

Reserves Patrol At Night Problem

The U. S. Army Reserve unit engaged in a night problem Wednesday night during which the members formed a combat patrol, approached a listening post, observed, then reported back to headquarters. A hot meal of C rations was served in the field.

The company recently was changed from a heavy weapons to a mortar company and is armed with 4.2 mortars. The change allowed an increase in strength and there now are openings for 41 non-commissioned officers rather than 28.

Capt. Cecil Karr said there are openings in the company, and those interested may come to the armory or contact him.

Karr also announced that Melvin McKenney had been promoted from second to first lieutenant as of Sept. 23.

Cass County Girl Officer At Peru

Marilyn Hawxby of Nemaha has been elected president of the Women's Students Association at Peru State College, according to Dean of Women Marguerite Haugen. The group is made up of not only girls living in Eliza Morgan residence hall, but also married women students and girls living with relatives in Peru.

Other officers are Janet Christensen of Weeping Water, vice-president and program chairman; Mary Lou Trussell of Stella secretary - treasurer; Phyllis Gess of Syracuse, wing counselor - representative, and Nancy Taggart of Peru, town girls' representative.

Omaha Market Top In Monday Trading

With 52,000 head of cattle, calves, hogs and sheep on sale, Omaha again last Monday was top ranking livestock market; in fact, was some 19,000 ahead of second place Sioux City. Trade trends were mixed.

Supply included 16 to 17,000 Western replacement cattle and calves, 8,000 or more Western feeder lambs and breeding ewes.

Those from Cass county shipping to the Omaha market recently include: Alvin A. Oehlerting, 17 hogs, weight 232, \$19.50; Arthur Sprick, 22 hogs, weight 223, \$18.75; Fred Holt, 28 hogs, weight 189, \$19; Clarence Engelkemier, 30 hogs, weight 199; and W. H. Oehlerting, 34 hogs, weight 231, \$19.

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SPORTS

Blue Devils Lose to Wahoo; Drill for Nebraska City Friday

Wahoo struck in the second and fourth quarters to hand the Plattsmouth Blue Devils their fourth defeat of the season Friday night, Gary Hoffman being credited with doing the most damage.

Their homecoming game was dampened when Hoffman went through his right tackle for a 23-yard run and a touchdown, and the clincher put on in the fourth quarter when he did the same trick for 33 yards and a TD.

It was passing that bothered the Devils the most, however, and Hoffman was responsible for most of the 99 yards gained by Wahoo through the air.

On the ground, the Devils weren't far behind the Warriors, gaining 128 yards to their 155.

However, Plattsmouth made only two first downs in the whole game, Wahoo getting eight.

Coach Ken Schroeder said the Devils will be working hard on pass defense before their game at Nebraska City this Friday night. The team will leave here at 8:45 for the 8 m. game.

Statistics for the Wahoo game

P	W
Yards rushing	128
Yards lost	14
Net yards	103
Yards passing	18
Total net	121
Passes completed	3
Intercepted by	0
Penalized	65
First downs	2
Received fumbles	3

Edward Graves Funeral Friday In Peru, Nebr.

Edward Graves, son of Alex and Arminia Bomer Graves, was born August 16th, 1871, in Fremont County, Iowa, near the town of Bartlett.

In 1889 he, with his parents, moved to a farm in Cass county near Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

He was married to Nellie Marie Niday on December 14th, 1904. To this union six children were born. Five children survive their father. One son Eugene was killed in World War II on August 17, 1944.

In 1922 Mr. Graves, together with his family, moved to Peru. Two years later Mrs. Graves passed away.

Surviving are Louis and Geo. Virginia; Theodore of Burke, California; Mrs. Frank Actkins of Carpinteria, California; Mrs. Art Newell of Culver City, Calif.; Also sixteen grandchildren; one brother Howard of Plattsmouth; two sisters, Mrs. Sadie Valley of Omaha and Mrs. Bert Crawford of Sherwood, Oregon, besides many relatives and a host of friends.

He passed away as he had lived, trusting in the loving mercies of the "Good Shepherd of the Sheep."

Funeral services were held Friday, October 15th, at the Peru Christian Church at 2:00 p. m. with Rev. Lawrence Williams officiating.

Palbearers were Everett Applegate, Harry Nincehiser, Geo. Grafton, Everett Heywood, Raymond Redfern, and Earl Adams.

Two songs "God Will Take Care of You" and "Nearer My God To Thee" were sung by Duane McKnight. Accompanist was Mrs. Clyde Duerfeldt.

Assisting with the flowers were Mrs. Ruth Russell and Mrs. Almer Allgood.

Interment was in the Mt. Vernon Cemetery at Peru. Caseys in charge of funeral arrangements.

Commenting on the need for protection of highway funds, Lockwood declared that "Nebraska, through the years, has diverted more than \$26 million of its highway user revenue to non-highway use — at a cost of hundreds of miles of new or improved highways." He pointed out that "Twenty-four other states now have constitutional provisions banning this practice and so should we."

Attacking the federal gasoline tax, the speaker declared: "The federal gasoline tax was imposed in 1922 as a 'temporary' emergency measure, which now costs Nebraska motorists about \$9 million a year."

"Nebraska's counties receive a large share of state highway-user revenue," Lockwood pointed out. "In all fairness, the counties should use part of this money to match available federal grants for county roads and not expect the state to build their county roads for them."

We are glad to act as tax collectors for the state," he declared, "because we believe the state gasoline tax represents a sound method of obtaining revenue to provide and maintain highway transportation facilities between farm and factory. An adequate network of highways is necessary for the development of commerce, industry and agriculture in our state. But we join hands with other highway users in seeking equitable taxation on highway transportation."

Knaup Is Initiated Into Science Frat

Wayne Kerr of Clarinda, Ia., has been elected president of the Phi chapter of Beta Beta Beta, biological sciences fraternity at Peru State College.

Other officers of the chapter, one of the charter groups of the society founded in 1923, include: Ronald Paap, of Otoe, vice president; Steve Howrey of Bartlett, Ia., secretary, and John Christ Jr. of Peru historian.

Rodney Knaup of Weeping Water is a new initiate into the fraternity, which selects members on the basis of superior scholastic record and an aptitude for biology.

Sorghums Capable Of Poisoning Stock

All sorghums are capable of producing enough prussic acid to cause death of livestock when pastured under certain conditions of growth. Cattle and sheep should not be fed sorghum when conditions are favorable for the development of prussic acid. Frosted sorghums are particularly dangerous to feed.

Thorough curing as hay, dry fodder or silage will reduce the poisonous property. Under these conditions there is no danger from prussic acid poisoning in sorghum silage. The time it takes for silage to ferment will depend on the stage of maturity of the sorghum, moisture content, how closely packed, and other factors.

President Eisenhower has named George C. McConnaughey of Ohio to be chairman of the Federal Communications Commission.

LOUISVILLE

Mrs. Bessie Core Phone 4377

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Mayfield of Omaha visited L. J. Mayfield and other relatives and friends in Louisville Friday.

Howard Layman of Omaha, formerly of Louisville, died Tuesday afternoon in an Omaha hospital. He had been in poor health for some time and had gone to the hospital recently for an operation. Mr. Layman came to Louisville shortly after the cement plant opened and worked for the Ash Grove Co. until he went to Omaha to work for the Falstaff Co. He was a machinist. He was the husband of the former Dora Wegener. They have one son, 15, who with his mother, survives.

Word received from the Harry Lew family in California say their 3rd daughter joined the Women's Air Force last spring and she has been transferred to Offutt Air Base. The Lews had 4 daughters born here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wildrick celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary on Oct. 12, but the anniversary dinner was held on Sunday, October 10 at their home in Weeping Water. A lovely dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. Wildrick received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burch are spending their vacation visiting with their son, John E. and family at Kansas City, Mo., and their daughter, Mrs. D. W. Webb, Jr., and her family at Milwaukee, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Borjeson from Fairbanks, Alaska, were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Amelang. Mr. Borjeson is a meteorologist. They left Sunday evening for Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Voigtman and family spent Saturday shopping in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Urwin and Mrs. J. R. Meisinger of South Bend visited Albert Meisinger at St. Catherine's hospital in Omaha Tuesday night. They found him improving.

Mrs. J. F. Zastera and Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Aeschbacher home were Mr. and Mrs. John C. Thomson, Berkeley, Calif., Mr. Robert Thomson, Fresno, Calif., Mr. John Thomson is a nephew of Mrs. Aeschbacher.

Twin daughters were born Oct. 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Link of Falls church, Virginia. Mrs. Link is the former Mary Guest, daughter of the Rev and Mrs. W. H. Guest, former pastor here.

Those attending the Sunday School convention Monday, October 11 at Murray Christian church were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Still, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Carlen, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Aeschbacher, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dankleff, John Stubbendich and Mrs. Henry Maseman.

The 1955 meeting will be at Avoca. Mrs. Fred Marquardt, Avoca, president; Mrs. Louis Sack, Plattsmouth, vice president; Alvin Groesser, Weeping Water, secretary - treasurer; assistant, Mrs. Groesser.

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Callers Sunday at the Rev.

John Lingle Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle Jr. and son Steven, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruge and son Ricky.

Employees of the Steckley Hybrid Corn Co. surprised Mrs. Gus Wohlers on her birthday one day last week with ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Stovall and children, Riverton, Iowa, spent Sunday at the J. H. F. Ruge home.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pankolin left over a week ago for Ohio where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pankolin and family. They are expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Hermanson left Tuesday to attend the international convention of the cement workers union at New Orleans, La. They will be gone about 2 weeks. Rubin is the delegate from the Louisville local.

Guests at the Richard Whitmore home Sunday were Mr. Whitmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Whitmore of Exeter, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johns and Mrs. Johns' mother, Mrs. Walters, all of Exeter.

A Republican rally was held Tuesday night, Oct. 19 at 8:00 o'clock at the city hall. Judge Jackson B. Chase of Omaha, candidate for congress from the second district was the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Brien are home this week from California where they have been spending their vacation.

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