

# EDITORIALS

## Eagles

The growing commercial trade in eagle feathers may doom the golden eagle as a North American bird, unless something is done to stop its slaughter. This was announced by Mr. Carl W. Buchheister, President of the National Audubon Society.

In his announcement, Mr. Buchheister stated that Congress is now considering a bill to protect the golden eagle. The bald eagle, which is our national emblem, is a scarce species now. It has been protected by our federal law since 1940. The pending legislation in the Federal Congress would amend the Bald Eagle Act, making the protective law apply to both the golden eagle and the bald eagle.

It is interesting to note that the bald eagle looks much like the golden eagle in the first four years of its life. The bald eagle is a completely brown bird until it develops its white head and tail feathers. Many bald eagles are killed in the belief that hunters mistake them for golden eagles.

Those who hunt eagles, many times, are professional hunters. They are remunerated for their services by farmers who feel that the birds are a menace to sheep and, again by those who commercialize in selling eagle feathers. The hunters, many times, shoot the eagles from airplanes and at least one hunter claims that he has killed over 12,000 birds in the past twenty years.

In actuality, the Audubon Society claims that the eagle may occasionally kill a lamb or other small domestic animal, but scientific studies showed that the bald eagle feeds predominately on fish. The golden eagle usually feeds on rabbits and other small rodents.

From a conservation standpoint, if no other, it is highly desirable that we protect these magnificent birds. The eagle, in

some respects, is a symbol of America, and it would seem as important to protect the golden eagle as it is the bald eagle. Particularly, is this so where they are so closely similar in features and looks in their early years.

## Down Memory Lane 40 YEARS AGO

Elmwood held "Aldrich Day" to honor Mrs. C. S. Aldrich or Bess Streeter Aldrich as she is better known in the literary field in which she has made such a signal success. The reception was held at the Methodist Church which was filled with 500 ladies from women's clubs in Eastern Nebraska.—The Journal reported: "The community radio concert which had been arranged by the World-Herald for the high school auditorium in this city in co-operation with the Journal and the Board of Education was somewhat disappointing to the large crowd that filled the auditorium, owing to the fact that static trouble, the foe of successful radio work, was in great evidence and despite the efforts of Mr. Walter Byrne, the technical expert in charge of the concert, it was not greatly successful from the standpoint of clearness.—The Junior-Senior Banquet at the Modern Woodmen Hall was termed a "great success." Edith Farley was president of the Junior Class, Allison Flynn, of the Senior Class. Chicken a la king was the main course.—The business district was aroused over the operation of two attractive appearing ladies who succeeded in getting away with a dress from Ladies Toggery as well as a package of goods from the E. A. Wurl Store.—Louis C. Hesse was named Worshipful President of Plattsmouth Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Other officers were C. C. Burbridge, Henry J. Martens, B. G. Wurl, James Rebal, William Kief, William Schuldice, A. R. Johnson and Dr. R. P. Westover.



## Weeping Water News

Mrs. Edward Van Horn — Phone 252-W

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ralston of Omaha were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph John.

Vicky and Becky Van Horn were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Horn and family. Mrs. Gary Van Horn and girls were Friday morning guests.

Mrs. Edward Van Horn and Carol were business visitors in Plattsmouth on Saturday morning. While there, they called on Mrs. Frank Nickels and Velda.

Capt. and Mrs. Lanny Ludwick arrived in Weeping Water on Sunday from the Andrews AFB in Washington, D. C. They are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ludwick and Georgia and Mrs. R. P. Hobson. Lanny will go overseas after his leave. Mrs. Ludwick will go and be with him at a later date. They will also visit with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ludwick of Papillion.

Mrs. William Newham underwent ear surgery at the Bryan Memorial hospital in Lincoln and has been released.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chlosa of San Antonio, Texas visited for a week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schmadeke. They came to attend the 8th grade graduation exercises of their granddaughter, Linda on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Knaup, Mrs. Gordon Wilcoxon and Mrs. H. I. Rookstool went to Lincoln Monday afternoon. Mrs. Rookstool entered the Bryan Memorial hospital that afternoon for observation and treatment.

The United Missionary Church opened their Bible School on Monday morning at the United Missionary camp grounds. The school began at 9 a. m. and was held each day until noon for one week, ending June 2nd except Memorial Day.

Mrs. Alma Berner, Lloyd Arson, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wad and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mape of Lincoln have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Baker since her return home from the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Britton of Sweet Home, Oregon were also guests.

Pvt. Delmer Neeman was a Monday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meisinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fointner of Avoca were Tuesday evening guests of Mrs. June Pointer and Lorine.

Rev. and Mrs. Tod Hubbell of Lincoln were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hammons and family. Mrs. Hubbell was the minister at the Louisville Christian Church Sunday morning. They attended the Sunday School hour at 10 a. m. and then attended the worship service at the Christian church in Weeping Water.

Mrs. Harold Burns and Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lühring and family of Columbus, Mrs. L. J. Lane, Mrs. Merle Davison and Tony Caruso of Carler Lake, Ia. have been recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tuma and met at the home of Penney and Jeri Payton May 29. Roll was called by naming a favorite fruit pie.

Each member brought a pie to be judged. Penney Payton and Linda Ballinger demonstrated how to set a table.

The girls had the pie and a cold drink.

We also had a workshop meeting May 10 at Vicki Brackens to make our Mother's Day gifts.

Next meeting will be our picnic.—Vicki Bracken, news reporter.

are on vacation this week from their work. Mr. Nickels from Ash Grove Plant in Louisville and Mrs. Nickels from the ASC office in Weeping Water. They will be in charge of the Upton Hy-Kias Store while Mr. and Mrs. Upton are on vacation. They are staying at the Upton home.

Mrs. Edward Van Horn, and Carol were Wednesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Upton and family and their guests, Mrs. Tom Attebery of Adams and Mrs. John Upton.

Roy Harshman and Don and Johnny Fleming were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyl Fleming.

Jacque Boydston has had the measles. Her sister Cheryl and brother Douglas took them from her. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Boydston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bornemeier of Little Rock, Ark. and Mrs. John Bornemeier of Murock were Monday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Finlay and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Bornemeier are missionaries among the negroes in Little Rock and have been working with them for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Crandall and children of near Elmwood and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Payne and children of Springfield were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tennant.

Mrs. Clarence Ackles returned home last week after spending two weeks visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris and family at Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Mrs. Ackles stated she enjoyed every minute of it as they went on many sight seeing tours.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Johnson and family of Nebraska City have moved to Sioux City, Iowa where Mr. Johnson will be affiliated with the Goodyear Store in Sioux City. Mr. Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson of Louisville and Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boardman also of Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Monohon were hosts to a steak fry at their home Memorial Day. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Meisinger and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. John Saeinan and Coleen.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Finley were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Siebers of Omaha. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Howard and family of Greenwood.

Mrs. Laura Stovall of Elmwood and George Stovall of Lincoln were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Habel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Geides were Wednesday evening callers at the Irus Gerdes home in Cedar Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck, Mrs. Florence Dobbs and Miss Charlotte Sisson were Thursday evening callers at the Everett Dobbs home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stohmann and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stohmann and family were Sunday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Helwig and sons at Fort Crook.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kirchoff of Columbus were Saturday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meisinger.

Arthur Weehler returned home Saturday from the Methodist hospital in Omaha after spending two weeks there for observation and check-up.

Leo Kirchoff spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hy Kirchoff as he was sick with tonsillitis. He was able to return to his teaching job in Omaha on Tuesday.

Donald Groesser of Lincoln

# Eagle News

Mrs. John Fischer  
Phone 984-6141

Mr. and Mrs. Eldee McKay, enjoyed a few days visit with their grandchildren, The Rex Smelter's children of Goehner, remaining at the McKay home, during their parents' business trip to Des Moines.

Charles Strabel, entered Bryan Memorial Hospital recently and underwent the necessary medical attention.

Mrs. Pearl Morgan Schwid, of Chicago, called Wednesday evening at the home of her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Althouse, the latter having suffered a stroke.

Tech-Sgt. and Mrs. Gayle Muench and family of Washington, D. C. visited a few days last week at the home of Lis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Muench and other relatives, returning home Monday morning.

The Murl Muench family of Lincoln called at parents home to visit his brother and family during the latter's stay.

Mr. Keith Althouse of Lincoln, and Mrs. Albert Munn of Waverly, Neb., call frequently at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Althouse, during the latter's illness.

Supt. and Mrs. Paul Embree and family of Eagle, her mother, Mrs. C. L. Dietz and sons, Joan of Broken Bow, Neb., and Walter, of Lincoln, were patio supper guests at the home of Mrs. Embree's sister and family, the Supt. Seever's at Waverly, Neb. on a recent Saturday evening.

Other guests were Marcia Ronhovde of Eagle, Mmes. Kenneth Headley of Broken Bow and H. P. Whitney of Grand Island, Nebraska. The latter 2 ladies and Mrs. Dietz had attended the mid-year Grange Conference at Lincoln.

Claud Frisbee of Richmond, Ill., visited at the home of his cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher during Memorial weekend and called at hospital to visit the latter who is recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Corron, Les and daughter, Marlene, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson at Filley, Neb., last Sunday and decorated relatives' graves during the afternoon.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Bettie Underwood Sunday were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Pruessing of Lincoln and the Mmes's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson, of Nebraska City. During the afternoon ad attended the Wabash Memorial services at Wabash Cemetery.

John Fischer who entered Bryan Memorial Hospital three weeks ago is slowly improving and undergoing the necessary therapy for his left arm and leg paralysis from a stroke. It is hoped after several days therapy, he will be able to return home this week. He is so pleased for the many cards, letters and plants.

Mariene Corr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Corr had the misfortune to step on a needle while barefoot at her home recently and was rushed to the Bryan Memorial Emergency room where the half of needle, was removed from her foot.

Miss Susan Yost, of Onawa, Iowa, niece of Mrs. Floyd Althouse, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Groesser and John Dean.

Mrs. Harry Critser visited on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Dick Kirchoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kasube and family entertained Thursday evening in honor of their daughter Janice who graduated from the twelfth grade. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Kirchoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Swain Nielsen and family of Elmwood, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nielsen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Critser, Dwan Nielsen, Sgt. Walter Kasube of Fort Campbell, Kentucky, and Marilyn Kretenbrink of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rodaway were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mitche'll left for their home in Berlin, Wisconsin on Saturday after visiting with relatives in Weeping Water and Kearney. They came for the 12th grade graduation of Jack Rhodes. Jack accompanied them home for a visit.

Miss Janice Holt started work at the State Farm Insurance Company in Lincoln the past Monday morning. She graduated from high school Thursday night. She rides up with Mrs. Lloyd Lane and Betty Hermann.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holt entertained on Thursday evening, honoring their daughter Janice who graduated from high school that evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Holt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Groesser and John Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thoren, Charles and Wayne.

house of Eagle returned recently from attending the Sixth Assembly of the National Women's Society of Christian Service at Atlantic City, New Jersey. She was the youth delegate from Nebraska. She attends the Uni. of Nebraska. Last summer, she was privileged to be a member of the mobile ministry in Nebraska. Miss Yost has visited the Eagle relatives on several occasions.

Raymond Althouse accompanied Charles Warner of Waverly to Mullen, Neb., on business recently.

Supt. Paul Embree and daughter Paula and latter's classmate Marcia Ronhovde, motored to Broken Bow and Merma for the weekend, visit with the C. L. Dietz and Embree families returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Edward Porter wrote the Eagle items for two weeks but will not be able to continue because of her duties at the Post Office and Mr. Porter's health.

Mrs. Fischer will appreciate continued cooperation of Journal subscribers who call Monday and Thursday mornings to make it more convenient while Mr Fischer is ill in the hospital.

### AGF NO BARRIER

White River Junction, Vt., Insurance history was made when Mrs. Ellen E. Perry, a spy lady nearly 102 years old was issued a hospitalization policy by the Vermont Accident Insurance Company.

The policy had only one age restriction. Persons under 60 are not eligible.

Mrs. Perry walks without assistance and her sight is nearly perfect. She requires glasses only to read. Her hearing is failing a bit but her wit is keen.

# Obituary

Robert L. Eaton

Robert Lee Eaton was born July 15, 1943, at Nebraska City, son of Elmer and Dorothy Monroe Eaton.

He died May 31, in an auto accident on Highway 75, south of the Platte River Bridge near Plattsmouth.

Surviving are his parents; a brother, Jerry Lee, and a half sister, Linda Lee; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Eaton of Nebraska City.

Robert was a member of the Christian Church and was employed at the Searle and Chapman Lumber Co., Nebraska City.

Funeral was Saturday at 2 p. m. at Caldwell Funeral Home with the Rev. J. W. Taenzler officiating. Mrs. Twyla Hodges in charge of the music.

Pallbearers were Danny Covert, Earl Curtis, Merle Dasher, Ray Gillett, Ronnie Waller and Jerry Hoffman.

Burial was in East Union Cemetery.

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## COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Office of County Commissioners Cass County, Plattsmouth, Neb.

May 28 & 29, 1962

Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment. Present Melvin R. Todd, Harold R. Gregg and H. L. Bornemeier, Commissioners, and Chas. Land, County Clerk.

Minutes of the last session approved and the following business transacted in regular form.

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## Louisville

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck and Miss Charlotte Sisson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Beck and family.

Mrs. M. K. Schroeder and Carol of Syracuse and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lang of Omaha were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tennant.

Frank Kotzerina, Jr., has joined the firm of Hubbard Dist. Co. as a factory representative. He will travel over the territory of the state of Iowa, south half of South Dakota and western halves of Kansas and Missouri. The Company sells metal trims and carpets to wholesalers and dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Beck and children were Saturday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck.

Memorial Day dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Heard were Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Meyers and children and James Heard all of Omaha. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, Randy and Georgia Ann of Omaha. Mrs. Tom Boardman of Elkhorn, Mr. Baker's mother and brother of Tom, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Floyd Eastridge, Jr., and Troy.

Mrs. Frank Wildrick spent the weekend with Mrs. Gertrude Murray in Omaha.

Connie Groshouse and Marcy Fusselman were Tuesday overnight guests of Kathy H. a. d.

Ernest Marples, Britain's Minister of Transport: "Everybody on the roads should drive as if the other chap is a complete fool."

Board of Equalization Chas. Land, County Clerk No. 5714 — June 4, 1962.

Office of County Commissioners Cass County, Plattsmouth, Neb.

## CAPITOL CORNER

by



## Congressman GLENN CUNNINGHAM

Washington, D. C. (Special)—Many in Washington were shocked by the Administration's proposal that we begin to abandon our armed forces in six to nine years and place all our faith in the U. N. armies.

When news of this proposal first leaked out, it was condemned on the Senate floor. Democratic majority leader Mike Mansfield said:

"I have never heard anybody on the floor of the Senate, or for that matter, in this country, make a declaration going that far, which would seek to abandon our own national forces."

Senator John Sparkman (Dem.-Ark.) added:

"My own individual thinking is that what is suggested would be wholly impractical. I do not see how there could possibly be an abolition of national armies and a sole reliance placed upon the United Nations."

Yet that is exactly what the United States Disarmament Agency proposed. Copies of this proposal are available to those who want to study it in more detail. It is certainly an interesting document. I just wonder who wrote it.

Recent hearings before the House Appropriations Committee have revealed that \$100,000 set aside by Congress for anti-espionage work was diverted to help finance the travel expenses of Administration idea-man Chester Bowles.

Under questioning by Rep. John Rooney, New York Democrat, it was admitted by State Department witnesses that money specifically allocated for purchase of anti-bugging devices to search out hidden Russian spy microphones in U.S. embassies and for code machines was used to pay Bowles' travel bill.

The bill exceeded \$600,000 last year.

### MERRY MISSILES

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