

# NEWS FROM AVOCA

Mrs. Henry Maseman

Mrs. Stella Worman, former longtime resident of the Sunny Hill community northeast of Avoca, died after a short illness in Weeping Water where she lived.

Supper guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dumke and Lee were Rev. and Mrs. N. F. Horne, Arapahoe, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stohlman and sons, Elmwood, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruge, Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle and Steve. After supper, Mr. Dumke showed color slides of his fishing trip to Wyoming and local pictures as well.

The Green Thumbers Garden Club met Tuesday with Mrs. Harry Brockhoff, here was an

exchange of April Fool packages. The lesson was Why Have Trees, Mrs. Joyce Shutz and Where to Plant Trees by Mrs. Allen Ehlers.

The Missionary Society of the First Lutheran Church met on Thursday in the church parlors. Mrs. Erwin Carlson led the devotional period. Mrs. Oscar Brandt was in charge of the Bible study. Hostesses were Marie Dankleff, Mrs. Harvey Dettmer, Mrs. Vernon Dettmer, Mrs. William Dettmer, Mrs. Alfred Ebert. Next meeting will be guest day with a one o'clock luncheon.

Matilde Madsen received word Saturday of the death of her brother, Mads Madsen, 97, in Denmark. His death came the same time her sister, Mrs. Kristine Salling, 92, died recently. Miss Madsen has a sister still living in Denmark.

Harry Marquardt broke ground this week for a new residence on a lot recently purchased from Mrs. Noerlinger.

Friends and neighbors surprised Mrs. Genevieve Zimmerman on her birthday Tuesday. Present were Matilde Madsen, Mrs. Henry Dankleff, Kate Shoemaker, Mrs. Harry Marquardt, Mrs. Joe Behrens, Mrs. J. E. Aeschbacher, Mrs. Bryan Seegel, Mrs. John Mohr, Mrs. John Stubben-dick, Mrs. Elizabeth Straub and Beatrice and Mrs. Henry Maseman.

Beverly Brinkhoff entertained the following at a slumber party Friday night: Crystal Seegel, Lina Rohlf, Paula Ludwig.

The Honor Society presented the picture Jungle Cavaleade Friday evening. Lunch was served afterward.

Rev. Alvin Zellinger submitted his resignation as pastor of First Lutheran Church Monday evening at a church council meeting. He has accepted a call to Oberlin, Kan., to be effective April 30.

Wally Ludwigen, student at Dana College, Blair, delivered the sermon Sunday in the absence of pastor Zellinger who attended the convention at Greeley, Colo., with William Hansen.

Fred Lochman, Olathe, is back in St. Mary's hospital with a blood clot, his daughter, Mrs. John Lingle Jr., reports.

Clarence Kammann, electrical engineering student at the University of Nebraska, was initiated into Eta Kappa Nu, electrical engineering honorary fraternity.

Avoca Homemakers 4-H Club met with assistant leader Mrs. Leonard Brinkhoff Saturday. Shirley Sue and Anna Jane Albers became members.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mead, Buddy and Mary Lou attended the wedding of Judy Surface and Arthur Jones at Nehawka Sunday at the Baptist Church. The bridegroom is Mrs. Mead's grand son.

The Goldenrod Garden Club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Paul Linhardt, Mrs. John Wolph gave a paper on Care of Chrysanthemums. There was a display of art drawings of pupils at Avoca schools. Mrs. N. F. Horne, Mrs. Robert Kirkhoff and Dennis were guests.

Lawrence and John Smith of Murray visited at the James Mead home Sunday.

Teachers, cooks and the caretaker of the Avoca school honored Mrs. Granus at a coffee on Thursday after school. Mrs. Granus was presented a tablecloth and napkins for a farewell gift.

The Woman's Fellowship of the Congregational Church met Thursday with Mrs. Ernest Emshoff and Mrs. Dena Ruge.

The Anniversary Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zaiser Thursday evening. Prizes at cards went to Mrs. Ray Norris, Petronella Cullen, Mrs. Elmer Wessel, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hennings and Levi Wilson.

At the election for school board Ralph Stubben-dick, incumbent, received 49 votes. Neil Johnson 44, August Wohlers, 20, and Otis Bond, 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinkraut of Plainview, parents of Mrs. L. Stueckrath, spent the weekend here.

Mrs. Maynard Bruns has been ill with flu and her sister Mrs. Ralph Beccard has been with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Smith, Nebraska City, moved into the new house recently built north of Mrs. Martha Ruge's. Mr. Smith is a photographer for Lincoln and Omaha Air Bases.

Ed Denny returned from a vis-

it with his sister at Glidden, Iowa, Saturday.

Rev. J. E. Aeschbacher and Mrs. Fred Marquardt Tuesday attended a committee meeting of Congregational Churches at Halam.

Dennis Paul Kirkhoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirkhoff, was christened Sunday with Rev. A. Zellinger officiating. Sponsors were Fred Kirkhoff and Paul Linhardt, grandparents.

Richard Elmer Wilson also received christening rites at First Lutheran Sunday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilson. Sponsors were Levi Wilson and Lenord Haveman.

Mrs. Richard Sutton of Omaha spent the week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maseman spent several days visiting in Lincoln.

Marjorie Roper fell at school Thursday while playing ball, breaking her collar bone. She will be out of school several days more.

Mrs. Kenneth Wessel and Mrs. John Wolph honored Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Emshoff at a card party at the Wessel home Saturday evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Mather, Mrs. Dena Ruge, Mrs. Sophie Emshoff, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Emshoff, Mr. and Mrs. William Baier, Mr. and Mrs. Al Ballance. Prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. Mather, Mrs. Ruge and Mrs. Stanley Emshoff.

A cooperative dinner was held at the town hall Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Emshoff of Omaha who were recently married. Altogether there were 80 relatives and neighbors and some of his calssmates present.

Mrs. Dewey Jones, Nehawka, visited with her mother, Mrs. James Mead Monday.

Relatives are happy to report that Mrs. Lewis Royal was able to leave St. Mary's hospital. She will wear a brace for some time.

Mrs. H. Marquardt attended funeral services for Ben Kreamer near Dunbar Wednesday.

Officers of the 1959 alumni banquet met Saturday evening with president James Jensen to plan for the May 23 event. Others are Richard Meyer, Wayne Wessel, Mrs. Richard Sutton, Richard Maseman and Laurence Wulf.

## Weeds Rob Farmers of Pasture Forage

Each year, weeds rob many Nebraska farmers of one-half to three-quarters of the desirable forage some pastures are capable of producing.

This makes weed elimination one of the most important steps a farmer can take toward increasing returns from an unproductive pasture, a University of Nebraska College of Agriculture publication points out.

The bulletin, Pasture Weed Control, which can be obtained at county extension offices, notes that weeds can be controlled by using chemical weed-killers, mowing, reseeding and proper management.

Experimental results show 75 to 90 per cent control of most troublesome broadleaf weeds from early June application of one pound.

One of the principal advantages of chemical control lies in the fact that one to two years of chemical treatment will eliminate many broadleaf weeds. It may be necessary to treat for three or four consecutive years to eliminate 75 to 90 per cent of the hard-to-kill perennial broadleaf weeds, the circular adds.

Troublesome pasture weeds and recommended chemical control are described in detail in the circular, which was produced as a part of the College's continuing campaign toward more productive pastures in the state.

Based on eight years of experiments by the Agricultural Research Service and the University of Nebraska Agricultural Experiment Station, it is revealed that mowing does not result in satisfactory control of any species of perennial pasture weeds.

Good management of the laying house is necessary this time of year to ensure production of clean eggs. Rain, snow and high moisture conditions lead to a damp laying house. With wet litter, the eggs readily become soiled, states John L. Skinner, Extension poultryman at the University of Nebraska College of Agriculture.

Preventing sweet clover weevil damage to spring seeded sweet clover is more reliable than spraying later after most of the damage has been done to seeding. Granular forms of aldrin, heptachlor or dieldrin can be mixed with the seed at planting time or broadcast immediately after seeding, according to Robert E. Roselle, Extension entomologist at the University of Nebraska.—Clarence Schmad-eke, County Agent.

## ASHLAND

Mrs. Ivan Armstrong

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Wiles and Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Gandreault and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson were last Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wilson and family in Omaha. Mrs. Gene Grimm and family joined them for the afternoon. Mr. Grimm was in Baltimore Md. attending a short course in school there.

Mrs. Kenneth Roeber represented the Junior Fairlanders Extension Club, Mrs. Robert Weitzel the Friendly Neighbor Extension Club when the presidents of the Clubs of Cass, Seaward, York and Lancaster counties were guests of the Women's division of the Chamber of Commerce in Lincoln Thursday. Mrs. Oscar Dill, president of the Jolly Fairlanders was ill and unable to attend. There were 200 present to tour the Governors Mansion and visit the Legislative body in session which was discussing the re-instating of driver's licenses which had been revoked by the point system. Buses from the airport met the ladies and took them out for a

tour of the Air Base. The entire group had lunch in the officers club which was served on six long tables. The ladies were taken back to the city by the buses in the afternoon.

We are glad to report that Norman Rau is slowly improving but he will be confined to his bed for some time, his wife visits him daily.

Larry Roeber and Dennis Leach attended the state FFA convention in Lincoln Thursday and Friday, they took part in the meat judging demonstration. Sara Humston, Marjorie and Evelyn Jones and Douglas Williams accompanied a group of young people from the Murdock EUB church to Omaha Sunday to attend a Youth Fellowship rally at Olive Crest Church.

Bill and Bob Farmer attended a Youth Convention in Lincoln Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bachman and Mrs. Bochmans mother, Mrs. Emma Jones went to Baldwin, Kan., Wednesday to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. R. V. Critchfield and Mr. Critchfield a few days. Mrs. Jones will make an indefinite stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stiekney and family attended the sacred concert at the Methodist Church Friday evening, they were hosts that night to two of the choir

members, Gordon Lilly and Philip Bailey whose home State is Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanford and Sally of Gretna were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maack and family. Elaine Peining of Murdock was an overnight guest of Beverly, that night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dean of Lincoln were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wescott and Mr. and Mrs. John Wescott and Carrie Ann of Raymond were Sunday afternoon lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parrott, later they went to Weeping Water to visit Paul Buckingham at a nursing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Laughlin and Charlotte were Saturday forenoon callers at the George Bornman home, George Bornman Jr. and Dennis of Lincoln spent the day there and Kathy, Judy and Cindy Bornman of Omaha spent Saturday night there, their parents Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Bornman came for them Sunday evening.

Members of the Cass County Historical Society are planning spring field trips to a number of locations where early county history was made.

## 6,000 Pheasants Freed in State

LINCOLN — Six thousand adult pheasants have been released by the Game Commission and co-operating sportsmen's clubs in 14 different counties in recent days. The birds supplement those raised and stocked by booster units last year.

Lloyd P. Vance, game division chief, said the spring releases guarantee a breeding population where there is suitable habitat.

"This year," he said, "is the first year in many in which most counties capable of supporting a pheasant population have adequate breeding numbers."

The birds, all banded, were stocked in the following counties on the indicated dates: March 31, Dawes and Webster; April 1, Sheridan, Brown; April 2, Boyd, Greeley; April 3, Pierce, Antelope; April 4, Stanton, Madison; April 6, Dakota, Dixon; April 7, Scotts Bluff and Wayne.

According to the Oregon Voter, installment plan buying in the U. S. is expected to reach an all-time high of \$42.5 billion during the current year.

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### Trash Hauling Fire Inspection

During Clean-Up Week the City of Plattsmouth will furnish truck and haul trash properly handled and packaged.

- TRUCKS WILL PICK UP TRASH NORTH OF MAIN STREET ON MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY.
- TRASH WILL BE PICKED UP IN THAT PART OF THE CITY SOUTH OF MAIN STREET ON WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY.
- ALL TRASH MUST BE IN CONTAINERS AND PLACED AT THE CURBLINE. DON'T DELAY. THERE WILL BE NO CALL BACKS.

Each home or business house may have their building inspected by members of the Plattsmouth Fire Department at no cost to themselves by calling Fire Chief Joe Kruntorad at Plattsmouth Phone 5251 or 4271 or by calling the Chamber of Commerce Office, phone 7190.

Guard your home or property! Have it inspected for FIRE HAZARDS!

## ★ YARD & GARDEN CONTEST!

The Plattsmouth Garden Club in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a yard and garden contest. Lots of Prizes. The purpose of this contest is to promote interest in beautifying our city through proper maintenance of home and yards and proper planting and care of shrubs and flower gardens.

Rules of the Contest

- Fill out the entry blank in this ad and return it to the Chamber of Commerce.
- Contest is open to both home owners and tenants.
- Contest will start May 1, 1959 and close Aug. 1, 1959.
- All yards and gardens will be inspected and judged on the basis of general improvement.
- Photographs will be taken before and after.
- Winners will be announced during the King Korn Carnival at the Flower Show.

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