

## Otto Fleischman, Elmwood, Chosen as 50-Year Shipper

Otto Fleischman of Elmwood, Nebr. was among 75 longtime livestock producers honored at Omaha May 17.

The stockmen were recognized by the Omaha Chamber of Commerce for their 50 years of patronage of the Omaha livestock market.

During the past 12 years nearly 700 pioneers from Iowa, Nebraska, Colorado, Missouri and Wyoming have been honored by the Chamber.

The banquet was held in the Livestock Exchange Building overlooking the stock yards where the pioneer shippers have been bringing their stock since 1912 or earlier.

A special committee had checked hundreds of nominations to establish whether each of the shippers to be honored had met the requirements as a 50-year patron of the market.

These shippers have seen the Omaha market rise to become the world's largest livestock market. Their contribution to this growth is recognized at the banquet by the many Omahans whose business is associated with the market.



**BASKETBALL CHAMPS**—Winning the Student Council award as basketball champions the past season were, from left: front—Home Room 8C, Larry Ahrends, Jerry Gorton, Dick Spangler, Dick Church, Don Story, Fred Markham; back—Home Room 8C, Roger Heedum, Bob Couch, Gary Christensen, Roger Lanum, Dennis Smith and Lenny Bowes.

**NEHAWKA FLOWER CLUB**  
The Nehawka Flower Club made a tour of the flower markets in Omaha Wednesday afternoon. Later they were entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry Knabe.

The Mariana Trench in the western Pacific plunges 36,198 feet and is the deepest known hole on earth.

dinner with the John Jones family Sunday, then both families went to the home of their brother Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones to help them celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roeber and family and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roeber were guests also. Mrs. Leonard Roeber, Mrs. Sam Long and Linda assisted with the serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Wiles and Terry attended the Spring Festival at the Murdock school Tuesday evening. Terry had a part in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zink of Sioux City were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keller. The Zinks were enroute home from a vacation in Colorado, they had been visiting Mrs. Zink's sister, Mrs. Oscar Tindall and family. Mrs. Tindall will be remembered as Genevieve Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sowards were Sunday afternoon callers at the Keller home.

Mrs. Orie Sowards and Joanne were among the Ashland Kindergarten class, their teacher and some of the mothers, about 60 in all, that enjoyed the train ride to Lincoln Friday. They had a picnic dinner in Antelope park.

There is much activity along the new interstate highway going through this vicinity, the cement is being poured on the stretch past the Cecil Stander and Orle Sowards farms early this week and will soon connect with that made last fall near the Karl Hammer and Wilson Lambert farms. It is an interesting sight, with the many trucks hauling the cement and other materials. The paving going on east past Raymond Nelson's and Harold Buell's to the twin bridges over the river will soon be under way.

## Son of Plattsmouth Native To Work in Stuttgart, Germany

Ronald A. Christensen, Mason City, Iowa, son of the former Elmore Smetana of Plattsmouth, will leave next month for Stuttgart, Germany, where he will work this summer for the IBM World Trade Corp.

He will return in September to Cambridge, Mass., for his final year in Harvard Law School. He entered the school on a scholarship given in recognition of his scholastic achievement during his undergraduate years at Iowa State from which he was graduated in 1958.

While there, he was on the Dean's List and won the Iowa State College Merit Award. He was also winner of the Alcon Engineering Scholarship, the Buettell Award in Electrical Engineering, and the Acacia Freshman Scholarship Medal.

He was president of the Iowa State Debaters, editor of the Whispering Sands of Acacia, editor of the Iowa Engineer, editor of Iowa State Star and chairman of the Yearbook.

He attended California Institute of Technology on a graduate scholarship and obtained the M.S. degree there in 1959.

**170 Has Investiture**  
LOUISVILLE (Special)—Troop 170 held its Investiture Service Monday evening, May 8. Troop leader is Mrs. Phyllis Griffin and Co-leaders are Mrs. William Shaner and Mrs. Charles Doran.

The Investiture began with Mrs. Charles Doran telling the meaning of Investiture. Mrs. George Griffin then lit three candles representing the Girl Scout Promise, Being true to God and Our Country, A Girl Scout's desire to serve and a Girl Scout being true to their ideals.

The girls of the troop then lighted 10 candles. Each candle represented a Girl Scout Law. Mrs. George Griffin then pinned each girl and presented them

with their fly-up wings. Mrs. William Shaner explained the meaning of the "Treff" which is the Girl Scout emblem. The ceremony was closed by the troop singing "Girl Scouts Together."

A tea followed the ceremony. The tea table was covered with a yellow damask cloth. Green candles in gold candle-holders and a spring bouquet centerpiece were used as decorations. The table carried out the Girl Scout colors, green and yellow.



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### Bluebird News

Happiness Bluebirds held their weekly meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. Amor.

During the meeting they completed their project they had been working on for Mother's Day.

The group also selected new officers as follows:

President, Betsy Waterman; vice president, Susan Lutz; secretary and treasurer, Ruth McLead; telephone chairman, Patty Willis and Janice Fleming; game chairman, Jacque Fleming; song chairman, Nancy Nielson and reporter, Yvonne Amor.

Mrs. Crace assisted the new leader on her first meeting. — Yvonne Amor, reporter.

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**Connie's Column**  
by Constance Flame

**SALTY REMARKS**  
Rub your griddle with a tiny salt-bag instead of grease; pancakes never stick or smoke.

**TIP IN TIME**  
Summer's sizzle isn't as distant as we think! Don't let July catch you with your hair down and temper steaming. Get the facts about gas cooling-heating systems now! May is just the right month to have a modern gas central system installed... to air condition your home in Summer, warm it perfectly in Winter. Costs so much less than you've imagined... makes living so much nicer! Talk with your local gas company or gas heating contractor.

**APPLE JIFFY**  
Mrs. R. V. Humphreys, of Iowa, mixes 2 1/2 cups peeled, chopped apples with 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 tsp. salt and 1/2 tsp. cinnamon, spreads it evenly in a greased 9" square cake pan. Then she prepares 1/2 packaged white cake mix and pours batter on top of apple mixture; bakes as directed, in a 350-degree gas oven, 30 to 35 minutes. Cake is inverted at once when done; comes out wearing its own tasty topping!

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## For VA Contacts See New Office At VA Hospital

Veterans and others in the Omaha area were again reminded that the downtown VA Office in the Post Office is consolidated with the Contact Office at the Omaha VA Hospital, 4101 Woolworth Avenue.

Phil O'Dowd, Contact Representative, at the hospital assures veterans in the Omaha area that full contact assistance will be available in the Contact Office just off the main lobby of the hospital.

The former downtown VA telephone number, 221-4712, will be transferred to the Contact Office at the hospital.

All veterans and their dependents seeking VA advice or assistance in the Omaha area should go to the Omaha VA Hospital Contact Office instead of the Post Office, O'Dowd said.

### LOOKS LIKE YOU

Note to June brides (and their mothers): Your dinnerware pattern should be "just your cup of tea"—ideal for your personality and your future life. Very wise place to start "shopping"; the museum, instead of a store! You see the art of different cultures, sense china traditions that live through the years. Today isn't quite so important as Tomorrow, when selecting a service for a lifetime! Find one that speaks to your heart.

### BEEFY SUGGESTION

Mrs. Harry Lund of Minneapolis, Minn., thinks uniform hamburgers are smart for company serving. (So do I!) She adds seasonings to ground beef, then makes a big roll—just like icebox cookies, only larger. Hamburgers come out of the gas refrigerator all ready for slicing. Look mighty nice, in the pan and on the plate!

### BABY YOUR FEET

News travels! Lady from New Mexico received our column from a Marshalltown, Iowa, relative; sent us this footsaver. A round serving-tray will hold Baby's frequent necessities—oil, lotion, powder, cotton, pins, etc. Then they're always in one place when you need them. Reminds me, I once saw an old-fashioned wardrobe repainted and remodeled for Baby's room. All those "cubbyhole" shelves and drawers held different togs and helpers.

## SOUTH ASHLAND

Mrs. Ivan Armstrong

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bower and Jennie Sue of Lincoln were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bower. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Grebe and Russell had Sunday dinner there. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hightshoe were Monday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lambert and sons were among the guests of Mrs. Mable Lambert when she entertained a group of relatives at dinner Sunday honoring a cousin, Mrs. Harold Swanson of Red Oak, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaudreault of Gothenburg were week end guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Gaudreault, all were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Wiles and Terry. Jimmy Cox of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Lloyd Scott were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes of Sioux City, and Mrs. Wilma Rogers were Sunday afternoon and lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parrott. Mrs. Haynes and Mrs. Rogers are Mrs. Parrott's sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reece and family and Mrs. Oscar Reece had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sturm. The group spent the afternoon at the Reece cabin near South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nissen and sons, also Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bundy of east of the Platte went to Roseland Sunday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Nissen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rueter of Alvo and Mrs. Dewey Moore and Dewey W. had Friday dinner with Mrs. William Stilwell and daughters in Omaha.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andrews were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stenberg and family of Council Bluffs and Mr. and Mrs. Neils Stenberg had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stenberg and Mrs. Emma Olson. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stenberg and Mrs. Marie Nelson. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hunt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Campbell of South Bend spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rau.

Mrs. Eli Gaudreault, Mrs. Gene Grimm and Michele, Mrs. Lloyd Scott, and Mrs. Elmer Buck spent Wednesday with Mrs. Malvin Wiles. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stander and family of Louisville visited there Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sturm went to Sioux City Friday and spent the week end with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sturm and family. They returned home Sunday evening.

Orville Sandy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Armstrong spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hanson, near Wahoo. Mr. Hanson was recently released from a hospital where he had been several weeks with a broken leg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ron Mulf of Crete and Bert Wells were Sunday visitors at the Peter Stander home.

Malvin Wiles spent Friday evening with his mother, Mrs. Edrie Wiles in her apartment house in Weeping Water. Jimmy Cox of Oklahoma City was a Saturday evening visitor in the Malvin Wiles home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nissen and Scott were among the guests that called at the Clinton Jones home for Open House Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Moore and Dewey W. were Sunday afternoon and lunch guests at the Wayne Wiles home near Nehawka. Floyd Rueter of Alvo spent Sunday evening at the Moore home.

The Fairland Giants 4-H Club met at the Jerry Burge home April 27. They then went to the Ag College in Lincoln for a tour. Some of the things they saw was the dwarf calf and dwarf hog. Jerry Burge, and Larry Roeber drove. — Roger Erickson, Reporter.

The Jolly Fairlanders guest day will be May 9 at the Carl Parks home. Each member is to bring a guest.

Fourteen members of the Hi Neighbor Club went to Lincoln Thursday and toured the Capitol, while there they listened to the Legislature, then they visited Morrill Hall. Dinner was enjoyed at Kings. In the afternoon they toured the State Reformatory.

Some of the local ladies were guests of the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce Wednesday. They attended a gathering of extension club presidents of clubs near Lincoln. Mrs. Leonard Roeber represented the Junior Fairlanders. Mrs. Wayne Swarts, the Jolly Fairlanders and Mrs. Glen Thompson the Friendly Neighbors. There was a program, some demonstrations and a lunch at Hill Crest.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klipp were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Panning in Omaha.

Wallace McClelland and his sister, Mrs. Margaret Lehman, returned home last week from a three months vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kupke and others of the Trinity Lutheran Church Congregation attended open house at the Trinity parsonage, occupied by Rev. and Mrs. John Boeger, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Boeger were happy to have the congregation call. Mr. and Mrs. Kupke also called on Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones at their open house Sunday, when they were observing their Silver anniversary.

Sunday dinner guests at the Carl Parks home were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jipp and daughters of Gretna and Mrs. Elsie Kelly of Greenwood.

Mrs. Raymond Nelson was in Lincoln Wednesday to attend a Seminar in the State House which was attended by 150 from over Nebraska. Mrs. Nelson also attended the governors luncheon that day.

Kenneth Roeber and Carl Kupke went to Lawrence, Kansas, Thursday to visit a fertilizer plant, Friday they toured a feed and livestock experiment plant in Kansas City, Mo. They returned home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones and Guy of Murdock had a picnic

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