

NEWS FROM AVOCA

Mrs. Henry Maseman

Mr. and Mrs. John Buchholz and son attended a family reunion of the Nieman family at Harlan Park at Kearney Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Wolph is attending a two week session in physical education at Peru State Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sill have been on a fishing trip to Minnesota this week.

Miss Nettie Carter is ill at her home.

The electric storm here Tuesday did a lot of damage when it struck several pumps, water heaters and a steel window, and trees, 3.75 inch was recorded unofficially.

Mrs. C. E. Sutton and sons, Louisville spent the week at the home of Marion and family here.

The Cemetery Kensington met and Miss Bertha Neumeister. Roll call was "What I wish they would invent". After a short business meeting the afternoon was spent visiting.

Mrs. Louis Ruhge and Mrs. Ann Mickie attended a cooks meeting at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ruhge were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Maseman in Lincoln.

Mrs. Lynn Hoback left for Long Beach, Calif., Tuesday to see her daughter, Joan, Mrs. Lloyd Vanderslice. Her husband was recently recalled to service with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tefft, Waterloo, Ia., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Carl Tefft and other relatives here.

Leon Bose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bose, had a tonsilectomy Wednesday at Bryan Memorial, Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hansen and children moved to Sterling Wednesday where he will be Superintendent of Schools for 1958-59.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bond were to Beatrice to see his mother in Lutheran Hospital and has learned her injuries were more serious than they thought. She will be there for a number of weeks.

Mrs. Lemoyne Spohn, Mrs. Skyle Miller, Jr., Mrs. Arlo Pratt, all of Elmwood, Mrs. Robert Eilers, California, were coffee guests of Mrs. Jerry Pointer Wednesday.

The Fire Department was called to the Freidenberg home Friday night when a tractor caught fire. It is thought it was a short as it had not been used for several days. Quite a bit of damage was also done.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dankleff, Mrs. Kristine Salling and Miss Matilde Madsen went to St. Paul Sunday to help Chriss Christensen observe his 97th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruhge returned home from a visit with relatives in Western Nebraska.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Boedeker, Los Angeles, Calif., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Boedeker. The George Boedekers flew to Switzerland Aug. 7, to attend a meeting of Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy Commission as a delegate from the United States. George is a technical consultant for Lytle Engineers at the conference.

Green Thumbers Garden Club met Tuesday with Mrs. Ernest Haveman. Roll call was my favorite fall poem. Mrs. Kenneth Wessel spoke about African Violets. The members voted to help the other garden clubs at the flower show.

Shirley Meyer visited at the Ernest Meyer home near Unadilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durham, Grand Island, Mr. and Mrs. Van Vy, Lincoln, came to get George Durham and all visited Claude Durham at the Hill Top Nursing Home, Weeping Water.

Mrs. Elmer Hallstrom, Mrs. Robert Hallstrom and Bette Jeanne visited Mrs. Milton Muncie at Plattsmouth Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Buskirk San Rafael, Calif., announce the arrival of a daughter, Sheryl Lynn by adoption. Maternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Akeson, Weeping Water and paternal, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Buskirk of Escondido, Calif.

The Golden Rod Garden Club met Monday with Mrs. Carl Tefft. Program was "day Lilies" by Mrs. Elmer Hennings. Tree Contest by Mrs. Harry Mickie. Each member brought a glad-lola arrangement. Plans were made for the flower show in September. Roll call was what any county fair exhibit will be.

The Anniversary Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hennings Thursday night. Prizes at cards went to Elmer Hallstrom, Elmer Wessel, Mrs. Ray Norris, Mrs. Carl Zaiser, Miss Phyllis Straub.

Miss Marilyn Bose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bose was chosen as Miss Avoca at the Cass County Fair at Weeping Water.

Mrs. Merle Hennings and sons Omaha, spent several days here visiting at the John Rippe and Elmer Hennings homes.

John Mohr has been visiting his brother, Charley, who is at Veterans Hospital, Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hallstrom, Mrs. Seegel and Crystal M. and Mrs. John Emshoff, Dean and Darrel Seegel enjoyed a picnic supper at the Elvin Emshoff home Friday evening which was Mrs. Elvin Emshoff's birthday.

Helping John Lingle Sr. celebrate his birthday Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle Jr. and Steven, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Rippe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carsten, Mr. and Mrs. William Burn Mr. and Mrs. Orville Warneke and daughter, Mrs. William Kolash, who stayed over for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mohr Mrs. Anna Wohlers, Mr. and Mrs. John Stubbendiek visited at the Joe Beck home in Nebraska City Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Straub and Jerry visited at the Edward Ulsberg's home Tuesday.

Charles and Rober Hart, Omaha, visited with their grandmother, Mrs. Harry Stutt.

ALVO NEWS

Karen Howe
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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snavelly and Billy Lee were at the home of Mrs. Snavelly's sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and family at Nehawka, Sunday evening for supper celebrating their twenty fifth anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snavelly and Billy Lee entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shell of Eadie, Mrs. Edna Philpot of Weeping Water, Jon Stall of Lincoln and Dick Walentine of Lincoln Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rueter were pleasantly surprised by their former neighbors Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson of Rolfe, Ia., Sunday afternoon. The Thompsons came to Lincoln to see their son, Dick and family and also Mr. Thompson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Morton have had their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lowe and daughter Carolyn and Marguerite of Isleton, Calif., visiting at their place this week. Sunday their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Allan and family from Omaha came to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Howe accompanied by Karen Krause of Adams drove to Paaz, to attend the wedding of Betty French and Bob Freis. LaVon Howe

Road Graders Reveal Indian Village Site

Once more some old Cass County history comes to light with the grading of one of our roads in this section of the county.

While grading near the buried village three Woodland Indians were disturbed from their long rest of over fifteen hundred years.

These Indians were of the Woodland tribes inhabiting Cass County, a period estimated as 1500 years ago. In this region were twenty-two house sites and two were destroyed with the grading.

These skeletons were facing northeast so they must have passed on sometime during June, the longest days as we know them. The ones of last year were facing southeast, their passing was in the winter when the days are at their shortest, for they usually faced the rising sun. Their bones were buried beneath their house under the ashes so being well preserved after all these years.

This village of twenty-two houses strung along a strip of ground about 160 rods, lying next to the Missouri River. A flood came and this village was abandoned, after a few years they returned again and built their houses and again a flood came and again they returned and built their abodes. Three times they built their lodges and three times flooded out.

This village lies directly south of the turtle mound which was some form of worship. Man has always had something of this kind; no matter how long ago. We have here in Cass County evidence of the mound builders practice; such as the turtle mound. The only mound in the middle west or the plains area that has had a meaning.

The turtle rites were observed by the agricultural class and practiced prior to 1500. The ceremonies connected with this dispute storms.

Cass County is rich in history and we are trying to preserve our heritage with our Cass County Historical Society.

Martin Sporer, Chairman Cass County Historical Society.

NEHAWKA

Mrs. F. O. Sand
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Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and Barbara went to Lincoln Monday to have the casts removed from Barbara's feet. She had surgery early in the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Staples and two daughters of Mapleton, Ia., will spend two weeks at the Harry Knabe home. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Staples and family, Joe Huber, Harry Knabe and Mrs. Amelia Heidt were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gansemer.

Mr. and Mrs. George McFadden, Lincoln, were guests Saturday afternoon of the Ellis Lacy's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and Barbara were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heesch and Tamara Lu.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sand and family, Lincoln, were dinner guests Sunday of the F. O. Sands. They had just returned home from a week's vacation in the Colorado mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Rose Redden spent several days the past week with relatives at Omaha and Fremont.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Redden and family went to Fremont Saturday to spend the day with the Emery Ayers family. Mr. and Mrs. Rose Redden who had been visiting returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Nichols and Jimmy spent Sunday at Fremont with the Emery Ayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fitch visited Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Boedeker of Avoca Saturday evening and at the Lester Shrader home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale and family, Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. John Chappell, Plattsmouth were guests Sunday of Mrs. John Eaton and daughters. Their guests Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hoback, Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hron, Omaha and Jack Franke, Plattsmouth were guests Sunday of the Gilbert Edmonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marler, Murray were guests Sunday of the Frank Dills and their guests Monday were Roy Cole and Sterling Cole of Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meisinger, Murray, were dinner guests Sunday of the Charles Bates.

came home with her parents, Sunday evening. She had been at Page at the French home for a week.

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