof; to provide for the administration of this act; to establish the Veterans' Compensation Fund; to authorize the Department of Veterans' Affairs to establish rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of this act; to provide for a three and one-half mill levy upon all the taxable property of the state, except intangible property, for the years 1949 to 1953 to be used to establish said fund; and to provide penalties.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. In recognition of the patriotic service of residents of the State of Nebraska who served in the armed forces of the United States during World War II, provision is hereby made for the payment of a Veterans' compensation and for administration of said payment and of this act by the Department of Veterans' Affairs with full and final authority of said department to determine which residents of the state are entitled to payments under the provisions of this act and the amount of such payments.

Sec. 2. (1) The term "armed forces", as used in this act shall mean and include the following: United States Army, Army of the United States, United States Navy, United States Naval Reserve, United States Marine Corps, United States Marine Corps Reserve, United States Coast Guard, United States Coast Guard Reserve (which shall not be construed to include the United States Coast Guard Temporary Reserve), Women's Army Corps, United States Navy Women's Reserve, United States Marine Corps Women's Reserve, United States Coast Guard Women's Reserve, Army Nurse Corps, Navy Nurse Corps, and officers of the United States Public Health Service detailed by the proper authority to duty with any of the foregoing. Merchant marine service shall not be considered under this act.

(2) Wherever in this act a word indicating the masculine gender is used, it shall be construed to apply to the feminine gender as well.

Sec. 3. Upon application, on or after July 1, 1954, but not after July 1, 1955, each person who shall have served or entered service in the armed forces of the United States at any time between the period beginning September 16, 1940, and ending September 2, 1945, and who served for at least ninety days, provided no compensation shall be paid for service in the armed forces after March 2, 1946, or was discharged with less than ninety days service by reason of a service-connected disability, and who was a resident of the State of Nebraska for a period of not less than six months immediately prior to the time of his entry into service of the armed forces of the United States and whose service meets the requirements of this act, shall be paid from the Veterans' Compensation Fund, as provided by this act, compensation payment, computed as follows: Ten dollars for each and every month served in the armed forces while in the continental limits of the United States (excluding Alaska) and fifteen dollars per month for each and every month served outside the continental limits of the United States (including Alaska); Provided, maximum payment to any individual under this act with domestic service in the armed forces only, shall be two hundred and fifty dollars and maximum payment to any individual under this act with domestic and foreign service or foreign service shall be three hundred and fifty dollars. Any individual receiving a compensation payment as provided by this act shall have been discharged or separated from service with the armed forces under,

Honorable conditions and the Department of Veterans' Affairs shall make the final decision whether or not the type of discharge received by any applicant shall entitle him to compensation payment as provided by this act. The following periods of time shall not be included in computing months of service for compensation purposes:

(1) Periods of time applicant was assigned for a course of education or training under the Army specialized training program or the Navy college training program, or as a cadet or midshipman at one of the service academies.

(2) Periods of time applicant was absent without leave, which materially interfered with performance of military duty, periods of agricultural, industrial or indefinite furlough, time during which the person was under arrest (in the absence of acquittal) time for which the applicant was determined to have forfeited pay by reason of absence without leave and time spent in desertion or under sentence of courts-martial.

Sec. 4. No person shall receive compensation under the terms of this act who has received a bonus or compensation payment from any other state because of service with armed forces of the United States in World War II.

Sec. 5. In the event of the decease of any person who, if alive, would be entitled to the benefits under this act, the compensation payment provided by this act shall be paid to his dependents, if any; Provided, that if there be more than one dependent, payments shall be made in the order of precedence so far as practicable, as follows: Wife or husband, children, mother or father, brother or sister. No right or payment under this act shall be subject to the claims of any creditors, capable of assignment, regarded as assets legal or equitable of the estate of the deceased, or made the basis for administration thereof.

Sec. 6. There is hereby established as a special fund, separate and apart from all public money or funds of this state, a Veterans' Compensation Fund, which shall be administered by the State Treasurer, exclusively for the purposes of this act. This fund shall consist of (1) all taxes levied under the provisions of this act, together with any interest thereon, (2) interest earned upon any money in the fund, (3) any property or securities acquired through the use of money belonging to the fund, and (4) all earnings of such property or securities.

Sec. 7. The administration and certification of eligibility and amounts payable to applicants shall be under the direction of the Department of Veterans' Affairs. The director of said department may hire such additional clerical help and personnel as is necessary to carry out the provisions of said act whose salaries shall be paid out of the Veterans' Compensation Fund, created by this act.

Sec. 8. The Department of Veterans' Affairs shall be authorized to prescribe rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of this act and decisions of the department under the provisions of this act shall be final.

Sec. 9. It shall be the duty of the director of said Department of Veterans' Affairs and the State Advisory Commission of said department to determine who is eligible for a compensation payment and the amount thereof, as provided by this act. On and after July 1, 1954, the Director of the Department of Veterans' Affairs shall certify to the State Auditor of Public Accounts, the name of each applicant eligible for compensation payment and the amount of such payment. The State Auditor of Public Accounts shall then draw on the State Treasurer a warrant, payable out of the Veterans' Compensation Fund, payable to each individual, or his dependent or guardian, if dead or insane, in the amount due the individual as provided by this act and certified by the director.

Sec. 10. The State Board of Equalization and Assessment shall make an annual levy to be known as the Veterans' Compensation Fund Levy, in the amount of three and one-half mills on the assessed valuation of all taxable property of the state, except intangible property, in the State of Nebraska for the years 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, for the purpose of raising funds sufficient to carry out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 11. Whoever knowingly makes a false statement, oral or written, relating to a material fact in supporting a claim under the provisions of this act shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

Sec. 12. The Attorney General of the State of Nebraska, or the county attorney of any of the respective counties, shall be empowered to file a civil action for the recovery on behalf of the Veterans' Compensation Fund of any money wrongfully paid from said compensation fund.

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