UNION

Connie Mullis

Mr and Mrs Keith Henry have moved to the farm house on the Mrs William Porter farm, north east of Union.

Mr and Mrs Max Karo Jr. and daughter of Stuart, spent a week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Jack Baker and family, relatives and friends.

Mrs R. E. Redhair of Fairplay, Mo., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Con Watkins, and other relatives.

Mr and Mrs Fulton Harris of Nebraska City are spending several weeks at their cabin at Clitherall, Minn.

Labor Day dinner guests of Mrs George Comer, Purly and Glen were Mr and Mrs Jim Cozette and daughter of Lincoln.

Mrs Elsie Frans is visiting relatives in western Nebraska.

Mr and Mrs Fred Stearns have returned from vacationing for four weeks in Canada, Washington and Oregon.

A family dinner was held Wednesday at the home of Mr and Mrs R. S. Harris honoring her cousins, Mr and Mrs Ray Ballard of Colorado and Mrs Bob Stanley of California. Guests were Mrs Jennie McKean of Syracuse, Mrs Minnie Fox of Omaha, Mr and Mrs Fred Baker of Nebraska City, Mr and Mrs Dale Horn of Murray, Mr and Mrs Levin Wilson of Avoca, Mr and Mrs Clarence Srb of Millard and Mr and Mrs Royal Smith of Plattsmouth.

Mrs Eavalyn Webb and Wally, of Chicago, Ill., called on Mr and Mrs Roy Becker Sunday. The Beckers entertained them at a Nebraska City restaurant. Mrs Webb, who is an author and writer, is a long time friend of Mrs Becker.

Mr and Mrs Calvin E. Guy of Kansas City were Labor Day weekend guests of Mrs Roy Mullis and Connie Mullis.

Ellis Metzger, a former teacher at Union school, now of Ralston, called on friends in the Union area.

Mr and Mrs Harry Gobleman visited Mrs Peter Everett at Weeping Water.

Mr and Mrs Jack Watkins and Amy of Lincoln, Mrs Margaret Watkins, Mr and Mrs Henry Stoewe and Donald Everett family of Nebraska City were visitors of Mr and Mrs Carl Everett Sr. and Peter Everett to see the Carl Everett Jr. family of Kansas City.

Miss Nell Bramblett broke her hip, in a fall at her home. She is in St. Mary's hospital in Nebraska City.

Ed Morris is in St. Mary's hospital recovering from a severe asthma attack.

Mrs Grace Schultz, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Henry Schmidt, and son, Keith, and Mrs Clara Brettmann all of Deshler and Mr and Mrs Bill Gaughan of Omaha were Labor Day visitors of the Hollis Bannings. Mrs Schultz, Mrs Brettmann and Mrs Banning are sisters.

Dinner guests recently at the Fred Stearns home were Mr and Mrs Vern York of Clatskanie, Ore., Mr and Mrs Larry Clay of Omaha and Mrs Richard Houser of San Francisco, Calif. The Yorks remained for a visit with the Stearns.

RIVERTON

Mrs James Booker

Junior U.M.F. elected officers at the recent meeting. They are Sandra Booker, president, Richard Ward, vice-president; Debbie Cowden, secretary-treasurer; Chris Finnell, reporter. Mrs Roger Booker is counselor.

The Joe Duff family of Omaha spent a week here with his parents, Mr and Mrs Charles Tysor.

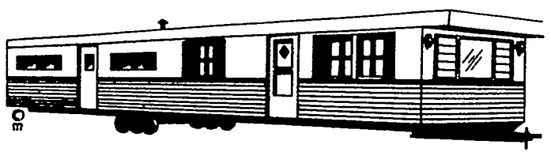
An informative meeting, regarding the water system for Riverton, was held on Wednesday night at Riverton school building. Petitions for those interested in obtaining the system will be available in the near future.

Among those from Riverton who are patients at Grape hospital, Hamburg, are Mrs Dollie Barton, who fractured her arm; Mrs Glen Barton, who underwent surgery; Mrs Susie Booker, who fell in her home and received cuts and bruises; Mrs Thelma Herron, who injured her back; Mrs Electra Adams and Lauren Comstock, both for tests.

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The Buck Ends Here

By IVAN D.E. BEAUMONT

I'm Scorpio.

And, according to my horoscope, last week I should have made a lot of money, met new friends, collected a long overdue bill, spent some time in a hospital and received an invitation to share expenses on a trip with a woman traveling companion.

It must have been quite a week for someone living under similar signs.

This week's report (I sneaked a peek ahead for a few days) said I will start off the week with a party with friends. Well, now that's right. And in addition, we will attend a wedding of a favorite nephew in Omaha and a reception following in Ralston.

Man, we're going to have a week!

My horoscope, while not entirely accurate, has some pretty good advice for Scorpios. It constantly cautions about careless spending and suggests salting away a few dollars for rainy days ahead.

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You lucky, Boy Scouts

Didya know there is a "select" group from Nebraska City who will attend all Husker home games? They're Boy Scouts of certain rank and their scoutmasters, leaders or committee members.

The boys won't be sitting idle at the stadium. They will be in full dress uniforms ushering fans to seats.

I don't know how long ago the ushering program got started, but it's quite a compliment for Nebraska City scouts to have a chance to take part in it. I would imagine that a few years ago when the Huskers had a losing streak, the Saturday trip was a chore.

Not now, though.

The other day the boys and their leaders spent part of the afternoon on the astroturf and in the stands learning their jobs. They were google-eyed at the Big Red players on the turf and were really swayed when Bob Devaney made a point to say "hello."

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The ushering scouts will also be wearing a special orange (no, not red) cap with a patch on the front signifying them as Scouts and Husker fans. We noted that the ushering job continues into cold weather — the caps have ear flaps in them.

As a parent who occasionally helps on a scout committee, they said I was eligible to attend the games in an ushering or adult sponsoring capacity.

Well, that was mighty nice of the troop officers, but I said I couldn't accept because Saturday is a working day at the News-Press. Besides, I'd be so interested in the game, I'd put everyone in the wrong seat.

We have been fortunate enough to attend a game every year thanks to friends of the News-Press at the University. Last year we had a costly day — we came home with one of those little black used Singer sewing machines for No. 1 daughter, a home ec major.

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Don Chapin asked why The Buck goofed off last weekend. I didn't realize we were missed, friend.

The reason for not writing a column last Sunday was that I was on vacation during the week. Not good enough? How about: I didn't have any suggestions that I could print.

During that week, a brother and his wife and son, drove in the driveway in one of those nice motorhomes. . . .followed by his Los Angeles neighbor and friend, a man and his wife in their motorhome. Our driveway looked like a branch agency for Clemmy Holmes.

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This other couple who accompanied my brother and his family down the highway, had never been in the midwest and were enjoying the "double" vacation. There were a lot of people at our house for a couple of days, but we were quite amazed how little trouble extra company is when they have motorhomes.

Any. .how. . .back to Don Chapin. . . .

The husband of this other couple to visit us is Polish.

So, now you know, Don. All we did was swap Polak stories. . . .and Millie said if I put any of those in The Buck she wouldn't make any more sour cream chocolate cake.

I mean, guy. . . .that kinda gets to you. . . .that's pressure!

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We had occasion to step onto a tennis court a couple of times in recent weeks. I don't know much about the game, but I sure learned fast the meaning of "Love, 40."

If for nothing else, the occasions have attracted me to watching tennis on television during weekends. Who knows? I might develop into something great, wallop Sid Metcalf and John Crook and take on Arthur Ashe.

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The State Fair

Henry Brandt and the State Fair board and the many other workers put on a big show this year at Lincoln.

We attended during the Labor Day weekend. Guess what? Yeah, you're right. We picked the day that the crowd was the largest. Police Sgt. and Mrs Joe Lange agreed — another day would have been less crowded.

Oh, well, it was fun. We particularly were pleased with the hard-surfacing on the midway. I can remember the crushed rock and mud holes of other years.

We visited many of the exhibits, certainly not all. It can't be done in a single day. But we did stop at one booth that was attracting a lot of good old American patriotism — the Forgotten Americans booth.

Mrs Delmar Heng wears one of the bracelets of the GI's who are prisoners of war somewhere in North Vietnam. Visitors to the booth were asked to buy the bracelets for $2.50 and wear them as a visible display of concern for the POW's. The bracelets are engraved with the name and rank of a serviceman and the date of his imprisonment.

You can get information on this program by writing to the Forgotten Americans Committee, Box 127, Omaha, 68101.

Thanks, Ruth, for the brochures.

4-H Club News

Southeast Boosters

Phyllis Guhde was elected president of the Southeast Boosters 4-H club at the September meeting held at the home of Duane and Roger McCauley.

Other officers elected were Duane McCauley, vice-president; Nancy Burkhart, secretary; Judy Guhde, treasurer; Carl Cook, news reporter, and Bob Guhde, historian.

Record books were discussed

The next meeting will be October 10 at 8 p.m., at the home of Carl Cook. Carl Cook, reporter.

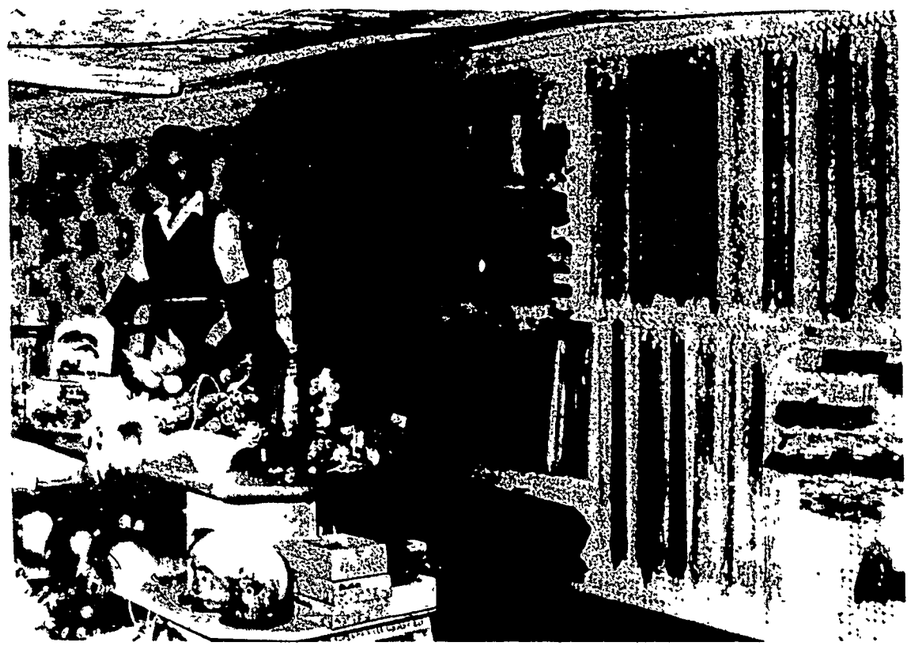


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New Christmas merchandise is now arriving and the store also has in stock these currently popular items three-dimensional and crackle-it pictures, beads fur macrame, and novelty items

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SUMMER DAYS HAVE ENDED

Politics into gear

By ODELL HANSON
Associated Press Writer

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — The lazy, hazy days of summer give way to the action-filled days of fall

Classroom's call and football provides a common conversational ground for even total strangers.

The State Fair and Labor Day, which celebrate summer's end — even if the weather man doesn't always accept the cue — have come and gone.

Political campaigning moves into high gear — if in fact it had ever been much less this year

The buildup to a new legislative session begins for those who hope to use it for particular objectives

The wheels of government, if they tend to coast a bit when the sun and temperatures are high, speed up again.

Yes, the summer, for pratical purposes, has gone

And for the Nebraska Supreme Court, that means back to the bench for seven jurists, refreshed by a summer recess which provides a change of pace if it doesn't actually provide a major surcease from labor.

The new term of the state Supreme Court formally opens Monday, Sept 18, when the black-robed judges seat themselves to hear oral arguments on pending cases — the first since June.

That the court will not lack for business during the nine or 10 months that follow is foreordained.

A near-record 53 cases were appealed to the high court in August alone, according to Court Clerk George Turner.

Last year, 479 cases were filed — the most since the late 1920's when mortgage foreclosures, bootlegging and bank failures were prompting litigation and prosecutions.

In 1970, the cases filed totaled 392; in 1969, 337; in 1968, 314

The recent-year increases have resulted in large part from criminal case appeals, Turner notes.

The workload led the court last year to employ a device it hadn't used since the middle 1930's. That was to call in enough district judges to permit a splitting of the court into two five-judge sections This doubled the number of cases that could be heard in a given period

Judges also resorted to an infrequently used option—to make judgments without writing an explanatory opinion. The court's so-called rule 20 says the court may elect not to provide a written opinion when a lower court simply is being upheld. Opinions are mandatory when the lower court's judgment are reversed or modified.

Notwithstanding the increased caseload, the Nebraska court is one of the few that can claim to be current

When the court recessed in June, it had given hearing to every case at issue to that point Preparing of opinions continued into the summer months and the last of the court team's opinions were handed down Aug. 8.

"Our court is probably in as good shape as any in the country," says Turner

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Besides spending part of the summer recess finishing up their opinion-writing chores, the judges engaged in other court-related activity.

Judge Lawrence M Clinton participated in an appellate judges seminar at New York University

Chief Justice Paul White and Judges Leslie Boslaugh, Harry Spencer and Hale McCown attended the annual American Bar Association annual meeting in San Francisco, where Justice White also participated in a conference of chief justices

The state Supreme Court's current workload, although high, falls far short of matching some recorded nearly a half century ago

Turner's records show 707 cases filed in 1925 The low mark of 147 cases was recorded in 1945, but since then the trend once again has been upward

The 479 cases last year were the most since 1928, when 494 were filed

Last year, the court filed 279 opinions but dismissed another 160 appeals

In the first six months this year, 221 opinions were filed and 72 appeals were dismissed

Named

Larry L Stanley, Shenandoah, has been named manager of sales and engineering for Jack Stanley, Inc., including the ready-mix plant and sand and gravel construction divisions

Stanley was formerly sales manager for a Davenport, Iowa, concrete products company

He was graduated from Thurman high school in 1950 and from Iowa State University in 1958. He was in service three years. He is a registered Iowa engineer.

School Lunch Menu

MONDAY — Chili, pear half, cheese slice, cornbread and butter, and milk. (extra, chili).

TUESDAY — Chicken fried steak on bun, whipped potatoes and gravy, tossed salad, snickerdoodles and milk. (extra, chicken fried steak on bun)

WEDNESDAY — Ham and scalloped potatoes, egg salad, apricot halves, cinnamon rolls and milk. (extra, cinnamon rolls)

THURSDAY — Hot dogs, beannie wiennies, peach half, pudding and topping and milk (extra, hot dogs)

FRIDAY — Raviolas, green beans, cabbage salad, muffin square and milk. (extra, barbecue hamburger).

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AVOCA

Mrs Henry Maseman

Mr and Mrs Frank Jeffries of Haviland, Ohio, visited relatives here this week. Saturday a dinner was held at the Lake in their honor

Mr and Mrs Henry Smith hosted a dinner Sunday at their home for their wedding anniversary and the Stanley Smith's anniversary also the birthdays of Mrs Roger Smith and Richard Smith It was also a farewell for the Stanley Smiths who are moving to New York. Present were Mr and Mrs Stanley Smith and Pam and Linda, Mr and Mrs Roger Smith and Richard of Omaha

Mr and Mrs John Marquardt, Mason McGee and Marvin Newman helped Harry Marquardt celebrate his 84th birthday Sunday.

Mrs Dena Ruge hosted a dinner at the cafe Sunday for the September birthdays and wedding anniversaries. Attending were Mr and Mrs Ernest Emshoff, Mrs Edith Maseman, Mr and Mrs Stanley Emshoff and family, Mr and Mrs Darrel Mather and family, Mr and Mrs Maurice Ruge and Mrs Keith Barker and children of Mindenmines, Missouri

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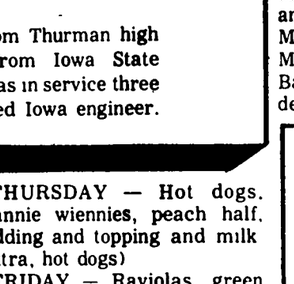
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