

Death of Lemuel Gessell Thursday

Thursday evening Lemuel Gessell, 81, resident of the Nebraska Masonic Home, passed away after an illness that had been

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gradually growing more severe in the past few days.

Mr. Gessell was born in Delaware county, Indiana, January 8, 1867, and in his youth moved to the west. He was a printer by trade and followed this vocation for the greater part of his lifetime. He was admitted to the Home here on January 20, 1942, from Beatrice Lodge No. 26, of which he was long a member. After coming to Plattsmouth to reside, Mr. Gessell was a frequent and pleasant caller at the Journal to visit and watch the paper in the process of preparation.

He was preceded in death by the wife who is buried at Beatrice, Nebraska. One daughter, Mrs. Ellis N. Boky, of Taylor, Nebraska, is surviving.

The body is at the Caldwell funeral home at 7th and Oak streets and will be taken to Beatrice for the funeral in charge of the Beatrice A. F. & A. M. lodge.

Local People at St. Joseph Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bierl of near this city, with Mr. and Mrs. Terence Smith, of Omaha, were Sunday visitors at St. Joseph, Mo., where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Harris and family, Mrs. Harris being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bierl.

They attended the first communion of a child of Mrs. Harris, which was held on Sunday morning.

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Mrs. Annie Claus Writes of Life In Native Ireland

Mrs. Anna Claus, who made her home in Plattsmouth from the early 100's to the summer of 1947, when she returned home to her native Ireland, (now Eire) to make her home, writes back to a number of the old friends, among these C. E. Ledgway, clerk of the district court, who assisted in getting her the necessary papers that permitted her return to the "old sod." The letter follows:

C. E. Ledgway, Clerk of the District Court, Plattsmouth, Nebraska. Dear Sir:

Just a line from Europe telling you of the changes in the life of my native land, where even the climate seems changed, from rain and shine it has turned to haze and fog. Though not in the last war, the Eire government has been aiding the other countries. War is cruel and does not stop with the deed for the aftermath is worse. Eire is better today in some respects than when I was raised here, and in others is worse, then a tradesman would make \$7 a week, today they make \$40 a week and it goes like the wind.

During the war, England was bombed, yet was building, all her men that were fit to fight were in service, so the Irish from here went over to help rebuild the country and then as now, there was very little work for the tradesmen in this town. Some men from here were in England for seven years, big wages, and yet half starved, then the wives, mothers and sisters sent them food from their limited rations, but no meat or bacon. The English lads had nothing either, and the people put slices of bacon in newspapers to ship them, and all went well until summer, oh what a time, such grease as was in the post office. But in Dublin and in England, most of the men are working now. There will be lots of work here some day for the government is getting ready to build new homes for the working people, the rentals to be according to their income, the city council collects the rent that varies from \$1.25 to \$2 a week. They have water and electric lights in the houses, no charge for the water and only for electric current if it runs over a certain amount.

There were reporters from all over Eire for the elections, a great time. There were turf fires in the squares, and torch light parades. The best part of it I did not understand why there were so many parties, but I enjoyed it anyway.

The population of this town is well over 10,000 yet there are only two factories here, one a shoe factory that was here in my girlhood, the owner has long since died but his sons run it having something like 200 persons employed. The second factory is a mineral water works conducted by the same family as in the past and has 100 men working. A beet sugar factory runs four months of the year

when there are 500 men working, the rest of the time they can go to England or elsewhere to work.

It is estimated that upwards of 30,000 leave Ireland every year, quite a number going to Australia.

In the past few years you could buy clothes, and canned goods shipped from the United States with a small assortment of British goods. The cheapest thing is the picture show prices, the films mostly American with some British.

I recall when the beet sugar factory is running there are lots of the men coming home late and they sing U. S. songs, their favorite seems to be "On the Banks of the Wabash."

I will close with best wishes for your future success and happiness. I am writing also to Miss Warner and Miss Ardyth Hall. Yours truly, Mrs. Anna Claus.

Little One is Called to Rest

Judith Lynne Stewart, three-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stewart, died at 12:05 Sunday morning at the St. Catherine's hospital at Omaha.

Judith Lynne was born April 4, 1948 at an Omaha hospital and had been home for one week when it was found necessary to have her taken back to the hospital where she developed pneumonia. She was the first born child of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and her passing has brought a deep sorrow to the members of the family.

Mrs. Stewart, the mother, is the former Elaine Nana, of Papillion.

The funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon from the chapel of the Caldwell funeral home at 7th and Oak street, with Rev. E. C. Williams conducting the services. During the service Mrs. Earl Carr sang, "Little Pink Rose in My Garden" with E. H. Wescote accompanist. The interment was at the Oak Hill cemetery.

Paul Mann to Show Purebred Stock

This community will be represented at the annual Polled Shorthorn cattle Congress show and sale in Kansas City, Mo., May 7-8 by two animals from the herd of Paul Mann of Manley. The event will celebrate eight years of almost phenomenal rise in breed popularity.

Since the first congress in Des Moines, Iowa, in 1941, sales of purebred Polled Shorthorns have increased 175 percent and new herds have increased 293 percent—the highest rate of increase of any beef breed. This year's Congress offers 83 head from 10 states, all from leading national herds.

Judge of the show will be Dr. A. E. Darlow, head the animal husbandry department of the Oklahoma A&M College. J. E. Halsey of Des Moines, and Hamilton James of Newton, Ill., will auctioneer the sale. Homer Theiman, editor of the Kansas City Daily Drivers Telegram will be the main speaker at the banquet Friday night in the Phillips Hotel.

Mrs. Don C. Rhoden Is Remembered

Sunday Mrs. Don C. Rhoden, 83, one of the long time residents of the Murray community, was observing the passing of her birthday anniversary and was given a very pleasant reminder of the occasion from the friends and relatives.

In the afternoon Mrs. LaVern Gauer of Louisville, came in to greet the grandmother and presented her with a lovely basket of fruit as a remembrance.

Later in the day, the members of the ladies class of the Murray Presbyterian church joined in the wishes to Mrs. Rhoden, their oldest member, spending the time in visiting and enjoying several hours. The ladies brought ice cream and cake that served to complete a most happy occasion.

Mrs. Campbell Has Operation Today

Mrs. Homer C. Campbell of this city, who has not been well for some time, was taken to Omaha Saturday where she entered the Clarkson hospital where she will be operated on today (Monday). She is in room 305.

Mr. Campbell and their son, Ray, were at the hospital to be with the wife and mother during the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spurrier and son Gary of Fremont were guests in the Orville Nielsen home Sunday.

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Death of Long Time Resident Of Near Union

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 o'clock at the Wyoming Methodist church for Mrs. Clara A. James, 83, widow of the late William James, long time resident of the vicinity of Union.

The services were conducted by the Rev. Homer L. Dickerson, of Nebraska City. The services were attended by many of the old family friends of Otoe county and the Union community. The active pallbearers were: Herbert Ehlers, Herbert Easter, Paul Gittinger, Paul Madsen, Hollis Banning, Fred Clark. The honorary pallbearers were: Will Seyfer, W. B. Banning, Charles Ferguson, Herman Weickhorst, Chris Madsen and O. D. Easter. Interment was at the Cowles Hill cemetery.

Clara A. Swan, daughter of Charles and Margaret Swan, pioneers of the Union neighborhood, was born in that section of Cass county. She attended the schools in her home community and on September 2, 1866, was married at the home of her parents to William James.

For a great many years the family resided on a farm southwest of Union, moving two years ago to the village of Union, where she has since made her home. A cousin, Lena Barber, has lived with her since childhood.

Mrs. James is survived by a sister, Mrs. Fred Clark, of Union; six nieces and nephews, who reside in this section of the state. Her husband died on April 6, 1932, and a daughter, Lillie Belle, died in infancy, April 2, 1904.

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KASS COUNTY KILOWATTS

The Kass County Kilowatts met at the home of Jerry Lutz, Tuesday evening, April 20. Edward Snyder, president, had charge of the business session. The 4-H pledge was recited by the members in unison and nine members answered roll call with a Safety Hint. Roy Simonds gave a speech on Safety. James Pollard, leader, had charge of the lesson and gave instruction and help in making splines. Recreation leader Jerry Lutz, accompanied by his mother in a group of Club and popular songs. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Lutz. Guests at the meeting were Mr. Lutz and Hall Pollard. The next meeting will be held at the home of Edward Snyder on May 4.

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Attend Wedding At Omaha Church

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kaffenberger attended the wedding of Miss Dolores Iske and Mr. Arthur Thiesen, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, April 18 at the Pilgrim's Congregational church at Omaha. They also attended the reception that followed the services, held at the Brown Park pavilion.

NOTICE

Junior Woman's Club banquet tickets now available at Sedlak's Snack Shop. Get your tickets before May 5. 42-2tc

Mrs. R. E. Butler of Lincoln, who was here to visit Mrs. W. E. Hickey, returned Sunday to her home.

County Surveyor Frank P. Dall was a visitor on Sunday at Manley with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dall and other relatives.

Murdock

Mrs. Florence McDonald

Mr. and Mrs. Norma Yardley of Lincoln are the proud parents of a daughter born on Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Yardley was formerly Dorothy McCrory of Murdock.

The Friendly Neighborly club met at the home of Mrs. J. R. Paul on Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance.

The Four Square club met at the home of Mrs. Chester Elsmann on Thursday afternoon with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacey McDonald were Omaha shoppers on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schmidt and Marilyn were Lincoln shoppers on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rase and family of Bellevue, Nebraska, visited at the home of L. W. Rase and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Johanson has been on the sick list this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rikli and Mr. and Mrs. J. Johansen spent last week end at Beatrice, Nebr., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rikli and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baumgartner and family of Knoxville, Iowa, visited the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Baumgartner.

Mrs. William Schuler was taken to the Bryan Memorial hospital the first of last week for observation.

Mr. Leo Rikli and son, Warren, were Omaha visitors last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kruse were Lincoln shoppers on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wilken are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wilken.

A school of instruction for setting up and running hay balers was conducted at the Allis-Chalmers place of business Monday evening. There were about 20 in attendance.

The Army awarded 1,725,344 decorations and awards from December 7, 1941 through November 30, 1945.

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Suffers from Broken Arm

William H. Woolcott, residing on South 8th street, was severely injured in a fall at his home. He has not been in good health to some time and in getting around the home Saturday sustained the fall with the result that the left arm was fractured. The injury was treated here and he is now recuperating from the accident at the family home.



... that the woods Indian stood in front every cigar store. The "savage" with upraised tomahawk was a part of life in the '90 and as much a part of Main street as the clatter of horses' hoofs or the cobblestone pavement. Remember!

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