

## News from Nearby Towns And Rural Communities



### Cordova News

Mrs. Roy Karr

So no "spooks" dare prow here now. A real comfort to look out and see it.

Mr. Den Adel sealed our soybeans and oats. He says more than 200 farmers have sealed in Lake Prairie Twp. He lives in Pella and has been a "sealer" for several years.

Clyde Karr helped Roy some with his corn. Roy is shucking Bill Graham's corn. Tony's corn is making 60 bu. Slim Rinehart's made about 40 bu. Dwight Harvey picked it. Tink Buttery picked his corn in Red Rock. Roy opened Gertrude's field. Gertrude has now finished. Doyle Kane's corn on the Raymond Crozier farm made about 50 bu.

Cecil Price cared for Debbie Karr while Cleo worked at the welfare center on Thursday.

Hazel Bricker is the janitor at the Otley school house. She also drives a school bus. When the two new rooms are completed she'll pick up the pupils from Fair Oaks district.

Joey Johnson and Harvey are now chopping soybean straw.

Red Rock school children went to Blaine school Monday to play ball.

Jessie Bruce and Daisy Williams went to see "Oklahoma" in Knoxville Wednesday evening. On last Friday evening the same two folks and Bertha Ruckman and Loretta Hanning attended the Republican rally in Knoxville.

Jerry Martinache played on the KHS football team when they played Pleasantville Monday evening.

Tuesday night Monroe's Junior High team played their last game of the season. The girls of eighth grade and their parents gave a party for the players.

Mrs. E. M. Tharp was moved to her own home in Monroe from the Lutheran Hospital in Des Moines where she had been a patient several weeks.

Clarence and Hazel Bricker went to visit Henry Aalbers Sunday p.m. He is in his own home. It seems as though he suffered a stroke because one part of his body is paralyzed.

Viola Karr spent two days in Oskaloosa where she went through a clinic. She has a virus infection in her muscles.

Charles Hodgson spent three days in Iowa City. He was put on a milk diet and then to bed up to a soft diet and then return in one week if his pain did not leave.

Bud Hoagland of Monroe, 15, was accidentally shot in the arm, hand and side in Coal Hollow near Otley last week Saturday.

Joy Stevenson spent a few days with her sister, Lizzie Reese. Now Mrs. Stevenson is back at her home in Knoxville and Cora Karr is caring for her. Aunt Cora has not been employed in the Hollingshead home for some time.

Dee Dismukes was taken to the hospital and put in an oxygen tent.

Joe Mulenberg fell from a 30 foot ladder and broke his pelvis and his heel. He is in the Newton hospital. His farm is a short distance south of Newton. Send your get well cards.

Hazel Bricker spent last Saturday in Des Moines with her daughter Jean and went shopping. Marjorie Van Hemert came Monday and stayed over night with her parents. Then Tuesday and Tuesday night she spent in Des Moines with Norma Jean.

Sunday afternoon Hazel and Clarence called at Pete Van Ryswyk's in Monroe to visit with Helen and her family. They then stopped here on way home. Clarence, I forgot to give you your sheep bells, so stop some time again.

Marvin Van Haften is employed in a Pella bakery. He goes to work at 4:00 a.m.

Herman De Heer was going to work on the Ralph Livingston farm to help build fence and a loading chute. Harold Sellers lives on the farm.

Bill Mulenberg and family are now in Florida. His wife's folks are living there.

Marse and Kate Van Hemert and Warren Van Sittert and family spent last Sunday in Danville with Purl and Marjorie Van Hemert.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Koopman on Tuesday morning at an Oskaloosa hospital. He has a five year old sister, Karla. In the afternoon, Grandma Faye went to see him. Sunday afternoon they visited with us. She brought us a bag of home made molasses cookies, the famous old recipe of Aunt Eunice.

Cordova has a new light that comes on by a time clock. It's located on the Vander Zyl office and shines over their big sign.

kaloosa, Mrs. M. M. De Reus, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van Heukelom were guests with a group of relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Van Hemert of Pella.

Carol Sedrel was an over-night guest Thursday evening at the home of her friend, Mary Rooda.

Tuesday evening of last week the pupils and their teacher, Mrs. Charles Klein of the Leighton school, held an exhibit of their school work and a short program for their parents. Coffee and cookies were served by the pupils following the program.

The Gospel Team of Central College had charge of the prayer meeting service Wednesday evening at the Ebenezer Reformed Church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. P. A. De Jong.

### Lynnville News (Vina Renaud)

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jay and Beth were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pettigill, Susan, Betty and Mark of Marshalltown, Mr. and Mrs. Max Jay, Donald and Jana of Newton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jay, Cheryl and Kevin.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hudson, Cathie and Finny, and Sandra Hudson visited their grandfather, Zara Hudson and wife at Omaha, Mo., Tuesday.

Miss Sharon Vannoy of Montezuma and Miss Dorothy Vande Krol attended a meeting at Central Gospel Chapel in Des Moines on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Gendere and Evalena and Mrs. Albert Terpstra, Terry and Craig were Sunday afternoon callers in the Harris Van Gendere home in Newton.

Mrs. Bessie Sparks spent a few days with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Speas at Bondurant. Mr. and Mrs. Speas brought Mrs. Sparks home and enroute home visited their father, Charles Speas at LeGrand.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Anna Monsma were Gordon Monsma of Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Monsma, Dennis, Ronald and Tommie of Altoona and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vande Krol, Keith, Judy and Jerry.

Mrs. John Rupp and two daughters, Mrs. Vina Renaud and Mrs. C. J. Trease, attended a mother-daughter banquet at the IOOF hall in Searsboro Friday evening.

Mrs. Helen Gause and Mrs. Mary Anderson of the Mary White Chapter of OES attended the 79th annual Grand Chapter of the OES held at KRNT Theatre in Des Moines Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Hapton Gause of Silvis, Ill., and David Gause of Iowa City visited in the H. A. Gause home Monday afternoon.

Family Night held at the Masonic Hall was given by the Eastern Stars. A pot-luck supper was held and a silent auction after the supper. About 35 attended.

Funeral services for G. A. Etting were held at 2:00 p.m. at the Friends Church. Rev. Carl D. Byrd had charge of the services. Burial was in Lynnville Woodland Cemetery. Pall bearers were nephews and cousins of Mr. Etting. Mr. Etting was the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meredith of Lynnville. He died Monday in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Leo Coffey, 85, who submitted to major surgery recently in Oskaloosa, was able to return to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vander Kamp were Sunday afternoon callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dykstra at Pella.

Mrs. Ray Ver Steeg, Mrs. Donna Terlouw, David and Dennis, Mrs. Glen Lewis, and Mrs. Vina Renaud were Thursday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lewis and new baby near Madrid.

Mrs. Rayford R. Ratcliff entertained the LTL at a wiener roast Wednesday after school at her home. Games were played after which the group enjoyed a treasure hunt for items of the wiener roast and bobbing for apples. At the close of the meeting hymns were sung and prayer was offered.

Mrs. Howard Macy, in company with Mrs. Jerry Westfall of Grinnell, attended the regional conference of the Sororist clubs held at Minneapolis, Minn. They drove to Des Moines and from there went by train.

Mrs. Ada Jones spent last week visiting relatives and friends at Richland. Her son Joseph came to her home Saturday and spent

the night with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ratcliff and children. On Sunday Miss Doris Jones and Joseph Jones spent the day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and sons.

Mrs. Roscoe Sparks was hostess Monday evening to the Woman's Club. Mrs. Harris Wagaman, president of the club, presided at the business meeting. The Kellogg Woman's Club were guests and had charge of the program. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Nellie Davis and Mrs. Carl Jay, who served a delicious lunch to the Kellogg guests and members of the Lynnville club. Miss Elsie Sparks and Mesdames Wallace Williams, Rayford Ratcliff, Charles Quire, Al Nelson, Ruth Ratcliff, Cecil Gertsma, Edward Renaud, L. G. Sylvester, Andrew Verwers, Earl Macy, Arnold Terpstra, Howard Macy, Lory Gause, Will Gray, Everett Willemssen, Glenn Brignon, Willard Sparks, Ralph Evans, L. E. Wagaman, and Vera Jay.

Mrs. Minnie Lincoln of Grinnell visited the past week with her sister, Mrs. Bertha Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Macy and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Macy make frequent trips to Oskaloosa to visit their mother, Mrs. Julia Macy, a patient at the Mahaska Hospital. Her condition is showing improvement.

Mrs. Cleo Brush of Lynnville is in the Community Hospital receiving treatment for injuries received in a pick up-car collision Thursday afternoon in the intersection just a short distance west of the school house. The collision involved the pick up driven by Mrs. Brush and a new Ford driven by Leonard Van Rees of Sully.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meredith and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Meredith were among those who attended a birthday courtesy for Jess Meredith of Searsboro at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ponder near Newton on Sunday. Other guests were members of the Meredith family. A cooperative dinner was served at noon. Mr. Meredith observed his 78th birthday October 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quire left by train for Athens, Ga., where they will visit two weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Woodworth and Ann. They expect to be gone two weeks.

Mrs. A. R. Meredith and Mrs. Marshall Meredith visited Mrs. Glenn Brignon of Searsboro in the Mahaska Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews and Mrs. Kinzer of Grinnell attended church services here Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Carl Byrd at Van's Cafe and spent the afternoon in the Byrd home.

The Missionary Society of the Friends Church met October 18 in the home of Mrs. L. G. Sylvester. Mrs. Harvey Gause led devotions, reading Job 28:12-28; Prov. 31:10-31 and 14:34 and presented comments relative to the subject, "Go up to the election booth as Christian citizens." She closed with prayer. Mrs. Harold Macy presided at the business meeting. Roll call was answered by a Bible verse on "Harvest." The group voted to send a contribution to the Penn College dormitory fund

and the African T.B. cottages. Also bought a new door for the parsonage. Mrs. Gause accompanied Mrs. Byrd as she sang, "Our Saviour Can Solve Every Problem." Mrs. Gertrude Davis gave a report on the Fred Reeve talk at Searsboro in September. Mrs. Gertrude Davis, Mrs. John Graham, and Mrs. Sylvester served an attractive tray lunch to those already mentioned and Mesdames Will Allee, Andrew Gertsma, Ernest Graham, Gertrude Meredith, Blanche Conover, Cal Trease, Marshall Meredith, Vernon Jay, A. T. Gifford, Miss Ada Stanley and Brian Willemssen.

Mrs. Wade Dillavou of Oskaloosa spent Sunday night and Monday with her mother, Mrs. Bertha Stanley. On Monday the two ladies with Mrs. Wilbur Stanley and Kevin Schultz visited Mrs. Stanley's sister, Mrs. Minnie Lincoln at Grinnell.



### Oskaloosa News

Miss Elizabeth Newenhouse

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van Weelden accompanied by Mrs. G. De Wolf spent the weekend at Grand Rapids, Mich., visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Van Wyk was a Sunday dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Van Wyk and Ronnie.

The local Christian school PTA was held Friday evening at the Bethel Christian Ref. Church.

Everett Engelhooven of Cedar had the misfortune recently of losing part of his thumb in the corn elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van Yeldhuizen were Friday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Engelhooven.

Seventeen neighbors, friends, and relatives picked 17 acres of corn Thursday morning for Tim Elsluo who is hospitalized at Iowa City and ten of the women helped

prepare and serve the noon meal for the men. Helping with the corn picking were Virgil Grandia, John Morgan, Paul Kisor, Clifford Cook, Frank Harper, Roy Edel, John Rosenboom, John C. Boeder, John Van Weelden, Bill Veldhuizen, Ed Veldhuizen, Gene Nunnikhoven, Harry De Groot, Richard Westercamp, Rolla Whitel, Kenneth Cline, and Tim Elsluo, Jr.

The Harrison Township Farm Bureau women met October 23 at the home of Mrs. Frank Randall. Conservation was the program with Mrs. Frank Jager in charge. Mrs. Wayne Garrett and Mrs. Wm. Keeran were in charge of entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. James Van Wyk were Thursday business callers in Ottumwa. They also visited at the parental J. G. Newenhouse home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Engelhoeven and Mr. and Mrs. Joe De Rooi were recent visitors at the Everett Engelhooven home.

The regular meeting of the Harrison Hustlers 4-H Club was held October 3 with Eves Cadwallader with 14 members, two leaders, and one visitor present. The president, DeVerne Osterfuss, presided at the business



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**RATING**

At Garner, the high school band has won a Division I rating for the 11th consecutive year, at the marching band contest held at Charles City.

# CLOSING OUT SALE

As I am leaving the farm I will sell at public auction  
1 mile southwest of Otley and 5 miles southeast of  
Monroe the following items, on

## Friday, Nov. 2, 1956

Sale commences at 1:00 o'clock.

### Machinery

1946 Ford-Ferguson tractor; 12 ft. Ford-Ferguson disc; 14" plow; cultivator and fertilizer attachment; 4-row weeder for Ford tractor; 3 section harrow; McCormick 6 ft. horse mower; 24 ft. 4 section harrow; Ford belt pulley (power take-off for Ford); John Deere planter with Ford attachments; 34 ft. elevator speed jack; 1 1/2 h.p. electric motor; 500 lb. platform scales; wagon and box; manure spreader; water tank, 10x3; tank heater; 6x3 water tank; hand corn sheller; 2 pump jacks; 1/4 h.p. motor; feed bunks, 16 ft.; 4 sheets galvanized roofing, 12 ft. long; some tools.

### Grain

1200 bushels of corn; 250 bushels of 1955 oats; 60 bales straw.

### Poultry

160 Hy-Line yearling hens laying 60%.

Some household goods.

Terms Cash

No goods to be removed until settled for.

Not responsible in case of accidents.

**DICK VAN ZOMEREN**

Wayne Van Wyk, Auct. Monroe State Bank, Clerk

# CLOSING OUT SALE

OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

3 miles south of Lynnville, known as the Henry E. Meppelink farm, on

## WEDNESDAY, NOV. 7, 1956

Starting Promptly at 10:30 a.m.

Lunch will be served by the Ladies' Aid of the Sully Reformed Church.

### FARM MACHINERY

1941 Model H Int. tractor, completely overhauled with aluminum pistons, sleeves and horsepower, A-1 condition, has heatexchanger and chains; Int. 236 cultivator; Int. 2-16 gang on rubber; Int. 2-row planter; 1951 Massey-Harris 7 ft. combine; 1950 New Holland No. 77 baler; good 30 ft. elevator with 3/4 h.p. motor; 7 ft. tandem disc; 4 section harrow; spreader; side rake; Sears rubber tired wagon with steel box; high wagon, complete; low wagon and rack; 2-wheel Ben Huir trailer; 1948 Kaiser 4-door sedan on good rubber.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Stock tanks; Pride of Farm feeder; hog waterers; air compressor; paint sprayer; grinder with motor; weed mower; taps and dies; pump jack and motor; Int. 3-S cream separator; electric brooder; fencer; chain forks; greaserator; grease guns; vise; electric tank heater; hog and barb wire; posts; 4 tarps; bale twine; 300 gal. gas barrel and stand; several jacks; log chains; feed bunk; some gates; lumber; roofing; electric wiring; water heater; lots of tools; impossible to mention all.

### BUILDINGS

Granary; crib; feed house; 3 hog houses; shop building; all are on portable skids.

### HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Nice medium size Howard piano; Siegler oil burner; 3 dressers; rockers; dining chairs; kitchen table and chairs; wardrobe; bed, complete; 3/4 bed, complete; other pieces.

### GRAIN AND HAY

1200 bu. corn, more or less; about 600 bu. Cherokee oats; several hundred bales of clover and alfalfa hay; several hundred bales straw.

Terms on personal property are cash. No property removed until settled for.

Auctioneers' note: Come early as sale must start at 10:30.

**MRS. GRACE H. MEPPELINK, Owner**  
Kellogg Savings Bank of Sully, Clerk

# AUCTION

**OF 78 ACRES IMPROVED**

Selling at 2 p.m.

Legal description: The North Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 25, Township 78 North, Range 17 West of the Fifth P. M., containing 78 acres, more or less, railway right of way excepted, in Jasper County, Iowa. Improvements: Extra good 8 room house in excellent condition, has full basement, modern kitchen, hardwood floors throughout, hot and cold water, good furnace and stoker; just a good livable home. Has ample outbuildings: barn, double crib, cattle shed, machine shed, garage. Well and cistern near house. 240 rods of web fencing.

Land: Tama and Grundy soil in high state of cultivation as present crops will show. Land lays near level, practically all tillable; and known as one of the good producing farms in this area. In excellent community near good schools and churches.

Will sell to the highest bidder without reserve.

Terms: 15% of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale, the balance of the purchase price will be due and payable on March 1, 1957, at which time possession will be given, together with deed and abstract of title. Possession will be given at anytime upon satisfactory settlement.

Buildings and land may be inspected any time.

The house will be shown November 5, 6 and 7.

**GRETIA ELLEN RYKHOEK, Agent for Owners**  
**VAN ZANTE, KLYN and VAN ZANTE, Attorneys**  
Earl and Bill Shields, Auctioneers