BURR

Mrs Rachel Walch

Mr and Mrs Al Walch, Mrs Norman Beckman and Naomi were recent dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Joy Botkin in Lincoln. After dinner they attended commencement for Southeast High school at Pershing Auditorium. Patricia Ann Botkin was a member of the graduating class. Also a dinner guest was Dr. William Michael Botkin of Omaha, who will receive his doctorate degree from the University of Nebraska Medical College. He will intern for a year at El Paso, Texas, as an Army Doctor. After the commencement they returned to the Joy Botkin home, along with Mr and Mrs Adam Miller.

Mrs Emma Stedman entertained a group of friends at her home recently. Guests were Mmes. William Neemann, Matilda Dreezsen, Oliver Cameron, Clarence Dively, Mary Fisk, Gene Bryan, Lucinda Kissinger and Alice Herbst of Grand Island.

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Edgar met their son, AA Larry Edgar in Lincoln recently. He has been attending Electronics and Mechanics at Memphis, Tennessee. He returned to Base Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Edgar, AA Larry Edgar and Richard Wellman spent Friday afternoon boating at Sprague-Martel.

Enjoying a cook-out at the Wilbur Edgar home Sunday in honor of AA Larry Edgar's birthday, were Mr and Mrs Frank Shulze and Corey, Unadilla, Mr and Mrs Gary Corey, Unadilla, and Mrs Gary Neeman and family, Lincoln, Mr and Mrs Raymond Johnson and family, Ashland; Mr and Mrs Delbert Hecht Elk Creek, Mrs Bessie Edgar, Syracuse; Fred Damme and Richard Wellman of Burr.

Mr and Mrs Alvin Eden and Julie and Jack Eden of Omaha attended the baccalaureate and commencement exercises at Wartburg College at Waverly, Iowa. Their daughter, Billie, was one of the graduates, receiving a BA degree.

Mr and Mrs Alvin Eden hosted an informal reception for their daughter, Billie, at Island Park, Cedar Falls, Iowa, for friends and parents, after the commencement exercises at Wartburg College Saturday. The Edens returned Sunday.

Mr and Mrs John Klassmeyer of Forrest City, Mo., Mr and Mrs Kurt Klassmeyer of Goaddard, Kans., Mr and Mrs John Griege of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Kenneth Klassmeyer of Hoardville, Mrs Dena Powell of Cook, Mr and Mrs Danny Boellstorfs and family of Brock, Mrs Blanche Cotton and Roland and Pete Klassmeyer were recent dinner guests of Mrs Wertie Wellman. Callers were from Johnson, Sterling and Nebraska City.

Mrs Pete Klassmeyer and Mr and Mrs Leroy Reinsche recently met her daughter-in-law, Mrs Norman Edmonds, and three daughters who arrived from Germany, in Omaha.

Mr and Mrs Francis Miller of Lincoln were recent guests of Mr and Mrs William Neeman. Mr and Mrs Clarence Henke of Longmont, Colo., were recent dinner and overnight guests of Mr and Mrs William Neeman. Mr and Mrs Max Robinson of Pittsfield, Ill., and Mrs Wayne Krueger of Lincoln, Ill., were overnight guests of the William Neemans.

Mr and Mrs Carl Eisenhauer of Lincoln were recent callers of Mrs Mary Rademacher.

Mr and Mrs Norman Pearson and family of Maysville, Mo., were recent guests of Mr and Mrs Gene Bryan and his father, W.E. Pearson. Guests included Mr and Mrs Robert Bryan of Lincoln. The Pearsons and Bryans were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Arlin Rohlfs and family at Unadilla.

The Norman Pearson family have gone to Stillwater, Okla., where Mr Pearson will study for a Doctorate degree at Oklahoma State College.

In observance of the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs John Meyer, Jr., and Mr and Mrs Bernard Bliefernich, a cooperative picnic dinner was held June 1, the anniversary date. It was held in the Lutheran church. Attending were Mrs Berdine Juilfs and family, Lincoln; Mr and Mrs Haakon Carlson and daughter, Beatrice, Mr and Mrs John Meyer, Sr., Unadilla; Mr and Mrs F.H. Effken, Cook; Mr and Mrs Herbert Hoeline, Sterling, Mrs Robert Cameron and family, Dunbar, Mr and Mrs Ade Juilfs, John Juilfs, Arnold Neemann, Mrs Lena Bliefernich Mrs Sara Beckmann and the families of the honorees. The two honored couples were married in a double wedding ceremony 20 years ago. The women are sisters.

Recent guests of Mrs E. Spanjer were Mr and Mrs Dale Schlueter and David of Seward, Nebr., Mrs Grace Wittstock and Mrs Mary Spanjer of Cook. Afternoon and luncheon guests were Mr and Mrs Core Hegwood and Mr and Mrs Martin Nelson of Beatrice and Mrs Lena Bliefernich and Arnold Neeman.

Mrs Dale Southard and daughter of Ogalalla were recent overnight guests of Mr and Mrs Irwin Stutheit. Other visitors were Dale Stutheit of Quincy, Ill., Mr and Mrs Wilmer Lowrey of Nebraska City, the Gilbert Wyers family of Walton, Mr and Mrs Lorin Stutheit and son of Lincoln, and Fredrick Stutheit of Brunswick.

Mr and Mrs Irwin Stutheit recently visited with Mrs Lizzie Riensche at Pickerell.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Moss and Mr and Mrs Cal LaFollette of Syracuse were Memorial weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Delmar Moss and family at Holyoke, Colorado.

Mrs Alice Herbst and four daughters of Grand Island spent several days with Mrs Lucinda Kissinger and Elton. Mrs Herbst and daughters and Mrs Kissinger visited cemeteries at Lincoln and Milford and were guests for a picnic dinner at the home of Mr and Mrs Leroy Smith in Lincoln. Mrs Leroy Smith and family of Lincoln spent Sunday with Mrs Kissinger and Elton. Her son, Raymond Smith, will spend the summer with the Kissingers.

Mr and Mrs Norman Beckman and Naomi and Terri Scheef attended baccalaureate and commencement at Midland Lutheran college held at the Frank H. Hopkins Phs. Ed. Bldg. at Fremont Sunday. Mr and Mrs Norman Beciman hosted a dinner Sunday at the Rudy Carlson home in Frmont, honoring their son, Roger Beckman, who received his degree at the Midland College commencement. Those present were Mrs Anderson, Fremont; Dennis Beckman, Linda Palmer, Mr and Mrs Rudy Carlson and Nancy and Judy. Roger Beckman taught in the Fremont Junior High school the second semester and will teach there again the 1969-70 school year.

Mrs Paul Sugden, Mr and Mrs Robert Dunn and Paul Levi attended the sixth grade recognition day program at Sheridan School in Lincoln. Mary Jane Dunn played the recessional for the program. After the program, Dr. and Mrs Harold Harvey and Joan, Mr and Mrs Robert Dunn and Mary Jane and Paul Levi and Mrs Paul Sugden had lunch together.

Mr and Mrs Robert Dunn and Paul Levi attended the Memorial Day program at the cemetery in Falls City Friday. They were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Irvin Lionberger. Mary Jane Dunn went on a weekend camping trip with the Vernon Riensche family.

Susan Bell of Lawrence, Kans., spent a week with Mr and Mrs Paul Sugden and attended vacation church school at the United Methodist church.

The Burr Alumni Association met in the school auditorium Saturday. Catherine Beckman Carlson and Ruth Panko Whitehead were in charge of tables and coffee. Mrs Catherine Carlson presided at the meeting. A record of those graduating from the eighth grade in Burr and their graduation from a high school will be invited to join the Alumni Association. No members from the 50 year class attended and attending from the 25 year class was Wilbur Rosenthal of Lincoln New officers elected were Mrs Lyman Ballard of Douglas, president; Mrs Robert Dunn of Lincoln, vice-president; and Harold Moss, secretary and treasurer.

Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs Emma Cameron were Mrs Lewis Brown of Lincoln, Mrs W. J. Hesson of Douglas and Mrs Walter Miesbach of Syracuse.

Mrs Emma Cameron attended the Buchanan family reunion, held in the Fair Building at Syracuse. Mrs Denzel Carper of Syracuse also attended the reunion.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Reinsche attended her 30 year class reunion, held at the Methodist church in Adams.

Debbie Reinsche, Debra Straube and Mary Ellen Steinkuhler attended the retreat at Circle R Lutheran camp near Omaha this weekend.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Reinsche took their daughter, Linda, to Lincoln where she will be working in a store this summer.

Coranne Bryan has began her job as laboratory assistant at Lincoln General hospital.

Mr and Mrs Irving Schulte attended the open house celebration for the silver wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Don Washburn held at the Lutheran church in Ashland.



This is a historic moment for Nebraska City and American Meter Co. which Saturday marked 15 years of operations in Nebraska City.

This picture, taken by The News-Press 15 years ago, shows the raising of the flag at the American Meter Co. plant by William G. Hamilton, then and now the company president, and the late Arthur Benson, a company vice president in 1954, who first spotted Nebraska City as a likely place for a new plant.

The buck Ends here . . . .

By Ivan D.E. Beaumont

Henry Schemmel, mayor of Minersville and trainer of the Black Panther of Minersville, says LB925 which was passed the other day by the legislature, is the best thing to happen in 100 years.

The measure was vetoed by Governor Tiemann, but passed when legislators mustered enough votes to override the veto. The bill provides that Nebraskans may use any means necessary to protect their lives and property.

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Henry says we should all let our senators know how much the voters appreciate the bill. Senator Budd from Nebraska City was among those who voted to override the governor's veto and pass the law.

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Up on the North 40.

Here's a recipe from Jerome Wirth for a suggested cookout:

ELEPHANT STEW

1 elephant (medium size) 2 onions (optional)

Salt and pepper

Cut the elephant in small bite-size pieces.

Add enough brown gravy to cover.

Cook over No. 2 (presumably Farmers Oil products) fuel oil fire for about four weeks at 465 degrees.

This will serve 3,800 people.

If more are expected, add two rabbits, but do this only in an emergency, inasmuch as most people do not like hare in their stew.

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Herman Brandorff saw several pieces of paper blowing across his lawn and pieced them together:

There were a check written July 5, 1909, for cash on the Farmers Bank in Nebraska City and signed with the name W. C. Davis.

Herman, who lives at 1301 south Eleventh Street, said he has no idea how a 60-year-old canceled check found its way . . . in pieces. . .to his home. But he surmised that someone may have been doing some moving or en route to the city dump and the bits of paper were blown from the car or truck.

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Bill Berger, City civil defense director, has an interesting story about the three little pigs, building homes of different materials, except there is a change. The letter from the state civil defense agency uses pig No. 3 as gold ole' Average Joe Smith and the ABM missile defense system as the big bad wolf.

To make a long story short, Pig No. 3 changed his mind about bricks for fear of being "provocative" settled for straw and when the enemy wolf came, that was the end of the pork and the nation.

The point of the story is, that a pigheaded attitude and no defense of the U.S. are appetizers for the war mongers.

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Legionnaires were told the other night that through the memorial of someone, Adam Schellinger Post No. 8 may have its own Legion Memorial park named after the donor.

The Legion post has long talked of the need for such a park, such as exist in many other communities, but talk has so far been all that has happened.

It would be a fine development for the Legion and one which the 700 or 800 members would appreciate much and see to proper maintenance.

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On another page are pictures and a story about another new recreational development in the Nebraska City area. Lester Hohnroth, who lives six miles southwest of Nebraska City, has selected the name, "Centennial Lake" for the 25-acre lake on his farm.

The lake is one of the Wilson Creek watershed projects and a very fine development.

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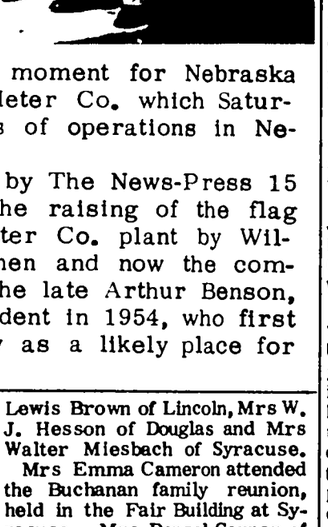
Regardless of how you feel about the swimming pool, it's you duty as a citizen to vote.

The polls will be open Tuesday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The biggest decisions of our country are made by the taxpayers in the privacy of an election booth guaranteed under the Constitution.



Ron Ballou, new manager of the Chamber of Commerce, chats with President Bill Carroll at the monthly meeting of the board of directors Tuesday night.



Stephen Pucket, son of Mr and Mrs Dwaine Pucket of Beatrice, formerly of Nebraska City, will be graduated from the Nebraska Vocational Technical school at Milford on June 11.

He will receive an asscIate degree of applied arts in welding and metallurgy technology.

He is a member of the American Welding Society and has served as vice-president of the student chapter. — Photo by Pitstick Studio.

Robert Kennedy is honored at service

By ED DOOLEY

WASHINGTON (UPI) — "How many deaths will it take 'til he knows that too many people have died," the choir sang as several thousand friends and admirers of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy joined in honoring his memory at a candlelight memorial Mass in Arlington National Cemetery one year after his assassination.

The assembled worshippers, including the late senator's widow, Ethel, and 10 of their 11 children, heard Cardinal Terrance Cooke of New York celebrate the Mass at dusk Friday from behind a simple wooden altar near the grave marked by a plain white cross on a grassy knoll.

The words they sang were from Bob Dylan's folk song "Blowing in the Wind." The congregation also sang a Negro spiritual and another hymn to the accompaniment of drums and 15 guitars before ending with the "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Hundreds remained to gather near the grave and some snipped leaves as keepsakes from a low bush which grows near the gravesite.

Other family members in attendance were Sen. and Mrs. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass.; his sister, Jean and her husband Steven Smith, and Mrs. Patricia Lawford.

The senator and Ethel Kennedy today take part in formal rededication of the District of Columbia Stadium as Robert Francis Kennedy Memorial Stadium. Several professional athletes who attended Friday's service were to be on hand.

The former Mrs. John F. Kennedy, now Jacqueline Onassis, visited the gravesite earlier in the day and returned for the Mass, wearing a black sleeveless dress. Ethel also visited the grave early in the morning, dressed in white, and remained there in silent meditation for about 15 minutes before leaving behind a bouquet of lillies of the valley.

Mrs. Kennedy invited about 100 close friends and family members to a private buffet at her Hickory Hill home in McLean, Va., after the hour-long ceremony.

Robert Taylor is dying with cancer

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (UPI)—Robert Taylor, 57, the romantic screen lover of the 1940s and 50s, today was near death, suffering from terminal cancer.

A spokesman for St. John's Hospital where the actor was undergoing treatment for lung cancer, said Friday Taylor's condition was "rapidly deteriorating" and death is "inevitable in the immediate future."

He said it could come in "a week, maybe more, maybe less."

Taylor had part of his right lung removed in October and later his wife, German actress Ursula Thiess, confirmed that he was suffering from cancer.

Hickman girl is Dairy Princess

LAUREL, Neb. (UPI) — An 18-year-old Hickman girl, Ardith Huenink, is the 1969 Nebraska Dairy Princess.

Miss Huenink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Huenink, was chosen in final competition here from 39 contestants, the largest number ever entered in the event.

A freshman at the University of Nebraska, Miss Huenink also vied for the title of Miss University of Nebraska. She will receive a $400 scholarship from the American Dairy Association of Nebraska.

First runner-up was Marlene Timmermann, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Timmermann of Papillion.

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