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Christmas Day Will Be Featured For Fighting Men

Ashore or Afloat the Men Will Observe the Day Where Possible to Do So

Washington, Dec. 21. —(UP)—Turkey, tunes, talks and religious services make up the Christmas day program prepared today for America's fighting men ashore or afloat in all parts of the world.

Wherever an American soldier can safely lay aside his gun to take up his knife and work, he's going to get a Christmas dinner featuring the traditional turkey, and the usual trimmings. And the navy is seeing to it that its men at sea receive the same.

There'll be Christmas trees, too. They may be palm trees in the South Pacific, but appropriate trimmings will provide the Yule touch. The American Red Cross is distributing decoration kits, including gaily colored balls, tinsel and even a couple of sleigh bells.

Three hours of special Christmas radio programs have been produced and transcribed in this country by the armed forces radio service for the benefit of men overseas. They will feature entertainment stars and name bands, as well as personal greetings from Secretaries of War and Navy Henry L. Stimson and Frank Knox, and the top commanders of the various armed forces.

President Roosevelt will broadcast directly to them from Hyde Park, N. Y., on Christmas Eve.

The voices of fighting men overseas will be brought home by radio. There will be a broadcast of a mid-night mass from some place behind the battle lines in Italy. A chorus of 200 American soldiers in the Holy Land will be another event. From an island in the south Pacific will come a special Christmas-tree decorating program.

But, of course, the big events of the day will be opening of packages from home and the Christmas dinner, home-style, to be served at festive tables in bases and camps, to men in fox holes and dugouts, in submarines beneath the seas and on ships sailing the surface.

The army alone has shipped 10,000,000 pounds of frozen turkey overseas for Christmas. And the latest figure available shows that more than 15,000,000 Christmas packages were sent overseas by relatives and friends of servicemen.

It's not all gift-getting. For example, in England, an American air force squadron has been saving up chewing gum and candy for some time to present as Yule gifts to British children.

Portrait of Local Girl

In the greetings of the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power Co. for the Christmas season, appearing in the Lincoln State Journal, the photograph of Miss Genevieve Whelan, formerly of this city, and now a bookkeeper in the office of the company, is shown among the employees.

To Visit in Missouri

Mrs. Carl Kreager and daughter, are leaving this week for Rutledge, Missouri, where they are to enjoy a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stewart for a few days. Mr. Stewart is the father of Mrs. Kreager and a very fine time is anticipated in the visit in one of the most interesting sections of Missouri.

Golden Rod Club Has Record Of Community Work

Meetings Are Filled With Interests and Fine Programs Staged Since Start of Organization

The Golden Rod Study club started their study year in September. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Addie Perry and the co-hostesses were Mrs. Chas. Barnard and Mrs. Ralph Wiles.

Roll call was answered by something relative to Post-war Planning. Many lively discussions followed.

Mrs. Guy Wiles, president, opened the meeting by reading a poem, "Neighbors" by Wm. Forester Graham, former minister at Murray.

The group joined in singing "The Star Spangled Banner" and "Follow the Glean."

The October meeting was held at the Mynard Community Hall and the hostesses were Mrs. C. L. Wiles, Mrs. Myron Wiles and Mrs. Glen Wiles.

The president opened the meeting by reading "Home Sweet Home."

The group joined in singing "Dear Evelina" and "Smile."

Mrs. Guy Wiles, newly elected secretary and treasurer of County Federated clubs, and Mrs. Ralph Wiles gave short reports on the convention at Avoca.

The club voted to give \$5 to the National War Fund.

The lesson was on "China's First Lady." The leader was Mrs. Ralph Wiles and each member took part in the lesson.

A gift was sent to Sandra Jane Spangler, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spangler.

The November meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Roy Cole, with Mrs. Virgil Perry, Mrs. Tom Grosshans and Mrs. Willis Cole, co-hostesses. "So Long as There are Homes," was read by Mrs. Guy Wiles, president.

Roll call was answered by "Something to be Thankful for."

The group sang, "O Worship the King," "Smile," "Over There," "There are Smiles," "There's a Long, Long Trail," and "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

Mrs. Elbert Wiles played a flute solo, "Everyone is Longing for Home."

The group saluted the Flag and Mrs. Howard Wiles took over the lesson. She chose "Know America." This covered much past and present history. A written contest was held.

Another contest was guessing the names, all pictured of people who appear in radio, news and movies. Prizes were won by Mrs. Herman Melsinger, Mrs. Ralph Wiles, Mrs. Roy Cole and Mrs. Nellie Spangler.

It was announced that over \$300 had been collected for the National War Fund in this zone.

Ninety-four quarts of fruit and vegetables were brought to this meeting to be sent to the Children's Home in Omaha.

The Christmas meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Howard Wiles, with Mrs. Sherman Cole and Mrs. Herman Melsinger assisting.

The president read "The Old Church Bell," by Graham. "Joy to the World," "Silent Night! Holy Night," and "Jingle Bells" were sung. Mrs. Wm. Minford leads the singing and Mrs. Roy Cole plays for the singing.

Roll call was answered by "What do you think of when Bells are mentioned?" Many various and interesting reactions were told, some humorous and some sad.

A letter was read thanking us for \$10 sent to the Base Hospital at Lincoln. Also a letter was received thanking us for the grand assortment of fruit and vegetables sent to the Children's Home.

The club voted to send \$1.00 to the "Good Fellowship" in Omaha. Each member gave a quarter and this will be sent to the Bible Society which has become a custom of the club.

Mrs. Margaret Todd, from Omaha and Murray took over the lesson on "Bells." Her hobby is the collection of bells from all over the world. She brought part of her collection of two hundred and fifty and explained the history of them. She also gave the history of many bells in different countries which weigh many tons and, of course, the history of our Liberty Bell. It seemed very much like Christmas as the bells were rung and the tones were all different.

Gifts from the beautiful tree were then distributed by Mildred Ana Melsinger and Emerson Wiles.

Refreshments appropriate to the month are served at the close of each meeting.

Visitors are always welcome to our meetings.

Death of Former Resident

Old residents of this part of Cass County will be interested in learning of the death at Billings, Montana, of Ellen Eikenberry, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eikenberry, pioneer residents of this county.

From letters received here by old time friends, it was learned that the death of Miss Eikenberry occurred last August. She had made her home at Billings with two other sisters, May Anderson and Anna Caraway. Another sister, Elizabeth, was married to the late C. S. Polk, and passed away some years ago.

NOTICE OF PROBATE In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ferdinand Panzer, deceased, No. 3738.

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Walter H. Smith as executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 14th day of January, 1944, at 10 A. M. Dated this 17th day of December 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge
Cass County, Nebraska

Tell of Chapman Family

The old time friends of the John Chapman family residents here some twenty-five years ago, will be interested in learning of their activities in their present homes in the west and in the armed service.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, have for the past year and a half been located at Alameda, California, locating there after the outbreak of the war, Mr. Chapman getting back into his old job of railroading. They tell of the activities of the children, all now grown and in active life.

The eldest son, Samuel Chapman, with his family, reside at Great Falls, Montana, and is railroading on the Great Northern railroad.

Jay Chapman is stationed at Pearl Harbor, where he is a member of the air corps and his force help to supply the planes that are out in the active service.

Another of the sons, Dan, returned home from the Aleutian islands in September and was in five battles in the campaign and also was at Kiska. He was transferred to Seattle as a pharmacist's mate. He was married on December 5th, at Seattle, to a school associate at Prosser, Washington.

Honor Young Soldier

Sunday evening Pfc. Wallace M. Smith was honored at a family dinner given at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Harold Seay. The dinner consisted of turkey and all the trimmings. Mrs. Seay was assisted by her mother, Mrs. John L. Smith, Sr.

Those present to enjoy the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Smith, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Frank M. Smith, Miss Helen Woolcott, John L. Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seay and Jimmy, Charles R. Shera, Pfc. Wallace M. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shera. Pvt. Smith departed for Fort Leonard Wood early Monday morning.

NOTICE OF HEARING

ESTATE NO. 3737
Estate of Luella Campbell, Deceased.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska: To all persons interested in said estate creditors and heirs take notice, that Andrew T. Campbell has filed his petition alleging that Luella Campbell died intestate in Cass County, Nebraska on or about November 11, 1935 being a resident and inhabitant of Cass County, Nebraska, and died seized of the following described real estate, to-wit: The SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 23, also the West 71 acres of the East 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 29, except one acre (Lot 3), all in Township 11, North, Range 14 East of the 6th P. M. in Cass County, Nebraska, leaving as her sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit: Andrew T. Campbell, husband; Oscar Campbell, son; Frances Campbell, daughter; and Daisy Hutchison, daughter.

That no application for administration has been made, and the estate of said decedent has not been administered, in the State of Nebraska. That the interest of the petitioner in the above described real estate is owner in fee simple title by inheritance and purchase and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Luella Campbell and of her heirs, the degree of kinship and the right of descent of the real property belonging to the said deceased, in the State of Nebraska. It is ordered that the same stand for hearing on the 7th day of January, 1944, before the County Court of Cass County in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 13th day of December A. D. 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Application of Marilyn Kohlbacker, Guardian of Marilyn Kohlbacker, also known as Mary Ann Hohlbacker, a minor, for license to sell real estate.

Now on this 23rd day of November, 1943, there was presented to the Court the petition of Margaret Kohlbacker, guardian of Marilyn Kohlbacker, also known as Mary Ann Hohlbacker, a minor, for license to sell the undivided one-twenty-fifth interest of said minor in the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot ten (10) in block sixty (60), in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, for the purpose of paying maintenance expenses of said minor and the costs of managing her estate, and investing the balance of the proceeds of said sale as provided by law until the principal is needed for the maintenance of said minor.

And it appearing that it is necessary and would be beneficial that said interest of said minor in said real estate be sold, and the proceeds thereof, over and above the amount necessary to pay the expenses of said minor, and the costs of managing her estate, be put out at interest or invested as required by law, and it further appearing that an order should be entered requiring the next of kin and all persons interested to show cause why a license should not be granted for the sale of said undivided interest of said minor in said real estate at public auction.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that all persons interested in the estate of Marilyn Kohlbacker, also known as Mary Ann Hohlbacker, a minor, appear before the undersigned Judge of the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, at the District Court Room in the Court House in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 28th day of December, 1943, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why a license should not be granted to Margaret Kohlbacker, guardian of said minor, to sell the undivided interest of said minor in said above described real estate, for the purpose of paying the costs of maintaining said minor, and the charges of managing her estate, and investing the balance of the proceeds thereof as required by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order be served upon the next of kin and all persons interested in the estate of Marilyn Kohlbacker, also known as Mary Ann Hohlbacker, a minor, by publication a copy of this order in the Plattsmouth Journal for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

BY THE COURT
W. W. Wilson
DISTRICT JUDGE

NOTICE OF PROBATE In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of August Klemm, deceased, No. 3735.

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Louie Born as Executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 31st day of December, 1943, at 10 A. M.

Dated this 1st day of December, 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge
Cass County, Nebraska

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ella Lutgen, deceased, No. 3696:

Take notice that the Administrator of said estate has filed his final report and a petition for examination and allowance of his administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for his discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on December 24th, 1943, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated November 24th, 1943.

A. H. Duxbury,
County Judge

NOTICE OF PROBATE In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Gem Johnson, deceased, No. 2734.

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Dr. N. D. Talcott as Executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 24th day of December 1943 at 10 A. M. Dated this 26th day of November, 1943.

A. H. Duxbury,
County Judge
Cass County, Neb.

NOTICE OF HEARING ESTATE NO. 3736 In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Margaret A. Brink, deceased, both creditors and heirs:

You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of December, 1943, Willard N. Brink, Sr., filed his petition in the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska, alleging that one Margaret A. Brink died on the 12th day of July, 1941, intestate; that said Margaret A. Brink was at the time of her death a resident of the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska; that she died seized of an estate of inheritance in the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Forty-five (45), Young & Hays Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska; and

The West One Hundred Twenty (W 120) feet of the South Fifty (S 50) Feet of Lot Eight (8), Block Two (2), in Haire's Addition to the City of Hastings, Adams County, Nebraska;

That your petitioner is interested in said estate as the widower of said deceased; that at the time of the death of said decedent her only legal heirs and next of kin were Willard N. Brink, Sr., her widower, and the following named daughters and sons, to-wit: Dorothy I. Hess, Willard N. Brink, Jr., Agnes R. Brink, Gertrude M. Timm, John P. Brink, Elmore J. Brink, Kathryn A. Halpin, Rose M. Brink and Leo C. Brink; and said above-described real estate descended to them as follows: to said Willard N. Brink, Sr., a widower, an undivided one-third (1/3) interest in and to the above-described Plattsmouth property, in fee simple, together with the life use of said property as his homestead; and to all of the other heirs of deceased above named, an undivided two-thirds (2/3), interest in and to the Plattsmouth property above described, in equal shares, subject to the homestead interest of said Willard N. Brink, Sr.; and the above-described Hastings property descended to said Willard N. Brink, Sr., an undivided one-third (1/3) interest in fee, an other two-thirds (2/3) interest to the above-named heirs, in equal shares; that no application has been made by any person for the appointment of an administrator of said estate, in the State of Nebraska.

PETITIONER THEREFORE PRAYS that a decree of said Court be made and entered, determining the date of the death of said Margaret A. Brink; that at the time of her death her only surviving legal heirs were her widower and her daughters and sons above named; and that the above-described real estate descended to said heirs of said Margaret A. Brink, deceased, as herein above set forth.

That said matter has been set for hearing in the County Court Room in Plattsmouth in the County of Cass and State of Nebraska, on the 31st day of December, 1943, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M.

Paul E. Fauquet,
Judge of the County Court
James E. Addie, Atty.
for Petitioner

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF HARRY E. STEVENS, ADMINISTRATOR, FOR LICENSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE.

Now, on this 2nd day of December, 1943, this cause came on for hearing upon the petition, under oath, of Harry E. Stevens, administrator of the estate of said Rosa Barnes, also known as Rosanna Barnes, deceased, praying for license to sell the following described real estate of the said Rosa Barnes, also known as Rosanna Barnes:

An undivided one-seventh interest in and to:

The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Thirty-six (36) Township Thirteen (13) North, Range Nine (9) East of the 6th P. M.

Tracts Number Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22) and Two (2) of Section One (1), Township Twelve (12) North, Range Nine (9) East of the 6th P. M., except a parcel bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing Fifty-four (54) Rods east and Two (2) Rods south of the northwest corner of Section Two (2), Township Twelve (12), Range Nine (9) Saunders County, Nebraska, thence east 4.05 chains to the west boundary of Burlington and Missouri River Railroad Company's right-of-way, thence south Thirty-one (31) degrees east along said boundary 4.67 chains, thence west parallel to the north boundary 6.56 chains, thence north 4 chains to the place of beginning, containing 2.17.

Lots One (1), Two (2) and Three (3) in Block Thirty-four (34), Miller & Clark's Addition to the Town of Ashland.

Lot Three (3), Block Thirty-six (36) in that part of Ashland, formerly known as Flora City.

All of the above is located in Saunders County, Nebraska.

Lots Two (2), Four (4) and Five (5) in Section Twenty-one (21), Township Twelve (12) North, Range Eleven (11) East of the 6th P. M. situated in Cass County, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount thereof to bring the sum of Eight hundred (\$800.00), for the payment of debts allowed against said estate, and allowances and costs of administration, for the reason that there is not a sufficient amount of personal property in the possession of said Harry E. Stevens, administrator, belonging to said estate, to pay said debts, allowances, and costs.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chambers in the City of Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 4th day of January, 1944, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why a license should not be granted to said Harry E. Stevens, administrator to sell so much of the above-described real estate of said decedent as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon all persons interested in said estate by causing the same to be published once each week for three successive weeks in the Plattsmouth Journal, a newspaper printed and published in said county of Cass.

W. W. Wilson,
Judge of the District Court

2-w-12-6, 13, 20

N. G-1051

NOTICE OF HEARING In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the guardianship of John W. Horsh, Minor, now deceased.

You and each of you are hereby notified that Arthur J. Roelofs, Guardian of said Minor person has filed herein his final report as guardian, together with a petition praying for a final settlement and allowance of his guardianship accounts heretofore filed and for a complete exoneration of himself and bondsman of all further liability in the premises.

You are further notified that said petition alleges that the said John W. Horsh is now deceased, having been killed in action while in Military service and that by reason thereof, said guardian has completed his trust as such guardian, and that said guardianship proceedings should now be terminated and said guardian discharged;

You are further notified that a hearing will be had upon said petition and final report on December 21st, 1943 at 10 o'clock a. m. before this Court; all objections thereto, if any, must be on file on or before said date and hour of hearing.

Dated this 1st day of December, A. D. 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge

3-w-12-6, 13, 20

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of James A. Schwab, deceased, No. 3607:

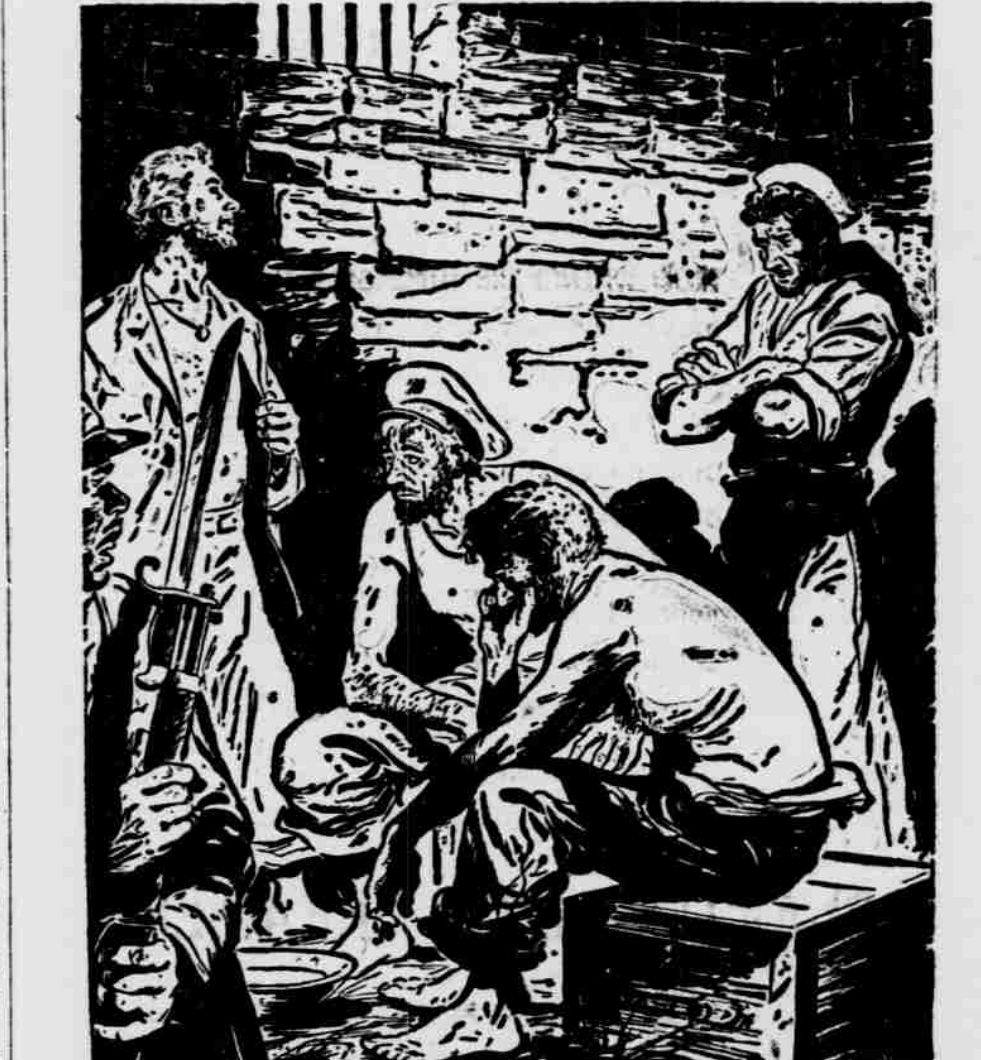
Take notice that the Executor of said estate has filed his final report and a petition for examination and allowance of his administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for his discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on December 31st, 1943, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated December 3rd, 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge

(Seal)

The present with a future—WAR BONDS for CHRISTMAS. Keep on Backing the Attack.



Second Christmas after Bataan

Wonder where they're going for Christmas?
Who'll wish them "Merry Christmas?"
What's on their menu for Christmas dinner?
What Christmas gifts will they exchange?
What will they pray for on Christmas Night?
What Christmas memories will haunt their hearts

... the stillness of a snow-robed countryside, and the friendly laughter of free people?
... the glitter of acres of show windows, and the holiday bustle of free people?
... the stockings hung, the tree trimmed, the kids up at dawn, the presents unwrapped—the carols sung by free people?

How many EXTRA War Bonds are YOU buying this Christmas?
NEBRASKA POWER COMPANY
Don't Waste Anything—Not Even Cheap Electricity

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