

—1857 Letter

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cups and saucers, sugar bowl, cream pitcher, water pitcher, 9 plates, 6 large and 3 smaller ones, 2 bowls, pepper box, salt cellar, glass butter plate (as pretty as yours), molasses pitcher, knives and forks, I don't use mine, I got some from the other house, 2 tin dishes, one 2 qt. and one 1 qt., 2 baking dishes, teapot and a butcher knife.

I bought that, and on top of the cupboard stands a small wooden pail of sugar, the tea canister like Adaline's and a steamer with a pie and some bread in it. Now, don't you think my cupboard is pretty and well-filled? My crockery is white (you know I always said I should get white) and it is good too.

Everything is nice and I paid a nice price, too. . . but to go on. . . In the next corner stands my bed. It is made up neatly. The plain calico bed quilt is on it. It looks very pretty.

In the next corner is the flour barrel. There is a shelf over the barrel to mix on and there is a small box on one end containing my groceries, an earthen jar of lard, a six qt. jar and a big iron spoon and sieve.

In the next corner is also a small shelf on which I keep the water pails and under it my ironware. Over it hangs the towel and the dish pan like Adaline's.

Near this shelf stands the stove. Lawson and Isaac bought it. It is very much like the DeWitt Clinton—they gave 32 dollars for it and the furniture with it which consisted of 2 iron kettles, very nice little ones, a spider, teakettle, gridiron, 2 lids to fry griddle cakes on, a flat heater, 2 tin plates and 2 square tins and one long sheet iron, one like yours and a coffee boiler and a large tin boiler.

Don't you see that I am nicely off? Furthermore, I have a nice table which cost five and a half dollars, a great rocking chair, 3 dining chairs, nice ones.

I keep those two large trunks in under the bed, the smaller one by the head of the bed.

I have a very good floor so I mop it up and it looks as nice as a pin. Real white. The house is very comfortable indeed, it don't leak to do a bit of hurt.

Guess now, a small house well filled is much better than a large one with nothing in it. When Moses comes over, I guess we shall finish off a chamber for him which I think will answer nicely, if he keeps still. If he don't, he'll have a sore head, I reckon.

Now, I suppose you are thinking I am terrible homesick in such a place as I describe but it is not so. I have plenty of house-room for any common occasion and if anything uncommon should come along I can just step outdoors and then I can have all the elbow room I want without hitting any rocks or hills. I am not homesick one bit nor I haven't been since I got here.

I am perfectly contented, never was more so. I like the country very much indeed. The West is my home for the present.

These western prairies are so nice, they are grand to look at and more so to work on, I suppose. It is a splendid building place where the house stands. It is on a knoll, descends every way from the house but not steep at all, just a gradual descent.

We are not going to build here this summer for the reason that when we build here we want a very nice house so we are going to build down in the town near the mill now. This house is not in the city.

The town the boys have laid out contains 329 acres. We expect quite a little country village here. The boys are surveying it now and laying it off into lots. They want to get it done today and go to Omaha tomorrow and preempt it.

These building lots undoubtedly will in a short time be very valuable. It is very pleasantly situated, good water power etc.

The mill is not in operation yet. We have 5 hired men now but they don't seem to get along much—they in the first place don't understand building a mill. But it is the best help they can get so they worry it along and guess they will get done sometime.

The boys have sowed that wheat and it has come up. They have planted some potatoes. Potatoes here at present are very high, \$2.50 a bushel—corn, \$1.00 Lawson went to get 21 bushels day before yesterday to feed to the oxen. They have got 4 yoke of oxen.

When I wrote last, we were laboring under a great excitement with the Indians. But that was a great cry and little. . . (7) The whites were altogether too much to blame. They about the same as stole 15 ponies from the Indians but so much to tell I won't tell any only that all is peace.

The Indian Agent and Inter-

preter went up to see the Indians and found them more scared if possible than the whites. I think there is no trouble with them, not in the least but the people here became terribly frightened and made a useless cry. But it's over and peace is around us.

The claim jumping seems to be over, too. Moses has been building him a house on his farm and is going up to live in it a few days. Long enough to preempt. He says he is not going to write home at all but Providence permitting he will pay you a visit next fall. He is well.

I received a letter from Vermont a day or two since saying that Rylands folks had got a son. What to make of it I don't know and should like to have an explanation on the subject. Tell Rylands so. Tell him he owes me a letter. I wrote to them in St. Louis. If they have got a baby I would like to know it immediately to save him a town lot.

How are you all getting along? I would like to call on you and would be extremely happy to receive a call from my eastern friends any time.

Is Julia Conant at Cambridge yet? When did Levi go home? Where have Mr. Sargent's folks gone? Has Conant come to his place yet?

Who works for you this summer? Who works for Timothy's folks? How is little Isaac? Tell him to write me a letter.

But I have written a long mess of nothing and I guess you will think I haven't much to do by this long letter. Truly, I haven't much. I have lots of time to play. I go over to . . . (?) every day and fix them up a little and am now going directly and carry them a pie. I do their washing and ironing.

I have not got acquainted with any of the women around here yet except Mrs. Kirkpatrick. I like her very much.

But my sheet is full so I will have to stop. Write often. My ink is terrible stuff.

Yours the same as ever,  
Julia.

Miss Dodson Attended FHA National Meeting

NEHAWKA (Special) — Jacqueline Dodson, 17, daughter of Mrs. Audrey Dodson of Nehawka attended the 1962 National Meeting of the Future Homemakers of America held July 9-12 at Hotel Utah Motor Lodge in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Jackie, along with 800 teenage delegates of this nation's high school organization for students studying home economics, participated in activities planned to introduce and interpret the National Program of Work for 1962-1965 and motivate members to use it. Among the outstanding speakers at the meeting was Mrs. Esther Peterson, assistant secretary of labor, and Director of the Women's Bureau, U.S. Department of Labor. Mrs. Peterson's speech, "Homemakers Need an Education," helped to emphasize one of the objectives in the new Program of Work, as did each of the speakers' topics.

"Guideposts for Progress" was the over-all theme chosen by delegates for their meeting, and all through the week, panels, discussion groups, and program speakers helped the FHAs gain a better understanding of their new Program of Work and gave them "guideposts" for carrying out its objectives.

Many special events were planned for the delegates, including a canyon tour, the Mormon Tabernacle, capitol and a musical presentation. Delegates are responsible for bringing ideas gained from the national meeting to the members of their local chapters and state associations.

While attending the meeting, Jackie served as a member of the Nebraska relaxer for the second annual session.

Jackie, with two advisers and nine other members attended the convention from Nebraska. She was entitled to attend as she is state parliamentarian.

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Mrs. Clara Lane, San Francisco is a houseguest of her brother Louis Rühge and Mrs. Rühge.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zaiser and Mr. and Mrs. Liken were lunch guests of Mrs. Rawlitt at the Cornhusker.

Mrs. I. G. C. Campbell was in the pulpit at the Congregational Church Sunday, July 22. Rev. Knosp will be the speaker.

Mrs. Emma Emshoff, Mrs. Theresa Majuri, Omaha, and granddaughter Celeste Rezzuti, Jamaica, New York visited Mrs. Meta Mueller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Aeschbacher and sons, Lincoln visited at the Henry Dankleif home Monday evening.

Eagle News

Mrs. John Fischer  
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The American Legion Auxiliary members met at the home of Mrs. Roscoe Bird for the July meeting. The next meeting in August will be at Mrs. Harley Smith's home at which Miss Marcia Ronhovde the selected Girl's State attendant will be present to relate her eventful time during the sessions in June, at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peeks of Lincoln called at the William Trumble home last Saturday evening. Mrs. Peeks was the 6th grade teacher at Eagle Schools in the 30's, known then as Miss Martha Thaden.

Carl Price and son of Lincoln called on Eagle friends Sunday afternoon. Both are former Eagle residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Sorensen and family were overnight guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Scattergood last Saturday evening returning home, Sunday afternoon.

Dwight Earl underwent an appendectomy at the Lincoln General Hospital last Saturday morning. It is hoped he will be able to return home soon, however, the appendix had burst prior to surgery and was quite ill for a few days.

Carl Maahs, is also at the Lincoln General Hospital undergoing medical attention.

Elmer Judkins of Lincoln was a dinner guest at the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Trumble, last Sunday.

Mrs. Larry Caddy underwent surgery on last Thursday morning, at the Lincoln General Hospital, after entering the hospital on Wednesday. Terry Caddy is at home with his father and also remains at the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Holka near Alvo, Neb., part time. Mrs. Caddy is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Louis Knuppe entered the Bryan Memorial Hospital last Thursday and underwent an ear surgery on Friday morning. She had undergone a similar surgery several months ago on her other ear.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sicken of Elmwood, Neb., called at the John Fischer home last Friday afternoon. Other out of town callers were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Eidenmiller of Weeping Water, Mr. and Mrs. Orill Allen of Lincoln, Neb., and Mr. David Cantley and son of Kenwick, Wash.

Mrs. A. H. Siekman and son Harold of Eagle and Mrs. Alma Rohfs of Lincoln enjoyed an auto trip to Iowa and Missouri, Paris on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rudolph of Malcolm, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morton of Alvo, Neb., were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Umland last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cantley and sons of Kenwick, Wash., visited at Eagle last week and her relatives at Palmyra and Lincoln. The Cantleys were enroute to and also stopped over enroute home from his parents Mr. and Mrs. Silas Cantley at Bland, Missouri, formerly of Eagle.

Mrs. Clinton Westlake and members of the 4-H "Happy Hearts" Club enjoyed a swimming outing at Lincoln Monday, as a farewell for one of the members Janice Doran who will soon be moving from Eagle to Minnesota.

Mrs. Jesse Westlake attended a Cass County Council meeting at Weeping Water, Monday.

Harold Wall hopes to complete his house repairing and remodeling this week for the Palmer Lloyd family to rent and occupy. Mr. Wall leaves for California last of week.

Mrs. Sadie Trumble is recovering from a fall late Friday evening at her home in Eagle. She was taken to the Bryan Memorial Emergency room for the needed medication and few stitches in the wound on her head.

The "O St." Homemakers Club members are making the preparation for their club booth exhibit for the Cass County Fair in the near future.

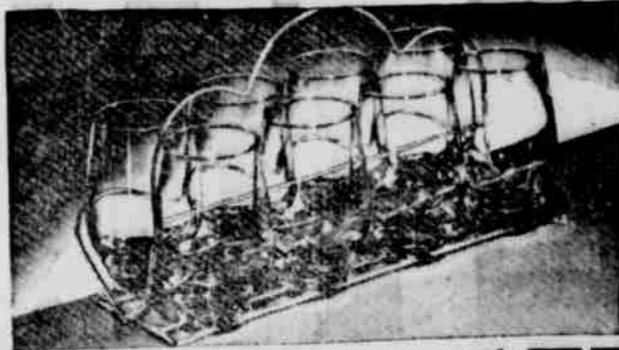
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westlake entertained former neighbor friend, Mr. David Cantley and son with a dinner, Monday. Mrs. Cantley was visiting her relatives at Palmyra. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Westlake.

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Elwin Coolman, Pastor  
Library Auditorium

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10 a.m. Church school.

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or Half Gallon of  
Dad's Root Beer

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a Half Gallon of Fruitaste Pop or  
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for Only 33c

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Hinky Dinky

This Coupon Entitles Bearer to  
Purchase Two 303 Cans of Elna Cut  
Green Beans

for Only 10c

Limit One Coupon of a Kind to a Family  
Valid Only at Hinky Thru Wed., July 25th  
Cash Value 1/10 of 1c G-19

COUPON

Green  
Beans

Elna Cut

No. 303 Cans,  
With Coupon . . . . .

2 FOR 10¢

Hinky Dinky Assorted  
Sweet Rolls 39c Value, Pkg. . . . . 29c

Hinky Dinky Enriched White  
Bread 20-oz. Loaf . . . . . 22c

Shell Roni 16-oz. Bag . . . . . 27c

American Beauty Cup Custard Cookies  
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Folger's 1-Lb. Can . . . . . 73c  
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All Quart . . . . . 75c  
Toilet Soap  
Praise 7c Off Sale, Reg. Bars . . . . . 3 1/2 40c  
Toilet Soap  
Praise 7c Off Sale, Bath Bars . . . . . 2 1/2 36c  
Liquid Detergent  
Joy Reg. Plastic Bottle . . . . . 39c