The Buck Ends Here

By IVAN D.E. BEAUMONT



The Fletchalls. . .married 24 years. . .a new car for Janet

A special gift for a special person

Mrs LeRoy Fletchall, 2105 Third Avenue, went to Rowe Motors the other day with her husband to look at cars.

What she didn't know was that "Fletch" had been to Rowe's earlier and had something special for his wife — a 1973 Dodge Charger, complete with air conditioning and power equipment.

And there was a note:

"To Janet Happy Birthday, Happy Anniversary and Merry Christmas All my love, Fletch."

And to which we can add only.....the best to both of you.

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The Scouts and football

Remember reading a few weeks ago that University officials "lifted" the passes of Boy Scout ushers who had long hair?

Well, we understand now that the passes have been returned to the boys and they have resumed their ushering duties at Lincoln on Saturdays.

We don't want to seem obstinate, but it's hard to understand why the big, strong grownups lifted the passes of the little fellas with the neckerchiefs and scout caps but did not lift the flasks of booze from the Big Red Grownups.

Parents have a hard enough time trying to raise their own kids without the help of "officials" and their rules

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Congratulations to the Jaycee Jaynes and their many helpful friends

The Jaynes got the 120,000 coupons they've been collecting for two and a half years. Now they will turn them in for $600 and give that money to St. Mary's hospital. The money will be spent for a portable respirator.

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A group of Nebraska City students may go to Germany this winter as part of the mini-course program at Senior High

Principal Carl Fielder said it's just in the talking stage now, but there has been some interest in a 20 or 28-day trip to Germany. NCHS has an edge for a successful visit — Wanda Beil, language teacher, speaks German and has visited the country before.

Mr Fielder said the students and chaperon would leave after Christmas and return the middle or latter part of January.

"About all we know so far are some of the costs. The roundtrip ticket would be about $350, plus insurance, passports and shots. The students would stay in homes of German families.

"That's a better education than we can give them in a classroom," Mr Fielder said. "I just hope it works out. It would be great for the kids."

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There are only 13 states that do not have a ban on bald tires, according to the Tire Industry Safety Council.

Maine just recently passed a law that requires tires have a minimum tread depth of 1-16 of an inch in order for the vehicle to pass inspection. Thirty-five other states have similar laws.

Under federal regulations, the council said, all passenger tires manufactured in the U.S. since August, 1968, are required to have built-in tread wear indicators, or "wear bars" to show when the tire is worn to the 1-16 inch level.

The wear bars appear as smooth bands running across the face of the tire, when the tread is worn down.

Here's that repeat on measuring tread with a penny:

"Insert a Lincoln head penny in the grooves of your tire If the top of Lincoln's head is visible above the survace of the tread, the tire is unsafe and should be removed."

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The Falls City Journal the other day outlined a proposed ambulance service that called for volunteers to man the equipment, the county to provide vehicles and insurance and the city to run the bookkeeping department. The Falls City plan calls for 10 volunteers with two on duty per week. They would be paid on a per-run basis.

The Shenandoah, Ia., Sentinel published a proposed rescue and ambulance plan that called for the town to pay $4,500 per month for the first year of operation. That amount would include two vehicles, equipment and all labor.

Nebraska City has had a volunteer rescue service for six and a half years. The service started with donations to buy a vehicle and equipment. The city and county provide insurance for the volunteers and vehicles and the city provides housing. The operation of the rescue service is paid with the $25 minimum fees collected from the sick or injured. (The $25 fee has been the same since the service was established in the spring of 1967).

Full funding for milk program OK'd

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department announced Wednesday it will restore full funding of the special milk program to provide snack time milk for school children.

The department also said a new federal regulation which went into effect last August allows school cafeterias to serve nonfat dry milk if the product is reconstituted into liquid form at dairy processing plants.

Funding for the special milk program will be restored to the full level provided in the department's appropriations legislation for the 1973-74.

Last July, the department said it would hold special milk spending this school year to $25 million But Congress insisted that $97.1 million be used to provide children milk at snack periods in addition to servings at regular meals.

Administration officials had wanted to limit special milk servings to schools not having regular meal service.

In bowing to Congress, the department said it will reimburse schools participating in the National School Lunch Program at a rate of four cents per one-half pint of special milk served.

"For other schools and for child care institutions which sell milk to children at a separate charge, the maximum rate of reimbursement is set at three cents per half pint," the department said.

Those are the reimbursement rates which applied previously before USDA announced last summer the cutback in special milk spending, officials said.

The practice of serving reconstituted nonfat dry milk is not believed widespread at this time, a spokesman for the Food and Nutrition Service said, and savings to schools which use dry milk as a food source would be limited.

Milk rules affecting school lunches and other child nutrition programs were changed Aug. 13 to permit the use of low fat, skim milk and cultured buttermilk in addition to regular whole milk.

The spokesman said the rule also has been interpreted to allow the use of reconstituted powdered milk as long as the practice complies with state and local laws.

That means schools and other institutions can collect federal reimbursement for serving the alternate milk products.

In the case of school lunch programs, the federal government reimburses schools at the rate of eight cents per half pint served.

A new bill which revamps federal child nutrition assistance provides a 10 cent reimbursement. The bill, is awaiting approval by President Nixon.

Officials said the requirement that schools must have nonfat dry milk reconstituted by dairy plants was stipulated for sanitary reasons since most cafeterias are not equipped to do the job within health requirements.

A comet is an astronomical body composed of ice and dust which moves about the sun in an orbit that is usually elliptical in shape due to the gravitational effects of the planets. As it approaches the sun, a comet forms a gaseous tail, millions of miles long, which always points away from the sun because of solar winds, The World Almanac notes

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BROCK

Mrs Steven Bowen

Recent dinner guest of Mrs Ethel Adams were Mr and Mrs Marvin Adams of Norfolk, Mrs Lyle Adams and family of Blue Springs, and Ella Borgmann of California.

Mr and Mrs W R. Bohlken and sons of Clarks were week end guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs William Bohlken. Mr and Mrs W. R Bohlken attended the Dana homecoming game in Blair Saturday.

A recent guest of Mrs Ethel Adams was Mrs Ella Borgmann of Pomona, Calif.

Mable Haywood of Peru, Mrs Ella Borgmann and Mrs Ethel Adams were recent afternoon guest of Mr and Mrs Lyle Adams and family of Blue Springs.

Mr and Mrs Steve Colerick attended the Lincoln District Postmaster meeting and dinner in Lincoln

Recent dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Lester McKnight were Mrs Kelly Smith, and Michelle, Mr and Mrs Steve Bowen and sons, Fred McKnight and Mrs Linda King and sons of Omaha.

David Garvatt of Lincoln spent a week end with his parents, Mr and Mrs Robert Garvatt, and Beth.

A son, Russell was born to Mr and Mrs Robert Tachowsky on Friday, October 19.

Mrs Bess Snowden arrived home after a two week trip to Illinois and Missouri. Mrs Snowden visited her granddaughters and family, Mr and Mrs Gene Hervey of Collinsville, Illinois and Mr and Mrs Leonard Hunke or Rolla, Missouri.

After school Wednesday the Christian Missionary Fellowship class held a Halloween party at the Brock Christian church. The group invited their mothers, brothers, and sisters.

Mr and Mrs Lester Ehlers of Grand Island were recent dinner guests of the Marion Piper family.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mr and Mrs Maurice Lare were Mrs Linda King and sons of Omaha.

Mr and Mrs Lester Lowery of Lincoln were week end guests of Mrs Ethel Adams.

Mr and Mrs Dean Marshall and Matt of Fremont were week end guest of his parents, Mr and Mrs Melvin Marshall.

Mr and Mrs Chan Christy were recent dinner guest of Oma Lou Myers of Lincoln.

Mrs Edna Young, Mrs Viola Little and Mrs Leona Brown recently accompanied Mrs Fred Lockwood to Omaha. They enjoyed looking at the Art Exhibit at Crossroads Some paintings were done by Mrs Robert Brown. Mrs Brown is the daughter-in-law of Mrs Leona Brown.



The enthusiastic efforts of over 18,000 Four-H'ers in District V were matched by Ak-Sar-Ben recently when the organization presented a $10,000 check to officials of the new Eastern Nebraska 4-H Camp near Gretna as an installment on a $50,000 committment for the building of a new lodge. Shown as the check changed hands are (left to right): John Cooper, Humboldt, president of the Nebraska Association for 4-H Development; John D. Diesing, chairman of the Ak-Sar-Ben Livestock Show and Rodeo Committee; and Norm Tooker, coordinator of the District V Camp Development Committee.

Tax exemption costly to state

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — The personal property tax exemption plan which took effect in Nebraska this year apparently will cost state government more sales and income tax dollars than had been anticipated

Reports to the state Revenue Department from 79 of the 93 counties disclose they seek $5,549,147 to reimburse them for loss of revenue suffered by local governments because of the exemption.

Tax Commissioner William E. Peters speculates that when the remaining 14 counties report, the bill could total more than $6 million.

That's about 10 per cent more than the Revenue Department had guessed last year would be needed for the first year's payout.

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The Jaycees will be conducting their annual honey sale for the benefit of the mentally retarded of Otoe County. This year all proceeds of the sale will be distributed locally.

The honey will be supplied by Henry Puppe. The sale will be conducted by the Jaycees and the Otoe County Association for Retarded Children will be the recipient of this generous and worthwhile effort.



Urging you to buy "Honey for the Handicapped" are Jesse Stein, executive director of Arbor Training Center; Lee Turner, president of the Nebraska City Jaycees; Henry Puppe, owner of Puppe Apiaries; and Cheryl Burkhart, Nebraska Honey Queen.

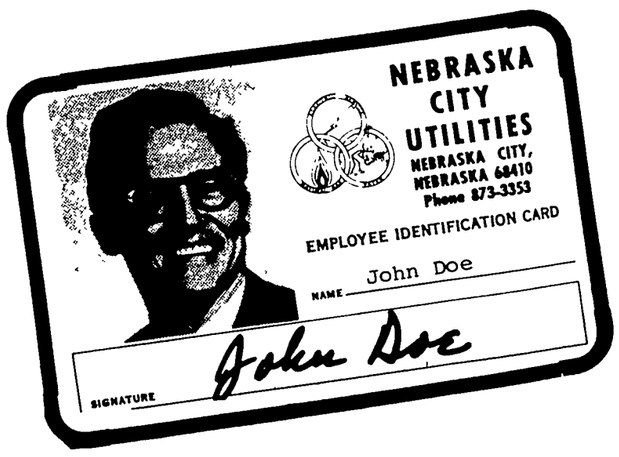
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