

### South Bend Special Journal Correspondence

Members of the Friendly Circle held their meeting on Thursday with Mrs. Cordes. After a short meeting in which the club voted to give \$10.00 to the Polio drive, the afternoon was given over to the entertainment committee, who had planned a farewell party for Mrs. Cordes who will soon move to a new home near Wabash. Bingo was played. A gift was presented to Mrs. Cordes as a remembrance from the club.

Letters of appreciation and "Thank You" cards were read from the boys in service who received Christmas cards and gifts from the club. The table sale brought \$2.00.

An incident that could be entitled "Believe it Or Not," occurred Friday night, Jan. 3. Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Livers had been called to Lincoln General hospital by the serious illness of a niece and upon returning home near midnight, Mrs. Livers missed her purse. She remembered having placed it on the fender of the car while talking to the parents of the sick child, before leaving for home. They had driven 35 miles from Lincoln to their home 1 1/2 miles from South Bend. Altho it seemed futile, they decided to return on the same road driving slowly—when they were 35 blocks from the hospital on Cotner Boulevard, Mrs. Livers called, "Stop, we've found it!" There on the pavement, the purse opened by the fall from the fender, lay articles usually found in a ladies purse, her wrist watch, coin purse, check book, pen and pencil, a letter from their son in service, all scattered about. Still in the purse were the families ration books, gas ration coupons for car, truck, tractor and the kerosene ration. After their extra 65-mile drive, Mr. and Mrs. Livers reached home at 2 o'clock Saturday morning, they say, "Nothing is impossible."

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dolinski of Omaha were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the Geo. Vogel home.

Mrs. V. D. Livers and Mrs. Jennie Livers were business visitors in Plattsmouth Tuesday. They also called on Mrs. Chas. McGregor in Louisville.

A group of ladies met at the F. J. Knecht home Monday evening to do Red Cross sewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Campbell attended a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheehan, near Manley, on Sunday evening. The party was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sheehan on their 45th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoffmaester and daughter, Betty Freeman, spent Wednesday night at the Lem McGinnis home.

Sunday dinner guests at the Martin Zaar home were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Blum, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slatten of Omaha and A/S James Slatten, who was home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Backemeyer of near Murdock called on Mrs. Jess Fidler Wednesday afternoon.

John Kupke, Ruth and Esther, and Geo. Vogler drove to Omaha Thursday.

Mr. F. J. Knecht was a business visitor in Plattsmouth Friday.

Jean Thiessen who is taking a course in telegraphy in Omaha spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Ed Copsey and Doris called on Mrs. Bernard Dill Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blum were Sunday dinner guests at the Carl Hoffman home in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fosberg were Sunday dinner guests at the Wm. Hoover home in Louisville. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heier and Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Hanson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wunderlich of Omaha were Saturday evening callers at the F. J. Knecht home.

Wednesday callers at the Jess Fidler home were Mrs. Ed Copsey, Mrs. Geo. Vogel, Mrs. V. D. Livers and Mrs. Bernard Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thimgan and daughters were Sunday evening callers at the Geo. Vogler home.

Rev. and Mrs. Cattau and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cordes were Tuesday evening callers at the Geo. Vogler home.

Rev. and Mrs. Krey were Sunday afternoon and supper guests at the John Kupke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fosberg drove to Weeping Water Wednesday evening to help their son-in-law, Thorvald Hanson, celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Carl Hoffmaester and daughter, Elizabeth Freeman, called on Mrs. Esther Kuhn Tuesday afternoon.

Vyrl Livers received the sad message of the death of his aged grandmother in Kansas. She was 96 years

### Weeping Water

Mrs. J. M. Ranney was in Blair this past week. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lingo, who were week end visitors here, to Blair, to help them get settled in their new home at Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Harmon visited at the home of Duane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harmon, Thursday. Duane left Omaha Sunday for Farragut, Idaho, to enter the Navy. Since receiving his degree as Master of Music, at Ann Arbor last fall he has been divisional expert in the main office of the Cushman Motor Works at Lincoln. His wife will remain in Lincoln for the present.

Several more real estate deals have been consummated recently. Ray Tankersley has sold their home, which they bought and redecorated last year, to Mrs. Elta Saha, who will move into town the first of March, and turn her farm over to her son. Victor Wallick has purchased the home of the late Mrs. P. S. Barnes for his mother, Mrs. Helen Wallick, and O. C. Hinds has bought the William Joyce property.

Mrs. Knud Jensen entertained the No Name club, at her home Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Beryl Hansen as an invited guest.

Danish Ladies Aid met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hernan Rauth, with two invited guests, Mrs. Harry Critzer, and Mrs. Gerald Stines of Hardin, Montana.

Billy Grieb, fifteen-year-old son of Mrs. G. R. Binger, received internal injuries when he fell from a horse, which shied, while he was in the country one day last week. Billy is accustomed to riding, but the sudden movements of the horse evidently caught him unaware. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Omaha, where his injuries were found to be serious. According to latest reports he is responding to treatment, and hopes are entertained for his speedy recovery.

S/1c Jack R. Grieg, A.O.M., arrived here from Norman, Oklahoma, to be with his brother during his illness. He expects to remain until Tuesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Binger.

Phyllis Jean Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott, has been quite ill with a "strep" condition in her throat.

S/1c Gerald Opp, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Opp, has been transferred from New Orleans to Algiers, La.

Mrs. W. L. Dwyer returned Saturday from Americus, Georgia, and brought with her, her niece, Mary Sue Bordon, who will remain here and attend Weeping Water High school for the remainder of the year. She will be a member of the Junior class.

Friendly Ladies Bridge club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Andrew Olsen, with two invited guests. They were Mrs. Emmor Marshall and Mrs. George Ellis.

Visitors this past week at the home of Mrs. Matilda Lorensen and her daughter, Miss Addalene Lorensen, were Mrs. Lorensen's daughter, Mrs. Frank Bergman of Fargo, N. D., and her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Johnson, who came from Rock Island, Ill., to spend the week end. Unfortunately Mrs. Lorensen has been quite ill with the flu since they arrived, and has been unable to enjoy getting around with them for a visit with other relatives.

Tuesday, Mrs. Frank Bergmann visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. J. Breckenridge, at Manley; Thursday with their brother, Fred Lorensen and family, and Friday with the Grover Lorensens at Manley.

Royal Neighbors enjoyed a luncheon Friday preceding their installation of officers for this coming year, as follows: Oracle, Mrs. Perry Wright; Vice Oracle, Mrs. Lawrence Johnson; Chancellor, Mrs. J. M. Ranney; Marshall, Mrs. John Jorgensen; Assistant Marshall, Mrs. Byron Baker; Re-

of age, has been doing her own housework. Her death was the result of burns received while lighting a fire. Mrs. Jennie Livers, who has been visiting her son Vyrl and family, left Saturday to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Alex Jones had the misfortune to fall Sunday morning while carrying two buckets of water. Her wrist was broken in several places. She received other painful bruises and was taken to a doctor immediately.

Mrs. Walter Thimgan has been ill with the flu. It has settled in her ear. Mrs. Oscar Dill has also been ill.

An electrical storm bringing rain was welcomed by farmers on Wednesday night.

### Receives Rating

Word has been received by Mrs. J. H. Eppings of Murdock that Lt. Richard Eppings, who is at present at Tonopah, Nevada, has taken an instrument check and received the Army Air Force Unlimited Instrument rating. Ordinarily it takes well over a thousand hours to get this rating. Lt. Eppings has only a little over four hundred hours to his credit and it is considered a great achievement; to be able to get this rating under the required number of hours.

Lt. Eppings is pilot of a B-24.

order, Mrs. Vesta Baker; Receiver, Mrs. S. L. Brandt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn, of Omaha, and their son, Harold Dunn, of St. Paul, Minn., were dinner guests at the home of Sam Klepser, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Knud Jensen had their grandson, Jimmie Fisher, of Falls City, visiting with them this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harmon were in Lincoln Sunday visiting with their son, Duane Harmon, and wife.

Mrs. Wilour Long and daughter, Sarah Jane, are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Elgaard, at Maryville, Mo., this past week.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hammond, Sunday, were Mrs. Hammond's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rehmeier and son, Lyman, and Judge and Mrs. Paul Fauquet attended a banquet in connection with the state Fair Board meeting in Lincoln Tuesday evening. Fred Rehmeier was re-elected as a member of the state Fair Board.

A young daughter, named Kathleen, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kirchoff Tuesday morning, and received a warm welcome from parents and grandparents. Her weight was announced as nine pounds. Mrs. George Kirchoff is the former Hilda Ottens of Otoe.

Mrs. Troy Jewell was hostess at the regular meeting of the WCTU Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tuck, Mrs. Hattie Sperry was leader, using as her subject "Youth Crimes."

Mrs. Frank Domingo was hostess at the January meeting of the Eastern Star Kensington at her home, Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Floyd Hite as assistant hostess. Twelve members were present, with one out of town visitor, Mrs. Gerald Stines, of Hardin, Montana, who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S. Ray Smith.

Mrs. Merton Norris left Wednesday for Brooklyn to visit her husband, Junior Assistant Purser Merton Norris, who is a member of the hospital department. Mrs. Norris will remain while he is stationed there. She expects to visit her brother, Frank Wolcott, and wife before returning home.

Cpl. Donald Opp of the Army Air Force, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Opp. He is being transferred from Nashville, Tenn., to New Mexico, and had a nine days furlough. He expects to leave today for New Mexico.

Mrs. Merlyn Fernbaugh and daughter, Joyce, of Grand Island, were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Binger. Mrs. Fernbaugh came to Lincoln to attend the funeral of her uncle, Ben Binger, and came on to Weeping Water for a visit.

Miss Mary Allen and Miss Doris Marshall returned to Lincoln Thursday evening after a two days visit with the home folk. Doris finished her course of study at the University of Nebraska, at the close of the first semester, but she expects to remain in Lincoln and take some extra work at the University during this last semester. She is president of the Alpha Omicron Pi sorority this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Jacobson of Cushing, Neb., were week end visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. G. R. Binger.

Robert Elliott has been busy doing some remodeling on the interior of their present home.

Friday Evening Dinner Bridge club had their dinner at Mac's Cafe as usual, Friday evening, after which they adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shrauger, where the evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Thomas Stacey was an invited guest.

G. R. Binger received the sad message of the death of his brother, Ben Binger, 62, at Troy, Missouri, last week. The body was brought to Lincoln, his former home, for burial. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon.

Bide-A-Wee social club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Shrauger, with fourteen members present, and one guest, Miss Doris Marshall.

### Sends Paper to Friend

Mrs. Hannah Applegate, a resident of Union for a number of years, who is now cook at the Nebraska Masonic Home, called at the Journal on Saturday to enroll for the semi-weekly edition.

Mrs. Applegate is sending the Journal to her old friend and neighbor, Mrs. E. Lindsey, who resides at 5633 Pamplinan St., St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Lindsey has purchased a new home in the Missouri city and likes very much the new location, altho still enjoys hearing of the old friends in Cass county.

### Visitors in City

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Eisele, well known residents of the Murdock community, were in the city Saturday and accompanied by their sons, Jay and Richard. While in Plattsmouth, Mr. Eisele called at the Journal to renew his paper for the coming year.

### Journal Ration Guide

RESTAURANTS and HOTELS: Restaurants and hotels must register on R-1507 Supplement during January. Forms at Local Boards.

SUGAR: Sugar Stamp No. 30 on last page of War Ration Book IV good for five pounds of sugar thru March 31.

PROCESSED FOODS: Green stamp G, H and J are good to February 29 1944. K, L, and M from February 1 to the March 29.

MEATS and FATS: Brown stamps V and W in War Ration Book III good to February 26. X becomes good February 6, 1944.

Farmers must collect ration points for all rationed meats—including farm-slaughtered pork—sold to friends, neighbors, or anyone else.

SHOES: Two ration stamps are good for the purchase of shoes for an indefinite period: Stamp No. 18 in War Ration Book I and Aeroplane stamp No. 1 in War Ration Book III. Only stamps attached to ration books will be accepted by dealers. LOOSE stamps are not good!

GASOLINE: No. 10 A coupons good beginning January 22, 1944. B-1 and C-1 coupons good for two gallons each. B-2 and C-2 good for five gallons each. Endorse your coupons! Truck operators pick up first quarter 1944 rations at Local Board.

Any person selling or trading his car or truck is required to return unused rations to Local Board and get duplicate receipt.

Farmers must file all non-highway gasoline applications with their Triple A office.

TIRE INSPECTIONS: (1) "A" book holders, every 6 months, deadline March 31, 1944. (2) "B" book holders, every 4 months, deadline February 28, 1944. (3) "C" book holders, every 3 months, deadline February 29, 1944. (4) "TT" book holders, every 6 months, or 5,000 miles.

FUEL OIL: Period 2 coupons not good after February 7. Period 4 is good February 8. Period 3 coupons valid for use through March 13. One unit coupons good for 10 gallons. Five-unit coupons good for 50 gallons. Coupons with encircled figures are worth that figure in gallons and valid for use through September 15.

STOVE RATIONING: Consumers must now have Purchase Certificate Form R-901 to buy rationed heating and cooking stoves. Quotas are small except for coal and wood heating stoves. Purchase of unrationed used stoves is urged.

USED OIL BURNING HEATING STOVES: Persons contemplating buying used oil burning heating stove should consult Ration Board before doing so as they may be ineligible to secure fuel oil or kerosene for operation of the stove.

LUGGAGE: All luggage sold after December 1 must carry a tag showing ceiling price. This applies to non-leather as well as leather.

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A PURSUIT PLANE, at a cruising speed of 200 m.p.h. requires one gallon of gasoline for every four miles of flight.

Don't forget Lugsch Cleaners Wednesday Cash and Carry Special. Two ladies' 2-piece mannish suits, mens' 3-piece suits, spring coats, top coats or hats, for \$1.00 (No dresses or pastel shades on special).

### Elmwood By Journal Field Representative

Albert Kunz was a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Ostertag where all enjoyed a fine visit.

Miss Darlene Hollenbeck, who is employed in Lincoln, was home for last week end with her parents and other friends.

Miss Minnie Kruh entertained the Blue Bird club at her home last week. The dinner served featured ideas for pepping up wartime meals. The chief dish of interest was a sauerkraut casserole with appetizing muffins.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hollenbeck called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gilmore last Thursday forenoon and in the afternoon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts.

Mrs. G. G. Douglas has been in Lincoln the past week where she assisted in nursing a sister Mrs. Edward Gustin who has been very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Lins was visiting her daughter Corrine, in Lincoln where she is taking a course in nurses training at Bryan Memorial hospital.

John Christensen, 91 years of age, who has made his home in Elmwood and vicinity for many years, is in poor health at this time and is being cared for by relatives. For over a half century Mr. Christensen has been a loyal member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and is being visited by the brothers of the lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blessing and children Sunday were guests at the home of Kendall Kitzell at Wymore where they enjoyed a fine dinner.

Miss Lois Enteline who is employed in Lincoln enjoyed a week end visit last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Enteline.

Friends of Rev. Adair, who has been very ill and confined to his bed, will be pleased to learn that he is reported as improving.

Mrs. Bess Streeter Aldrich, the author, departed last week for New York where she will visit with her sons James and Charles Aldrich.

To Make Home in Weeping Water Mrs. Charles Spohn, who recently purchased a home in Weeping Water is planning shortly to move there. A group of her neighbors tendered her a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Capwell on Monday of this week.

Entertains City Dads The Elmwood Fire department was host to the civic body of the village when they entertained the mayor and other city officials on last Monday at a banquet at the Elmwood cafe. This proved an enjoyable affair and much appreciated by the "City Dads."

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### MURDOCK By Journal Field Representative

Dies in Kansas City Elmer E. Weese, 88, a pioneer of the Murdock community, the first agent of the Rock Island railroad when it was built through Cass county, back in 1891, died last week at Kansas City, Missouri. The body was shipped to Omaha and then to Murdock for burial. The services were at Kansas City and a short service was conducted at the grave by Rev. J. H. Oehlerking. The wife was buried in the Murdock-Wabash cemetery forty years ago.

### Pioneer Passes On

Noah Swacker, a pioneer of the Murdock community, died the past week at Lincoln where he has made his home for the past thirty-five years. He died as the result of a heart attack.

Henry A. Tool was a visitor in Lincoln Tuesday attending to some matters for the bank.

### Visits in Missouri

Edward E. Gannaway with his nephew, Samuel Gannaway and daughter, were visiting for a week in the south part of Missouri near the town of Stockton. On the trip they traveled some 938 miles.

### Improvements at Station

The service station that is owned and operated by I. C. McCrory, has had a supply tank which was inadequate to the needs of the station. This has been replaced with a large tank to handle the supply.

### Family at Home

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rosenow had dinner together at the family home on last Tuesday, the first time they have been together in seven years. At this time Lieutenant Rolland Rosenow is home and a sister, Mrs. Joseph Marshall of Portland, Ore., was here as well as Dick Rosenow of Oregon. The writer was invited to join the dinner party but was not able to do so.

### Aged Man Very Sick

Louis Neitzel, oldest citizen of Murdock aged 89 years, has been ill at his home for the greater portion of last week but is now some better. Mr. Neitzel was for many years a blacksmith at South Bend, Indiana, after which he entered the ministry and preached at Ithica, Omaha and a number of other churches of the state. He later gave up the ministry and engaged in the hardware business, starting in Murdock in 1891.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schleuter were at Lincoln Monday to look after some matters of business.

Mrs. J. H. Oehlerking was enjoying a very fine visit from Mrs. Laura Traudt of Howard, who remained for the week end.

Mrs. Henry Heineman, who has been employed in a department store in Lincoln, has resigned her position and returned home to Murdock. Mr. and Mrs. Heineman were looking after some business in Ashland Saturday.

Russell Gortney, who has been located in Texas, where he has been attending a service school, is now stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Oehlerking were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oehlerking for a fine afternoon visit and turkey dinner.

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