

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

The Bancroft Register welcomes your local news items and suggestions for local news pictures. If you have company or are out of town at any time The Register would like to know it. Phone in your local news items, mail them in, or see that we know about them.

Mrs. J. N. Merrill was surprised Tuesday afternoon when the neighborhood ladies dropped in and helped her celebrate her birthday. She was 86 years old on Sunday.

Richard Meyer, Paul Weber, Bob Lensing, Clarence Miller, Arnold Fangman, Don Arndorfer and Phil Elsbecker, went to Waterloo, Iowa last Tuesday by chartered bus to tour the John Deere Plant there.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Graydon and son Tommy of Davenport, Iowa spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nemmers. On Saturday afternoon they all visited at the Maurice Kollasch home at Swea City.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Patterson, former Seneca residents will observe their Golden Wedding on Sunday, March 8th. A reception and open house is being planned at Ringsted.

The service address of Dickie Graydon, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nemmers is Richard R. Graydon SN, S-2 Division, USS Kearsarge CUS-33, % Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif. The Kearsarge is part of the hunter-killer group composed of surface, sub-surface, and air units, seeking enemy submarines. Richard has just recently been promoted.

One hundred and twenty-three were served at the Boy Scouts Chicken barbecue supper on Sunday evening. The Scouts are trying to raise enough money to build their own club house at the Scout park and it will take the cooperation of the parents, particularly the fathers if anything is to be accomplished. It can't all be left to the Scout Master and assistant.

Miss Jean Goldsmith of Sioux City spent the week end at the Wilbur Fox home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Torine of Swea City visited at the Perry Torine home on Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Diers and her mother, Mrs. Tony Jandl of Titonka attended the funeral of Mrs. Hinckle at Elmore, Minn. Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jensen and family were guests on Sunday for dinner and the day at the home of her mother, Mrs. Carrie Kruse at Ringsted.

Mrs. Don Behnkendorf helped on the serving committee at the open house of the St. John's Lutheran Church at Burt, Sunday, for the dedication of the newly remodeled wing.

Don Cronk underwent surgery for a hernia at Holy Family hospital in Estherville. The Cronks live on the Oscar Patterson farm near Seneca, and he entered the hospital on Sunday.

David Fox arrived home last week to spend the next two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fox, before leaving on Sunday, March 1, for his work at Manaus, Brazil as a Papal Volunteer for Latin America.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mulligan and son arrived home Sunday evening from a weeks trip to Omaha and Denver, where they visited his sisters, Mrs. Robert Menke and Mrs. Wm Fuchs and families and her brother, Roger Uhlenhake and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goche, Dean and Marilyn were Thursday evening guests at the Al Elsbecker home. It was Dean Goche's birthday and Mrs. Goche brought a decorated birthday cake and all the trimmings so the boys could celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Menke, Mrs. F. J. Welp, Mr. and Mrs. John Joe Welp, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Menke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Menke, attended the funeral of the Grandgenets at St. Cecilia's Church in Algona Saturday morning.

The K. C. Bowling team went to Carroll Saturday to take part in the bowling tournament. The tournament runs through the month of March. The local team topped the fourteen teams participating last week end. Members of the team are Harlan Hutchinson, Paul Bernhard, Frank Kramer, Ed Richter and Vern Anderson of Ledyard.

A family gathering was held on Sunday at the Raymond Bergum home to celebrate the 78th birthday of Iver Bergum, and the birthdays of Lee and Art Bergum. Present were the Lloyd Eichenbergers of Lakota, Art and Raymond Bergum families, Mrs. Julia Petticoat, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Haase and Bernice of Burt, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fischer and family of Swea City.

Mr. and Mrs. William Madison of Burt visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cutler on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Hatten, Everista and Mrs. Mary Stauder visited Sunday afternoon at the Jim Hatten home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lampe and family visited her parents, the Martin Behrends at Buffalo Center last Sunday.

Miss Margaret Alvey of Denison, Iowa spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Alvey.

Mrs. Leo Nurre, daughter, Ellen, Alice, and Anita of Whittemore visited last week Sunday at the parental Hugh Walsh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jenkins of Lakota and their son William of St. Cloud, Minn., were Thursday evening visitors at the Albert Cutler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Jansen and family were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jansen, at Lakota.

Emmet Doyle of Kansas City, Mo. visited on Saturday afternoon for a short time at the home of Mrs. J. A. Devine. They are distant relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bauer, Jr. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer and family were Sunday visitors at the parental Frank Bauer, Sr. home.

Mrs. A. C. Accurso visited her father Guy Stott of Garner last Tuesday afternoon at a Mason City hospital where he is recovering from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mennen visited the Virgil Kunkels, former neighbors, at their home at Bryon, Minn. on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Schulte of Omaha, Nebr. spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Con Schiltz. Mrs. Schulte is the former Ann Schiltz.

Mrs. Pat Albers of Buffalo Center visited with her sister, Mrs. Bill Kennedy on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Albers had just returned from a trip to Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jensen and family were guests last Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Carroll House at Ringsted for a dinner in honor of Leonard Kruse's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kennedy and family of Seneca were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Ed Kennedy home, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kahler and family were Sunday evening callers.

Sunday dinner guests at the Al Elsbecker home were Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Polratz and family of Fort Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Winkel and family, and Mr. and Mrs. George Winkel of Whittemore.

Mrs. Mary Stauder accompanied the Lorenz Getzenauers of Lone Rock to Mason City Monday to meet her grandson Paul who arrived by plane following his discharge from the Navy. He has been in the Far East.

Joe Crowley, Sr. and his son Leo of Armstrong went to Marshall, Wis., for the funeral of Julia Carey and brought Lena Carey back here for an extended visit. Lena is a sister of Mrs. Joe Crowley, Sr. who is still a patient at Holy Family hospital.

Mrs. Helen Tostensen spent a week at the Russell Ditsworth home and left on Friday to return to her home at Litchfield, Minn. Mrs. Tostensen, sister of Mrs. Ditsworth and a former Bancroft resident, was enroute home from a weeks visit with friends at Toledo, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Blanchard and three children, all of Waterloo, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cutler and daughters of Britt, brought a big dinner and a fancy birthday cake to help their mother, Mrs. Albert Cutler celebrate her 79th birthday on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Wahnke also called in the afternoon and brought Mrs. Cutler another cake. Clarence Ackerson of Wesley was a Sunday evening caller.

Harry Hodgson of Milwaukee, Wis., brother-in-law of Frank Grandgenett, Mrs. Charles Belz of Ketchum, Idaho, and Mrs. Wayne Jessup of Cudahy, Wis., sisters of Mr. Grandgenett, spent the week end at the J. H. Menke and Mrs. F. J. Welp homes. Mrs. Kate McBurney and Vickie Blair of Omaha, Nebr. were also here until Sunday evening. They all came to attend the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Grandgenett on Saturday at Algona. They, Mrs. F. J. Welp, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Menke and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Menke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Menke and children, and Gerald Menke were all Saturday evening dinner guests at the J. H. Menke home. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eckhart entertained them, Mr. and Mrs. John Welp and daughters, Mrs. F. J. Welp, Mrs. McBurney and Vickie Blair, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Menke at dinner at Roy's Grill. The Grandgenett relatives left for St. Benedict and remained there until Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Brattlund spent Thursday visiting at the Arvid Christ home at Seaville.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Lensing entertained their Pinochle Club on Sunday evening. There are eight couples in the group.

Jane Vaske, student at Mankato Commercial college spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leander Vaske.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elberts of Algona and Mr. and Mrs. John Brink were Sunday afternoon callers at the Dan McGee home.

Pat Vaske was dismissed from St. Ann hospital in Algona on Wednesday and Monday morning returned to his work in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jensen and family of Ringsted were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Yackie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cowan of Algona were Sunday evening supper guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Elsbecker.

Otto Karels, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Karels, was released from a Mason City hospital on Thursday, and has returned to his home in Lakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Frideres and Kurt of Algona were Saturday evening visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Lensing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Metzger and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schenck of Algona were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bollig and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orris Cushman and family of Buffalo Center were Saturday evening visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boeckholt.

A3/c Marlin Johnson who is home on leave from Mississippi, was a dinner guest on Sunday at the Leander Vaske home. He will report to the base at Sioux City.

Mrs. F. X. Wilhelmi now has the cast removed from her arm which was broken in a fall. Her granddaughter and husband, the Frank Schultes of Omaha, visited her on Sunday.

Orville Dotson of Junction City, Kansas visited at the George Wohnke home last Tuesday afternoon. He is a cousin of Mrs. Wohnke and they had not seen each other for 57 years.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lensing and family of Rockwell City, Iowa, visited on Sunday at the parental Henry Lensing home. They moved to Rockwell City from Graettinger about a month ago.

Stanley Halstead and son Craig went to Austin, Minn. on Sunday to visit Orville Halstead, brother of Stanley, who is in the hospital. They stayed over night and planned to be home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Moeller, their son Darrell and Miss Janelle Hoppe of Fairmont were Sunday afternoon and supper guests at the Roland Peymann home. The Moellers are Mrs. Peymann's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larson will soon be moving to the Lagerstrom farm near Algona. Mr. Larson has been employed there since last July and they will now live in a tenant house on the farm. The Larsons purchased the home they are now living in here, and it will be for sale.

Michael Kayser entertained the boys of the fifth grade, and neighborhood boys at a birthday party at his home Sunday afternoon. Games were played after which the boys enjoyed a lovely lunch. Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albin Kayser and was 11 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Glawe entertained at a birthday party Friday evening for their granddaughter Kathy Boeckholt who was four years old. Mr. and Mrs. John Glawe and baby of Fairmont and Harold Boeckholt and family were guests to enjoy a beautiful birthday cake.

John William, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane McGregor, was baptized Sunday in St. John's Church by the Rev. Father Maurice Krause. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Doocy were the sponsors. The Doocys and the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Francis McGregor, were dinner guests there after the baptism.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Marlow are the parents of a daughter born on Friday at the Blue Earth hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. 10 ozs. and will be named Michelle Marie. The Marlows also have a small son. The grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Marlow visited with Mrs. Marlow and baby at the hospital on Sunday afternoon.

Herman Boeckholt arrived home on Saturday from Mason City where he had undergone major surgery. Mrs. Boeckholt stayed in Mason City with him. He is getting along as well as can be expected. Callers at the Boeckholt home on Sunday were Mrs. Boeckholt's brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Schurr and daughter of Rolfe, Mr. and Mrs. John Boeckholt and family of Swea City, and Harold Boeckholt and children.

Mrs. Leona Johnson visited with relatives in Lakota, Monday evening.

George Garry of Fort Dodge spent the week end at the parental, T. D. Garry home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Olsen of Algona were a week ago Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Doocy.

Duane Diers of Omaha spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Diers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Elsbecker have moved to the farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. James Coyne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Luedtke and family of Fenton were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Brattlund.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Doocy and Linda of Owatonna, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Doocy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray and family of Storm Lake were Sunday guests at the Joe and Don Murray homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Finn of Algona were Sunday visitors of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don (R.J.) Welp and family.

Cliff Cooper of Miller, S. D. is visiting here with his nephew, Willis Vogel and family and with relatives at Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Diers and family were Sunday guests of her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jandl of Titonka.

Francis Kramer was admitted to the Holy Family Hospital, Estherville for observation following an accident last week.

Roman Ricke was a patient at Holy Family hospital in Estherville on Thursday and Friday to have some teeth extracted.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hicks of Algona were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Doocy and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Merron and family and Mrs. Frank Merron of Waterloo were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Merron and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Curtis and family of Lakota were Sunday evening visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Diers and family.

Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Diers and family were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jandl and family of Milaca, Minn. They had been at his folks in Titonka and were enroute to their home.

Mrs. L. C. Hatten and Mrs. Walter Deltter accompanied Mrs. Al Rahe to Minneapolis on Thursday. They returned home Saturday afternoon and Becky Rahe returned home with them to remain with her mother.

Arnold Boever and Mrs. Manfred Boever of Swea City took Thursday to Iowa City, Thursday where he is undergoing tests. He had been in the Holy Family Hospital about three weeks with complications from a fall.

LaDonna Hatten returned home on Thursday from St. Mary's hospital at Rochester where she underwent surgery for an inward goller. She went back on Saturday and Tuesday for dressings, and will be going back up for check-ups.

Chas. McGuire, Mrs. Lawrence Bergman and Mrs. Cletus Dorr accompanied Paul Weber to Rochester Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Menke. Mr. Menke had undergone surgery there the week before. He came home on Saturday and is getting along fine.

Brian Erpelding, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Erpelding of Whittemore was discharged from the St. Ann's Hospital, Monday after being a patient a week with pneumonia. Mrs. Erpelding is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. O'Donnell of Lone Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller returned here Saturday from Rochester and on Sunday Mrs. Miller took her husband back to Rochester for further tests this week. She returned to Des Moines from Rochester. The Miller children are staying with their grandmother, Mrs. R. J. Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kemna are the parents of a daughter born Monday, Feb. 24 at the Holy Family Hospital, Estherville. Mrs. John Kemna is staying with her grandchildren while their mother is in the hospital. The Kemnas now have four girls and one boy. The little miss weighed eight pounds.

Mrs. Gene Nemmers and children of Spencer spent Saturday afternoon and evening at the Clarence Nemmers and Mrs. Helen Doocy homes. Gene attended a meeting at Fort Dodge on Saturday and came home that evening and on Sunday they went to Mason City to visit at the Bud Pierce home. Mrs. Pierce is the former DeEtta Nemmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Merrill, Bob and Angela of Humboldt spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Merrill, and family. Mrs. Merrill celebrated her 86th birthday that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Thill and family of Irvington were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Henry Zeimet home. Mrs. George Diers, Bill and Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Art Zeimet of St. Joe were also visitors on Sunday at the home of their parents.

When the Pete Rickenas, of Thompson, received their baby chicks from a hatchery last spring, they discovered that one of the chicks had three legs and a claw on its left wing. The chick was immediately adopted by Danny Smith and through his loving care it grew into a healthy bird despite its deformities. It now weighs six pounds.

Jean and Jane Morrissey, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Morrissey of Winterset will climax their 3-year career as members of the Scottish Highlanders bagpipe band at the State University of Iowa in Iowa City by accompanying the band on its projected tour of Europe this summer. The Highlanders are the largest bagpipe band in the world.

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ROY'S GRILL, Bancroft - Menu for Sunday Dinner, March 1 - Cream of Tomato Soup Fried Chicken Roast Beef with Brown Gravy Roast Loin of Pork and Apple Sauce Mashed Potatoes Creamed Peas Chopped Salad Hot Rolls. Coffee, Tea or Milk Orange Sherbet or Ice Cream \$1.15

AT HOODS Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Feb. 27-28-29 WILSON, CERTIFIED FULLY MORRELL PRIDE COOKED HAM 45c CHOPPED HAM 57c ALL BEEF 2 pounds MORRELL PRIDE 5 lb. can, each GROUND BEEF 89c CAN. PICNICS \$2.79 WILSON, CERTIFIED 4 lb. box BACON ENDS 59c SPRING FRIES

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Sea Pak Breaded SHRIMP 10 oz. pkg. 49c 1 lb. pkg. 89c Wagners GRAPE or ORANGE DRINK quart bottle 35c Gold Medal FLOUR 5 lb. bag 49c

Betty Crocker Assorted CAKE MIX 3 pkgs. \$1.00 Duncon Hines Blueberry MUFFIN MIX 13 1/4 oz. pkg. 39c Betty Crocker Angel Food CAKE MIX 15 oz. pkg. 39c Butter-Nut COFFEE 2 lb. can \$1.37 drip or reg.

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7 CANS CAMPBELLS TOMATO SOUP AND 1 LB. SODA CRACKERS 1.00 Super Valu 26 oz. pkg. SALT 10c Del Monte 2 cans PEAS 35c Charmin 12 rolls TOILET TISSUE 1.00 Super Valu 20 oz. jar GRAPE JAM 39c Assorted large pkgs. JELLO 2 for 35c 24" by 48" reg. \$2.19 each CANNON BATH TOWELS 1.79