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AVOCA NEWS

The Avoca Garden club met with Mrs. Caroline Marquardt Monday. A delightful dinner was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hallstrom and Mesdames Henry Smith and Elmer Hennings were Lincoln shoppers last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dehning and Mrs. Elmer Corbin and Mrs. Edwin Terrell were shoppers in Nebraska City Saturday.

December 5 marked the birthday of Edwin Terrell and they had as guests for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin.

Fred Marquardt shelled a part of the ear corn he has been accumulating at the elevator, in order to make room for more.

John Everett and family of Union spent a day last week in Avoca as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Terrell.

Dick Bruner, who lives south of town, shelled his corn last Tuesday. The grain was delivered to the Marquardt elevator.

Mrs. Henry Stutz spent several days last week in Lincoln visiting her children, who are attending the University of Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Terrell had a nice visit Sunday with their nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Everett, of near Union.

Robert McDonald and family were at Manley Sunday, where they visited at the home of Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McDonald.

John Marquardt and Will Kuntz were in Lincoln Tuesday on business, going to secure some parts for the repair of Mr. Kuntz's automobile.

Earl Freeman, wife and son were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. Freeman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Freeman of Weeping Water.

Rev. R. D. Hall, who has been at the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln for some time, has been improving and was expected to arrive home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin had as Thanksgiving dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean and family of Weeping Water and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Terrell of Avoca.

Gilbert Nutzman underwent an operation at the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln for acute appendicitis, from which he rallied nicely and now seems on the road to recovery.

He was taken to Lincoln by Dr. J. W. Brendel, who returned home in the evening following the operation.

The birthday of Mrs. John Ruhge was celebrated last Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Neumeister. Those present were the families of Walter Stoval and John Ruhge, of Talmage.

Monte Lum was a visitor at the home of his nephew, Clyde Lum, at Verdon on Thanksgiving day as was Miss Madeline Lum, teacher in the Avoca schools, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lum.

Mrs. Caroline Marquardt had as Thanksgiving day guests Harry Marquardt and wife, John Marquardt, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Brendel, Fred Marquardt and family, Miss Selma Marquardt, all from this vicinity, and the A. L. Cocker family of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Mohr and children of Hamlet, are visiting at the William Gollner and Marion Pittman homes. On Sunday a dinner was held at the Gollner home in honor of the Mohrs. Others present included the Pittman family and Miss Dorothy Gollner, of Lincoln.

Mrs. Rachel Everett entertained at a dinner party at her home Thanksgiving day. Those present included her daughter, Miss Leona Everett, and Silas Everett, of Avoca, and the family of C. W. Everett, of Weeping Water. A number did not come, but waited until Sunday, so as not to overtax Mrs. Everett, who is past 76 years of age. Those there for dinner on the latter day were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Everett and son John, and Grandpa Dixon of Omaha.

To Retire January 31st
As stated last week, W. H. Bogaard, who has been postmaster in Avoca for the past nineteen years, has come to the age when retirement has become mandatory and on January 31st is scheduled to step out of office, with retirement pay amounting to a portion of his regular earnings.

During the time between now and when he retires, an examination will be held and an eligible register established from which a successor to Mr. Bogaard will be named.

Mr. Bogaard has made a splendid postmaster, throughout his years of service, always pleasant and accommodating and he will be missed by patrons.

ATTEND BASKETBALL CLINIC
From Friday's Daily—
This morning Coach Blon A. Hoffman, Captain Ed Smith of the Platt high basketball team, Bill Steinkamp and Donald Wall, departed for Lincoln to attend the basketball clinic that is being held at the university. Coaches and players from many of the schools over the state will be present to take part in the meeting. Coach W. H. Browne of the University of Nebraska, will have charge of the sessions.

Cass county has no bonded indebtedness, as, like the state, we have paid cash for our hard surfaced roads and other improvements as we want.

Large Audience Hears Concert at High School

Music Department Present Very Fine Program That Affords Opportunity of Hearing All Sections.

The attendance at the annual fall concert, which the music department of the Plattsmouth high school gave at the auditorium last evening, exceeded previous years' records. The concert, which commenced at 8 p. m., featured the high school a cappella choir and the high school senior band.

The a cappella choir opened the program with three songs: "The Bell," a French folk song; "Czechoslovakian Dance Song," a Czech folk song; and "Cherubim," Song No. 7 by Bortianski. Mrs. David Fowler, Jr. served as accompanist for the a cappella choir.

The sophomore girls' sextette, which comprises Gertrude Clويد, Wilma Nolte, Dorothea Duxbury, Juanita Sigler, Billie J. Sylvester and Maxine Graves, sang two numbers: "Until," Anonymous and "Ciribirim," by Pestalozza.

Misses Juanita Sigler, Whipple Leonard, Robert Cole, and Richard Livingston formed the clarinet quartette and the numbers played by this group were "Deep Purple," by DeRose and "The Rosary," by Nevin. Miss Ruth Westover served as the accompanist for the sextette and quartette numbers.

Four more numbers were rendered by the a cappella choir, these being "The Echo Song," by DiLasso; "A Violin is Singing," a Ukrainian folk song; "Cossack," another Ukrainian folk song; and "Cherubim Song" by Tschalkowsky.

Three songs were sung by the high school boys' octette—"Winter Song" by Bullard; "Kentucky Babe" by Gehbel; and "My Nebraska," Mrs. Fowler being their accompanist. Members of the octette are Gerald Hennings, Lawrence Lamberson, Bruno Reichstadt, Ralph Stava, Warren Albee, Allan White, Bill Knorr, and Joe York.

Allan White, popular and brilliant musician, was heard in a cornet solo "Where My Caravan Has Rested." Miss Ruth Westover was the accompanist.

A baritone horn solo was also featured on the program and Miss Eleanor Giles, postgraduate of the high school, gave the number "Mighty Like a Rose" by Nevin.

The Plattsmouth high school band members were present and played several selections, the first of these being a medley of Plattsmouth high school pep songs. Such numbers as "Plattsmouth Will Shine Tonight," "The Beer Barrel Polka," and "We Are Loyal to You Plattsmouth High" were favored. The marches "Swinging Along" by Johnson, "Young American" by Weber, and "China Clippers" by Kleffmann were rendered by the band. "Devotion" (Chorale) by DeLamater was another number given by the band.

Of special entertainment was a number given two times in succession was the "Drumsticks" (Novelty) by Edwards and this was ably given by Carey Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marshall and Junior Drum Corps major.

"Tune In" (Overture) by Davis was also featured by the high school senior band.

In the last number that the band rendered they were assisted by the baton twirlers—Misses Shirley Walling, Miriam Fricke, Rachel McMaken and Robert Traudt.

The Plattsmouth high school senior band is composed of the following members:
High School Senior Band
Clarinets—Robert Cole, John Conis, Richard Hitt, Dick Livingston, Whipple Leonard, Robert Nickles, Marvin Peteret, Aileen Reed, Bill

Robertson, Willa Sylvester, Earl Weiland, Juanita Sigler.
Cornets—Dorothy Bailey, Raymond Evers, George Jacobs, Raymond Johnson, Ruth Ann Nelson, Billie Potter, Mary Rishel, Donald Skalak, Sanford Short, Allan White, Donald Martin, Joe Noble.
Trombones—Howard Baker, Donald Leonard, Joe McMaken.
Basses—Granville Sigler, Paul Ruffner.
Percussion—Carey Marshall, LaVerne Rice, Albert Richards, Coleman O'Brian, Bernard Richter, Ralph Parkening.
Tenor Saxophone—Ralph Stava.
E-Flat Alto—William Hitt, Donald Steppat, Mary Hitt.
Baritones—Eleanor Giles, Merle Shryock, Allan White.

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RULES ON EMPLOYERS' PAYROLL CONTRIBUTIONS

LINCOLN, Dec. 9 (UP)—The state unemployment compensation division revealed details today of a "Christmas present" which will be given to more than 1,000 Nebraska employers and will save them approximately \$1,166,000 in 1940 payroll contributions.

State Labor Commissioner V. B. Kinney notified 3,400 employers subject to the law of the plans for administering the "Employers' Reward Program," which will scale down contributions for those meeting certain requirements.

Approximately one-third of the employers, whose contributions cover about 63 per cent of the workers under the law, are expected to benefit by the plan. Those who fail to meet the qualifications will continue paying the 2.7 payroll tax next year, but the others will receive rates ranging from 1 to 2.5 per cent. The reduced rates shall be given employers meeting such qualifications as benefits must have been payable from their reserve funds during the preceding calendar year; total contributions with benefits deducted must equal 7 1/2 per cent of the 1939 payroll.

Local Couple Enjoy a Fine Southern Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newton Returned Last Evening Following a Trip Through the South.

From Saturday's Daily—
Following a six-day fall season vacation trip, which was largely spent in the south, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newton, who were married in September, returned to their Plattsmouth home last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Newton left for the south Saturday, December 2 and motored through Missouri, Arkansas, and Mississippi before reaching Louisiana, where most of their sightseeing was done.

While in Arkansas the Plattsmouth couple stopped at Van Buren and saw the home of Bob Burns, the famous comedian on the Kraft Music Hall program on Thursdays. It was there that Mr. and Mrs. Newton saw some of Bob's loving relatives—his grandfather whom he calls "Grandpa Shazzy," his uncle whom he addresses "Uncle Slug," and his aunt whom he delights in calling "Aunt Boo" on his radio programs. The Newtons also visited in Freeport, Louisiana where they saw the famous Barksdale flying field, which is considered the second largest airport in the world.

From Louisiana the local people went to Texas and spent some time with Mr. Newton's sister, Mrs. Harry Dailey and family in Henderson, Texas. Mrs. Dailey was the former Miss Lettie Newton.

On their trip to Plattsmouth Mr. and Mrs. Newton took the route north by going through Oklahoma, Kansas, and then Nebraska, reaching their home town safely last night. They brought back many pictures that they were able to procure. While down south they saw many souvenirs but were unable to bring back any. The trip was of the utmost enjoyment to the happy couple and served as a honeymoon trip to them.

ENLARGE KODAK DEPARTMENT
The Weyrich & Hadraba drug store, long known as one of the leading kodak and photo supply houses in this section of the state, is now enlarging this department of the store.

A fine new show case has been placed in the kodak department of the store and which will be used for the display of the large stock of cameras and kodaks that are carried by the store.

The stock is very large and embraces a wide range of cameras from the latest type of movie camera for the lover of photography to the smaller and simpler models.

Mr. E. J. Weyrich, one of the proprietors of the store is himself a real enthusiast in this line of work and has a great collection of artistic pictures that he has made on trips and journeys through the west as well as many "stills" that have won wide recognition for their beauty. His great interest is a very valuable aid to the customers in purchasing a camera or kodak as his experience makes him a real adviser to the shopper.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION
From Saturday's Daily—
Bernard, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson, was taken to Omaha this morning where he entered the Clarkson hospital for a minor operation. The young man has suffered for some time from the effects of a hernia and it is to relieve this that the operation was found necessary.

THANKSGIVING IN SOUTH

Honoring Tampa guests, a Thanksgiving holiday dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin E. Greene Jr., in Lake Worth.

Enjoying the day and evening were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilcox, Miss Marilyn Wilcox, Miss Nordelle Dugger; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sindelar, Miss Kathryn Mae Sindelar, Tampa, Fla.; Mrs. Mayola B. Baughn, Robert L. Propst, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Greene, Jr., Elvin E. Green 3d and Johnie Peacock.—Lake Worth (Fla.) Leader.

Christmas is Evidenced in the Business Section

Show Windows and Stores Are Reflecting the Near Approach of the Holiday Season.

That the Christmas season is near at hand is to be found reflected in the show windows in the business as well as in the store interiors where the stocks of Christmas goods are to be found in profusion.

A large number of the business houses have arranged special Christmas windows that are a real treat to see and offer a tempting array of the many things that might go to make a very happy Christmas for someone.

The atmosphere of the holidays is also shown in the interior of the stores in the business section where holiday goods are now on display and affording opportunities to the early and careful shoppers to secure their pick of the stocks. The stocks range from the most practical Christmas gifts to the toys and trinkets that make happy so many and especially the youngsters.

ATTEND DUNBAR MEETING
From Friday's Daily—
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell S. Devoe, and Mrs. Anna Murray motored to Dunbar, Nebraska last evening where they attended the initiatory meeting of the Dunbar Eastern Star chapter. Honored guests at that meeting were Mrs. Van Andel, grand worthy matron of Lincoln, and William Cochran, grand worthy patron, of Auburn.

Mrs. Ralph Anderson, worthy matron of the Dunbar chapter, presided at the meeting. The meeting's unusual occurrence was the initiation of Mrs. Anderson's husband into the Eastern Star order. Mrs. Anderson is a daughter of Mrs. Murray, the matron of the local Masonic Home.

Accompanied by Mrs. Devoe, Raymond Cook sang a group of solos during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Janacek, the former the worthy patron of the local chapter, were also present at the meeting.

WIND-BLOWN STEAKS
TULSA (UP)—Sign before a Tulsa cafe: "Sizzling Steaks. Air Conditioned."

TALKS TO STUDENTS
Mrs. William Baird gave a very interesting talk about the history of the "Old Testament" to Miss Whalen's sophomore 'World History' class and to Mr. Gerner's English II class. She explained in an interesting manner Biblical characters and scenes.

Bob Mrasek introduced the speaker and at the close Dorothea Duxbury expressed the appreciation of the class.

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Modern Woodmen Select Officers for Coming Year

Edward Kohrell Is Named as Consul of Order—Many Members in Attendance.

From Saturday's Daily—
Last evening the members of Cass camp No. 332 of the Modern Woodmen of America held their regular meeting at the hall in the Eagles building and at which time there was held the annual election of officers, the following being named:

Consul—Ed Kohrell.
Adviser—Lester Gaylord.
Banker—Edward Gabelman.
Escort—Edgar Newton.
Watchman—Ed L. Bayly.
Sentry—Everett Newton.
Trustee—Everett Elliott.
Physician—Dr. R. P. Westover.
There was a very pleasing attendance of the membership and a great deal of interest shown in the lodge meeting.

PINOCHLE SCORES
Miss Maymie Mendenhall, who won for the second consecutive week, and Joseph Kvapil, who won for the second time since the pinochle playing season at the Recreation Center began in October, were the winners at last evening's pinochle tournament, which took place at 8 p. m. The largest crowd of the season was present at last evening's session—eight tables of pinochle players competing for the awards.

The Timm's Tavern, Manager Clyde Jackson, Joe's New-Way, Elmer Sundstrom, Recreation Center head, and Jerry Konfrst served as hosts for the occasion—doughnuts and coffee being served for the fifth consecutive week.

The following is the list of scores: Joseph Kvapil 5980; Arthur Salerno 5820; Howard Taylor 5660; Maymie Mendenhall 5590; John Richardson 5530; Mrs. Joseph F. Kvapil 5400; Adolph J. Koubek 5350; Mrs. Frank Konfrst 5300; Mrs. Jack Reno 5230; Miss Phyllis Robbins 5170; Harry Plybon 5110; Fred Vincent 5010; George Olson 4920; Howard Favors 4920; James Chappell 4900; Mrs. C. O. Carlburg 4850; P. D. Sullivan 4720; Ben Sieboldts 4600; Bernard Kubicka 4570; Ira Clinkenbeard 4560; Jack Reno 4520; Emma Mendenhall 4480; Frank Kvapil 4430; C. O. Carlburg 4350; Florence Rhoades 4340; Mrs. Lee Phillips 4290; Lee Phillips 4230; Joe Phillips 4050; Clara Toman 3690.

Also present were Dale Jackson and Jerry Konfrst, who were unable to submit their scores.

The pinochle tournament will again resume its playing next week on Thursday evening, December 14 at 8 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

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