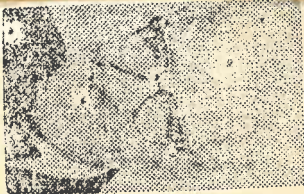


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(November 5, 1931)
The American Legion post is sponsoring a Ritzville-Sprague high school Armistice day football game.

This project has been quite expensive in that I have taken the Journal-Times (2 copies,) for many years for information. Also subscribed for the Harvester and purchased 5 or 6 copies each year of the Annual, the Kernel. While visiting the banquet each year hundreds of pictures were taken and I hope placed in the proper place. To do this it took every minute of my spare time of work but I didn't mind any of these things as I enjoyed it so much and I have always been under the impression that it was worth while. That I shall never know for sure. It is my hope that the library will come to rest in the addition that Vic promoted onto the high school building and there they will repose and be available to future generations. If anyone thinks it is necessary to continue the records say on to the year 2000 or more maybe some individual who in his or her dotage has a weakness for cutting out paper doilies, saving clippings from the papers, and pasting in pretty picture books will carry on. There must be someone in the around \$500 of us who were fortunate enough to have had the opportunity to attend and gather the fruits of knowledge and experience in Ritzville High School, the finest, the best, the most excellent school on earth.

Dr. E. Gilson

Love to you all
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ALMA ADDLER

Mrs. Del. Jofstead

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SIGNATURE	Alma Addler
BIRTH DAY	May 27, 1913
BIRTH PLACE	Ritzville, Mont.
FATHER	George
MOTHER	Jenna
	Sis Helen Weppesander - Mrs. Henry
	Thelma Becker
	Mrs. William Coffins
	Doris Ritzville

1929 - Mrs. August Weppesander - Ritzville

1933 - Mrs. Henry Weppesander - Ritzville

1935 - Mrs. William Coffins - Ritzville

1938 - Mrs. Del. Jofstead - Ritzville





Alice Arlt

Mrs. Edward R. Vostrol

Life member

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Ralston
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	William A.
MOTHER	
	Sis. Dora 1926
	Sis. Harry 1930
	Sis. Ruth 1936
	Da. Elaine - Postcard Victorian 1961
	Ben Jony 66



Thank 11/17/66

EVENT NOTED. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vostrol, shown standing near a money tree at the Hotel Danekas Saturday evening, were honored by a group of friends on their 25th wedding anniversary. —Journal-Times photo.

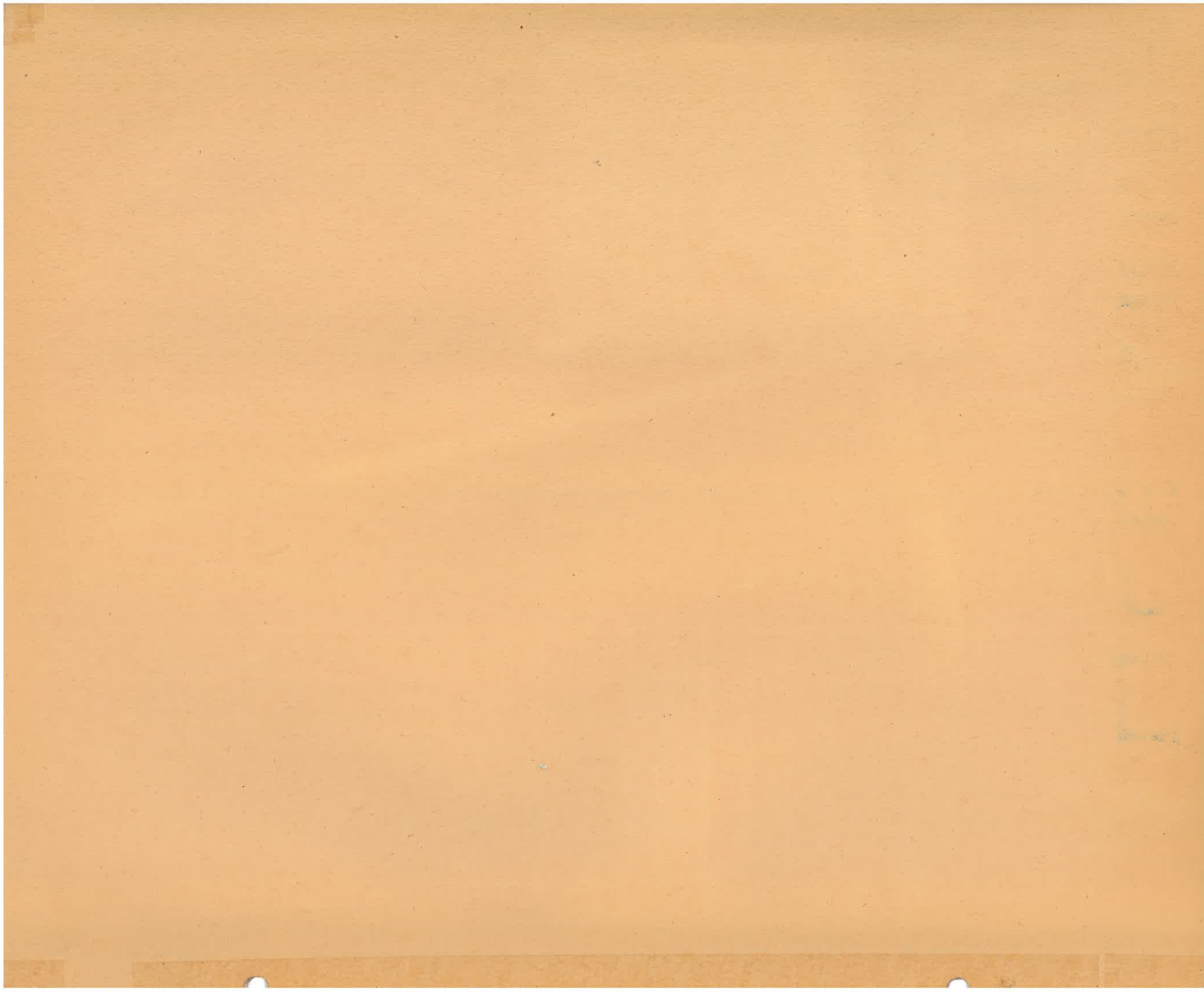
Alice Vostrol

Rosary service for Alice Vostrol, 87, will be at 7:30 p.m. today at Danekas Funeral Home Chapel, Ritzville. Funeral Mass will be said at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Agnes Catholic Church, where she was a member, followed by burial at Ritzville Memorial Cemetery. She died Saturday in Ritzville.

She was born in Packard, Wash., near Ritzville, where she attended school, graduating from Ritzville High School in 1931. In 1935 she married Edward R. Vostrol, who died in 1976, and they made their home on the Ferrier Place near Crab Creek for five years before moving to Ralston, Wash., where they farmed until retirement in 1972. While in Ralston, she worked at the Ralston Store and served as unofficial postmaster. Upon retirement, they moved to Ritzville. Mrs. Vostrol was a member of the Ralston Grange and the Wheatgrowers Association.

She is survived by two daughters, Helen Pitman, Spokane, and Elaine Fracchia, Auburn, Calif.; one son, Anthony Vostrol, Ritzville; two brothers, Harry Arlt, Spokane, and Lawrence Arlt, Ritzville; one sister, Ruth Heimigener, Ephrata, Wash.; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Wishing Star Foundation.



IRENE BARNES

Snyder

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Mrs Donald (Denny) Lawhead

SIGNATURE	Kodiak, Alaska
BIRTH DAY	
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Arthur Earl Barnes
MOTHER	Do ^{Party mo-1918} Robert ^{Died- 21.1.68-41.8} Newber ¹⁹³⁷

Funeral Rite of Art Barnes Held Monday

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Danekas Funeral home for Arthur Earl Barnes. ⁷⁻¹¹⁻⁶⁸ 17242 31

He died unexpectedly February 1 at the Ritzville Memorial hospital, having come to Ritzville from his home at Bengé that morning. Mr. Barnes had been a cattle and wheat farmer for 55 years in the Bengé community.

He was born in Missouri July 9, 1885, and was 82 years of age.

He is survived by his wife Bertha; a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Irene) Lawhead of Kodiak, Alaska; and a son, Robert Barnes of Vancouver, Wash.

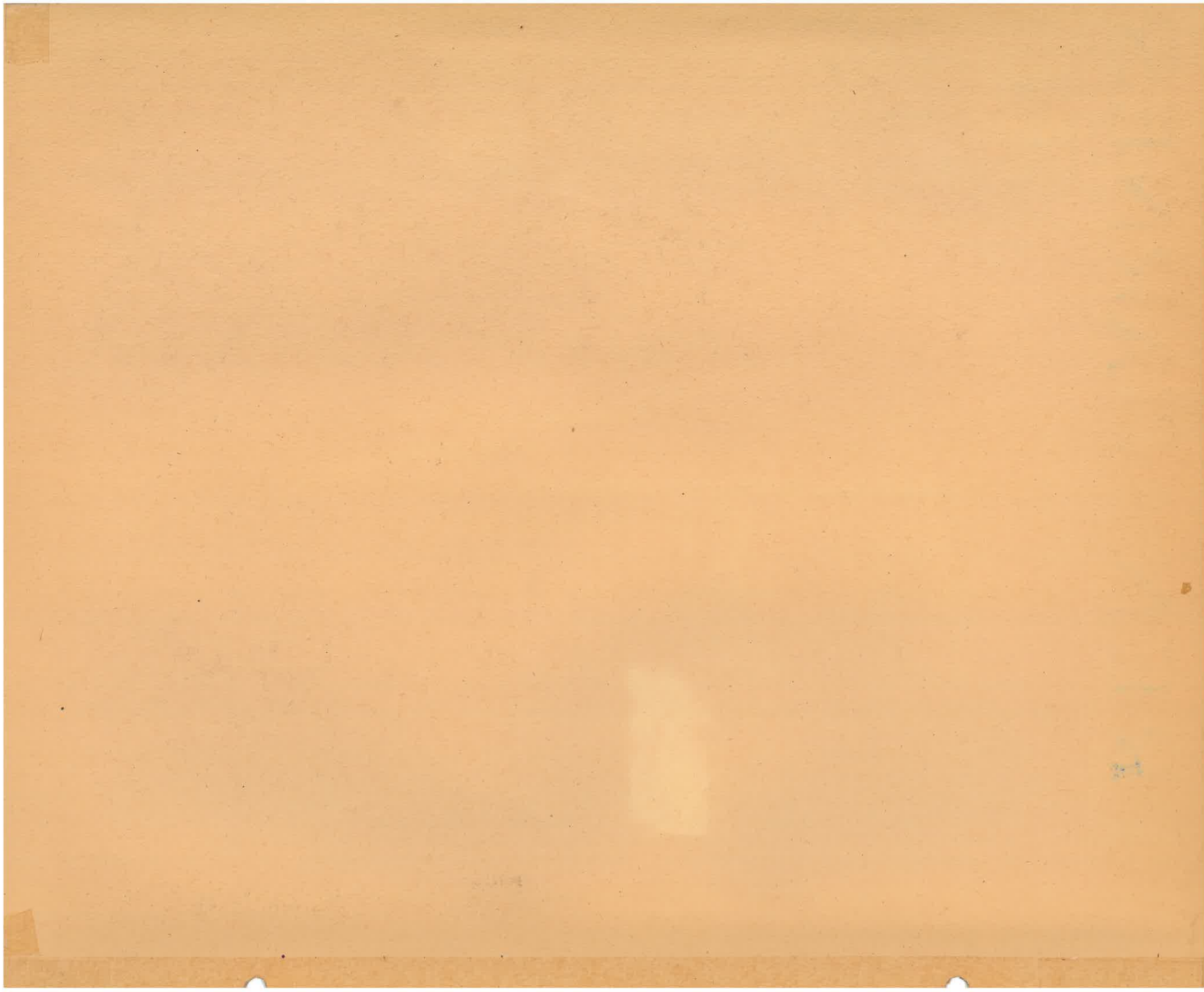
A sister, Mrs. Clarence Florence of Warrensburg, Mo., also survives as do seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Barnes was a member of the Washington Association of Wheat Growers and Marcellus Grange.

The Rev. Roger Johnson of Lind conducted the funeral. Gordon Swyter sang "In the Garden" and "The Old Rugged Cross." Mrs. Orville Moeller was organ accompanist. Burial was in Ritzville Memorial

cemetery. Pallbearers were Pete Caldwell, Charles Saunders, Roy Eyanson, Gene Marsh, Calvin Miller and Dr. Bill Brock. Honorary pallbearers were George Calloway, Allen Scott, James Clinesmith, Charles Clinesmith and Walter Al-
lert.

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CLARENCE BAUER

Nance

Married - Geraldine Pence - 1933

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Ritzville, Pa.
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Penray
MOTHER	
	Bro. Edward - 11
	J. P. Baker (Penray)
	1933
	Do - Connie
	1956
	Son - Mike
	1965



ATTEND SALAD BAR.

Attending the Episcopal C. American Legion hall Friday. Alfred Carter, Mrs. Nance Bauer, Mrs. J. D. Watt, Sr., and Mrs. Walt from Weiland, Ontario, was visiting relatives in Ritzville. Approxin during the afternoon. Many stayed to play bridge or pinocle. O used to decorate the hall in a spring motif can be seen in the back

Among those from Ritzville spending last weekend in Pullman for Mother's Day weekend were Mrs. Milton Schwisow, Mrs. John Harder, Mrs. Walter Schoessler, Mrs. Es. Shelman, Mrs. Jack Richmond, Mrs. L. C. Nauditt, Mrs. Rudy Rogel, Mrs. Clarence Bauer and Mrs. G. E. Benz.

Henry Boos Rites Held Wednesday at Danekas Chapel

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the Danekas Funeral Home chapel for Henry Boos who died at the age of 62 at his home in Ritzville March 8. He was born July 21, 1906, in Fresno, California. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Mary Griffith of Washuena, and two brothers, Fred Boos of Fresno, Calif., and Mike Boos of Ft. Morgan, Colo.

Boos was a veteran of World War II, a member of Emmanuel Lutheran church and of C. J. Newland Post 51 of the American Legion. The Rev. Floyd Yokers officiated at the service. Music was provided by Merrill Womach with "In the Garden" and "Beyond the Sunset." Pallbearers were Art Thiel, Bill Werthemberger, Clarence Bauer, Jake Thaut, Alex Werner and Jake Hilzer.

Burial was made in the Lutheran cemetery. The American Legion provided a color guard.

New IOOF Hall Scene of Party Saturday Eve

A hard-time party for Rebekahs and Odd Fellows Saturday evening was the first event to be held in the newly remodeled IOOF hall. The hard-time theme was evident in the attire of members who were dressed in old clothing. Prizes for the poorest, or best, costumes were won by Mrs. W. W. Miller and Victor Wellandt.

Bridge and pinocle were played during the evening and prizes of food items, in keeping with the theme, were awarded the winners. Lee Burroughs and John Rowe received high scores in bridge. Pinocle winners were Mrs. Carl Heinemann and Alva Lightbody, high, and Mrs. Harold Kirkendall and Ralph Kissler, low.

In charge of the card games were Mrs. Victor Wellandt and Mrs. Clarence Bauer.

The sandwiches and pies which remained after refreshments were served were auctioned to members by Wellandt as auctioneer. Mrs. Elmer Schaler, Mrs. William Miller and Mrs. Ruby Benedict were in charge of refreshments.

Reciprocity Day Is Held by PEO Ladies

PEO members from Cheney, Harrington and Davenport were entertained here Saturday by the local PEO chapter.

A special guest was Mrs. Marjory Smith of Spokane, recording secretary of the national chapter. Other guests came from Spokane and Newport.

The occasion was the annual meeting of the eastern Washington reciprocity association, of which the four chapters are members. A luncheon and program at the Circle T Inn was preceded by a coffee hour at the home of Mrs. John Ott.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, president of chapter AR, welcomed guests. Mrs. E. F. Dummeler of Cheney presided at the business meeting. Officers elected for the coming year were president, Mrs. Rex Phillips; vice president, Mrs. V. B. Baumgarner of Davenport; secretary, Mrs. Chester Timm of Harrington, and treasurer, Mrs. Russell Mcopingarner of Cheney.

A feature of the program was an illustrated talk about new trends in hair styles by Mrs. Linda Kadlec. Mrs. David Powers presented two flute solos, accompanied on the organ by Mrs. F. R. West.

In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Clarence Bauer, Mrs. Otto Amen and Mrs. Bruce Wilsey.

Nance Bauer RTC President

Clarence (Nance) Bauer was re-elected president of Ritzville Trading company at an annual stockholders meeting Tuesday. Vice president is Roy Koch and Otis Brende was re-named manager and secretary-treasurer.

Other directors include Mrs. V. R. D. Kirkham of Spokane, Roy Oestreich and Kermit Wellandt.

Local PEO Group Plans to Attend State Convention

Several members of Chapter AR, PEO, will leave Sunday for Seattle to attend the biennial convention of Supreme chapter of the PEO sisterhood to be held there Monday through Thursday morning.

Washington state chapter is hostess for the national committee. Mrs. Otto Amen will serve as page during business sessions in the Opera house at Seattle center. Convention headquarters will be in the Olympic hotel.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath and Mrs. Clarence Bauer will be among the hostesses at the Wednesday evening BIL banquet in exhibition hall of Seattle center when husbands of members are guests. Also planning to attend are Mrs. John Ott and Mrs. William Rosen.

RTC Re-Names Bauer President

Ritzville Trading company re-elected Clarence (Nance) Bauer its president at an annual meeting of directors Tuesday.

Roy Koch was named vice president. Emil Wellandt, the retiring vice president, remains as a director. The board re-hired manager Otis Brende who also serves as secretary-treasurer. Other directors are William Oestreich and Mrs. V. R. D. Kirkham of Spokane.

Friday Night Club Meets in Rogel Home

Mrs. Clarence Bauer took night score prize when the Friday-Night bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Rudy Rogel Friday evening.

Others winning were Mrs. William Miller and Mrs. Martha Moon. Mrs. Ben Schader won the draw prize. Opal Thompson was a guest.

Mrs. William Pence Funeral Services

Will Be Tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. Nancy Mae Pence, 75, will be held Friday at 11 a.m. from the Danekas Funeral Chapel. Rev. Alfred Carter will officiate at the services.

Interment will be held at the Ritzville Memorial cemetery. Pallbearers will include Maynard Galbreath, John Rowe, Ed Luiten, Aaron Thiel, Walters Miller and Rudy Rogel.

Mrs. Pence died Monday at the Tudor Arms nursing home in Spokane. She had been staying there nearly three years.

She was born July 5, 1884, in Elisberry, Mo. Her husband, William, preceded her in death in 1955. He was a long-time employee of the Northern Pacific railway.

Mrs. Pence was a member of Trinity Methodist church and the Rebekah lodge.

PEO Ladies Attend Christmas Party

Members of Chapter AR, PEO, gathered at the home of Mrs. Maynard Galbreath last Thursday evening for their annual Christmas party.

A program prepared by Mrs. Clarence Bauer included readings by several ladies, flute solos by Mrs. David Powers and carol singing by the group.

Mrs. Charles Schwein, a member now living in Walla Walla, was among those present. Assisting hostess for the evening was Mrs. John Ott.

Trading Company Re-elects Officers

Emil Wellandt was re-elected president of the Ritzville Trading company at the recent meeting of the stockholders.

Re-elected vice president was Clarence (Nance) Bauer and H. N. (Pat) Grewell was re-named secretary-treasurer.

The board of directors also is composed of William Oestreich, R. E. (Skinny) Edwards and Mrs. Ruby Kirkham.

Address of welcome President Clarence Bauer

Clarence Bauer	OFFICERS:	President
Richard Kembel		Vice President
Victor Rogel		Secretary
Ralph Danekas		Treasurer
Edward Rogel		Toastmaster

COMMITTEES:	
Banquet	Entertainment
Dora Schroeder	Ed Cross
Dorothy Maier	Irma Ruth Allert
Shirley Klein	Bob Danekas
Orlinda Luiten	Virgil Meyer
Byangeline Moeller	

Decorations	Table and Chair
Alice Vostrel	Harley Bauer
Mary Shelman	John Miller
Earl Luiten	Willard Hemmings

Nominating	Dance
August Wellandt	Maynard Galbreath
Walt Meyer	Dick Skinner
Donald Danekas	Harland Bauer

DINNER MENU:

ROAST BEEF
POTATO PUFF
PEAS AND CARROTS - COLE SLAW
RELISHES - ROLLS - BUTTER - JELLY
CHERRY PIE - COFFEE - TEA - MILK

(Dinner prepared by ladies of Marcellus Grange.)

Business Meeting
Dance-- Kermit Hosch' Orchestra

Jury awards \$76,000 in Bauer land suit

Clarence Bauer, et al, were awarded \$76,000 as just compensation for the land which the State of Washington condemned for use by Interstate 90.

An Adams County jury returned the verdict some three and a half hours following the end of a five-day Superior Court trial here which was presided over by Judge Gordon Swyler.

Members of the jury included Mrs. Robert H. Borgens, Ritzville; Dennis E. Swinger, Lindi; Sherryl Evans, Ritzville; Harley G. Adams, Othello; Harry H. Labes, Albert Kramer, Albert D. Kulm, Gloria J. Sager and Albert Pfugrath, all Ritzville.

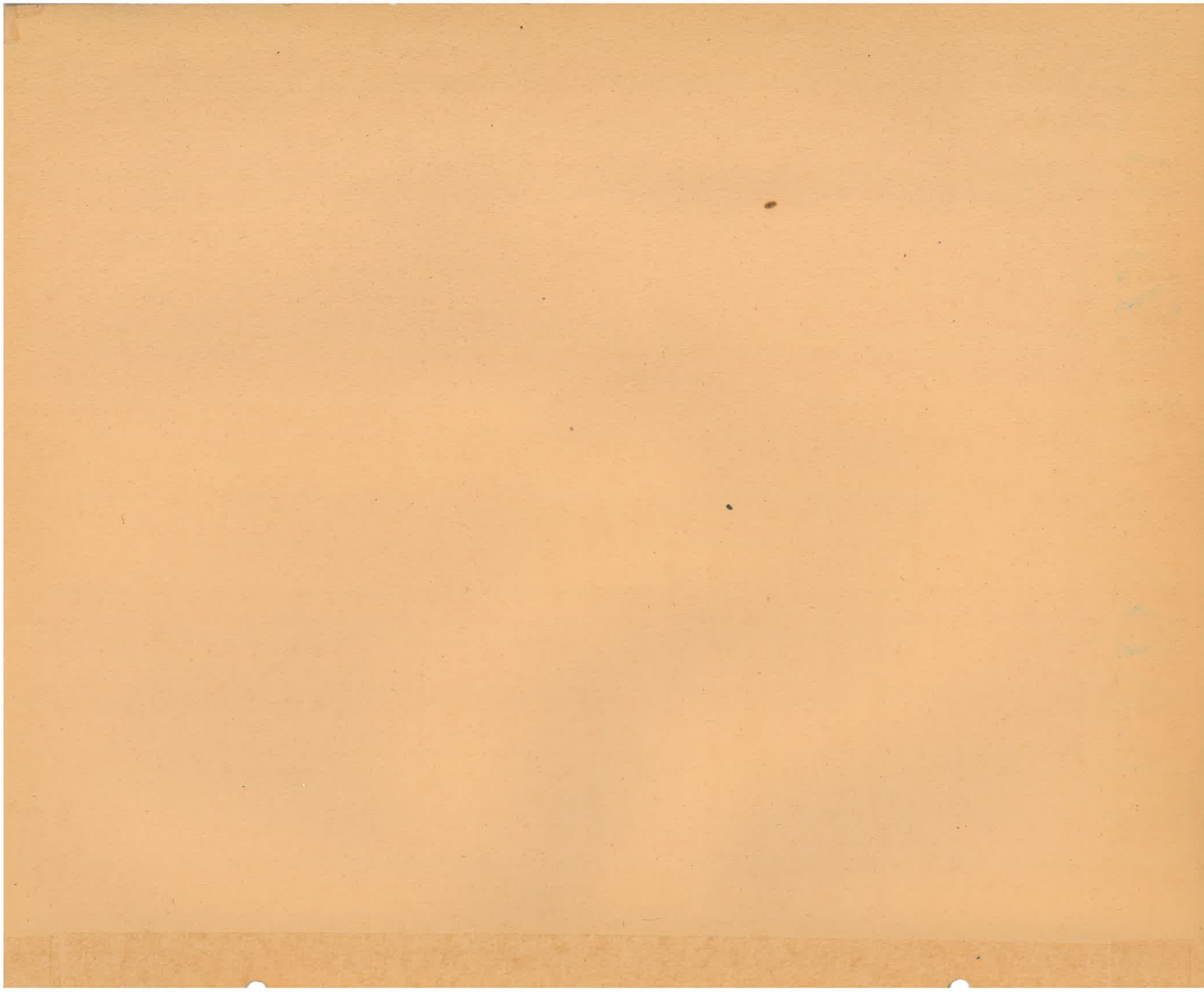
and Martin Sackmann, Lind. Miller & Sackmann represented the Bauers and the State was represented by assistant attorney generals Joseph B. Loomam and David Boyd.

GILADYS BAZILLE

Mrs. Frank Moor

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	2223-2328
BIRTH PLACE	Or., Forest Grove, Ore.
FATHER	John
MOTHER	Miss
	1930



JOEL BRAUN

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SIGNATURE		
BIRTH DAY	1409-20 12 th Pt - Tacoma ✓	
BIRTH PLACE		
FATHER	H. P. Braun	
MOTHER		
	Bro- Elmer (Ri Clear Lake Wash - 1954)	1933
	Bro- Faron (Ritzville)	1934
	✓ Howard (Ritzville)	1935
	Sis- Laura (imp Dick Miller) (only spent - no)	1939

Services Friday for Joel Braun

Services will be held Friday, Feb.

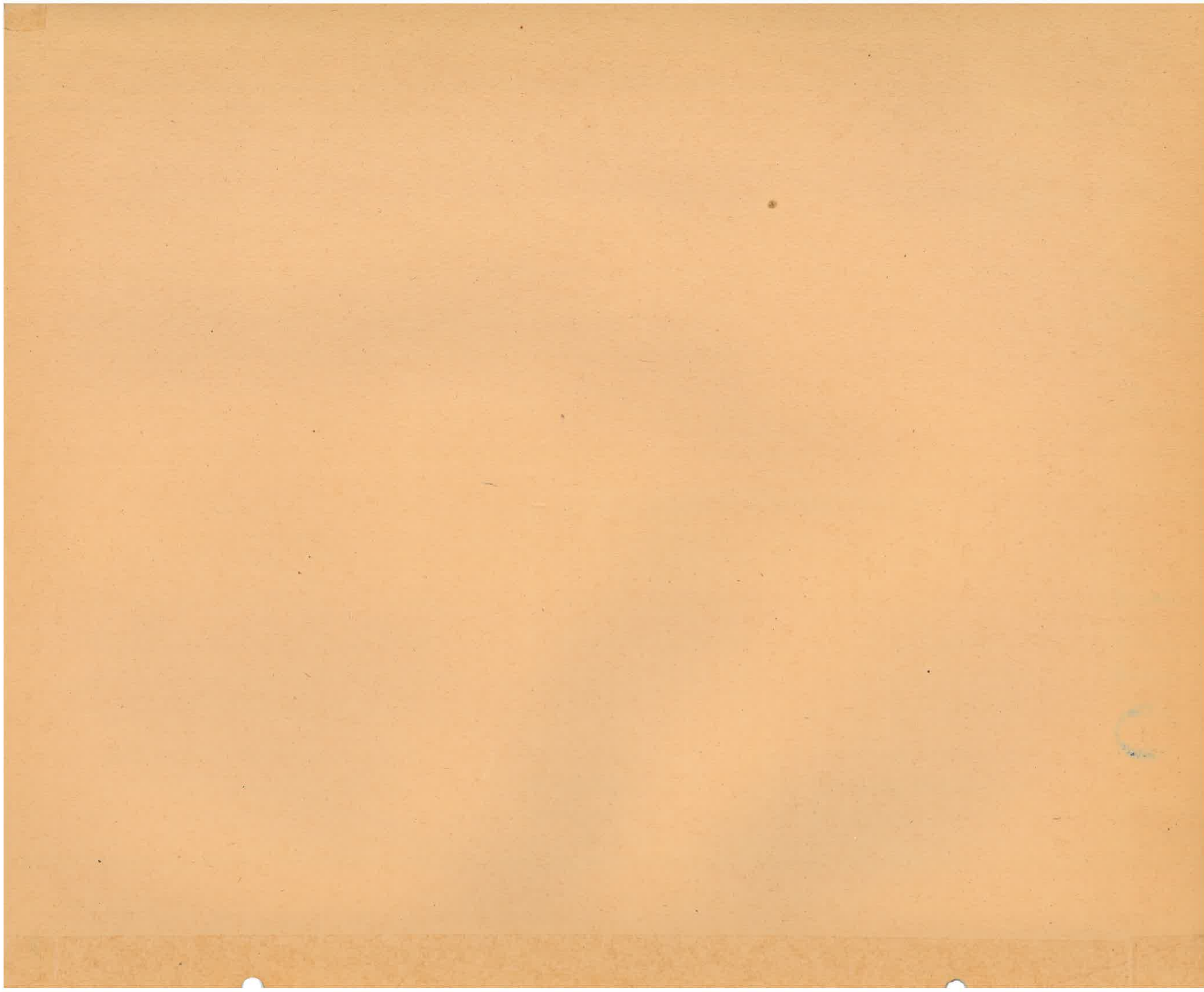
10, at 1 p.m. for Joel Braun, who died in Tacoma on Jan. 6, 1939. Mr. Braun was born Nov. 2, 1911, in Ritzville to Henry P. Braun and Katherine Schoessler. He graduated from Ritzville High School in 1931.

He moved to Tacoma after finishing high school and worked as a welder. He was a member of the Tacoma Teamsters Union.

Surviving are three sisters, Esther Mustola of Ritzville, Dorothy Braun of Seattle, and Laura Miller of Moses Lake; three brothers, Elmer Braun and Howard Braun, both of Deer Park, and Aaron Braun of Ritzville, numerous nieces and nephews.

Rev. Russell Clark will officiate at the services to be held at the Danekas Funeral Home Chapel. Sacred selections will include "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "The Old Rugged Cross" by Merrill Womach.

Interment will be at Ritzville Memorial Cemetery.

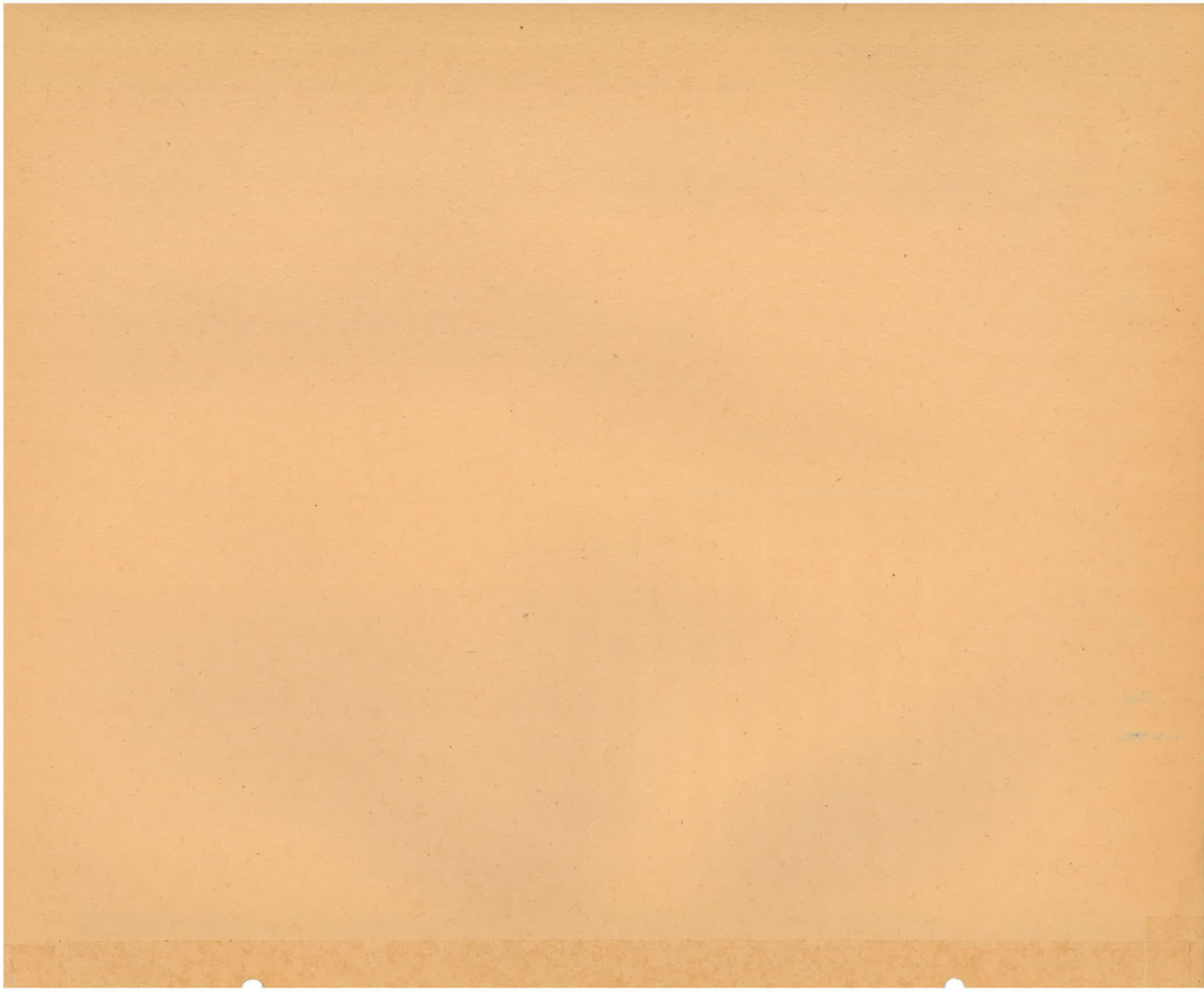


EDNA BROWN

Miss Philipp Thompson

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Feb 21 21 - 1st Ave - Spokane
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Jacob
MOTHER	Sis Helen { Mrs. Frank Hinton - 15th - Bellevue } Shelton, Wash. 1928

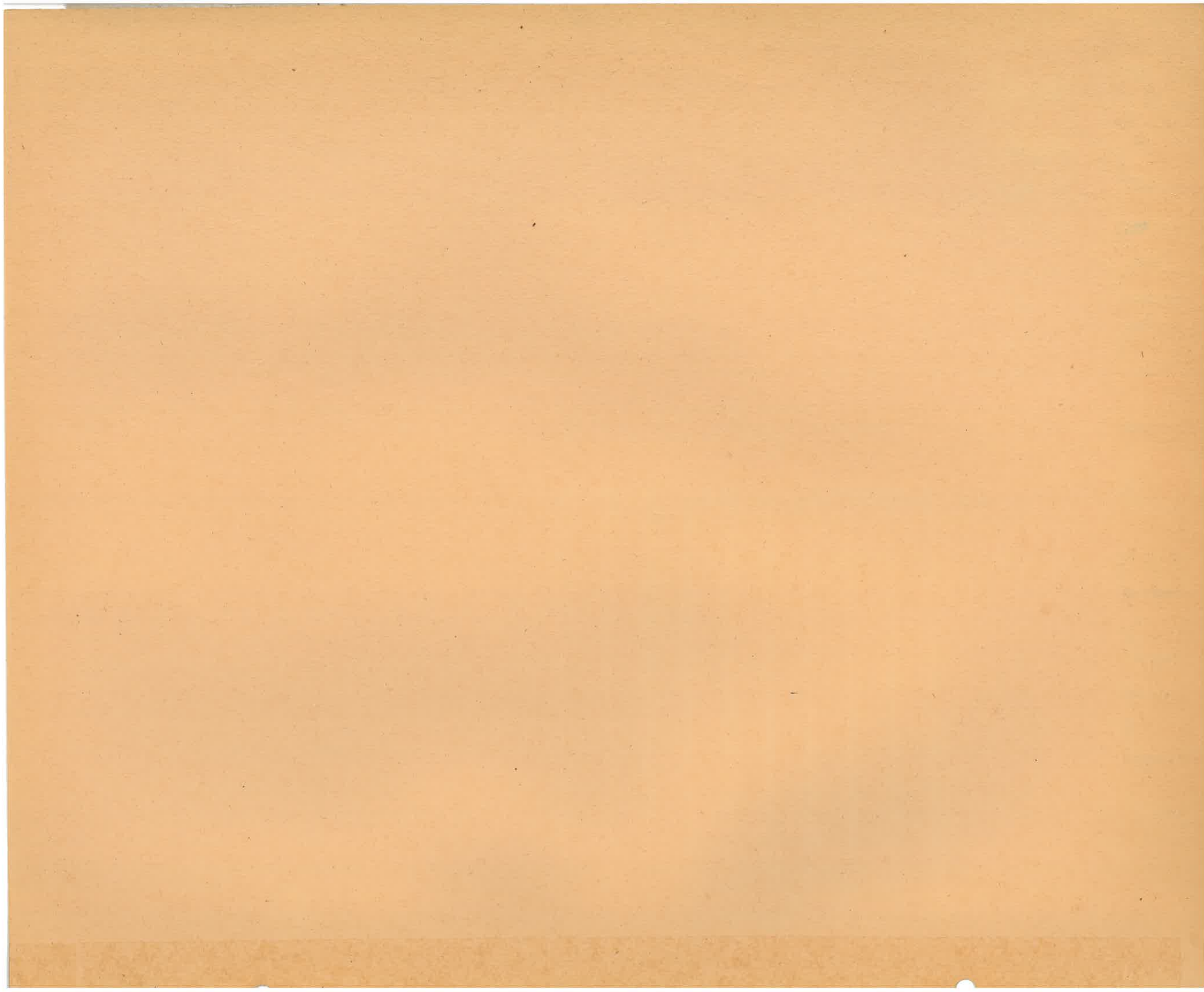


Alice Clodius

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No information

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BIRTH DAY	
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	W. P. P. I. a m ✓
MOTHER	Bro - Howard L. A. Calif. 54 1929 W. L. W. 78 24

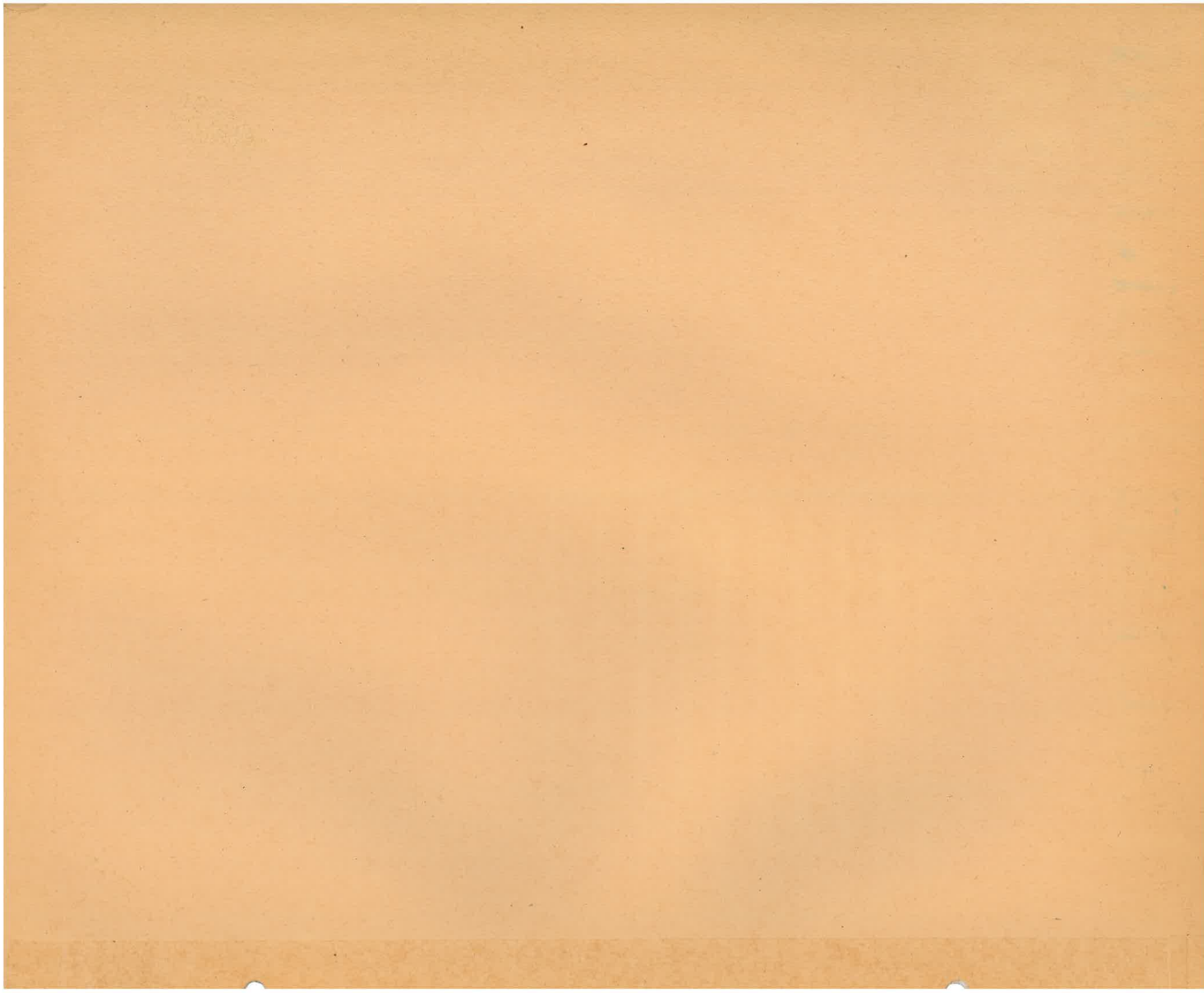


LOUISE DEKING

Mrs. Dan Haighit

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SIGNATURE
1717 W. Haighit - Pasco
BIRTH DAY
BIRTH PLACE
FATHER Ernest
MOTHER Bro. Theodore (Deceased) 1931
515 - Office 1937



THEODORE DEKING

Deceased

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Ernest
MOTHER	Sis - Louise Knight
	1931
	1937

Deceased



CARLTON DILLING

HAW 31

SIGNATURE	Kif sap
BIRTH DAY	
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	S. R.
MOTHER	



RAYMOND EMERSON

Deceased

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Walter D. Emerson
MOTHER	Hattie Lewis Emerson OS <small>(MARRIED - Prince The High RHS 1934) Lind Ann</small>
	Bro - Lewis <small>6311 Bancroft Burn</small>
	✓ Lloyd (Bethesda Md. 20034) 1941

Recessed

He must have been such a man because he was
The Son of Whom our Father's Emulsion-105
One Solitary Life

Here is a man who was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in another obscure village. He worked in a carpenter shop until He was thirty, and then for three years He was an itinerant preacher. He never wrote a book. He never held an office.

He never owned a home. He never set foot inside a big city. He never traveled two hundred miles from the place where He was born. He had no credentials but Himself.

While still a young man, the tide of popular opinion turned against Him. His friends ran away. One of them denied Him. He was turned over to His enemies. He went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed upon a cross between two thieves.

His executioners gambled for the only piece of property He had, on earth while He was dying - and that was His coat. When He was dead He was taken down and laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend.

Nineteen wide centuries have come and gone and today He is the centerpiece of the human race and the leader of progress. I am far within the mark when I say that all the armies that ever marched, and all the navies that ever were built, and all the parliaments that ever sat, and all the kings that ever reigned, put together have not affected the life of man upon this earth as powerfully as that One Solitary Life.

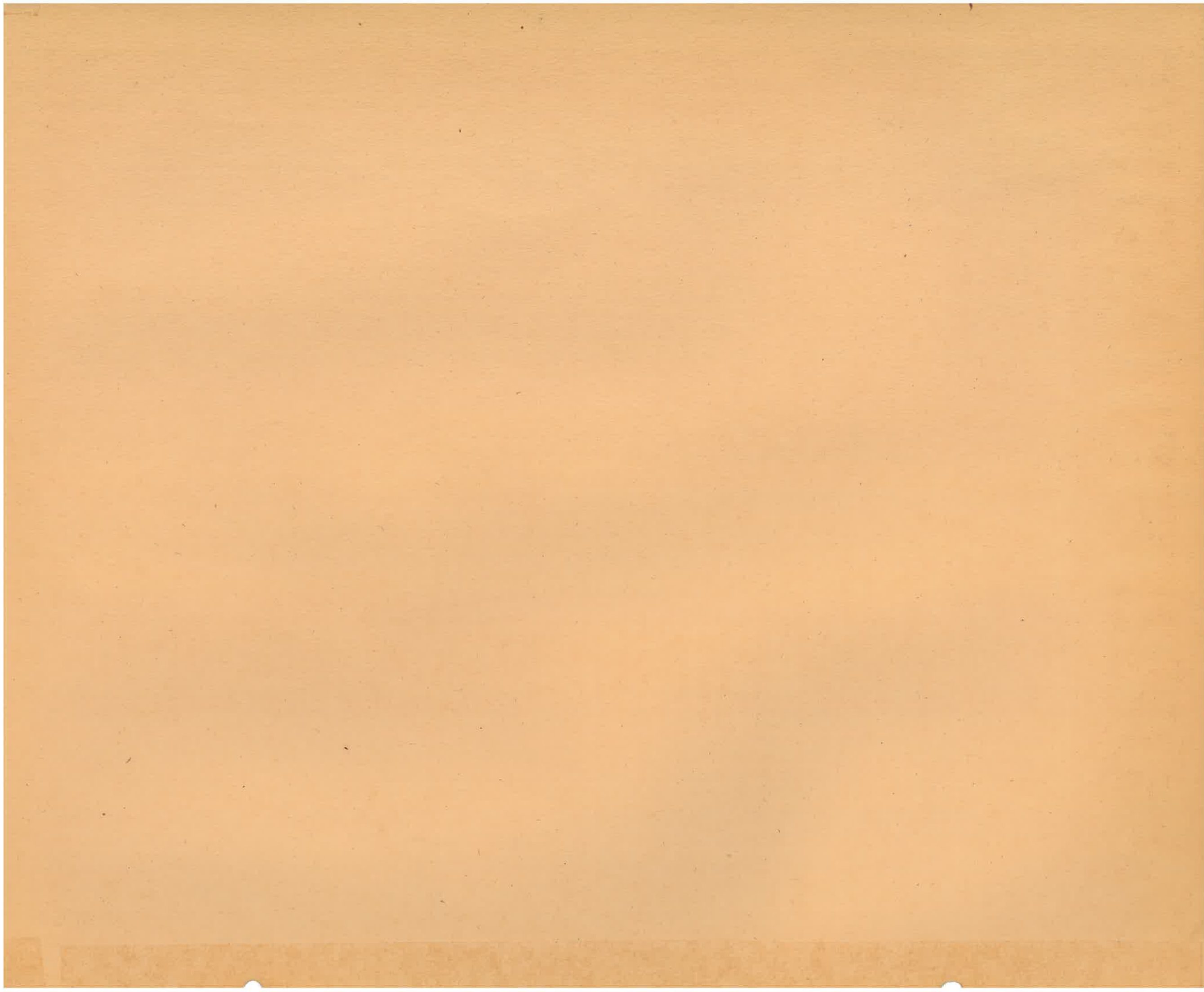
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ANNA FRIESE

Mrs Dan - Mann (maim) wife member

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SIGNATURE
BIRTH DAY
BIRTH PLACE
FATHER Ed Friese
MOTHER Sis Evelyn (Morr) Bro - Herbert
1920
1936



FORREST HAIGHT

Life Member Deceased
Book in 1932 Book under OMAR for stories & pictures.

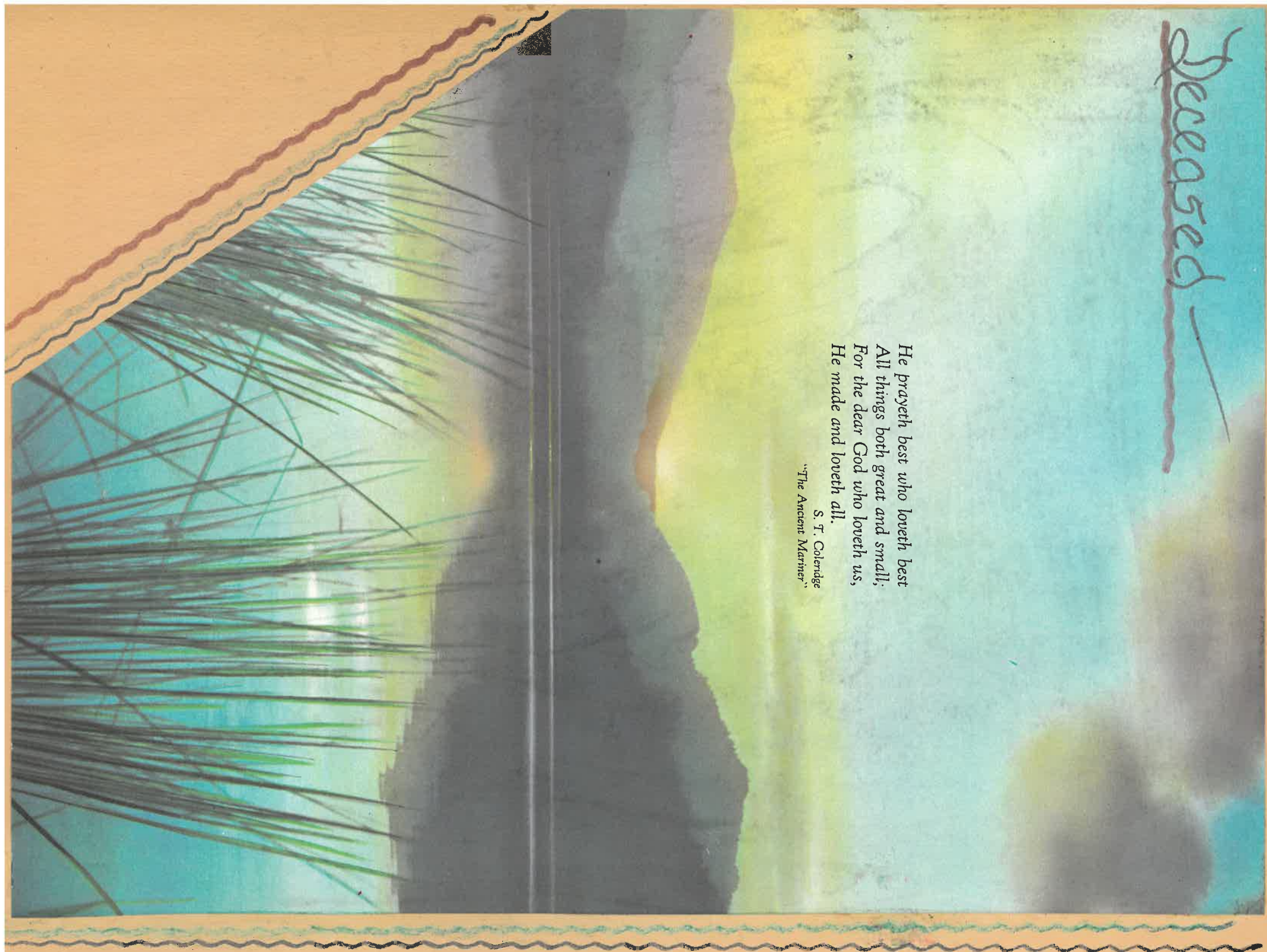
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SIGNATURE
BIRTH DAY
BIRTH PLACE
FATHER <u>Misses Haight</u>
MOTHER <u>Bro Omar Deceased 1932</u>

Deceased

He prayeth best who loveth best
All things both great and small;
For the dear God who loveth us,
He made and loveth all.

S. T. Coleridge
"The Ancient Mariner"



DR HAROLD HEINEMANN

EMANN

13340-3 R. N.E. Seattle, Wash

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SIGNATURE

13340-3 R. N.E. Seattle-55

BIRTH DAY

BIRTH PLACE

FATHER Henry

MOTHER

Bro-Milton Seattle 1933

Richard - (Rosalia) 1935

Robert Seattle 1942

Sis - June - Seattle Air Base - Wash. 1946



9/17/58

HEINEMANN FAMILY REUNITED.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heinemann of Ritzville are shown in the center of this photograph taken of the entire Heinemann family at a reunion held at Christmas time in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Heinemann in Seattle. From left, front row, were Michael O'Neal, Jeff Heinemann, Julia Heinemann, Eric Heinemann, Marsha Heinemann, Paul Heinemann, Bruce Heinemann, Nancy O'Neal; Second row, Susan Heinemann, Charles Heinemann, Kathy Heinemann, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heinemann, Marily Heinemann, Byron Heinemann, Gretchen Heinemann, Janet Heinemann; back row, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heinemann of Rosalia, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heinemann, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heinemann, Mark Heinemann, Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal and son Pat and Dr. and Mrs. Harold Heinemann. All were from Seattle except the Ritzville and Rohalia people.

Schaefer Rites to Be Today from Trinity

The Rev. Joseph Castle will conduct funeral services today (Thursday) at 1:30 from Trinity United Methodist church for Edwin Schaefer who died at Ritzville Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon.

The deceased was born in rural Adams County November 3, 1901. He is survived by his wife, Elmira, at the home and one son, Robert Schaefer of Ritzville. A granddaughter, Vickie Marie Schaefer, also survives. ^{Dr. Harold's 31} Mr. Schaefer leaves two sisters, Mrs. Henry Heinemann of Ritzville and Mrs. Katherine Pinnow of Ritzville, and a brother, Conrad Schaefer of Post Falls, Idaho.

The deceased was a member of Trinity United Methodist church, F&AM Central Lodge No. 202 of Washuena, El Karif Shrine of Spokane, Sage Shrine Club of Adams and Lincoln Counties, Emerald Chapter 180 Order of the Eastern Star at Lacrose, Rimrock Grange 141 of Washuena, the Adams County Cattlemen and the Washington Association of Wheat Growers.

Pallbearers are to be Richard Heinemann, Harry Schaefer, Everett Schaefer, Wayne Anderson, Donald Schwisow and Delano Bauer. Honorary bearers are to be Carl Heinemann, Jake Hoefel, Gottlieb Kiesz, Emil Wellstrand, Wilbur Copp, George Stone, Robert Lawton and Mason Ray. Soloist at the funeral will be Milton Sackmann and the organist is to be Mrs. Lloyd Baumann. The Ritzville Masonic Lodge will assist with graveside services at Ritzville Memorial Cemetery.

Early-Morning Fire Does Little Damage

Only smoke damage occurred from a fire at the home of Mrs. Henry Heinemann early Wednesday morning. ^{11/9/67} A furnace blower motor burned up, distributing smoke throughout the home at 202 West Eighth avenue. Firemen used a powerful portable fan to exhaust the fumes from the home. The alarm was sounded at 5:45 a.m. A turnout of about 15 firemen responded with two trucks.



MARY HILLE

Life member

Mary Hille Sherman

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Greg Sherman - Class 1910

Father's Club

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Mrs. E. Sherman

SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Roston
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Dan
MOTHER	
Bro. Emil - 1-3-61	Ritzville 1926
✓ Rhen Hofst Deceased	1928
✓ E. Vere T. - Farmer. Ritzville 1939	1939
✓ Boy Ritzville - 1945	1945
✓ Mrs. Piennel Roston	1941
son - Greg Sherman	1910 - 1955
Da. Sharon - 1941	58
son - Glenn	64



Greg and Mary 31

Marned Ruth Warburton - 1931

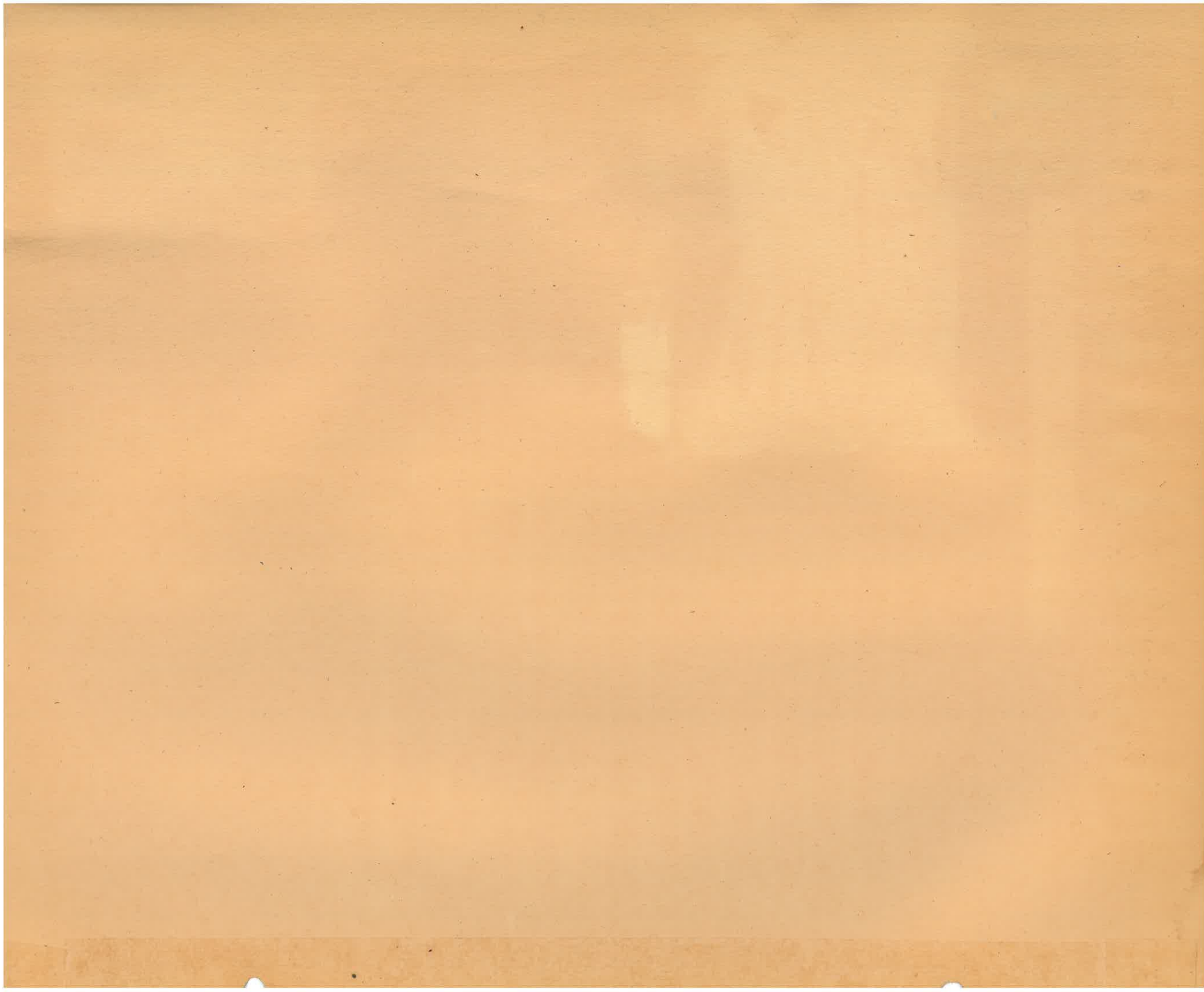
Ritzville - 1945. Glen President

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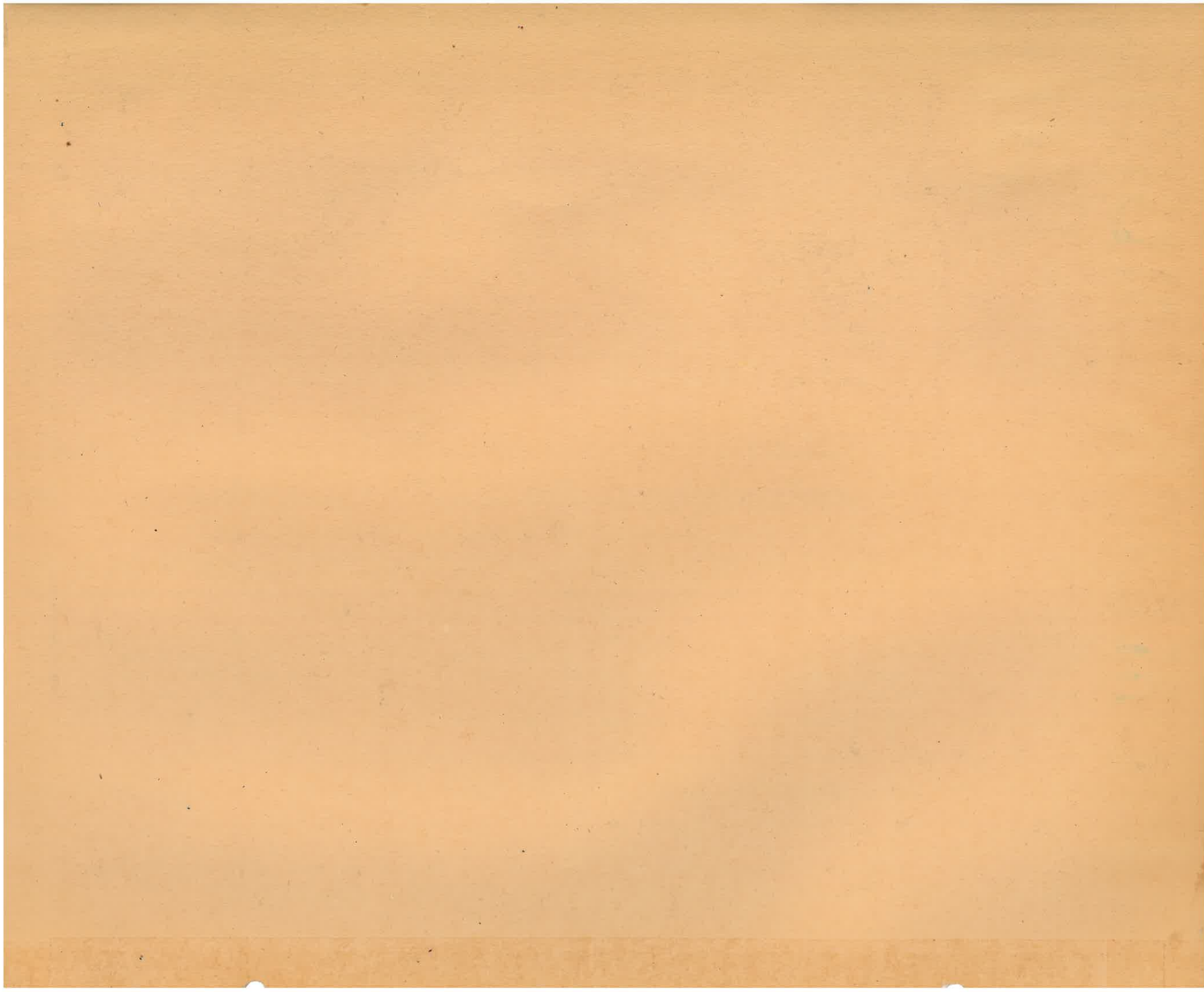
ELMER KEMBEL

Married - Mary Thom - 1933

Life Member

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Box in Retzville
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Henry
MOTHER	Bro Daniel ^{Wm} Violet Schaefer-1934 } 1922 Wesley - ^R Lebensburg - } 1926



RICHARD KEMBEL

Voting Explained

The technical processes of voting were studied by members of the Senior Citizens Happy Hour club Friday at the Zion Congregational church. Members of the Ritzville Women's Republican club were hosts to the senior citizens.

A questionnaire had been arranged by the Republican ladies for this meeting. They explained many details of voting. They stressed such points as erasure mark on ballots, leaving the booth to ask questions, the availability of assistance, and absentee ballots.

The group was told who their representatives and senators were. Also on the program was a community sing session. Mrs. John Ott read several poems to the group. Mrs. Chester Templin presented a chalk talk.

The "how to vote" portion of the program was a part of a national project of the Federated Women's clubs. Mrs. Richard Kembel, Republican club president pointed out.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The Senior Citizens will gather again for another meeting on April 7.

Mrs. Kembel Is Delegate

Mrs. Richard Kembel will attend a women's Republican conference in Washington, D. C., May 5 and 6.

Members of the Adams GOP women's club voted to send their president as their delegate at a meeting Monday night at the Circle T Inn. The national convention is held every other year. This year's gathering is to be at the Sheraton Park hotel in the nation's capital.

Mrs. Arthur Benzel, chairman of the Ritzville school board, discussed school finance as the speaker of the evening.

State committee woman for Adams county, Mrs. Loren Woodside, Lind, gave a report on the recent state central committee meeting in Richland.

Episcopal Planning Spokane Rite Saturday

St. Mark's Episcopal church school and choir plan to participate in the Spokane district in-gathering of Lenten offerings from the church schools of the entire district Saturday at St. John's Cathedral in Spokane.

The ceremony will begin at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Milton Sackmann is making arrangements for local church school members and Mrs. Richard Kembel for the choir.

Visit to Washington Exciting Experience for Marge Kembel

The nation's capital city is an experience no American citizen should miss if he can possibly visit there.

This is one of many sensations Mrs. Richard Kembel brought back from Washington, D. C., on May 8 after having attended the national Republican Women's club convention there.

Mrs. Kembel, a delegate of the local club, was one of 5100 delegates to hear the Honorable Margaret Heckler of Massachusetts give the keynote address.

James Skidmore, a past president of the U. S. Jaycees, impressed her with his speech in which he expressed the thought "separate church and state, but never God and country."

"Can free men and free women dragging feet ever be outdistanced by slaves dragging chains?" was another thought she brought home from the same speech.

Among other speakers she heard were Governor George Romney of Michigan, Senator Edward Brooke of Massachusetts, Governor Mark Hatfield of Oregon, Senator Charles Percy of Illinois and Fay Bliss, national chairman of the Republican party.

A visit with Congresswoman Catherine May culminated in an informal visit with Mrs. Everett Dirksen. Mrs. Kembel found the senator's wife to be gracious and

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Rich Kembel won his way into first flight finals in action at the Ritzville golf course the past week. He met Ralph Danekas in semifinals elimination which he won one up.

In third flight golfing, city tournament contenders Herb Benzel and Dave Hoefel battled to a 2-1 win for Benzel. It paired Benzel and Skee Edwards in semi final action.

Kurt Kiehn was the winning golfer in a fourth flight pairing with Loren Schnoler. Kurt will play the winner of an Art Roloff-Rudy Rogel match. Art reached the Rogel pairing by defeating Danny Kutschkan 6-4.

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Winning the championship flight low net competition was Ralph Danekas with a 142. But Hoefel turned in a 145 for second place. Tied for third were Don Kiehn and Lee Burroughs, each with a score of 148.

St. Mark's Episcopal church school and choir plan to participate in the Spokane district in-gathering of Lenten offerings from the church schools of the entire district Saturday at St. John's Cathedral in Spokane.

The ceremony will begin at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Milton Sackmann is making arrangements for local church school members and Mrs. Richard Kembel for the choir.

Ritzville golfers kept three of four trophies awarded at the conclusion of the Adams county tournament here Sunday afternoon.

Rich Kembel shot a 163 to win the trophy for low gross. Fred Slipper won the low net trophy with his score of 136.

Othello hosted the first half of the tournament 18 holes played at the Othello links on June 4. Scores made there and at Ritzville this past Sunday were added to determine the winners.

Among the speakers who are expected to talk to the assembly are Go. Romney of Michigan; Gov. Hiecke of Alaska; Gov. Love of Colorado; Gov. Shatter of Pennsylvania; and the Hon. Richard Nixon.

Others are Senators Brooke of Massachusetts, Hatfield of Oregon; Percy of Illinois; Hanson of Wyoming; and Chairman Bliss.

The keynote address will be delivered by Rep. Margaret Heckler, (Mass.).

Mrs. Kembel predicts the race for national president should be a hotly contested one. Phyllis Schaffly, Alton, Illinois, author of a controversial book, and Gladys O'Donnell, Long Beach, Calif., will be vying for top honors.

Events described in the book "Capable of Honor", although fiction, are pertinent to today's actual times, said Mrs. Loyd Haight in her review of the Allen Drury book Sunday afternoon.

Following the review a lively discussion was held by ladies attending the tea given by the Republican Woman's club at the Circle T Inn. Mrs. Haight urged those present to read the book.

The review was well received and the tea was well attended, said Mrs. Richard Kembel, president of the club. Ladies came from Connel, Lind, Sprague and Washitona, as well as from Ritzville.

Refreshments were served at tables made festive with small bouquets of spring flowers arranged by Mrs. Edmond Meyer.

Jury's Verdict Is 'Not Guilty'

An Adams county jury found defendant Robert C. Umphrey not guilty of grand larceny in Superior court here last Friday.

The jury took the case at 9:35 a.m., Friday and returned its verdict at 11:25 p.m. Court clerk Mildred Womach queried each of the 12 individually, asking "Is this your verdict."

From each came the response: "It is my verdict." A jury verdict of not guilty, under Washington law, must be a unanimous one, in a criminal case. If the jury is hung, or divided, on the question of guilt, the case may be re-tried.

Umphrey had been charged in an information by deputy prosecutor Philip W. Borst. It read in part: "did wilfully, unlawfully and feloniously steal the property of one Charles Davis, to-wit: mechanical electrical tools of a value of more than \$75.00 in lawful money of the United States with intent to deprive and defraud Charles Davis thereof."

Defense attorney was Milton P. Sackmann. The theft was alleged to have taken place on July 19, 1967.

Dell Antoinette Benzel was foreman of the jury. Other members were Dean E. Miller of Othello, Marjorie L. Kiesz, Odessa; Clara Callaway, Benge; Gary E. Salsbury, Othello; Charles W. Hunter, Jr., Warden; Richard Kembel, Ritzville; Clayton McAfee, Othello; Reginald R. Allard, Othello; Charles Saunders, and Thelma E. Howell, Washitona.

A non-jury matter, Transcontinental Refrigeration Company vs. Dick L. Tesch, was heard Monday. Judge George H. Freese has taken the case under advisement.

Set for jury trial Monday is George Roseberry vs. Soil and Crop Service, Inc., and Stauffer Chemical Co. The complaint recites uses made of a weedicide and the effect on a sugar beet crop. In a first claim defendant asks \$30,000 damages; in a second he asks \$50,000.

Plaintiff's attorneys are Young, Hoff and Regan. Representing the defendants are Palmer, Willis and McArdle, and Fred Shelton.

She scored 171. Bernice Matthews of Othello was third with 183.

Junior division winner was Steve Tucker of Othello with 148 strokes for the 36 holes. Another Othello junior golfer, Ginger Damon tied with Ritzville golfer Kurt Kiehn for second. Each shot a 164.

Steve Weilsandt won fourth with 165.

Men golfers have no home action until a busy September. The big GAL (three-county) women's golf meet at Ritzville comes off July 14. About 80 are expected to enter.

State Meeting Report Heard

Mrs. Richard Kembel attended the biennial meeting of the Washington State Federation of Republican women at the Sherwood Inn in Tacoma last week.

At a meeting of the Ritzville Republican Women's club at the Circle T Inn on Monday evening, she reported on her activities there are 89 clubs in the state of Washington with a membership of over 7,000 Republican women.

Mrs. Kembel reported. She attended a reception for Washington state club presidents on Wednesday evening and business sessions on Thursday. Mrs. Loren Woodside of Lind also attended the Tacoma meeting.

Committee appointments were made for a nominating committee and for the Lincoln day dinner. The annual dinner will be on February 12. The next regular meeting of the club will be in January.

tion here Othello brought 26 net divisions for men golfers. The Ritzville club fielded only 17 swingers but did well for women and for juniors, either boys or girls 18 or under.

Mrs. Louise Holmes of Othello was the women's trophy winner with her low net score of 160. Tom McLain won the junior division trophy. His net score was 141.

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Lud Kramer Lincoln Day Speaker Here

Officers were elected and committees appointed for the Lincoln day dinner at the meeting of the Women's Republican club Monday evening at the Circle T Inn. 31

Officers elected for 1968-69 were Mrs. Richard Kembel, president; Mrs. Robert Borgens, first vice-president; Mrs. T. R. Manke, second vice-president; Mrs. Clarice Thiel, secretary; and Mrs. Albert Koepplin, treasurer. 1-18-68

Speaker for the Lincoln day dinner on February 12 will be Secretary of State A. Ludlow Kramer. The family style dinner at the American Legion hall will be catered by the Circle T Inn.

Tickets may be purchased from ticket chairman Mrs. Koepplin and committee members Mrs. Manke, Mrs. William Scheel, Mrs. Gertrude Coleman, Mrs. Loren Woodside in Lind, Mrs. Arthur Hirling at Western Auto Store and Mrs. Kembel.

Price per plate has been set at \$5.00. "This is an election year and it does take money to elect candidates to office," president Mrs. Kembel said.

The choral group will again perform at the banquet. Men or women interested may contact Mrs. Kembel. Practices will be held on the three Sunday afternoons prior to the dinner, January 28, February 4 and February 11.

Mrs. Borgens is chairman of the program committee with Mrs. John Ott and Mrs. Kembel assisting. Decorating committee members are Mrs. C. V. Stanfield, chairman, Mrs. Irma Baker and Mrs. Ed Cross.

The group discussed a letter concerning the election of delegates to state convention, from national committee woman Mrs. Albert Cooper of Bellevue.

Annual Fun Fest Again Laugh Riot

"Republicans can win this fall if we can ascertain the desires and moods of our citizens and translate them to action programs," secretary of state A. Ludlow Kramer told his Lincoln Day dinner audience here Monday evening.

In other activities during the evening the assembled crowd chose Richard Nixon, by a vote tally of 94, as their preferred nominee for the Presidency and were entertained by their own members and the high school boys' quartet.

The evening opened with a welcome by Mrs. John Ott as mistress of ceremonies. She read a telegram of greeting from Catherine May, fourth district member of congress. She then introduced Ralph Danekas who led the group in parody singing.

The high school boys' quartet—Curtis Kiehn, Shaun Cross, Tom McClain and Michael Koch—was accompanied by Miss Stephanie Roloff as they sang a group of songs, some of which had new and scintillating verbiage suited to the occasion.

Mrs. W. Walters Miller portrayed the man of the house at breakfast while Mrs. Clarence Bauer appeared on stage dressed in a costume of newspapers. As a man at noon, Mrs. Miller was served by Mrs. Robert Borgens in a costume of paper towels.



Program Cover

Republicans found their program covered with a hand drawing in psychedelic lettering. It translates to "Welcome Lud Kramer" and is drawn in the form of the GOP symbolic elephant. The art was created by Mrs. Richard Kembel.

Mrs. Miller was served cocktails by Mrs. Loren Woodside attired in aluminum foil. And for "his" evening date, Mrs. Miller strolled with Mrs. Lee Burroughs who was outfitted in a grand gown of green and gold gift wrapping. The activity stirred the audience from giggles to loud guffaws.

Secretary Kramer told his audience that the change of administration in Washington— begun in 1964 elections— had brought this state efficiency and effectiveness of government while allowing free enterprise to work with a minimum of interference.

"It brought the public and private sectors together," he stated. "If we are not willing to continue to pay the price at the local level," the speaker continued, "to conduct the necessary programs of government, then we can right here and now begin to transfer our responsibilities to the federal government."

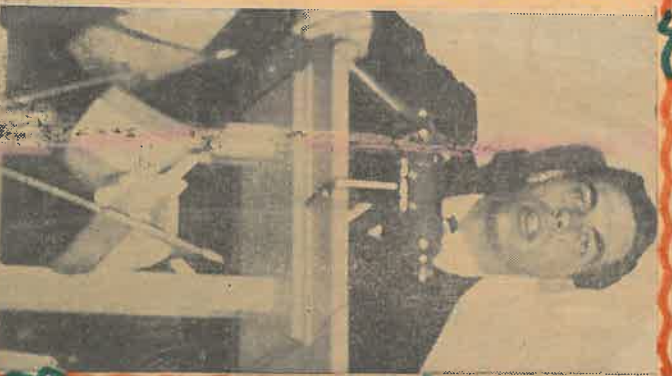
Alluding to a "non-declared candidate for governor who held a prominent position in the Washington state senate," Kramer said that in spite of this 80 per cent of Governor Evans' blueprint for progress programs had been passed.

"Where do we stand, now?" the speaker asked. "We are at the point where air and water pollution is beginning to be a problem, our cities are beginning to feel the plight of overcrowding, our automobiles are beginning to clog our highways, our crime rate is beginning to rise, our open space is disappearing, our state government is beginning to become cumbersome, and we are beginning to feel the pressures for quality education."

"But," he stated, "our problems are not as dramatic as those in other states."

We do not have to tear down vast amounts of anything to go in the right direction. We do not have to re-build, but rather build, and build for the future.

"We must allow local governments the authority and tools to solve their problems... counties solving county problems and cities and towns solving their local problems. We cannot continue to operate with local governments the tools of the state. We must



A. LUDLOW KRAMER
"We Can Win, If..."

reverse trends in our constitution and allow these local units their own tools." 1-15-68

We will not move pell mell or piece meal with constitutional reform the state secretary said. We will allow each citizen the opportunity to see the changes and how they will affect him.

Secretary Kramer pointed out he is now operating the secretary of state's office with one-third less personnel and 10 per cent less budget than when he took office. "And we are handling nearly double the volume of business, he said."

He pointed out one saying—that of the voters' pamphlet which, although twice as large, was produced at a savings of \$435,000.

"We have the greatest opportunity any group of citizens ever had," he said. "We live in the fastest growing state in the nation—a state predicted to double its population in the next 15 years."

"Can we create workable government?"

"Yes; and we can win if Republicans ascertain the desires of the people and translate them into workable programs."



Secretary of State Ludlow Kramer

Young State Officer Lincoln Day Speaker

Secretary of state A. Ludlow Kramer will speak at the annual Republican Lincoln day dinner February 12 at the American Legion hall.

Kramer was elected secretary of state in 1964 as the youngest elected state official in the history of Washington. In addition to his duties as secretary-of-state, he has been named by Governor Evans as coordinator of urban affairs for the state of Washington and chairman of the Governor's festival of the arts.

He was chairman of state government of the 1966 United Good Neighbor drive and the 1966 Cancer drive. He is a member of the board of directors of the Olympia Campfire girls and serves on the advisory board of St. Peter hospital in Olympia. He is a member of the YMCA membership campaign committee, a sponsor of a Little League baseball team and a member of Lions International and BPOE.

He has long been active in political affairs, having served as a precinct committeeman, finance chairman and neighbor-to-neighbor.

The speaker had been introduced by county republican chairman W. Walters Miller who also introduced other elected officials of the county, state senator and state representative and Mrs. Otto Amen.

Others drawing votes in the presidential straw ballot were George Romney, 5; Nelson Rockefeller, 8; Ronald Reagan, 56; Harold Stassen, 0; and George Wallace, 1.

"If you pick Rockefeller, I'll vote for Wallace," one audience member penciled on his ballot.

The affair is sponsored annually by the Women's Republican club. Mrs. Richard Kembel is president of the ladies' group.

chairman of the 37th district, assistant state committeeman of King county, a delegate to the Republican county convention and later, to the Republican state convention. He has served as a trustee and first vice president of the King county Young Republicans during his membership of many years.

He was elected to the Seattle city council in 1962 and served as acting director of special events for the Seattle World's fair. Prior to his election to the council he was an investment officer in a Seattle bank. 31

Tickets for the family style dinner at the American Legion hall are \$5.00 per plate and may be purchased from Woman's Republican club president Mrs. Richard Kembel, or ticket committee members Mrs. Albert Koepplin, Mrs. T. R. Manke, Mrs. William Scheel, Mrs. Gertrude Coleman, Mrs. Loren Woodside in Lind and Mrs. Arthur Hirling at the Western Auto Store here.

Among out-of-town people who plan to attend the dinner is state senator Elmer Huntley of Thornton.

Tea, Book Review Set by GOP Gals

Guests will be most welcome to attend a tea to be given by the Ritzville Republican Woman's club, said Mrs. Richard Kembel, president. 1-25-68

The membership tea next Sunday at 2:30 at the Circle T Inn will be a silver tea, and those who plan to attend are asked to make reservations with Mrs. Albert Koepplin.

Mrs. Loyd Haight will review the book "Capable of Honor", a story by Allen Drury about the part the news media can play in politics. Also on the program will be musical numbers.



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Lincoln Day Chorus *Wonderful Musician*

With three Sundays of practice, this group of choristers entertained Lincoln Day diners Monday evening. Chorus members included Mrs. W. Walters Miller, Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. Clarence Bauer, Mrs. Loren Woodstie, Mrs. Gene Markum, Mrs. Henry Franz, Mrs. Boyd Hille, Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, Mrs. Emil

Wellandt, Mrs. Elsie Ott, Mrs. George Freese, Mrs. Robert Borgens, Ralph Gering, Gideon Benitz, Gordon Gering, Elmer Heimburger, John Pavlik, Henry Franz, Carl Hoefel, Jake Hoefel, Bill Rosenoff, Edward Cross, and were accompanied by Mrs. Elmer Peters. Director was Mrs. Richard Kembel. 31



Quartet Sings

The Ritzville high school boys quartet, from left, Michael Koch, Tom McClain, Shaun Cross and Curtis Klehn, sang several numbers Monday evening including a couple of parodies. They were accompanied by Miss Stephanie Roloff. —Journal-Times photo

Republicans Name Delegates to State Convention in Seattle

Delegates from Adams county to the Republican state convention to be held in Seattle on June 21 and 22 were selected here Friday.

The eight selected in the Adams county convention which was held in the commissioner's hearing room in the courthouse were Otto Amen of Ritzville, Al Gross of Lind, Pat Woodside of Lind, W. Walters Miller of Ritzville, Marge Kembel of Ritzville, Kenny Foulkes of Lind, Roger Thleme of Ohello and Earl Snyder of Washuana.

Sixteen candidates were nominated and the top eight receiving a plurality of votes got the delegates' posts. Alternates were designated as first, second and third up to eighth according to the number of votes received.

The alternates in descending order are Mildred Womach of Ritzville, Henry Franz of Lind, W. B. "Red" Reese of Ohello, Walter Danielson of Ohello, Walter Gray of Washuana, Richard Kembel of Ritzville, Erhart Meyer of Ohello and Marianne Borgens of Ritzville. Kenny Foulkes made two motions which were adopted by the Republicans. One was to go on record opposing a state constitutional con-

Farm-City Swap Committees to Begin Plans at Noon Today

A photographer and a feature writer for the Seattle Times are expected to be in the Ritzville area Tuesday and Wednesday of next week to get photos and stories to promote the city-farm swap. That was announced by Washington Association of Wheat Growers executive secretary Jerry Rees at the noon luncheon Wednesday of the chamber of commerce. Rees said that plans for the pic-

Chamber Hears Committees Tell of Stir-Up, Float, Farm Swap

Committee reports highlighted the business session of the chamber of commerce luncheon Wednesday.

Ed Collison reported in behalf of the barbecue committee for the city farm swap in July that the four Wheat Growers associations in the area were being contacted to supply ice cream for the picnic. He also said that the guest families from the coast would be admitted free to the event which will be held in the park and that others would be required to pay a dollar a plate.

Collison said he had taken a closeup look at the displays and

sales during Stir-Up Days and he thought the event was a success. Marge Kembel displayed the two trophies which the Ritzville float won during the Lilac festivities in Spokane last week. The large trophy, she said, was a kind of sweepstakes prize called the president's trophy. She added that this year was the first time it had been given. The smaller trophy was for the best float in its class and division.

Collison presented Mrs. Kembel with golf balls as, he said, a token that the chamber appreciates all the work she did on the float. Roland Hintze reported on the irrigation and development committee which has, he said, been meeting at noon on Thursday's to discuss the promotion of irrigation development.



Recipe for Success

Mrs. Harlan Anderson, speaking, offered fourth congressional district Republicans a recipe for success during luncheon held here Monday at the Circle T Inn. Others in photo are Mrs. Richard Kembel left, president of the Ritzville Republican Women's club; Mrs. Warren Snider, Selah, state federation of Re-

publican Women's clubs president; and Mrs. Kenneth Dorman, Mesa, fourth district president. Mrs. Anderson is from Kennewick and is vice chairman of the state Republican central committee and western states chairman of state vice chairmen. 31

Journal-Times photo

Success Recipe Given Area Republicans

Gwen Anderson, vice chairman of the Washington State Republican central committee, gave a recipe for success in '68 for a united Republican party from the courthouse to the White House.

Mrs. Anderson spoke at a meeting of Republican women from the fourth Congressional district Monday during the stir-up days. She said that plans for the picnic during the swap were going ahead and that a meeting is to be held at noon today (Thursday) to discuss further plans. Mrs. Richard Kembel reported to the chamber meeting that the Ritzville float is nearly ready for the Lilac Festival in Spokane starting with the torch light parade next Thursday. It will be shown in the main parade on Saturday, May 18, she said.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Ken Dorman, director of the fourth district of Republican Women's clubs and by Mrs. Richard Kembel, president of the local club.

Big 623 Series

High for League

Dadora Daweritz, one of Ritzville's fast-improving lady bowlers, threw a 623 handicapped series Tuesday night, highest of the year for the Majorette league.

Her lines of 115, 151 and 180 sparked the Connectors to a 4-0 win over Richfield, including a league-record, 803 closing game. In last Friday's mixed league Marge Kembel piled up a fine

the handicapped series.



Office Seekers Visit at Sunday's GOP Picnic in Ritzville
 From left, Representative Otto Amen, Senator Elmer Huntley, Pasco City Councilman Art Fletcher, Ritzville Republican Woman's Club President Mrs. Richard Kembel and Senator Jack Metcalf

Two to Run for Justice

Two candidates filed for justice of the peace prior to the closing of elective office filing period last Friday.

The Rev. Edward Schmidt of Lind filed to succeed himself in a two-year unexpired term. Charles D. Cox filed for a two-year unexpired in Othello. Incumbent justice Charles Davidson did not file for re-election.

Richard Kembel filed on the Republican ticket for precinct committeeman in the Fletcher precinct and Francis M. Lynn filed as a Democrat to represent Othello's precinct number three.

Precinct committeemen candidates may file with county auditor Susie B. Razezy until Friday, August 16.

Churchwomen Host Many of Salad Bar

By ELEANOR FOWLER

One of the nation's favorite menus was put to test Friday when the St. Mark's Episcopal Churchwomen held their second annual "Salad Bar" at the American Legion hall.

Using a spring motif of daffodils, the many card tables around the room were individually decorated with baskets of tea cookies centered by a vase of daffodils. The table napkins and bridge tables had handmade paper flowers on them and round the room itself were large groupings of false daffodils on the walls and in decorated pots on the floor.

Life member GOP Women Set Dinner for Feb. 17

The Republican Lincoln Day dinner will be February 17 at the American Legion hall.

Mrs. Richard Kembel, president of the Republican Women's club, appointed committees at a meeting of the club Monday evening at the Circle T Inn.

Mrs. Albert Koepin is chairman of ticket sales. Serving with her are Mrs. Ted Manke, Mrs. W. E. Scheel and Mrs. Gertrude Coleman. Tickets also are available at the Western Auto Store in Ritzville and Gross Insurance Agency in Lind. Price of tickets is \$5 per plate.

Other committees are dinner arrangements, Mrs. Larry Maher, chairman, Mrs. E. J. Colwell and Mrs. Al Rummer; decorations, Mrs. Edmond Meyer, chairman, Mrs. George Becker Jr., Mrs. Pete Miller and Mrs. Albert Wolsborn, and program, Mrs. Robert Borgens, chairman, Mrs. David Powers and Mrs. Kembel.

Reports of campaign '68 were made to the Monday meeting

GOP Women Planning Tea

The annual membership tea of the Ritzville Republican Woman's Club will be held Sunday afternoon, April 20, at the home of Mrs. John Ott, 1118 S. Division.

The tea will begin at 2:30 and

10 Years Ago—
 (February 10, 1949)
 Week long struggle with snow and drifting ends as chinook warms up county but many private lanes are still snow clogged.

Ritzville delegation discusses with state leaders reasons for extending cross-state highway east from city to Idaho state line.

Efforts to build second ice skating rink on second ward playground prove fruitless although tennis courts "rink" is functioning.

Richard Kembel heads Lions club committee which will launch Heart fund drive

SIGNATURE

Richard

BIRTH DAY

Oct 15 1913

BIRTH PLACE

Ritzville

FATHER

Jack Kembel - 1905

MOTHER

Marie Off Kembel - 1933

Sis - Dorothy Barbara - 1933

209 E. 4th Ave - Ritzville

Sis - Barof - 1939

Mrs. Ralph E. Summers

515 - Barof - 1939

Mrs. Ralph E. Summers

Booth, Floot y Are Planned

It was decided to have a booth in the fair and a float in the parade at the Monday evening meeting of the Woman's Republican club.

A report was made on the bake sale and plans were completed for a tea to be held at the American Legion hall May 1 from 3 to 5 p.m. It is being given by the executive committee and the public is invited.

Mrs. Richard Kembel and Mrs. Edmond Meyer were elected delegates to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Republican Women to be held at Wenatchee in May. Mildred Womach and Mrs. C. V. Stanfield were elected alternates. A film made by Catherine May was

Republican Club to Meet Monday

Robert D. Timm, national committeeman of the Republican party, will speak to the Women's Republican club at the Circle T inn at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

Mrs. Richard Kembel, president of the local women's group, said that among business to be discussed are plans for the continuing membership drive and consideration of projects for the coming year. Dessert will be served at the group's first meeting of the year.

Timm will speak on Republican party structure and organization. Mrs. Kembel said. It is expected that a large delegation will attend a political seminar at Richland September 26

GOP Women Meet in Headquarters to Discuss Issues

The Ritzville Republican Woman's club will meet Monday, October 21, at 7:30 p.m. at Republican headquarters, the former Ritzville Drug store.

Republican headquarters are open from 1:30 to 5 p.m. every day except Sunday, and visitors are welcome, said Mrs. Richard Kembel, woman's club president. She said the phone number of headquarters is 659-1364.

Issues in the Voters Pamphlet will be discussed. Interested persons are welcome and should bring their pamphlets, said Mrs. Kembel.

Meyer Enters

Links Find 3-UP Win in 2-Up Win

Jim Meyer has barged into the finals of the men's city golf tournament championship flight by edging Don Kiehn 2-up.

Meyer entered the semi-finals with a 1-up victory over Buff Hoefel, while Kiehn arrived on the wings of a 5 and 4 decision over Fred Schwisow.

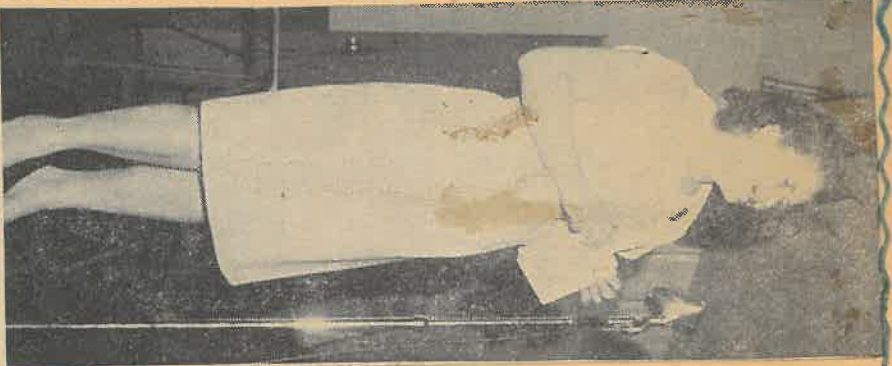
The other bracket isn't so far along. As of Monday, Gary Galbreath was scheduled to play Les Pfannkuchen while Jim Schoesler tangled with Tony Eichner. The two winners will play for the right to meet Meyer for the crown.

In one bracket of the first flight, Rich Kembel defeated Art Werth 1-up and will face Fred Slipper or Bob Hill. In the other sector Bill McElroy, who turned back Louis Denton 4 and 3, will meet the winner of a match between Slatz Wachter and George Kramer.

Flight 2 has nearly reached the semi-final stage: Blatz Schwisow vs. Bill Anderson and Cec Derrick vs. Ralph Danekas or Lee Burroughs.

No matches have been played in the third flight. Dean Laargent entered the semi-finals of the fourth by beating Bob Smethers 2 and 1. In the other bracket Gale Salo came into the semis via a 19-hole 1-up triumph over Al Fink.

In the only fifth flight match to date, Ray Ketelsen produced a major upset by squeezing past George Fowler 7 and 6.



Leader Marge Kembel, again as in years past, recited Abraham Lincoln's feelings about accepting his party's nomination as president of the United States, while choral group sang Verse of Battle Hymn of the Republic. Her leadership has sparked one of most successful GOP traditions here, the annual Lincoln day dinner. —Journal-Times photo.

The Lighter Side

By GEORGE FOWLER

The fact that Ritzville will be represented in Spokane by one of the most spectacular floats turned out in this city in quite some time in the Torchlight parade this evening and the Lilac Festival-Armed Forces parade Saturday can be credited to a handful of people.

That credit goes to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kembel and their hired man, Richard Dillon, along with Mrs. Ray Rummer, Mrs. Lee Fordwood and Mrs. Ted Manke.

The Journal-Times tried on three different days to arrange for a picture to be made of the float, which should make local residents' eyes pop when they see what a really fine piece of craftsmanship Marge Kembel dreamed up.

But because of circumstances beyond anyone's control, a picture could not be taken, so I will try to give you a word picture preview of the float and hope you will be able to see it either this evening or Saturday morning.

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To begin with, the float is 35 feet long. It is built in five circular sections.

The center section is 11 feet in diameter. The two adjoining

Mrs. Loyd Haight to Give Review

Mrs. Loyd Haight will review the book "Capable of Honor" at a membership tea to be given by the Ritzville Republican Woman's club on April 28 at 2:30 at the Circle T Inn.

The book by Allen Drury is a story of the part that the news media can play in politics.

Members are asked to notify Mrs. Albert Koepin if they will attend the silver tea.

At the regular meeting of the club Monday evening at the Circle T Richard Kembel led a discussion and study session about the electoral college.

Republican Ladies Hear Pete Miller; Report on Confabs

The first meeting of the Woman's Republican club following the summer recess was held at the Circle T Inn Monday evening with 25 members present.

Pete Miller, candidate for Adams county commissioner from district No. 1, spoke to the group about the duties of the commissioner and reported on the county fund drive for the "Andrews for Governor" campaign.

Mrs. Edward G. Cross told members that a building had been located on Main street that would serve as Republican headquarters.

Reports were given by Miss Carrie Schragg on the GOP national convention in Chicago, Ill., and by Miss Mildred Womach, state committeewoman, on the State Republican Central committee meeting held in Seattle Saturday.

Mrs. Richard Kembel, president of the group, announced that the Republican float had won second prize at the Adams county fair.

Church Women Planning Event

St. Mark's Episcopal Church Women will hold their annual salad bar luncheon Friday, April 14.

Continuous serving to the public will begin at 11:30 a.m. For those planning on playing cards, a 1 p.m. luncheon will be served.

Mrs. Richard Kembel is general chairman. Theme for this year's event will be "Tuition Time."

Mrs. John Kembel, ticket chairman, may be called at 172 for reservations.

Richard Kembel is the new president of the Ritzville high school alumni association. Art Benzel was elected vice president; Mildred Womack, secretary; Marilyn Schoesler, treasurer; and Robert Danekas, toastmaster.

Gary Is Tops in City Tourney for Sixth Time

Gary Galbreath, a member of Seattle university's golf team, won the city golf tournament championship for the sixth year in a row by defeating local high school ace Jim Meyer 13 and 12 Saturday.

Galbreath, who competed with the university team in the National Collegiate Athletic association tournament in Colorado Springs, Colo., last month, won his first junior city golf title in 1953.

Then in 1956, he won the city tourney for the first time when he was 15 years old and has been on the winning trail ever since.

Rich Kembel, who had won several city championships before Galbreath began his string of victories, still has to play Slatz Wachter for the first flight championship.

Vern Schwisow defeated Bill Anderson in the semi-finals of the second flight 5 and 3 and is waiting to play the winner of the Lee Burroughs-Cec Derrick match for the title.

The third flight champion also must be decided.

The winner of the Walt Eckhardt-Wallace Weishart match will be pitted against Dave Hoefel in the semis. The winner of that match will play Hal Lyons for the championship.

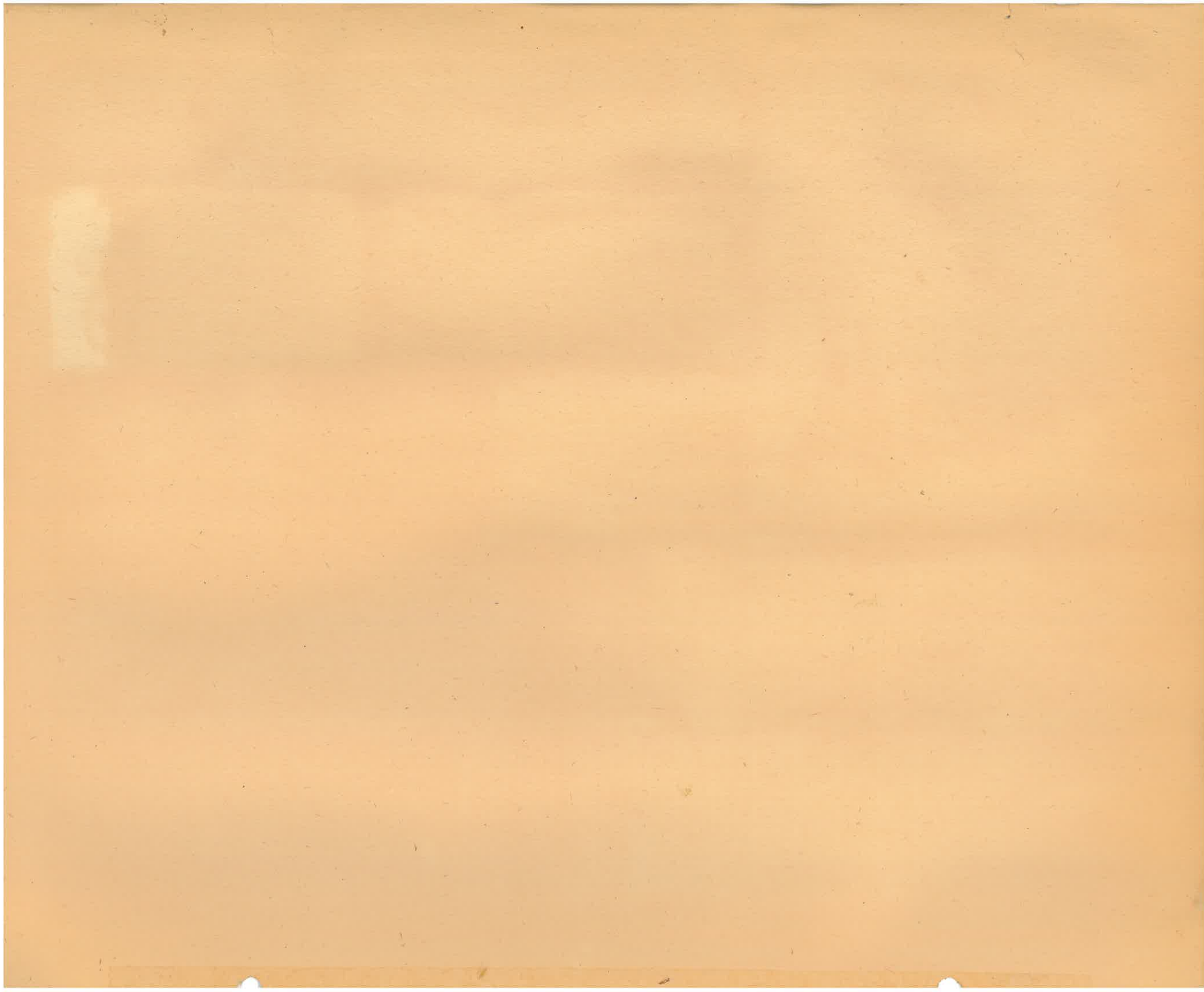
In the semi-final rounds of the fourth flight are Rev. Herbert Haemelmann vs. Phil Langford and Dean Laargent vs. Gale Salo. No further rounds have been played in the fifth flight.

Lions Links Crew Loses — But Wins

The Spokane team won but it did them very little good as the visitors already had inscribed Ritzville Lions club on the trophy as the winner.

Rich Kembel fired a low net gross of 83 and Fred Schwisow a low gross of 84. Dinner was followed by a Spokane-Tacoma baseball game

about 15 Ritzville Lions club golfers tangled with a team from Spokane Central Laons club at Manito country club last Thursday.

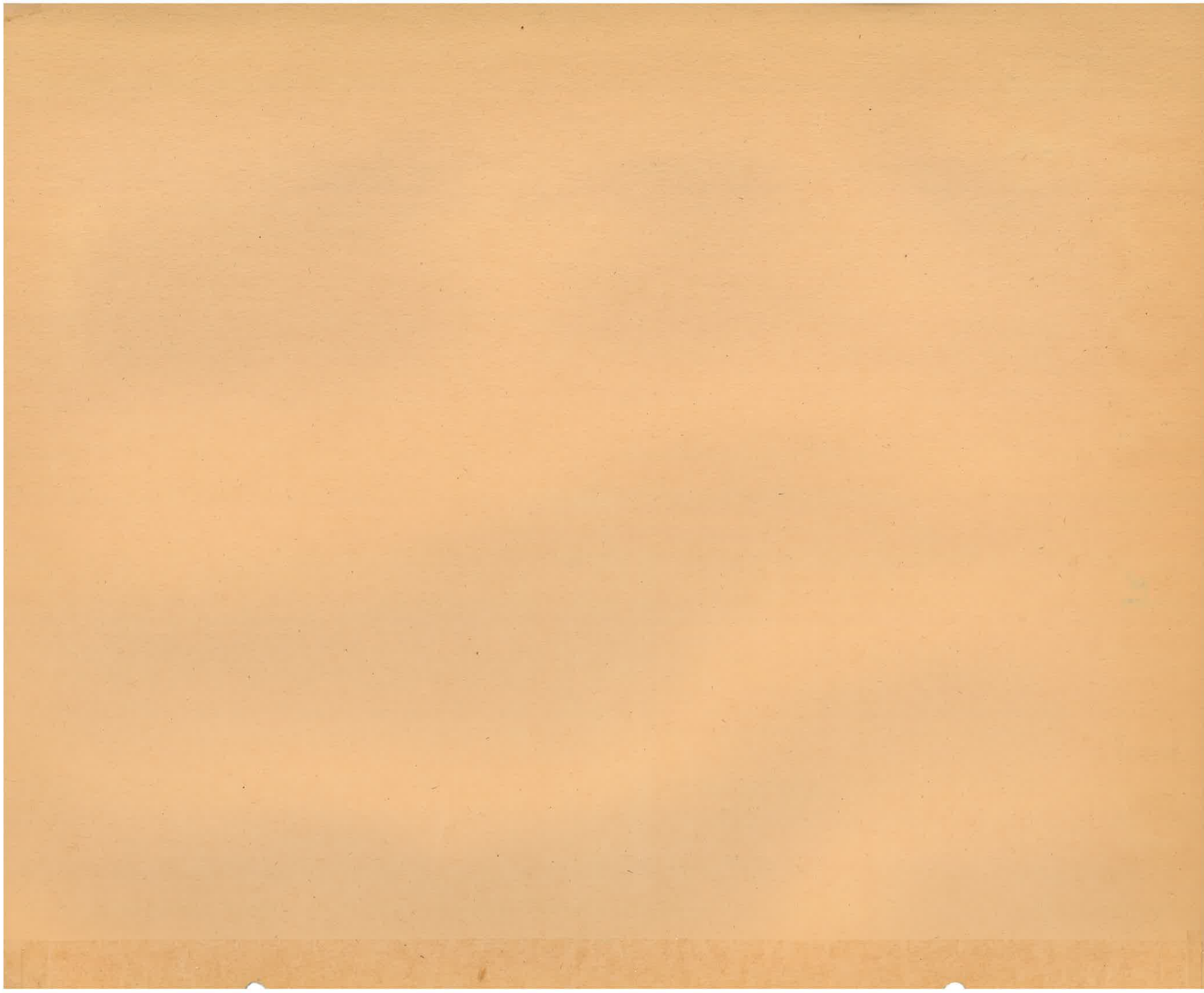


CLARA KOCH

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Mrs. Jack Goldinger

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FATHER	Pfeifer
MOTHER	515 Rosie Kaiser (Mia Ko Lakeview Wash) 1928 Helen (Mann) Mrs James 1930 29110 - Nora Fitzgou Road - Okla Bro - Aaron - 1613 16th Seattle - 39



DENA KOCH

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SIGNATURE	
90 St. Mrs. Koch - Ritzville - 54-	
BIRTH DAY	
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Henry W. Koch
MOTHER	Fred & Rose ^{3115 Home St} Olympia
	Bro - Eugene ^{311 N. Emerson} Idendale
	Bro - Marvin ^{married Marika Watter 3/11/19} Ritzville - 1927
	Sis - Frieda ^{married Welsh} Tacoma 1930
	Bro - Walter ^{Deceased} 1933
	Bro - Paul ^{wife - Dina children & insurance} Seattle 1934

Dena Koch dies at 72

Dena Koch, 72, died at her home in Ritzville Feb. 9, 1935. Her funeral will be conducted at 3:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 15, from the Danekas Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Robert Lester. She was born April 30, 1912, and is survived by a brother, Calvin Koch of Des Moines, and a sister, Mrs. Frieda Welsh of Tacoma. She was graduated from Ritzville High School in 1932. After working elsewhere, she returned to Ritzville in 1959 to care for her mother and has resided here since.



MARJORIE KUBIC

Marjorie Kubik - Not married
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Witnesses Group Attending Large Reardan Meeting

Jehovah's Witnesses in the Ritzville congregation will leave Friday to attend a three-day circuit assembly in Reardan.

They will join about 800 other delegates representing 16 other congregations in eastern Washington.

Expecting to attend are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oestreich and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Oestreich and family, congregation servant Roger Triplett and Mrs. Triplett, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Goesch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Getz and family, Marjorie Kubik and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nissen of Lind.

The delegates will hear Wayne M. Knott, district supervisor from New York, speak on "Will God Intervene in Men's Affairs?" All sessions of the meet will center on the theme "Walk Orderly by Spirit."

Larry Heyer, presiding minister of the Ritzville congregation, commented: "Large gatherings like this draw the Christian bond of love and unity ever tighter. The assembly also aids us to be better qualified as teachers of the good news of God's Kingdom."

Local meetings at the Kingdom hall have been canceled for the weekend.

4 Adults Learn About Driving

Four adults in Ritzville have been taking driver training with Dick Agee, high school instructor, in charge.

They are Mrs. Lorane Becker, Mrs. Gilbert White, Miss Jean Davis and Miss Marjorie Kubik.

Classes are held two or three nights a week plus some daytime practice driving, Agee said.

Plans call for a trip to Spokane near the end of the course for driving in traffic.

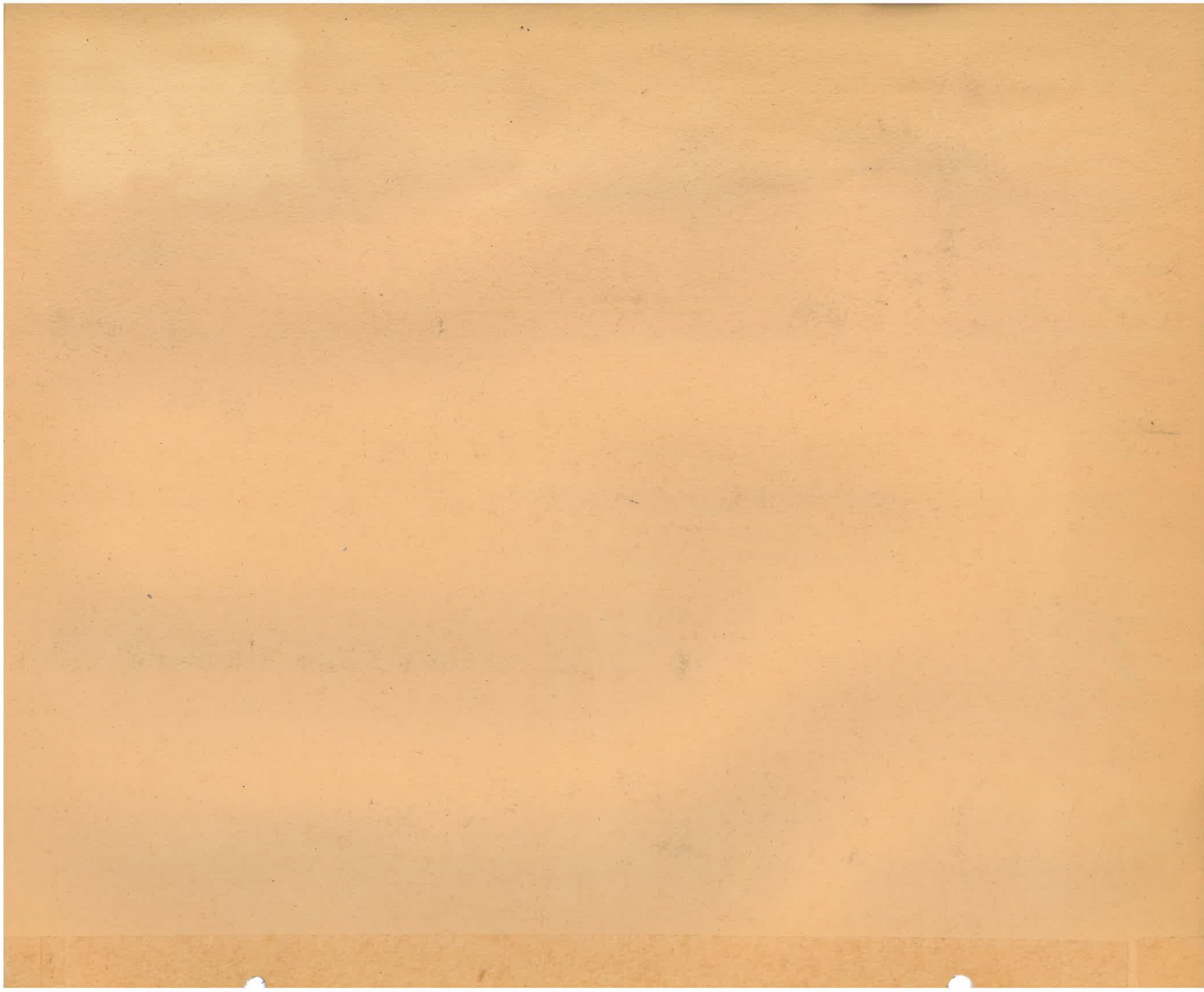
Nine Delegates Attending Meet

Nine delegates from the Jehovah's Witnesses congregation in Ritzville are planning to attend the "Awake Ministers" district assembly today through Saturday at Tacoma.

Mr. Lloyd Smith, presiding minister of the Ritzville congregation, said the group is planning to join the state-wide effort with local activity. Ministers from about 100 congregations in the state and other parts of the United States are expected to attend the four-day gathering.

Delegates attending from this area are Marjorie Kubik, Minnie Jansen, Joseph Oestreich, Ronnie Oestreich, JoDee Oestreich, Hannah Withers, Mary Withers and Smith.

SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Ritzville
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Kraft Kubic
MOTHER	Mrs Esthank 1934 Bro George Ritzville 1925



EARL LUITEN

Paris

Married Aug 24, 1943

U.S. Postmaster - Ritzville

Couples Jointly Mark 25th Date

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Luiten and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rowel entertained a group of their friends on Saturday evening in honor of both couples' 25th wedding anniversaries. The Rowes were married August 16, 1940 and the Luitens on August 24, 1940.

The two couples greeted their guests at the Rowe home and later took them to the Circle 1 Inn for a buffet dinner.

Oct. 27, 1966

Daylight Time Goes Off Sunday

Washington state will return to standard time, for six months, beginning at 2 o'clock Sunday morning.

Some folks may not get around to moving their clocks back an hour until Monday, but the effects of going off daylight saving time will begin to show up sooner than that. At the U. S. Postoffice, the mail truck will start its Sunday trip back to Spokane at 11 o'clock, instead of at noon.

Mailers Offered Zip Coding Help

Beginning today letter carriers will deliver two cards to every residence in Ritzville, postmaster E. H. Luiten reported.

Each card will have spaces for addresses any household wishes "zipped." Mail users can help the postoffice department if they will go over their Christmas card lists at this time, and make inquiry for the zip codes which are missing in their address books.

The inquiry cards, when filled out, may be dropped in the mail or returned to the mail carrier who brought them. The postoffice here will add the appropriate zip codes and return the cards to the mailer.

Some incomplete address may not be coded by the local postoffice. Washington, D. C. has the same street names and numbers in the northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest sections. In such cases, the cards will be forwarded to the city in question and the correct zip codes will be added there before the inquiry card is returned.

Updated Zip Coding Asked

Christmas mailers may ease their rush, and the postoffice's by zip coding their address books.

Postmaster Earl H. Luiten said October 10 through 15 is zip code week. Postoffice patrons are invited to use cards they'll receive to write down addresses for which they have no zip code numbers. The cards are to be placed, when they come from Spokane, in post office boxes, and home delivery slots.

Patrons then will mail the cards to the postmaster. The postal clerks will then look up the missing zip codes and deliver the cards back to the original senders. All this is to be done with no postage needed.

Airmail Deadline Told

Airmail cards and parcels should be mailed to servicemen overseas no later than December 10, Saturday, to assure delivery before Christmas, according to Earl Luiten, Ritzville postmaster.

Another reminder that he offered about Christmas cards is that they may be mailed third class at four cents if the flap is left unsealed and without a message written or typed inside.

However he pointed out, third class mail will not be forwarded or returned to the sender. Greeting cards with a five-cent stamp on them may be sealed and may contain written messages, Luiten said. They are given priority in delivery and in forwarding.

He also stated that persons can help the post office department during their overload season if they separate greeting cards into local and out-of-town bundles. He pointed out that if each person did this it would

only take a few minutes whereas if the post office personnel must do this for everyone, numerous man-hours are used up.

Postoffice Sets Saturday Opening

The Ritzville post office window will be open Saturday, December 17 to accommodate the Christmas rush, according to Earl Luiten, postmaster.

The window will be open from 8:30 a.m., to 5 p.m., this Saturday.

Postoffice Closed on January 2

The Ritzville postoffice will observe the same holiday schedule this coming weekend as did during the Christmas week end.

The office will be closed Sunday and Monday. City deliveries will resume Tuesday. Boxholders mail will be put into boxes in the post office both days.

Postmaster Earl Luiten issued a "thank you" on behalf of his staff to the people of Ritzville for their cooperation during the Christmas mailing season.

He especially thanked those who bundled their cards making handling easier and for the early mailing.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luiten were Dr. and Mrs. David Krudwig, Baltimore, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luiten, Cheney; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel, Brewster; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luiten, Ritzville; Jerry Luiten, Seattle; Karla Krudwig, Pasco, and Lyle Crater, Pasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luiten, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luiten and Linda and Mrs. Karl Krudwig and Carla of Pasco, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel of Brewster were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luiten of Cheney. Mrs. Fred Luiten accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Kittel to Spokane on Friday.

Parcel Post Rates Advanced Next Monday

New parcel post rates will be in effect beginning next week, postmaster Earl Luiten said.

At the same time the post office department is beginning use of a new system for identifying parcel post zones, as the result of a law enacted September 20 of last year.

The rate increases will average about 10-cents a parcel, Luiten said. Starting July 1 the law provides for a series of size and weight increases on parcels mailed between first-class offices. The size and weight increases will be in five annual steps, the last coming on July 1, 1971.

Use of ZIP code in the recipient's address will enable the sender or a mail clerk to quickly determine the proper zone, and thus the rate, for the package. The zones will be based on the distance a parcel travels between 552 sectional centers in the country, Luiten said.

By consulting a chart, available at all post offices, the zone can be readily identified. The first three numbers of the ZIP code represent the sectional center. This replaces a method in which a directory often had to be consulted to locate the proper zone for each of the nation's 33,000 postoffices.

The new rates will range from 40-cents for a three-pound parcel destined for local delivery to 60 cents for the same parcel to zone 3 (150 to 300 miles) to \$1.05 to zone 8 (over 1,800 miles).

The new zoning method also will apply to air parcel post. The new rates are expected to provide an additional \$74-million a year for the post office department. The later size and weight will add another \$32 million a year. The additional revenue is to help keep the department within four per cent of costs on parcel post as the law requires.

Overseas Letters Cost More Now

New international postage rates went into effect May 1, postmaster Earl Luiten said.

An airmail letter to Germany, formerly costing 15 cents for a half ounce, went to 20 cents. One to Central America that was 13 cents is now 15 cents. The half-ounce airmail letter to Japan, Okinawa or other Far Eastern destinations, remains the same at 25 cents.

The rate advances do not apply to mail going to members of the armed services.

Regular mail letters going overseas formerly cost 11 cents for the first ounce. They now require 13 cents in postage. Added ounces after the first one have advanced in cost from seven to eight cents, Luiten noted.

The new schedule calls for a rise in the cost of Aereogramme (like World War II V-mail) from 11 cents to 13 cents.



Mrs. Fred Luiten
Mrs. Luiten's sister
Earls sister

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luiten and Linda were in Cheney Sunday to attend the graduation of Gerald Luiten.

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Postal Workers Also Take Off Thanksgiving

The Ritzville post office will be closed Thanksgiving day.

Postmaster Earl Luiten said employees (and himself) would be home enjoying turkey dinners. Custodial worker Carl Reiff illustrated the event with a poster placed in the building's front door Monday.

Overseas Mail

Deadlines Set

Regular parcel post going to servicemen overseas should be mailed not later than November 23 to reach destinations by Christmas.

This suggestion, and others, was issued this week by postmaster Earl Luiten. He said, air mail parcels should be mailed not later than December 1 through 10.

A law enacted by the 89th Congress permits airlifting of mail to servicemen in three categories, the postmaster continued. The categories are first class mail, sound-recorded communications and parcels not heavier than five pounds and not exceeding 60 inches in length and girth combined. The service is on a space available basis.

The new law also provides that airlift service, if space is available, be given home-town newspapers of weekly or greater frequency of publication.

New Numbers

Are Assigned

Mail Boxes

Boxes on three star routes out of Ritzville will soon have revised numbers.

Postmaster Earl Luiten said he'll notify some 206 boxholders on March 28 of the numbers they're being assigned. Quite a lot of these U. S. mail patrons never had box numbers assigned, Luiten said.

The star routes originating at the Ritzville postoffice are No. 1 with 141 boxes, served by contractor Lester Van Vleet; No. 2 with 32 boxes, served by Patsy Johnston; and No. 101 with 33 boxes, served by Robert Wood. Route 1 leaves Ritzville, goes north through Marellus, on to Weber and return to Ritzville. No. 2 leaves Ritzville for Paha, Faldston and Washitona and return. No. 101 goes to Marengo and Benge and returns to Ritzville.

Postal patrons on the three routes will receive with their new box number assignment the suggestion that they notify the newspaper and magazine publishers from whom they receive issues, as well as their regular correspondents, about their new box numbers.

The postmaster also suggests each patron mark his name on his mail box in letters one inch high. The change-over, Luiten said will help the mail carriers particularly in making quick and sure delivery of mail addressed to hired help on the farms.

Substitute mail carriers for the star route contractors also would have an easier time making the route, if called in during an emergency. And the general public will benefit by identifying rural homes with lettered mail boxes.

Mail Chief Drops

Some Hints

Swift and sure delivery of a flood of Christmas mail can again be assured through cooperation of postoffice patrons.

Postmaster Earl Luiten dropped



Mrs. Tom Underwood, secretary of the Ritzville chamber of commerce, is shown handing a letter to the city's new mail carrier, Lynn Reeve, which thanks Congressman Hal Holmes for helping bring mail carrier service to this city. Looking on at left is Orville Hull, president of the chamber. Reeve received the appointment as carrier following an examination conducted here last week. Bob Maier, a post office employee already, is the other carrier. Maier and Reeve started their new duties Tuesday morning. —Journal-Times photo

Postoffice Offers Zip Code Service

Getting ready for Christmas mailings can begin any time now, as far as the U. S. postoffice is concerned.

Postmaster Earl Luiten said each patron here is receiving two forms in his mail this week. One announces the Ritzville ZIP code as 99169. The other, a fanfold of eight postcards, permits learning the ZIP code number for any correspondent in the USA.

Luiten explained the patron himself addresses the postcard, as he makes his inquiry. Of course, he doesn't know the ZIP code of the correspondent about whom he's inquiring, but the postoffice department will send the card to the town or city anyway.

There the postal staff will rub-ber stamp in the correct zip code number. Then they'll draw an arrow to the upper left hand corner of the card and mark it "Return to Sender."

The postmaster general reports that many postmasters have informed the department that the zip-a-list project is an important aspect in making Christmas mailers aware of the importance of using the codes on their holiday mail.

Another side effect of the zip-a-list project is encouraging early mailing of gifts and cards. This resulted in the most successful holiday season in recent postal history.

Holiday Schedule Set at Postoffice Nov. 11

The U. S. postoffice will be closed tomorrow, Veterans day, postmaster Earl Luiten said. Outgoing mail should be posted by 11 a.m., to go out on the holiday. Postal clerks will distribute incoming mail to postoffice boxes. There will be no city or star route delivery. 11/11/66

These hints as the season or peak mailings approaches: Zip codes are a must on all parcel post mailings.

Enclosing a slip of paper in each parcel, listing the contents and the name and address of the mailer and addressee is better than insurance, and cheaper. Through accident, and infrequently, outside wrappers do become



Earl and Linda Luiten. Linda is on the left, Earl is on the right. 1991 Yes Yes 33 33

Postal Men Take Holiday

Veterans day at the U. S. Post Office will be like any Sunday, postmaster Earl Luiten said Tuesday.

The usual Saturday window service from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., will not be available. But mail will be placed in boxes. No city or route delivery is planned on Veterans day.

Dispatch time for outgoing mail will be 11 a.m.

Luiten added his staff is getting ready for the year's busiest days, now already beginning to be felt. On hand to make religious hearts stamp, "Madonna and Child with Angels." It is a big-stamp-size reproduction of the 15th century painting by the Flemish artist Hans Memling. The original hangs in the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C.

Mail Dispatch at Benge Earlier

A star route time schedule change will keep the mail carrier at Benge an hour and a half shorter time.

Postmaster Earl Luiten said effective Monday the contractor on star route 101 will leave the postoffice at 10 a.m., and reach Benge at 11:10, the same as currently. But instead of waiting till 2:30 to start back to Ritzville, the mail carrier will start back at 1 p.m.

Postoffice Closes

The Ritzville postoffice will be closed Labor day, postmaster Earl Luiten announces. Letters for dispatch that day should be deposited not later than 11:30 a.m.

Snow Shoveling Needed Near Rural Mail Boxes

Farmers have been asked to shovel snow away from rural mail boxes by Postmaster Earl Luiten.

"The rural mail carriers need not get out of their cars to deliver mail," Luiten said, "and as a result of snow-heaped mail boxes, some farm deliveries are not being made."

Better Mail Boxes Asked

Next week will be "Mail Box Improvement Week," postmaster Earl Luiten says.

He hopes postoffice patrons in the rural areas will cast an appraising eye at their mail boxes. There are four standards to be met for satisfactory rating: protect the mail from the weather, neat in appearance, conveniently located, and safe to use.

Top opening boxes are now deemed obsolete, but so long as they are in serviceable condition, and not moved they may continue in use, the postmaster said.

Information for improving mail boxes is available at the post office.

Money Bill Signed, Mailman to Bring Tuesday Parcels

A curtailment in parcel delivery in Ritzville is being restored by the postoffice.

Signing of the department's appropriation bill by President Johnson makes available an \$8.5 million item for six-day delivery, cut back to five days in May of 1964 as an economy measure.

In Ritzville postmaster Earl Luiten chose Tuesday as the least busy of the postoffice's six business days. Many Ritzville business and residential patrons hadn't noticed they never received a package on Tuesday, the postmaster remarked.

At any rate from now on while the eight and a half million dollars lasts, Ritzville patrons will get parcels delivered on Tuesday as well as the other days of the week except Sunday.

4th Closing Set for Postoffice

The Ritzville postoffice will be closed the Fourth of July.

Letters must be posted not later than 10:45 a.m. to be dispatched that day. The star route carrier will come down at the usual time and pretty much just turn around and go back to Spokane.

Patrons requiring postage stamps may serve themselves in the postoffice lobby where coin-operated machines dispense the stickers.

Mail Helps Are Offered

Airmail cards and parcels should be mailed to servicemen overseas no later than December 11, postmaster Earl Luiten said Tuesday. The lead time will assure before-Christmas delivery.

The postmaster asked patrons not to forget to use zip code numbers on all Christmas mail. The zips should appear in both the address and the return address.

All gifts should be packed in sturdy boxes, he continued. Each package mailed should include a slip showing the person receiving the Christmas gift and listing the contents. The precaution permits postal employees to deliver a package on which the cover has been torn or smeared.

In addition to articles normally prohibited in the mails, matches and lighter fluid may not be mailed to overseas military addresses.

Mailing Will Cost More Starting Sunday, Jan. 7

Increased rates for all classes of mail except parcel post and international mail will go into effect January 7, postmaster Earl Luiten reminded postal customers today.

The rate on first class letters will be six cents, Luiten said the new rate for postal cards will be five cents and for air mail postal cards eight cents.

He said the added cent in the letter rate is a 20 per cent increase compared to a 24 per cent boost in the rates for mailing newspapers and magazines and a 34 per cent hike for advertising circulars, "occupant" mail, and other material in the third-class category.

The new rate of six cents per ounce for first-class mail applies up to 13 ounces and the new rate of 10 cents per ounce for air mail applies up to seven ounces. Under the new rate structure all first-class mail over 13 ounces and all air mail over seven ounces will be merged into a single category.

These heavier pieces of first-class mail subject to the single rate schedule will be delivered by the fastest available means of transportation, the local postmaster stated.

Another rate change that will affect the general public is the

Postal Staff Open Window on Saturday

Postoffice windows will be open all day Saturday, postmaster Earl Luiten said. Hours will be 8:30 a.m., to 5 p.m.

The postmaster asks patrons to separate their out-of-town and local letters, using rubber bands available in the postoffice lobby to make faced packages.

The way zip code works to speed mail was explained Monday by postmaster Luiten.

In a terminal such as Spokane, he said, there are two sets of sorting cases. Mail with zip code numbers is routed to one of the sections, mail without zip code numbers goes to the other.

Needed to sort mail at the station handling un-zipped letters is a skilled postal employee of many years experience. He must have a memory of a nationwide scheme historically used to dispatch mail, Luiten explained.

The experienced employees are always at a premium in such big terminal centers. The way the postoffice handles a bulge in mail volume, such as the Christmas season, is to add on inexperienced help.

Anyone who can read numbers can case zip-coded mail.

Others causes slow the mails, Luiten remarked that the mail's arrival from Spokane on December 6 was delayed until 11:20 a.m., because of numerous accidents along the freeway which was covered with glare ice. The star route contractor had to wait a full hour at one place for an accident to be cleared up.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luiten were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Luiten and sons of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel, Karen and John of Brewster, and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Krudwig, David and Karla of Pasco.

Closings Planned

George Washington's birthday, in Washington state, means a holiday for quite a few people. Ritzville schools will be closed, and have decided to stay closed the day after, Friday of next week. The banks here, and the courthouse will be closed too.

Postoffice service will be that usually offered on holidays. Mail will be dispatched at 11 a.m. Incoming mail to patrons with postoffice boxes will be distributed.

And you can buy stamps from the postoffice lobby, after a fashion. The Journal-Times will be published a day early — on Wednesday — so that subscribers will receive their papers. Advertisers and news correspondents are asked for early copy.

Postmaster Earl Luiten said the department plans to change over the coin-operated stamp dispensing machine in the lobby here. Until that time patrons may still buy a 5-cent stamp for a nickel, five 5-cent stamps for a quarter, or two 4-cent stamps for a dime.

Post Offices Under Threat of Closures

There is a possibility that five of the eight post offices in Adams county will be closed.

Ritzville postal officials said that they didn't have any firsthand information about the possible closures which have been threatened by the postmaster general Watson in Washington, D. C.

Ritzville postmaster Earl Luiten noted that the threat is apparently to third and fourth class offices. There is one third class office in the county. It is at Washncona.

There are four fourth class offices at Benge, Cunningham, Harton and Ralston. Even if the threat materializes in its present form it would not substantially affect second class offices in Ritzville and Lind or the first class office in Othello. There might be some further cutback in Saturday service according to one story.

The postmaster said that to be second class a post office must have money receipts in a fiscal year of roughly \$57,000.00. A first class office must have money receipts of about \$75,000.00.

He explained that money receipts represent mainly receipts in postage sales.

Ladies Candidates for EWCE Degrees

Two persons from Ritzville are candidates for bachelor of arts in education degrees at Eastern Washington College of Education.

One is Mrs. Orinda Luiten and the other is Mrs. Jacqueline Stolz. Both are graduates of Ritzville high school.

The women are scheduled to graduate at the close of the winter quarter, December 18, registrar C. W. Quinley, jr., announced.

to make the popular 6-cent demonstration. So stampless people must donate three cents to the good cause, by affixing a four- and a five-cent stamp to a letter they wish to mail.

Parcel Post Rates Go Up on Saturday

Postmaster Earl H. Luiten reminded postal customers today that higher parcel post and catalog rates will go into effect Saturday, October 19.

The rate increase will average 10.5 per cent and in most cases will mean an additional 10-cents postage per parcel.

The higher rates were approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission in July.

Under the new rates the minimum charge for local parcel delivery will go from 40 to 50 cents. The minimum charge for parcels destined outside the local delivery area will be raised from 50 cents to 60 cents.

Almost all parcels that are charged up to \$1.10 under present rates will go up 10-cents. This accounts for more than 80 per cent of all parcel post, Postmaster Luiten pointed out.

There will be a 15-cent hike on most parcels now charged between \$1.10 and \$4, and a 20-cent increase on parcels now charged over \$4.

Parcel post rates are based on the weight of the package and the distance it is mailed.

Higher rates for the delivery of packages and catalogs are required to bring revenue from this type of mail within four per cent of operating costs, as required by law, Postmaster Luiten explained. The higher rates are designed to put parcels and catalogs, which are fourth-class mail, on a break-even basis.

Additional revenue is needed from parcel post and catalogs to offset higher costs resulting from pay increases approved last year for postal employees.

Mailing Dates Issued Here by Post Office

Deadlines for holiday mailing are coming up rapidly, Postmaster Earl Luiten said this week.

He offered these suggestions and dates:

Both parcels and cards should be mailed early, marked clearly with a return address and ZIP code. An address and list of contents should be placed inside packages, he said, in case "your package winds up under a ton of encyclopedias."

Luiten particularly asked the young people to include their return addresses on cards.

"While we know most parents' names," he said, "it is difficult to know all of the children's names and street addresses."

Gifts need to be mailed before these dates:

November 23 for parcels of less than five pounds going as space-available mail (SAM) to servicemen abroad.

December 2 for parcel post to distant states;

December 14 for airmail packages to Europe;

December 14 for parcels sent by regular mail to nearby areas.

Greeting cards must get into the mail by:

November 23 for surface mail to Europe;

December 11 for regular mail to distant states;

December 16 to nearby areas;

December 19 for airmail to Europe.

For Christmas cards to servicemen overseas, the postmaster advised allowing three or four days longer than normal airmail delivery.

Postage on Christmas cards will be the same as that for normal letters.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luiten were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luiten and son of Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luiten of Ritzville, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Luiten and sons, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel and children, Brewster, and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Krudwig of Pasco.



Chief Mailman
Postmaster Earl Luiten expects the annual deluge of mail to begin next Wednesday. He said the post office expects to process more mail in the 13 following days than they do in most months.—Journal-Times photo

Earl & Luitens

SIGNATURE	Postmaster - Ritzville	
BIRTH DAY	Born 1886	
BIRTH PLACE	Spangon - Mann B. in Ritzville	
FATHER	Fred Luitens	MARRIED in Ritzville 1909
MOTHER	Anna Burghard Luitens	MARRIED in Ritzville 1909
	Bro - Elmer Luitens	1928
	Bro - Everett Luitens	1935
	Sis - Ona Brewster Luitens	1931
	Mrs. Charis Krudwig	1934
	Da - Linda	1964



Golden Wedding Anniversary Celebrated by Fred Luitens

Open house was held Sunday afternoon at the American Legion Memorial hall in Ritzville, honoring the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luitens.

The reception was from 2 until 4.

Hosts and hostesses were their children and their families. Anna Burghard Luitens was born in Ritzville, her parents coming here in 1889. Fred Luitens was born in Glengo, Minn., and came to Ritzville at the age of one year, in 1887.

Both families were pioneers of Adams county. The Luitens were married in Ritzville in 1909 by the Rev. H. Wittrock and have lived here since, farming near Marcellus until 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Luitens have five children: Elmer Luitens, Cheney; Earl Luitens, Ritzville; Everett Luitens, Seattle; Mrs. Charles Kittel, Brewster, and Mrs. Karl Krudwig, of Pasco.

THEY HAVE nine grandchildren.

All were present at the reception but one granddaughter who could not attend, her husband being in the armed services and stationed in Alabama.

The program consisted of musical numbers by John Kittel, Gerald Luitens, David and Karla Krudwig.

The Rev. A. F. Wagner read the marriage vows and ended with a prayer.

Pouring and serving were their nieces. Cutting the cake were Mrs. Lawrence Arlt, Mrs. Orval Luitens, and Mrs. Harry Jablonske.

Pouring were Mrs. Ruddy Hintz and Mrs. Clifford Walker. Mrs. Paul Meyer, Mrs. Neil Hughes and Mrs. Everett Luitens were at the punch bowl.

Granddaughters, Karen Kittel, Linda Luitens and Karla Krudwig, were in charge of the guest book.

Two of Mr. Luitens' three brothers, Jake Luitens of Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Luitens of Spangle, were present. Mr. and Mrs. John Luitens were unable to attend because of her illness.

Also joining the couple were their bridesmaid, Mrs. Henry Amen, and their best man, Mr. Luitens' brother, Gerhard Luitens of Spangle.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Jonnie Luitens, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Erling, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jurick, Harry Burghard, Rosa Kramer, Mary Cordes, Martha Cordes Ochs, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Luitens, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Luitens, Mr. and Mrs. F. Brickley and son and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jablonski and family, all of Spokane.

FROM DAVENPORT were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Luitens, Mike, Dale and Wanda Luitens, Jacob Luitens, Orlen Luitens, Mr. and Mrs. Erroy Luitens, Sue Luitens.

Luitens Visitors

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luitens Sunday included their sons, a daughter and grandchildren. Guests were Mr. and Mrs.

Elmer Luitens of Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel of Brewster, Mr. and Mrs. John Kittel of Pullman, Dennis Luitens of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luitens.

New Truck Arrives for Post Office Here

Ritzville became the proud possessor of a brand new and up-to-date red, white and blue truck for delivering letters, packages, special delivery and the like late last week.

Local post office employees, Del Logsdon, D. L. Geshcke and Lynn Reeve in particular, will be operating it.

Mailing Dates for Overseas Promulgated

"Packages for servicemen and others in certain overseas areas should be mailed now," postmaster Earl Luitens said this week.

Luitens gave these dates for effective mailing:

Far East, surface packages, October 15, and air mail packages, December 10.

Near East and Africa, November 1 for surface and December 10 for air.

Europe, South America and Central America, November 15 for surface packages and December 14 if the parcels are sent by air.

Canada and Mexico bound gifts should depart by December 5 if surface mail is used and by December 16 by air.

"Letters and greeting cards should be posted no later than five days after the above dates for delivery in other countries before Christmas," the postmaster concluded.

Postal Receipts Show Gain in '68

Postal receipts in 1968 were more than 10 per cent ahead of 1967, Postmaster Earl Luitens said this week.

Luitens noted \$60,022.98 in receipts for 1968 as compared with \$53,669.32 in 1967.

The local post office crew cancelled 566,520 letters and parcels last year as compared with 547,851 during the previous year.

ten, Doug Luitens and Olan Rawnt.

Guests from Odessa were Mr. and Mrs. Orval Luitens, Ramona Meise, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Burghard, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schorzman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schorzman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wraspr and Alfred Luitens.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Kahler were from Hooper, Mrs. Alex Breitghart, Yakima; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Luitens, Jane and Richard of Coulee Dam; Bob Kramer, Harrington; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Lee, Sprague; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Luitens, and Gerhard Luitens of Lamona.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Hintz, Moses Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Luitens, Michael and Dennis of Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luitens, Cheney; Gerald Luitens, Pullman; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel, Karen and John, Brewster, and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Krudwig, David and Karla of Pasco.

Postmaster Claims Snow Makes for Early Mailers

Snow changes people's mailing habits according to Ritzville postmaster Earl Luiten.

"When they (the public) see snow start to fall, they come in to mail out their Christmas cards and packages in droves," he said. "I guess the snow stimulates the Christmas spirit."

The Christmas spirit will be well stimulated this year as far as postal employees in town are concerned, he said. "Every year around Christmas time, people start getting a little friendlier — a little more considerate."

If they do, the post office employees will need all the consideration they can get as they sift through and deliver the more than 65 thousand letters and parcels they'll get from the 11th of the month to the 23rd.

Luiten said that heavy as the mail will be, it probably will not be as great as past years. "People don't mail as many Christmas cards as they used to. 'I would know why exactly,' but I would guess it would be the increase in the postal rates," he said.

He said the heaviest load of outgoing mail the local office had to deliver came in 1963 when the postmen staggered under a deluge of 70,862 letters and parcels. This came in 1963, he said.

Although each of the eight men in the post office is capable of carrying mail, with part time and extra help, Luiten said it would not be necessary. The postmaster said that the critical period comes in the last two weeks before Christmas and drops off sharply after that.

He said that post offices in the past had hired many extra men and women to handle this rush, but found that it took too long to train new personnel and it was cheaper and more efficient to let the present employees work overtime and shoulder as much of the burden as possible.

Improved methods of handling mail have helped tremendously, he said. Machines have cut large hunks out of the postal budget.

He said that they have not cut enough out, however. The federal postal department runs at a loss nearly every year.

The volume of mail has shifted as far as overseas deliveries are concerned said Luiten. A few generations back, many of the local residents had relatives in "the old country" and would send letters and packages to them every year around Christmas. Now when a local resident sends something overseas, he said it is more likely to be a serviceman stationed there.

He said most of the mailing to servicemen has been done. The deadline for mail or packages getting to Viet Nam, for instance, has passed. Of course if someone wanted to pay the extra cost of air mail, he said their message or gift could still reach the addressee. But he cautioned, it must be sent before December 12 and not be more than five pounds.

During this Yule season, Luiten said his carriers will pick up at least a few letters to the jolly red-suited inhabitant of the North Pole. These will be turned over to the Journal-Times for publication, he said.

In order to keep abreast of the work, Luiten said the men will be working overtime. During that 13 day "critical period" they will show up for work on Sunday. "We'll be making deliveries all the way up to closing time Christmas Eve," he said.

None of the men seem to mind this extra load and as proof of this statement, Luiten cited the six year period where no regularly employed carrier has left the local post office.

He harkened back to the Christmas spirit, which he attributes to the cheerful attitude displayed by his workers.

Foul weather is one of the banes on the existence of a mailman. "One carrier we have walks at least 13 miles a day—in all kinds of weather." He said that weather has posed some problems for local mailmen in the past, but none that they couldn't solve. "The weather has never stopped us and never will," he promised.

Ritzville residents are in the habit of mailing their cards and gifts early. "Years ago, they would hold the local mail until the last minute, but now they're pretty early." This, he added is a great help to the local office.

Another change has been in the use of zip codes on everything. He said the town and the nation had a difficult time accepting the zip code, "but now they use it whenever they can." He cited one example of a man that calls the post office two or three times a week asking for zip codes that are kept on file at the office. "This is the kind of thing we appreciate," he said.

Zip codes are important for many reasons, he said. Perhaps the most important is the speed of the letter that is mailed. A New York mailman unfamiliar with Ritzville can place it on a map even if nothing but the town, street address and zip code are on the envelope.

Of the code's five digits, the first gives the mailman the state, the second, the part of the state, the third, the main distribution center in that part of the state, the fourth, the city of the addressee, the last, the post office within the city.

The zip code helps the local post office in saving time figuring out what distribution center to send outgoing mail, said Luiten.

Though no figures are kept on the incoming mail, Luiten said he is sure that it is at least as much as its sent out. He said the average load one carrier makes is in the neighborhood of 1500 items a day.

Family Group Honors Fred Luiten Birthday

The birthday of Fred Luiten was celebrated Sunday with a dinner in his honor hosted by his wife.

Guests invited to help celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Luiten, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luiten, Cheney; Mrs. Karl Krudwig, Pasco; Michael Luiten and Linda Luiten, Pullman; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luiten.



All Sorts of Mail

Lawrence Hoffman, Ritzville postal employee, sifts through the early Christmas mail which postmaster Earl Luiten says is done faster and more efficiently.

by employees like Hoffman than by training new men to handle the annual rush. —Journal-Times photo



Mayor Speaks

Mayor William Thiel (far left) is speaking to the large audience which attended the postoffice dedication ceremonies at the American Legion hall Saturday as some of the others who participated in the event look on. Sitting, from left, are Fred Slipper, Edaward G. Cross, S. E. Edwards, Adrian L. Maloney, postoffice field service officer, Leonard Jansen, Rev. R. W. Rieger, Rev. Lester Jansen and Earl Luiten.

—Journal-Times photo



Postoffice Interior

Rudy Thaut (left), postmaster S. E. (Skee) Edwards and Earl local residents will participate in the dedication program, in-
Luiten are shown at work in the new Ritzville postoffice to be including Edward G. Cross as master of ceremonies, Mrs. Lillian
formally dedicated beginning at 1:30 p.m. Saturday. Adrian L. Miller, chamber of commerce president, and Mayor William Thiel.
Maloney, field service officer, will be guest speaker as a repre-
sentative of the postmaster general in Washington, D. C. Several

—Journal-Times photo



A Christmas Sale

Ho-N-Gro Garden club members sold out quickly, with Christmas decorating materials, and baked goods such as these shown at WWP office Saturday morning before sale officially started. Sale workers are shown

behind counter, from left, Mrs. Lucy Weber, Mrs. Dan Roloff, Mrs. Elsie Schweer, Mrs. Anna Schwisow and Mrs. Fred Luiten.

—Journal-Times photo

ONNA LUITEN

Mrs. Charita Kittel - 1937

Wife Member

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SIGNATURE	Brewster, Wash	
BIRTH DAY	Born in 1886	
BIRTH PLACE	Ritzville	
FATHER	Fred J. Luiten	Aug. 18, 1856
MOTHER	Anna Barbara Luiten	Sept. 18, 1856
	Bro. Emma	1928
	Earl	1931
	Sis. Marie	1934
	Bo. Beverly	1935

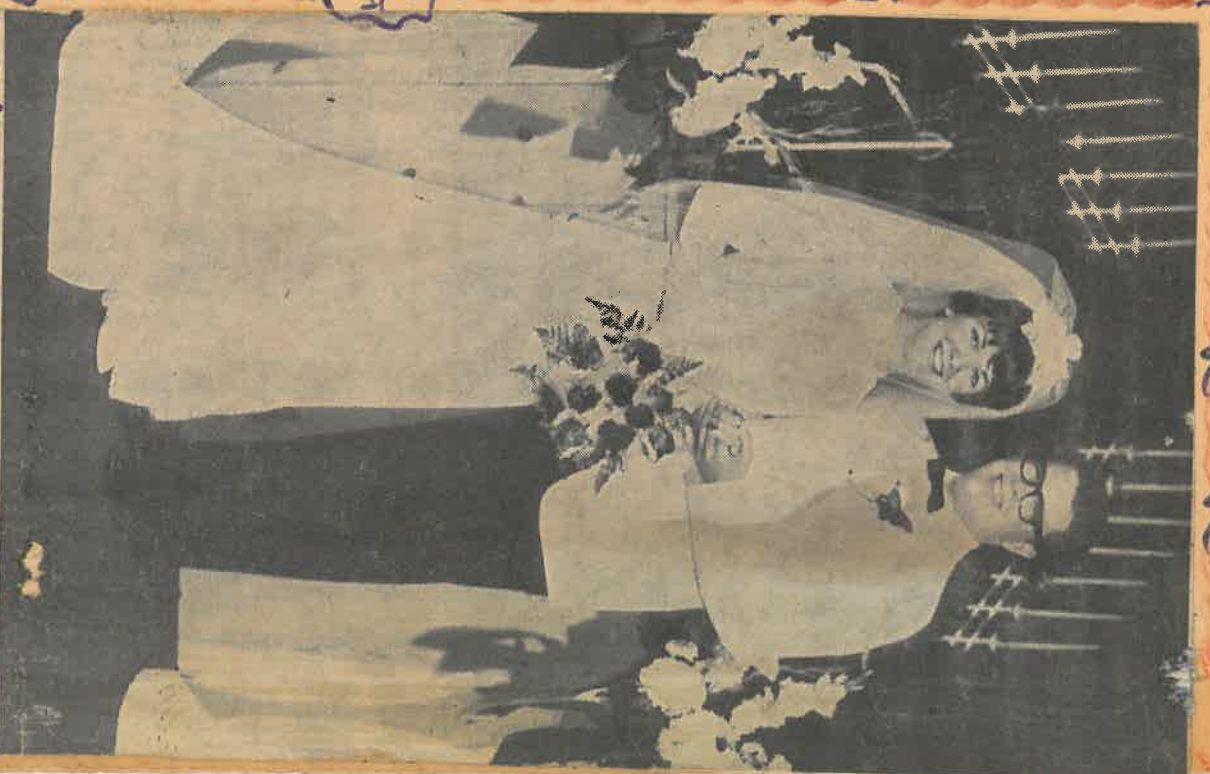
married in 1909
Ritzville
Pasco, Wash.
824-10 Yakima St.
Ritzville
Postmaster
Ritzville

McRae Addresses Auxiliary Unit

Members of the Ritzville Memorial Hospital auxiliary heard Ray McRae, hospital administrator, speak at their meeting Tuesday afternoon in the auxiliary rooms. He expressed thanks for the work of the auxiliary and stated that the money recently donated by the group will be applied to the purchase of new equipment. He also spoke of the proposed remodeling of the hospital.

Local Folks Back from Trip South

Mrs. Fred Luiten and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Krudwig and family of Pasco returned Wednesday from a 3,200-mile trip. Mrs. Luiten and the Krudwigs left July 14. While on the trip, they stopped to see the Grand canyon, Bryce and Zion canyons. The next stop was San Diego, Calif., and the ocean. From there they went on to Los Angeles where Mr. Krudwig visited his sister. Then they returned home to Ritzville.



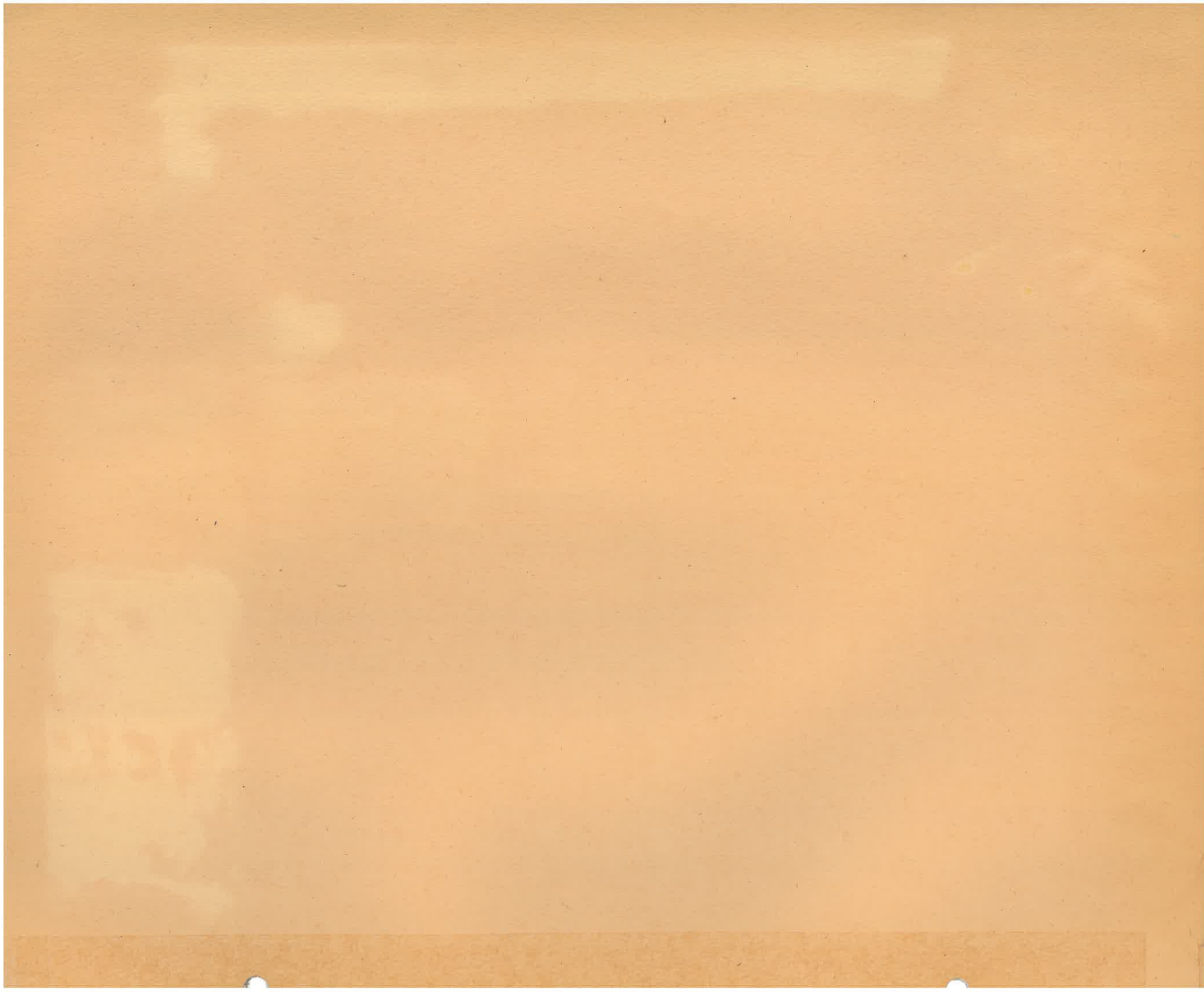
MR. AND MRS. JOHN FREDERICK KITTEL
Ladd photo.

Their Son Kittels at Home in Pullman

Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick Kittel are at home in Pullman where he attends Washington State university. They were married September 21 at the Brewster Community Log church. The Rev. Ray B. Glassner officiated. The bride, formerly Gerry Lovelle Hogan, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hogan. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kittel. All are Brewster residents. Among the wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luiten, grandparents of the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luitel.



Coastmaster 1964
Charita McRae



WINTON MILLER

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Winton Miller - No 912

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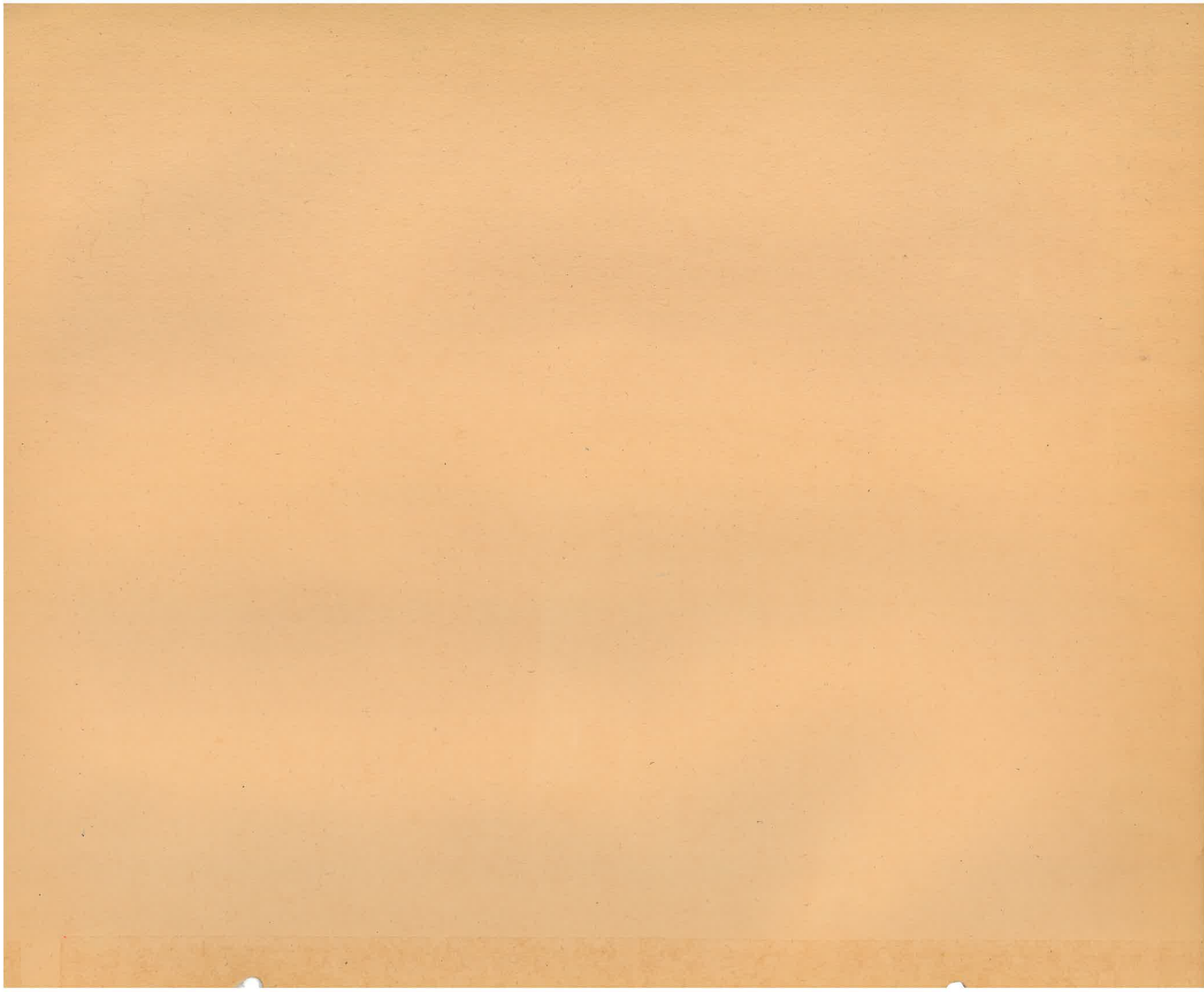
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FATHER

Wm J. Miller

MOTHER

Prof Owen Deenas 1927



ANNITA NUETZMA=

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wife member

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Sostr Bend, Wash in 1950

BIRTH DAY

BIRTH PLACE

FATHER Hedwig

MOTHER

Sis Martha Deceased 1939

1933

Bro - Wilbert 1934

4959-11th NW Seattle, WA

✓ Benno 1937

4149-Phinney Ave Seattle, 3-

✓ Edmer Fremont 1937

31312 Magee Ln

✓ Herbert Edmonds 1939

Edmonds Wash. Refiner

Printer

Sis-Karen 1940

Mrs Adam Fuchter 24-87 2509 4th Street, Calif

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Trailer Caravaners Are Touring Canada

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pfann have found an historical museum in Canada very similar to the one proposed for Ritzville.

Mrs. Pfann wrote her friend and the Ritzville chamber of commerce president, Mrs. Leone Underwood, about the Western Development museum at Saskatoon, Sask.

"We were astounded at the amount of items that they had," writes Mrs. Pfann. "They had about 150 old-time threshing machines and steam engines; 250 old automobiles dating from 1902 to 1930, and many, many items from the pioneer era.

Mrs. Pfann sent a newspaper filled with historical informa-

tion of the prairie wheat producing area, originally settled by a group of temperance believers of the Methodist church. The Ritzville travelers, with trailer, are part of a caravan touring western Canada.

Their trip started by joining about 25 Washington trailers in a trip to Cadillac, Mich. An international rally of trailer owners attracted 2,828 trailers there.

Following the convention some 172 of the trailer couples started on the tour of western Canada. The Pfanns wrote that at Lloydminster, where the caravan stopped the same night "they rolled out the red carpet for us and put on a wonderful program, bagpipe, band, etc.

"Our next stop will be Edmonton where some more fine entertainment is planned, including Canadian tauto, Royal Canadian Mounted police and band music. The Canadians are very hospitable and friendly."

Included in the letter were snapshots of exhibits at two Canadian museums the travelers had visited. They hoped the material would provide suggestions for the National Wheat Museum project proposed here.

Mrs. Pfann wrote that she and Harold aren't homesick yet, and they expect to be home late in August or early in September.

HAROLD PFANN

Pfanns Find Daughter's Pen Pal Near Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pfann returned last week from a four-month vacation which took them to California and Hawaii.

Highlight of their entire vacation was locating Henry Akimoto, a young Japanese man who had been their daughter Jeanne's pen pal from the fifth grade into college years.

Mrs. Mildred Tanner, Jeanne's fifth grade teacher, had given out names of prospective pen pals to her students. Through the years Jeanne and Henry corresponded. In the last few years no contacts had been made.

Pfann knew only the young chap's name, since his father's name and address had long ago been misplaced. She laboriously went through the Honolulu telephone directory calling Akimotos, and asking if Henry resided there. She felt sure Akimoto is as common a Japanese name as Smith is in the United States.

Many calls later she came in contact with Henry's aunt. She in turn, gave the Pfanns Henry's address, at Aiea, a suburb of Honolulu.

Ross Pfann visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pfann, over the weekend. \$1158

"NATURE'S LOVING PROXY, THE WATCHFUL MOTHER"

(Author's Name Below)

Babies are little tots who need much loving care. Fortunately, God gives us Mothers to watch over them.

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Most important of all, Mothers can now have less fear should any attacking viruses threaten baby's health. In our pharmacy are the wonderful anti-biotics physicians prescribe, that often overnight bring back baby's health.

YOUR PHYSICIAN CAN PHONE 393 5158 WHEN YOU NEED A MEDICINE.

A great many people entrust us with their prescriptions. May we compound yours?

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Trailer Fans to Congregate

An international rally of over 1,000 people traveling in trailers is the destination of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pfann as they leave today for Gresham, Ore.

About 500 to 700 trailers are expected for the weekend of entertainment planned by the Air-stream company, manufacturer of the trailers.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brendt of Jacksonville, Fla., have been visiting here with the Pfanns and will caravan to Gresham with them. The Brandts have just completed a caravan into Canada on the Caribou trail.

Following the Gresham rally they will go to Longview for a Washington state rally for a week and will see the annual paper festival. Then with the Brandts the Pfanns will caravan to Tokeland for salmon and crab fishing. While there they will visit with the Clarence Bushnells, the parents of their daughter Jean's husband.

Attend Trailer Rally

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pfann were among the members of the Wally Byam Caravan club attending that trailer organization's 11th international rally at Grand Island, Neb., June 27 to July 4. 68

Boat Club Holds Sunday Cruise

The Big Bend Boating club held a Sunday cruise on the Columbia and Snake rivers last Sunday. Attending were the Art Hoefels, Al Kramers, Ey Herings and relatives, George Kubiks, Harold Pfanns and guests, and William Moellers.

The cruise included a visit at the Walla Walla Yacht club on Lake Wallula and the Ice Harbor dam on the Snake. Plans are underway for an overnight cruise on Lake Roosevelt this coming weekend.

European Trip Slides Shown by Schwisow

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwisow entertained guests Friday evening with slides they had taken on their trip to Europe.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Oestreich, Mr. and Mrs. Con Pfanning, Mrs. Elsie Ashcraft, Opal Thompson, William Wellsandt, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pfann and Bert Kendrick. 31

Another Cruise Is Scheduled by Boat Club for August 17

Eighteen boats and 71 people turned out for the third cruise of the summer held by Big Bend Boating last Sunday on Lake Roosevelt.

The cruise party launched its boats at the state park at Miles and went up the lake about 15 miles to one of the many camp sites.

An unexpected tour was a big event of the afternoon for four of the boaters.

Startin gout to explore the Spokane river the two boats and four men reached the powerhouse at the base of the dam at Little Falls.

THEY had a look into the production end of electric power when they went in looking for a cool drink of water.

Fine weather and smooth water combined to make it an interesting and pleasant afternoon for all, with a picnic, water skiing and swimming for recreation.

The smallest "cruiser" in the party was five month old Davy Ann Brown, daughter of the Avery Browns of Odessa. Neither the water nor the long boat ride seemed to bother her.

Brown later said that she had received her first boat ride when she was only three weeks old and she has been going ever since. Plans were laid at a club meeting Monday night for two more such cruises this month.

PFANN TO MOVE

Harold Pfann said today he hopes to move "most" of his drug store into a new building across Main street during the July 4 weekend.

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The biggest of the cruises will be an overnight affair to be held on Lake Chelan August 23 and 24, although some are planning to go over earlier.

Mrs. Bill Franks was appointed chairman in charge of planning the details of the cruise and those interested in it may contact her for arrangements.

Sunday the group again will launch at the Keller Ferry park, north of Wilbur, with prospects of going to Sampoil bay or back down the lake to Grand Coulee dam.

The park at Grand Coulee has been a special attraction for the group since the cruise several weeks ago. It offers clean water and good facilities for such outings.

Harold Pfann presented slides about the two previous cruises made on Lake Roosevelt and a movie on family cruising was shown.

The cruise party Sunday will leave the Rizville city park at 8 a.m. and all boaters in the Big Bend area are welcome.

The club is still making efforts to interest boaters in Spargue, Lind and all parts of the Big Bend since the club is designed for the whole area.

Those attending the Sunday cruise were: Leon Bafus with family and guests, Warren Wilkinson and family, Everett Herring and family, Ray Myer, Les Sietlaf and family, Bill Franks and

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Pfann Posts Voting List

Complete registration and voting information for this area is posted in Pfann's Rexall Drug Store on Main avenue in Rizville.

Voters in this locality will find information there concerning who must register, where and when they must register and where they can vote. Harold Pfann is providing this information as part of a national public service program by Rexall druggists.

"We have put up this bulletin board," Pfann said, "because we want to make it easy for those who can vote to know how to go about it. People move, they become newly eligible, or they want to exercise their voting privilege for the first time and often don't know the mechanics of voting."

SEE YOU AT THE FAIR

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New Revlon Futureama Case With Lipstick . . . \$1.25

Makes All Other Lipsticks Old Fashioned (You Save 35c on each Lipstick Refill)

Dorothy Gray Cold Cream, Dry Skin Cleanser

Orange Flower Lotion, Texture Lotion . . . 1/2 Price

Parker "21" Pen & Pencil Set . . . \$7.95

Special . . . regular \$9.70

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The Rexall Store

City Accepts Street Bid

Work Begins on LID Soon, Says Bidder

The city council Tuesday evening accepted the \$239,-286.44 bid of Inland Asphalt company of Spokane to lay storm sewer pipes and pave streets in the College hill section of Ritzville.

Bob Carroll, vice president of the paving company, said that work will probably begin about April 15. It is expected the contract will be signed late this week.

Inland Asphalt submitted the apparent low bid of 13 contractors seeking to do all or part of the work. But councilmen were quick to point out Tuesday evening that the bid price will not be all of the total cost.

ON TOP OF THE contractor's bid will be added such costs as consulting engineer Walt Woodward's fee of eight per cent of the bid price, a four per cent state sales tax, attorneys' fees, clerical and publishing fees. Woodward said the additional cost will be about 17 per cent of the bid or \$40,670.

This will mean that the total cost of the project will be about \$280,000, which is approximately \$23,000 less than the last \$303,000 estimate given the council by Woodward.

Woodward said reductions on the preliminary assessments sent to property owners in the local improvement districts earlier could amount to as much as eight to 10 per cent, depending on whether curbs will be removed and new ones built on each individual's property.

Carroll, who also is a superintendent for Inland Asphalt, said underground work on sewers would begin between April 15 and 20. About May 1, he said, the company will begin to remove curbs and this work should last until the first week in July. Rock crushing will begin in mid-June.

BETWEEN July 10 and September 1, grading and paving will be done. September 15 was the completion date set by Inland Asphalt in the bid.

Carroll said that at the peak of the work during the summer, about 50 men would be needed on the job. He said the average crew will be about 35 workers. Councilman G. E. Bentz requested that Carroll use as many qualified local men on the project as he could. Carroll indicated he would.

Woodward asked at the meeting that all persons outside the boundaries of the LID who want to be included to make application in the city clerk's office within the next week. He will consider the applications to see if it will be feasible to include each of the areas in the project.

PEOPLE IN THE city limits and next to the district can come into the project with the approval of the council, he explained. Persons outside the city limits must put up cash for the total cost of the project in their areas if they are accepted in the program, Woodward said.

Joe Jaeger, Harold Pfann, Lawrence Mark and Mamie Allert have signed a petition to bring Par drive into the LID.

Other bids were:
Sather and Sons of Spokane, \$267,913.56; Max J. Kiney company of Spokane, \$292,128.36; Jeta M. Keith of Pasco, \$292,813.56; DeBrisio Brothers of Yakima, \$296,487.22; L. W. Vail company of Pasco, \$298,882.24; F. R. Hewitt of Spokane, \$331,-

Harold Pfann said their song should have been—"Slow me the way to go home"

SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	
WEDDING PLACE	
FATHER	
MOTHER	E. Henry
	Bro - Sister
	MARRIED State of Greenwald 1927
	Da - Jeanne
	1129 Danakey Way 1961
	Son - Ross - (Redwood City, Calif) 1956

Mrs. Pfann Tells of 4 Seminars at Circle Meeting

Mrs. Harold Pfann gave a report on seminars of the American Lutheran church when the Eunice circle met Wednesday, April 19, in the Emmanuel Lutheran church basement.

She reported that nearly 1,000 men are being trained at the four seminars of the ALC. An offering was received for Christian higher education in the Synod.

The ALC, in cooperation with other Lutheran churches in the National Lutheran council, also supports a ministry to the students at colleges and universities other than those owned and operated by the church.

Mrs. Rudy Koch led the group in the prayer study, based on the prayer life of Moses.

Mrs. Otto Halwas presided over the business meeting. The Eunice circle will be in charge of serving the refreshments at the mother-daughter dessert on Friday, May 5, at 7:30 p.m.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Vern Schwisow and Mrs. Roy Johnston.

Tame those Tigers!

We're hoping you'll "tame" those Tigers in a fast, hard-hitting game of football Friday night. We're hoping your homecoming event will be victorious for you.

And when you want to "tame" an illness, your doctor is the place to go. Bring his prescription to us for expert, careful handling. Gifts and drug items are in abundance here, too!



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The Rexall Store

Quarterback Harold Pfann Always Thinks Ahead



Mrs. Otto Halwas led the group in the prayer study and the worship offering meditation. Mrs. Harold Pfann reported on the work of the American Lutheran church in the area of Lutheran cooperation. Mrs. President, Mrs. Otto Halwas, gave a report on the Emmanuel Lutheran Church Women's spring conference that was held recently at Wilbur.

Ross Pfann to Teach Under CWCE Program

Ross Pfann of Ritzville will be one of 98 student teachers from Central Washington College of Education at Ellensburg who will receive on-the-spot training in seven school districts in the state during the winter quarter.

Dr. Roy Ruebel, director of student teaching at CWCE, said Pfann is assigned to the Bellevue school system this quarter as one of the final steps in a teacher training program.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

1 BOX FREE

WITH ANY

3 BOXES PURCHASED

UNTIL DECEMBER 1

PFANN'S PHARMACY

The Rexall Store



Posters Put Up

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Mrs. E. W. Lupton (second from right), chairman of the Music Week activities being planned for next week, is presenting one of 50 posters to be displayed in local businesses to Harold Pfann, owner of Pfann's Pharmacy. The posters will list questions to be answered in a guessing contest. The six residents with the largest number of total points in two categories will be awarded cash prizes. Working with Mrs. Lupton and the chamber of commerce retail trades committee on Music Week plans are Mrs. Rudolph Koch (left) and Mrs. Phillip Whitman. —Journal-Times photo



NEW PHARMACY

Harold Pfann is shown looking over his new drug store which he now is occupying. The building was constructed by W. J. Eckhardt, contractor. Reflected in the window of the new Rexall store is Pfann's former location across Main avenue in the Gritman building. —Journal-Times photo.

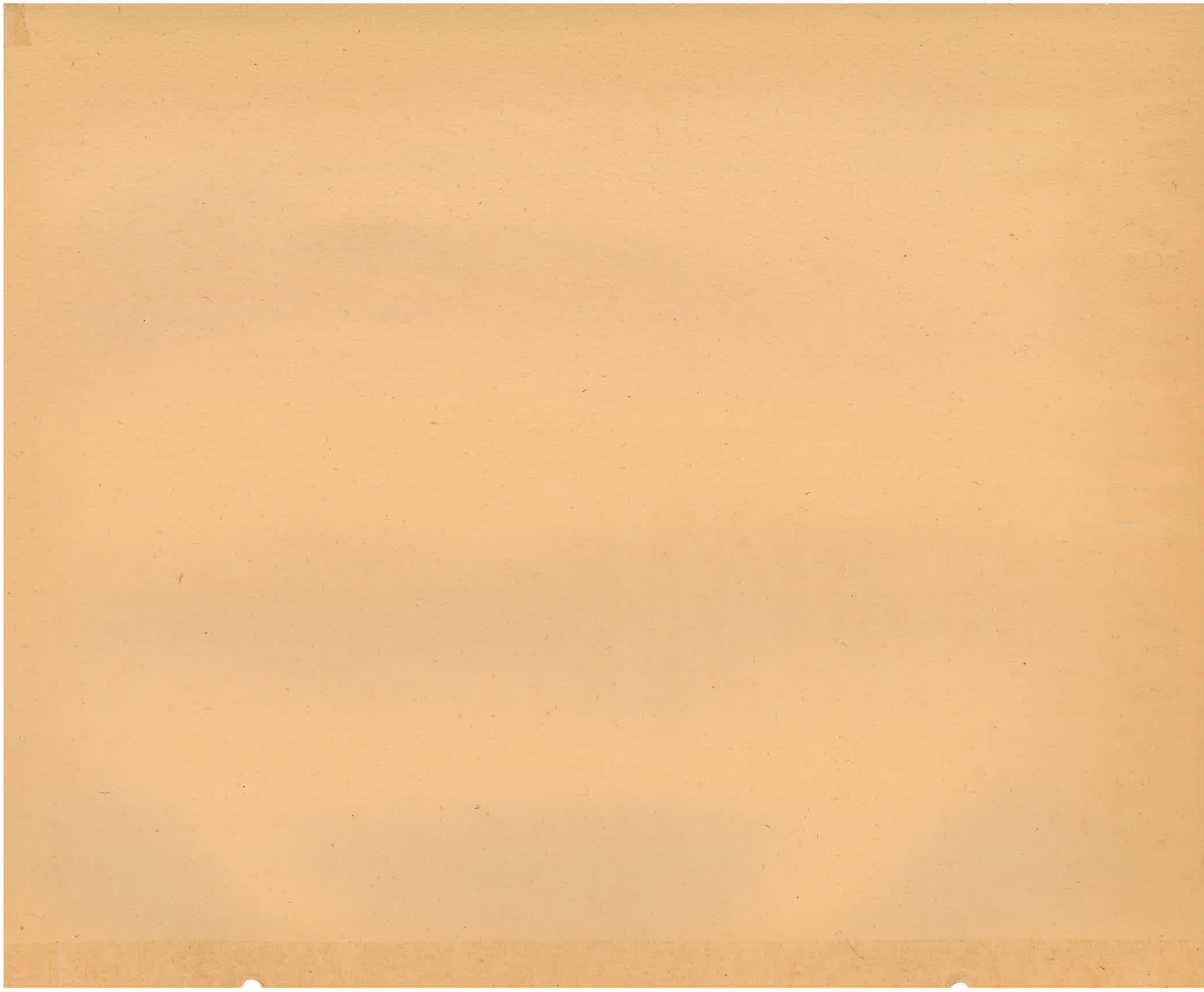


DORIS PROCTER

Miss Mark Freshman

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SIGNATURE	<i>Doris Procter</i>
BIRTH DAY	1921 Garfield, Salt Lake City, Utah
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Waffiman Procter - 1911
MOTHER	Pearl Farmer Procter - 1911 5151 Kirkwood Brook Park, O. A. Seattle - 1933



LAURA RIEKER

Mrs. Robert Hansen

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SIGNATURE	Laura Robin Hansen
BIRTH PLACE	Bishop Calif in 1950
BIRTH DAY	June 23 rd 1913
BIRTH PLACE	Antioch
FATHER	Chris Rieker
MOTHER	Dis-Freda { Mrs Edmer Luitem 1928 Mrs Oscar Adams in 1927
	✓ Esther Monterey-Calif. 1935
	Mrs Mayna E. Rosenoff -
	Daughter - Christine Hanson Antioch

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HAZEL SCHAEFER

Life Member

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day.
Miss Hazel Schaefer is vacationing for two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Sam Schaefer and brother, Ralph Schaefer. Miss Schaefer is from Bakersfield, Cal.

SIGNATURE
BIRTH DAY 10-27-41 Bakersfield, Calif. 1950
BIRTH PLACE
FATHER Sam
MOTHER Mrs. (Lillian) Schaefer 1021-4th St Bakersfield, Calif.



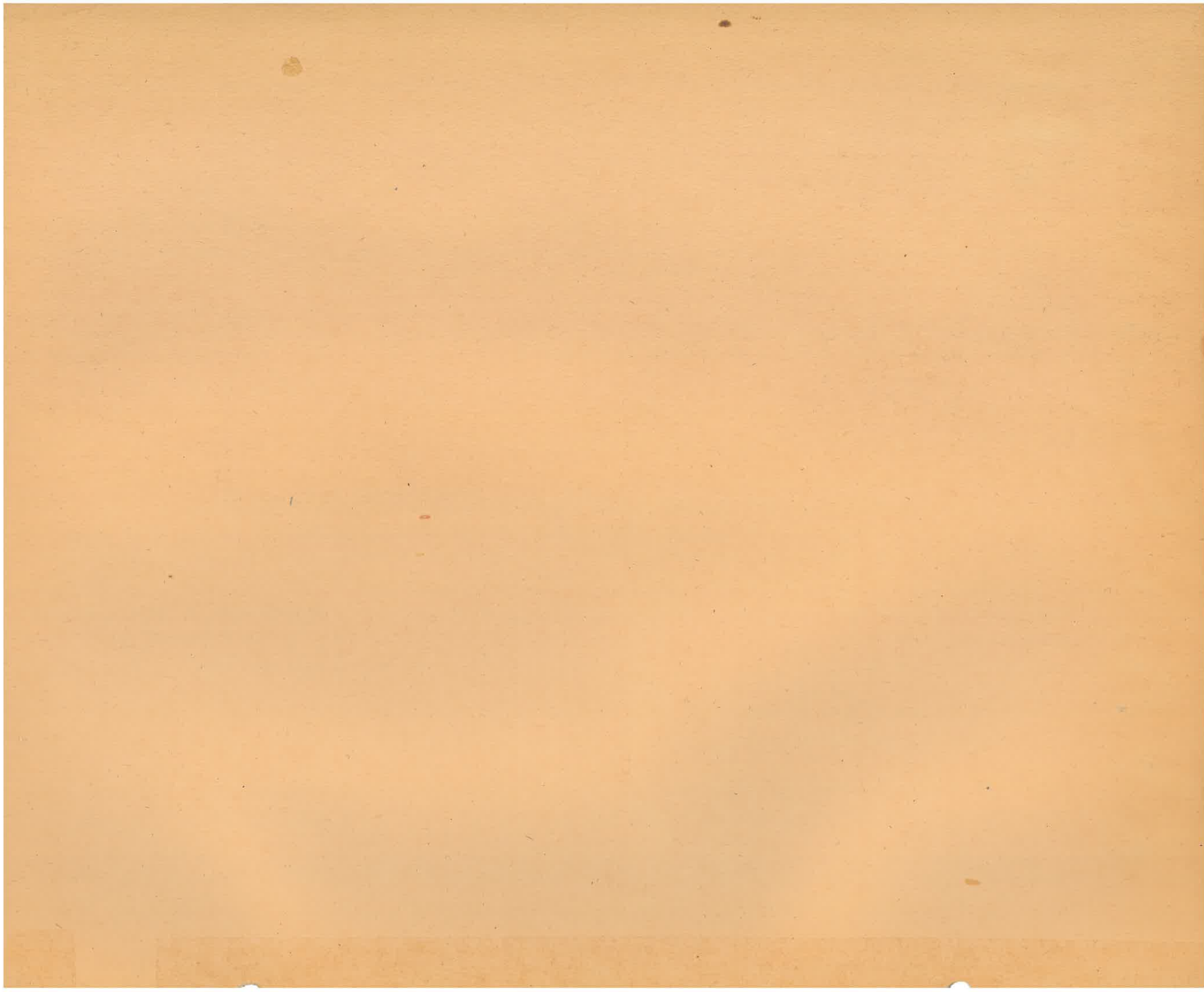
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Life Member

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SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	RITZVILLE
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Henry B.
MOTHER	of 1934 Mrs. Helen Brown RITZVILLE
	1935

Sis. Florence



RUBY SCHAFER

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Mrs. Ruby Benedict

SIGNATURE	
BIRTH DAY	Ritzville
BIRTH PLACE	
FATHER	Joe
MOTHER	Mrs. Virgil Treadwell 1933 } 33 Mrs. Sigrid Treadwell 1933 } 33 Mrs. Harry Labbe } 40 Mrs. Harry Labbe } 40 Josephine }



MR. AND MRS. JOE SCHAFER

Joe Schafers Are Honored on Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schafers celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon at the American Legion Memorial hall.

Their four daughters, Mrs. Ruby Benedict of Ritzville, Mrs. Viola Treadwell of Yakima, Mrs. Verna Herring of Liberty Lake and Mrs. Josephine Labbe of Ritzville, gave the dinner in their honor.

Mrs. Kermit Wellandt was in charge of the guest book, Mrs. Dan Kembel and Mrs. Roy Schafers were in charge of gifts and Miss Geraldine Treadwell and Mrs. Harold Treadwell served the three-tiered cake.

COFFEE WAS poured by Mrs. Elmer Schafers and Mrs. Clarence Oestreich, Mrs. Roy Koch served the golden wedding punch and Mrs. Ruby Burroughs and Mrs. Roy Koch were in charge of the money tree.

A demonstration of twirling and strutting was given by Pat-ty Burroughs and Butch Burroughs presented a Scottish dance.

After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schafers entertained at a buffet supper at their home. Guests attending the supper were:

MRS. MABEL Treadwell and Geraldine of Spokane, Mrs. Harold Treadwell of Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oestreich, Ritzville; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schafers, Ritzville; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kembel, Ritzville.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schafers, Ritzville; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burroughs and children, Ritzville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brennan, Zenith; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Schafers and children, Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Gillman, Colville.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wertemberger, Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Treadwell and James, Yakima; Roy Bellack, Olympia; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herring and Del, Liberty Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Labbes and Scott, Ritzville; Mrs. Ruby Benedict, Ritzville.

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Queen's Fashion Show Entries Should be Made by August 22

August 22 has been set as the deadline for entries to be received for participation in the Adams county fair queen's fashion show which will be held September 7 at the Marcellus Grange hall immediately following the banquet and coronation.

Application blanks may be obtained from the extension office, Bertz Variety Store, the Fabric and Sewing Center and various other stores in Ritzville. The blanks should be filled in completely, mailed or taken to the extension office.

The early deadline has been set to enable the committee, Mrs. Jacob C. Harder, Mrs. Dale Galbreath and Mrs. Richard Telecky, to arrange the program for the commentator, Mrs. John Ott.

Everyone who will be participating in the fashion show is asked to be present at a practice session on August 25 at 2 p. m. at Marcellus Grange hall.

Entries may include any item made within the past year. They may be modeled by anyone, and credit for the making will be directed to the correct party. Entries are for exhibit only, but if the garments are entered at the fair in the clothing department, the exhibitor will receive additional premium money for having participated in the fashion show. Modeling will not be judged.

The various lots included will be children's clothing, adult clothing, clothing made in home economics classes or FHA home experience, and 4-H clothing outfits. Items may be sewn or knitted.

Tickets for the banquet that night will be on sale about a week prior to the event and will be placed in the surrounding towns as well as in Ritzville. Chairs will be set up for those who are unable to attend the banquet but wish to view the fashion show.

President's Assistant Is Named for College

A new business administrator for Big Bend Community college has been hired by the board of trustees. Dr. S. D. Krauss, school superintendent at Cornelius, Ore., for the past seven years, will be assistant to the president and director of personnel.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, Ritzville member of the board, was present at the regular meeting of the board of trustees on January 8 in Ephrata.

Mrs. Galbreath Takes College Board Duties

Terms of office of members of the board of trustees of Big Bend Community college were determined by the drawing of lots at a recent meeting in Moses Lake. Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, Ritzville area member, drew a four-year term.

Other results of the drawing were Walter Click of Ephrata, one year; Winston Weber of Odessa, two years; Max Kohler of Quincy, three years, and Burl Wyckoff of Moses Lake, five years.

THE BOARD of trustees has held two official meetings and several informational meetings to acquaint the board with the heads of departments of the college, since being appointed by Governor Daniel J. Evans.

Meeting with them has been legal counsel, special assistant attorney general Clarence Smith of Spokane, who was appointed by the attorney general of the state to serve Big Bend Community college, Spokane community college, Wenatchee Valley college. Dr. Donald Morgan, president of BBCC, serves as secretary to the board. Click was elected chairman of the board and Kohler vice-chairman.

At the June 26 meeting Mrs. Galbreath, Wyckoff and Kohler were named members of the personnel committee. The work of this group will be to draw up rules and regulations governing contracts for the personnel of BBCC.

On June 30 Mr. and Mrs. Galbreath, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Amen and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daneakas attended the formal dedication of the north campus, formerly Lawson Air Force base. This gift to the college from the U. S. government is being used for the school's flight training program, instruction in air mechanics, and for the job Corps on a rental basis.

HOMES ARE NEEDED for approximately 200 Japanese young men who will participate in the second year of the BBCC-sponsored Japanese farm training program. Mrs. Galbreath stated. These young men will work at farms that are involved in the kinds of agriculture for which they have expressed a special interest, not only in the

Coffee Hour Given for Mrs. McCrady

Mrs. Virgil McCrady was honored Friday morning to welcome her into her new neighborhood. The McCrady family recently purchased and moved in to the home formerly owned by Dan Weber.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath presented the coffee hour. Guests at the event were Mrs. Gary Galbreath, Mrs. Dale Galbreath, Mrs. Clyde Telecky, Mrs. Robert Rabbitt, Mrs. Richard Allert, Mrs. John U. Pavlik, and Mrs. Larry Kison.

Like member of R.H.S.A.A. Ritzville High School

Local PEO Group Plans to Attend State Convention

Several members of Chapter AR, PEO, will leave Sunday for Seattle to attend the biennial convention of Supreme chapter of the PEO sisterhood to be held there Monday through Thursday morning.

Washington state chapter is hostess for the national committee. Mrs. Otto Amen will serve as page during business sessions in the Opera house at Seattle center. Convention headquarters will be in the Olympic hotel.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath and Mrs. Clarence Bauer will be among the hostesses at the Wednesday evening BIL banquet in exhibition hall of Seattle center when husbands of members are guests.

Also planning to attend are Mrs. John Ott and Mrs. William Rosenoff.

College Trustees to Meet Here Soon

The board of trustees of Big Bend Community college will meet in Ritzville on Monday, November 6, at 8 p. m., in the high school library.

Anyone interested is invited to attend. Mrs. Maynard Galbreath is a member of the area board, and represents this community.

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Visiting Faced by Methodists

Trinity Methodist church will hold open house at 7:30 p. m. Sunday for all parents, members and friends of the church. Guests will have an opportunity to visit the departments of the church school to see what is being done and to meet with the teachers. It was explained.

Superintendents of the departments include Mrs. Clyde Buehler, nursery; Mrs. Max Meyer, kindergarten; Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, primary; Mrs. Wilmerd Hehmann, junior and Clyde Buehler, junior and senior high school department. Refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Galbreath Goes to Moses Lake Meet

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath attended a meeting of the board of trustees of Big Bend Community college in Moses Lake on August 7.

She is Ritzville area representative on the five-member board. Included in the routine business conducted by the group was the hiring of several employees and the acceptance of a handbook for non-certified employees. Plans were discussed for holding future meetings in board members' home towns throughout the area.

College Frowns on Some Talkers

The board of trustees of Big Bend Community college presented a statement of existing policies regarding standards at a meeting in Moses Lake on September 11.

This was done in response to a request from the president of the student body. Board member Mrs. Maynard Galbreath attended the meeting.

The statement contained minimum standards of conduct as a guide for students. It also stated the position of the board regarding the use of the college as a public platform. Included was the statement "Expressly, the Board would deny the college to those advocating policies of racial hatred, or violent overthrow of the American government or practices inimicable to the health and well being of students."

This was not intended as a formal policy statement, but as an interpretation of existing policies presented to the student body, faculty and public for review and comments.

Big Bend College Board Sets Monday Meeting

The board of directors of Big Bend Community college, Moses Lake, will meet Monday, March 11, at 8 p. m. in the Robert C. Smith hall on south campus.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath of Ritzville is a member of the board.

PTA Okeys Two Projects

Ritzville's PTA Monday night approved two projects benefiting the junior-senior high school at an estimated cost of \$500.

Approximately \$200 was allocated for the purchase of new student patrol uniforms for junior high boys. Another \$300 was earmarked for recreational equipment at the old high school gymnasium. Ping pong tables, shuffleboard equipment, and other games will be installed there particularly for students to use during noon hours in inclement weather, said Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, PTA president.



Mrs. Galbreath to College Board

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath is one of five appointed to the board of trustees for community college district 18, according to word received by Representative Otto Amen.

Mrs. Galbreath was appointed by Governor Dan Evans from a list of names submitted by Amen and the two legislators from Grant county.

Community college district 18 is comprised of all of Adams and Grant counties and the Odessa schools in Lincoln county. Big Bend Community college, located at Moses Lake, will now come under the jurisdiction of this new board.

Under the 1967 law which established community college districts, the board will take office 30 days after its appointment. At their organizational meeting, the trustees will draw lots to determine the length of their terms which will range from one to five years. Thereafter each trustee is to serve for five years.

Mrs. Galbreath is well known in this area, having lived here most of her life. She graduated from Ritzville High school, attended Washington State University, and has been active in community affairs.

Other trustees appointed are Winston Weber, Odessa; Walker Click, Ephrata; Burl Wyckoff, Moses Lake; and Max Kohler, Quincy.

TO FEEL TEACHERS Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Galbreath will entertain Ritzville teachers and school officials at tea and coffee next Wednesday and Thursday after school at the Galbreath residence.

1958 Red Cross Campaign Workers in County Are Named

Workers in the 1958 Red Cross campaign for Adams county were announced this week for the various communities being solicited.

The drive opened March 3 with a county quota of \$8,031.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath is division chairman for rural Ritzville and under her are Lloyd Baumann, Ernest Deking, Mrs. Norman Krause, Mrs. Victor Welsandt, Mrs. Gerald Schoesler, Mrs. John Hennings, Mrs. Don Schwisow, Mrs. Richard Telecky, Harry Arlt, Mrs. Will Scheel, Aaron Thiel, Mrs. Robert Telecky, Mrs. Robert Smith and Mrs. Chester Templin.

The Rev. Edward Schmidt is chairman of the Lind city drive. Lind rural is under the chairmanship of Mrs. Floyd Maier. Assisting her are Mrs. Jerry Franston, Mrs. Kenneth Plager, Jack Shmek, Al Wahl, Mrs. Henry Scott, Mrs. Clarence Bauer, Mrs. Clarence Strohmaier, Leonard Roth, Mrs. Carl Krom, Mrs. William Sackmann, Mrs. Ed Krum, Mrs. John Scheeler, jr., and Mrs. Ray Hartenstein.

CAMPAIGN workers under Reverend Schmidt are the Messdames J. S. Sneed, George Houggen, Carl Rasmussen, Emil Fode, William Boldman, Walter Nelson, Ray Kincaid, Dan Lyle, George Taylor, Jasper Nutting, Hans Gerlock, Willard Moutat, Kenneth Schwartz, John Fisher, Dan Krehbiel, Harley Moon and Miss Cleora Neare.

The Hatton - Cunningham - Fairview division is being headed by Emil Wahl with Mrs. Harold Johnson, Lowell Eden, Mrs. Robert Phillips and Mrs. William Paslay assisting him.

Mrs. Jesse Dewald is chairman of the Paha-Willis division. Helping her are Mrs. Herbert Gross in charge of Paha and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schaler in charge of Willis.

Workers at Paha with Mrs. Gross are Mrs. Dan Kembel, Mrs. Carl Bauer and Wesley Plager.

Gene Weber, John Miller, Robert Bergens, Melvin Benzel and Matt Fenderer are lending a hand to the Schalers at Willis.

At Schrag-Batum, the Rev. Lester Jansen is division chairman. Helping him are Mrs. Walter Franz, district chairman at Schrag and Fred Scherzmann at Batum.

Mrs. B. W. Kison is division chairman for Fletcher-Lantz-Benge with Mrs. Rudy Roth, Mrs. Clarence Stratton and Mrs. Charles Clinesmith and Mrs. William Allert as district chairmen at Fletcher, Lantz and Benge respectively.

WORKING WITH them are Mrs. David Ray and B. W. Kison.

Mrs. L. C. Lane is chairman and Mrs. C. E. Connell vice chairman of the campaign in Washutuena city where the quota is \$200.

Team captains in the city are Mrs. Toby Haase, Mrs. Alfred Sitko and Mrs. Nick Kutus. Working under them are the Mesdames Glen Hamill, Frank Brown, H. Hammond, Edward Kite, Bernard Sullivan, John Klee, Walt Little, Richard Griffin and William McDowell.

Washutuena rural is being led by Mrs. Frank West, jr., as division chairman. Mrs. John Gray and William Fisher are district leaders with Dick Baumann and Wilmer Klesz assisting. The quota is \$300.

Othello city and rural chairman is Boyd Larson.

God So Loved the World



A group of ladies who sing because "we enjoy it," according to director Mrs. Phil Whitman presented three numbers at the annual meeting of stockholders of Ritzville Warehouse company Saturday. Shown here are, front row, from left, Mrs. Es Shelman, Mrs. Rudy Koch and Mrs. Lawrence Thiel. Second row singers are Mrs. Clarence Bauer, Mrs. Lynn Reeve and Mrs. Everett Hille. In the back row are Mrs. D. R. Hille, Mrs. Larry Kramer, Mrs. William Miller and Mrs. Maynard Galbreath. The ladies were accompanied at the piano by Miss Gail Meyer.

Reciprocity Day Is Held by PEO Ladies

PEO members from Cheney, Harrington and Davenport were entertained here Saturday by the local PEO chapter.

A special guest was Mrs. Marjory Smith of Spokane, recording secretary of the national chapter. Other guests came from Spokane and Newport.

The occasion was the annual meeting of the eastern Washington reciprocity association, of which the four chapters are members.

A luncheon and program at the Circle T Inn was preceded by a coffee hour at the home of Mrs. John Ott.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath, president of chapter AR, welcomed guests. Mrs. E. F. Dummleier of Cheney presided at the business meeting. Officers elected for the coming year were president, Mrs. Rex Phillips; vice president, Mrs. V. B. Bumgarner of Davenport; secretary, Mrs. Chester Timm of Harrington, and treasurer, Mrs. Russell Hooplingarner of Cheney.

A feature of the program was an illustrated talk about new trends in hair styles by Mrs. Linda Kadlec. Mrs. David Powers presented two flute solos, accompanied on the organ by Mrs. F. R. West.

In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Clarence Bauer, Mrs. Otto Amen and Mrs. Bruce Wilsey.

Galbreaths Journey to California Weekend

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Galbreath attended "Poly Royal" at California State Polytechnic college in San Luis Obispo, Calif., last weekend.

They were guests of their son, Mark, a student at the college. Poly Royal was the 36th annual parents' weekend, for which each department had prepared exhibits of its work.

OES Installs New Officers

Zenith Chapter No. 55, Order of Eastern Star, held open installation of officers Thursday evening in the Masonic hall.

Installing officers were: past matron, Alma Galbreath; past patron, Will Rosenoff; installing marshal, Thelma Nauditt; installing chaplain, Shirley Ott, and installing organist, Lillian Miller.

Installed were: Worthy matron, Leonne Underwood; worthy patron, Thomas Underwood; associate matron, Viola Bierman; associate patron, R. A. Bierman; secretary, Mae Thompson; treasurer, Martha Moon; conductress, Helen Evans; associate conductress, Betty Minion.

Chaplain, Thelma Stanfield; marshal, Ethel Delano; organist, Dorothy Danekas; Adah, Thelma Howell; Ruth, Marjorie Allert; Esther, Martha Koch; Martha Kayler; warder, Florence Schaefer; sentinel, Francis Thompson. A short program by the Rain-bow girls was followed by refreshments.

Coffee Hour Fetes Three Newcomers

Mrs. Clyde Teecky and Mrs. Maynard Galbreath were hostesses for a neighborhood coffee hour on the morning of September 13 at Mrs. Telecky's home.

Honored were three newcomers to the neighborhood, Mrs. Robert Lawton, Mrs. David Wacker and Mrs. Austin Jerpe.

Other guests were Mrs. Richard Allert, Mrs. Robert Maier, Mrs. Howard Grewell, Mrs. Fred Sloanaker, Mrs. William Brock, Mrs. Marion Meise, Mrs. Tom Kadlec, Mrs. Larry Kison and Mrs. Virje McCrady.

College Board Meeting Here

The board of trustees of Big Bend Community college is working on plans for an exchange program in which farm youth of this country will go to Japan. The board met Monday evening in the high school library in Ritzville.

At present Japanese young people come to this country for study and training in farm methods in conjunction with a program sponsored by the Japanese embassy, the national 4-H council and Big Bend Community college.

Reports on the Japanese and migrant programs were heard at a dinner meeting of the board at the Circle T Inn. At an open meeting at eight o'clock at the high school, routine business conducted included the hiring of new personnel to teach the Japanese students.

About 20 people from the Moses Lake, Ephrata, Quincy and Odessa areas attended the meeting. Mrs. Maynard Galbreath is a member of the board from this community.

Mrs. Galbreath at Boston Meet

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath departed Monday morning for a four-day conference in Boston, Mass.

As a member of the board of directors, she is representing Big Bend Community college, Moses Lake, at the American Association of Junior Colleges convention Monday through today.

Mrs. Galbreath plans to stop in Rio, Wisc., to visit two aunts prior to her return home next Monday.

Mrs. Galbreath Named at PEO

Chapter AR, PEO, elected officers at a meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Otto Amen.

Mrs. Maynard Galbreath was named as president for the coming year. Others elected were Mrs. Willard Hemmings, vice president; Mrs. Dale Galbreath, recording secretary; Mrs. James Webb, corresponding secretary; Mrs. David Powers, treasurer; Mrs. Gary Galbreath, chaplain, and Mrs. Clarence Bauer, guard.

Mrs. Galbreath and Mrs. Hennings were chosen as delegate and alternate delegate to the PEO state convention to be held in Walla Walla in June.

The program for the evening was presented by Mrs. Bauer. Mrs. John Pavlik was assistant hostess.



Hostess AT open House 5:30-9:00

In front of 1931 class picture

Thanksgiving 11/24-1941



THANKSGIVING GUESTS.

The Maynard Galbreath family of Blizville were hosts to 28 relatives at Thanksgiving dinner Thursday, one of the largest gatherings noted in the area. Shown sitting, from left, at one of two tables set for the occasion are Mrs. Dick Steyer and Carl, Mrs. C. C. King and Kim Kinzer, Mrs. K. K. Galbreath and Lisa, Scott Kinzer, Mark Galbreath, Scott McNeilly and Mrs. Bob McNeilly and Lowell. Standing, from left, are Dale Galbreath, Dick Steyer, C. C. King and Sharon Steyer, Karen Kinzer, Mrs. Galbreath, K. K. Scott, Mrs. J. C. Kinzer and Shelley Steyer, J. C. Kinzer, Gary Galbreath and Sandra Staiger, Mr. Galbreath, Bob McNeilly, K. C. Cahley, Mrs. K. K. Scott and Steve Kinzer.

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Class Pictures Sought

High school principal Lloyd Oberst and Mrs. Maynard Galbreath are heading a committee to complete class picture exhibits, which hang in the main hall of the high school. Annuals showing the classes of 1915, 1918, 1919 and 1920 are needed to complete the display. Persons having annuals of those years were asked to call Mrs. Galbreath. The annual pictures will be copied and returned in their original condition.

Fete Mrs. D. A. Scott on 83rd Birthday

Heading her mother, Mrs. D. A. Scott on her 83rd birthday Wednesday was Mrs. Maynard Galbreath. Guests were Mrs. Scott's daughter, Mrs. C. C. King, Miss Norma King and grandson, Steve Kinzer of Colfax, another daughter of Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Wilma Harris and children Eyan and Janet, Mrs. V. Cahley and Mrs. K. K. Scott all of Spokane.

Gift Is Honored on 84th Birthday

Mrs. D. A. Scott was honored on her 84th birthday Friday with a dinner given by her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Galbreath. Guests included Mrs. C. C. King, Mrs. E. F. Niehenke of Colfax, Mrs. E. G. Breth and Berneice Galbreath of Spokane.

Alma Scott and my mama were good friends Roy

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A Tooting Sleigh ride. It was about seven o'clock Wednesday evening when two four horse sleighs managed by Billie Tuttle and George Sinclair came dashing into town not for a load of wood or posts, the sheriff or doctor, but for the band boys, their wives and sweethearts. The sleighs hailed from the pleasant home of D. Buchanan whither they returned with their laughing loads. The journey of four miles seemed about a block except at times when a chunk of Avondupois with a weight seemingly equal to a long ton would suddenly, without any warning, drop promiscuously down upon a fellow's unsuspecting and badly shocked under-standings. The breath of the whistling sea was playing upon the slippery spread over which the passage was steered, and it seemed as though mother earth would unrel and laugh at our pedicament. Things grew serious before "the light in the window shown brightly" and had it not been for the presence of the Times man with a bottle of Dr. Sloop's corn killer they might have become worse. At nine o'clock a landing was effected and the company was very hospitably received by Mr. Buchanan. The band boys re-arranged their mouths which had gotten peculiarly out of shape, and began blowing from their horns and drums voluptuous music that awoke all the latent passion of the soul. Some danced others talked and finally as two dice were battling for the throne all the amazingly. At one o'clock the signs were of home coming and the scramble for the comfortable position in the sleigh which was once not occupied, was equalled only by the scramble for gratuitatorial plums. Mr. Buchanan's hospitality made every one feel welcome and many were the wishes to come again. The members of the company were: Prof. and Mrs. L. H. Stogdill, Florence and Harold Stogdill, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hershberger, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gilson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. French, Misses Stacey, Whittlesey, Graham, Kennedy, Zimmerman, Jones, Zeigler, Butler and Ohio and Eva Myer, Messrs. Gritman, Jack Steer, Moore, Zent, Hugh Wilburn, Adrian Wilburn, Sage, Wetand, Walter Staicer, Stecher.

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From my friends
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from Alma
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from Alma's mother - Alma

Beautiful Milwaukee Bay affords splendid opportunity for aquatic sports of all kinds. The splendid Lincoln Memorial Drive skirts the Lake Front from Lake Park to Juniper Park.

Dear Mrs. Edith J. Gilson
I hope you have not moved since you got your address. I left home Sept 16 and have been visiting Yuba for a few days. I am doing just fine. I have had a very good time. I am working in the office and will be back in a few days. I am very glad to hear from you and hope you are all well. I am very glad to hear from you and hope you are all well. I am very glad to hear from you and hope you are all well.

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Miss Maud M. A. South
(Her letter in 1923 Oklahoma)

CLARA SICKMAN

Mrs. Fred Anderson

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Mrs. Henry L. Green and children enjoyed the day Sunday at Lake Coeur d'Alene. Mr. and Mrs. August Sickman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson and family of Moses Lake visited in Prosser over the week-end.

Grandmothers Club

to Meet on Tuesday

Ritzville Grandmothers' club will meet at 1 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, at the home of Mrs. William Wellandt, it was announced this week. The session had been scheduled for the American Legion auxiliary room. ³¹ ~~30~~

Mrs. Albert Nauditt and Mrs. A. W. Sickman will be hostesses. Members attending are being asked to bring a guest with them. Pinochle will be played.

³¹ Mrs. Bertha Goeckermann of Perrysburg, Ohio, was a Friday guest of Mr. and Mrs. August Sickman. ^{11/24/59} ~~11/23/59~~



SERGEANT ANDERSON Marine Serves ³¹ in California ^{1/51}

Here is Marine corps Sgt. Douglas E. Anderson, now stationed in California, who is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. August Sickmann of Ritzville.

Sergeant Anderson enlisted in the Marines after graduating from Ephrata high school in 1954. He was promoted to sergeant in December, 1956. That same month he was selected as Marine-of-the-Month at his base.

The sergeant's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson of Moses Lake. His mother is the former Clara Sickmann. ³¹

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Jan-11-1961

Mr. and Mrs. August Sickmann Honored Saturday on Occasion of Their Golden Wedding Anniversary

The 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. August Sickmann was noted with a reception put on by their children Saturday evening at the American Legion hall.

Over 200 friends and relatives attended to honor the couple and to wish them well. Many of their friends reminisced about the lives of the honored couple.

They are both of pioneer families and have lived in Ritzville all of their lives. Mr. Sickmann, in his earlier days, served on the city council for many years. He was fire chief for 19 years and built the first power fire truck that Ritzville had.

He recalled having put in many hours getting the first swimming pool built for Ritzville. He also had served many years on the swimming pool board. He was one of the pioneer automobile dealers in town.

MRS. SICKMANN'S parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McGrath, were married in Ritzville. He had worked for the Northern Pacific railroad here.

The hall was decorated with many bouquets of flowers. The serving table featured a three-foot tall wedding anniversary cake. The cake was made in four tiers with open-spaced pillars decorated in between each layer and held a golden 50 and wedding bells on it. The cake had been made and given by Mrs. Lawrence Mater.

There was a money tree for the guests to place their "leaves" of well wishes upon.

Mrs. Ralph Koch and Mrs. Fred Lutten poured for the occasion. Mrs. Florence Schaefer cut the cake and served it. Mrs. Ethel Wagner was in charge of the punch bowl.

Robert and Tommy Sickmann, Steven and Roger Stevenson, and Billy and Jeff Deperson, the six grandsons of the honored couple, acted as doormen and greeted the guests and took their coats.

Their granddaughters, Carla Anderson, Nancy Sickmann and Patricia Sickmann, and a niece, Miss F. H. were in charge of the book. Mrs. Ed M. M. M.



MR. AND MRS. AUGUST SICKMANN

change of the gifts. The Legion auxiliary ladies helped in the kitchen.

The children of the honored couple putting on the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Fred (Clara) Anderson of Moses Lake, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. (Dorise) Stevenson of Milwaukie, Ore., Captain and Mrs. Jim Sickmann of

Mountain Home, Ida., and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. (Jeanne) Epperson of Wilbur.

Only one of the 11 grandchildren was unable to attend. He was Douglas Anderson, who is in the marine corps and is being transferred to Germany shortly.

Among the out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Buehler of Anacortes, Mrs. Hattie Hiemann of Lind, Mrs. Ruben Schoessler of Lind, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bierman of Lind, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ratcliffe and Robyn of Edmonds, Mr.

and Mrs. Donald Steir and daughters of Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Epperson of Wilbur and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Anderson of Wilbur.

Also present were Mrs. Art Foland of Monitor, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Rogers of St. John, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Parks of Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller of Connell and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Reed of Pasco.

Dear Fey: 99109

Received your most welcome letter a long time ago. In fact it came while I was in the Sacred Heart hospital in Spokane. Had major surgery the day before, which kinda left me on the weak side. They still keep me in bed, though I will go home and dress tomorrow. Some kind of the bed and things that the kitchen is a little bit stronger. Even me around here is about the same. The hair is on now and the ladies were able to get the parade and up to go to the parade for the baroque.

Rebecca Mack, Dept. 10-1966

Mrs. Mrs. Fey Wilson 209 Brewery Ave. Methen Calif.

Event Stated Saturday to Honor Sickmanns!
The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. August Sickmann will be honored with an open house from 8 to 10 p.m. Saturday at the American Legion hall.
The children of Mr. and Mrs. Sickmann have invited all friends to attend.

My eldest grandson made his debut
in Marine Corps this 15th August. He
& his wife leave by boat to Hawaii the
15th of this month. They have two children
3 1/2 years old who are going with them
His wife had enough flying they flew
from Germany to Rome then to Santa Barbara
San Diego & then back to New York then
to Tulsa Lake & back to Pensacola Florida
& they say the trip by boat is quite
thrilling. He likes the social part of
the military life & just fits in which
I am happy as he expects to make it
his life's work. He fully has 8 more
years to go & he will have 23 years
in him my son has 22 years

I am quite proud of him.
He has a son that is quite a golfer!
He can beat Jim & Jim can beat the
General. He is signed up for golf at a hotel
in Physical Education & they say he has
perfect motion for golf. He is also
good at shooting pool & pitched the
all stars little league game two yrs
ago & did not allow, hit. His team
won 1-0. He is an A. student & I know
he will go to college on a scholarship.
I guess that is a proud grandmother
achievement.

Well I must write about ten more
letters before I have answered all the
letters I read at the hospital.
Thanks again for the picture &
if I can help in any way with
your project let me know. All
I have is time and a lot of that.
I have always been as active & thin
get down as Jack. Ugh!

When I Quincy say they don't annoy
you at all in your project.
Quincy has quite a project. He has
quite a bit of land in Utah
valley & sold \$59,800 worth & is going
to have the rest laid out in lots. He
had a well drilled, will put a road
in & put electric wiring under ground
valley and if they did all this it would
only bring \$25,000 more as they haven't
decided yet what to do. I like some of your
give my regards to your wife Maggie.

Funeral Service

of Mrs. Sickman

Will be Friday

Funeral services for Margaret
Sickman will be held at 2
o'clock tomorrow at the chapel
of Danekas Funeral home.

She died Tuesday at Hillcrest
manor at the age of 75 years.

Three daughters survive, Mrs.
Clara Anderson of Moses Lake,
Mrs. Louise Stevenson of Mil-
waukie, Ore., and Mrs. Jean Ep-
erson of Wilbur. One son, Ma-
jor James Sickman of San An-
tonio, Tex., survives his mother.

The Rev. Roger Johnson of
Lind will conduct the funeral
services. Pallbearers will be
Wilt Moore, Gus Klettke, Bob
Benzel, Ray Rummert, Kermit
Wellsandt and Edward Seigel.
Honorary pallbearers are Bill
Rosehoff, Dr. A. H. Varner,
Rudy Plager and Elmer Schoes-
ler.

Burial will be in Ritzville
Memorial cemetery.

Also surviving are a sister,
Mrs. Helen Buehler of Oak Har-
bor and a brother, R. E. Mc-
Grath of Pittsburg, Kas. There
are 12 grandchildren and two
great grandchildren who sur-

VIVE. May 21 1941
Mrs. Sickman was employed
at Pann's Pharmacy for 17
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Mrs. Roy Kinzel

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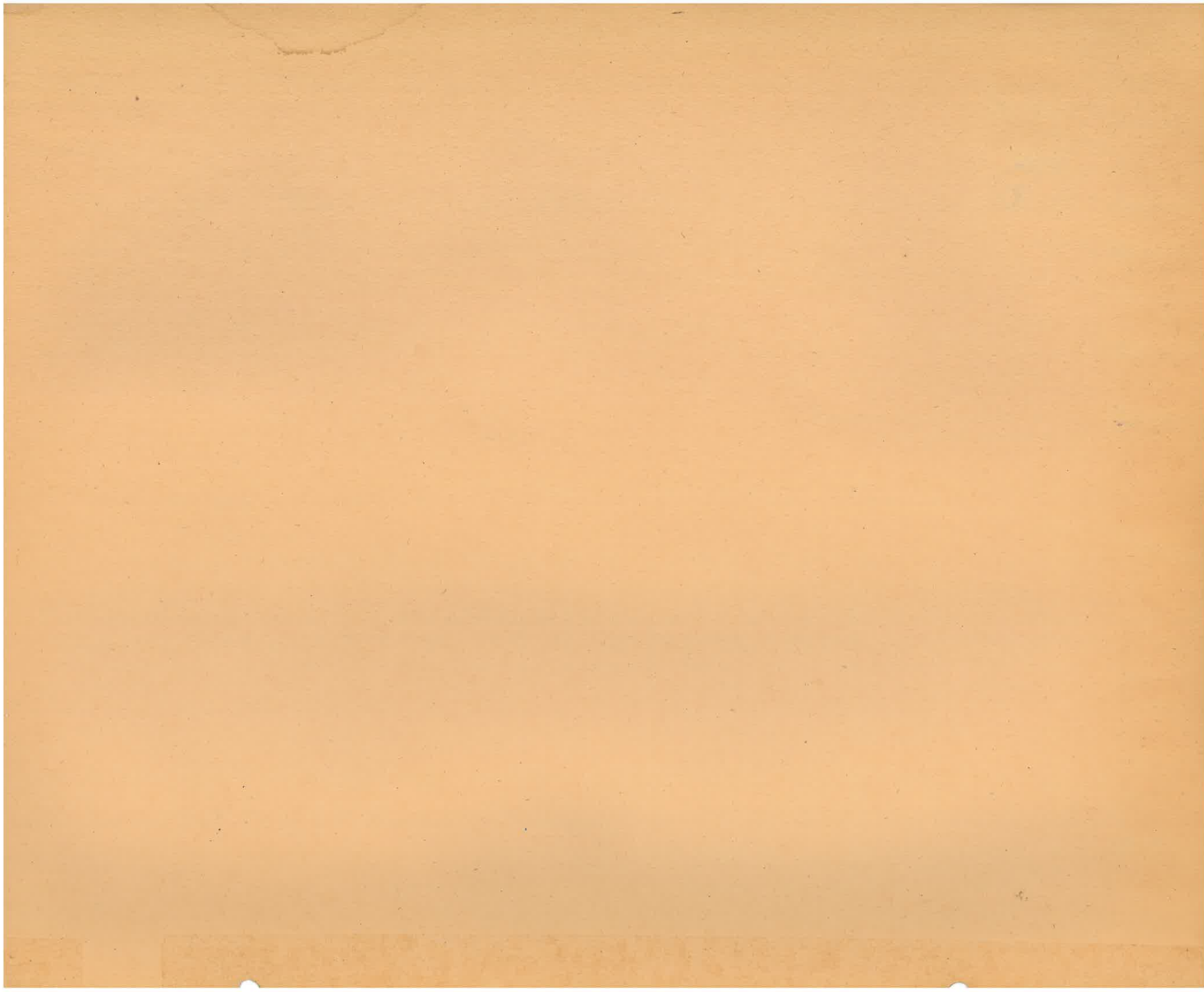
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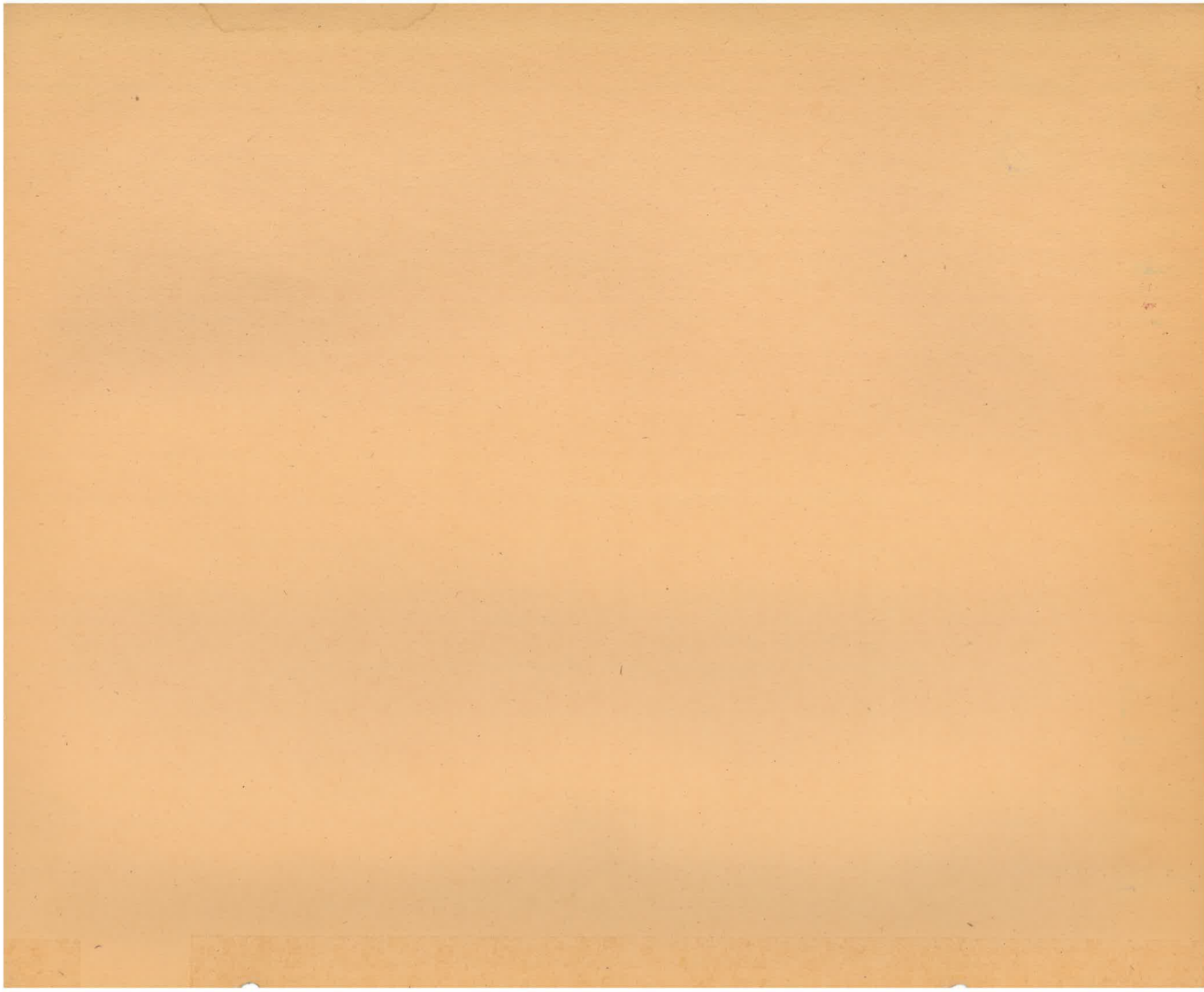
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 Bro - Richard (Deceased)
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Services for Alice M. Olson held in Spokane March 23

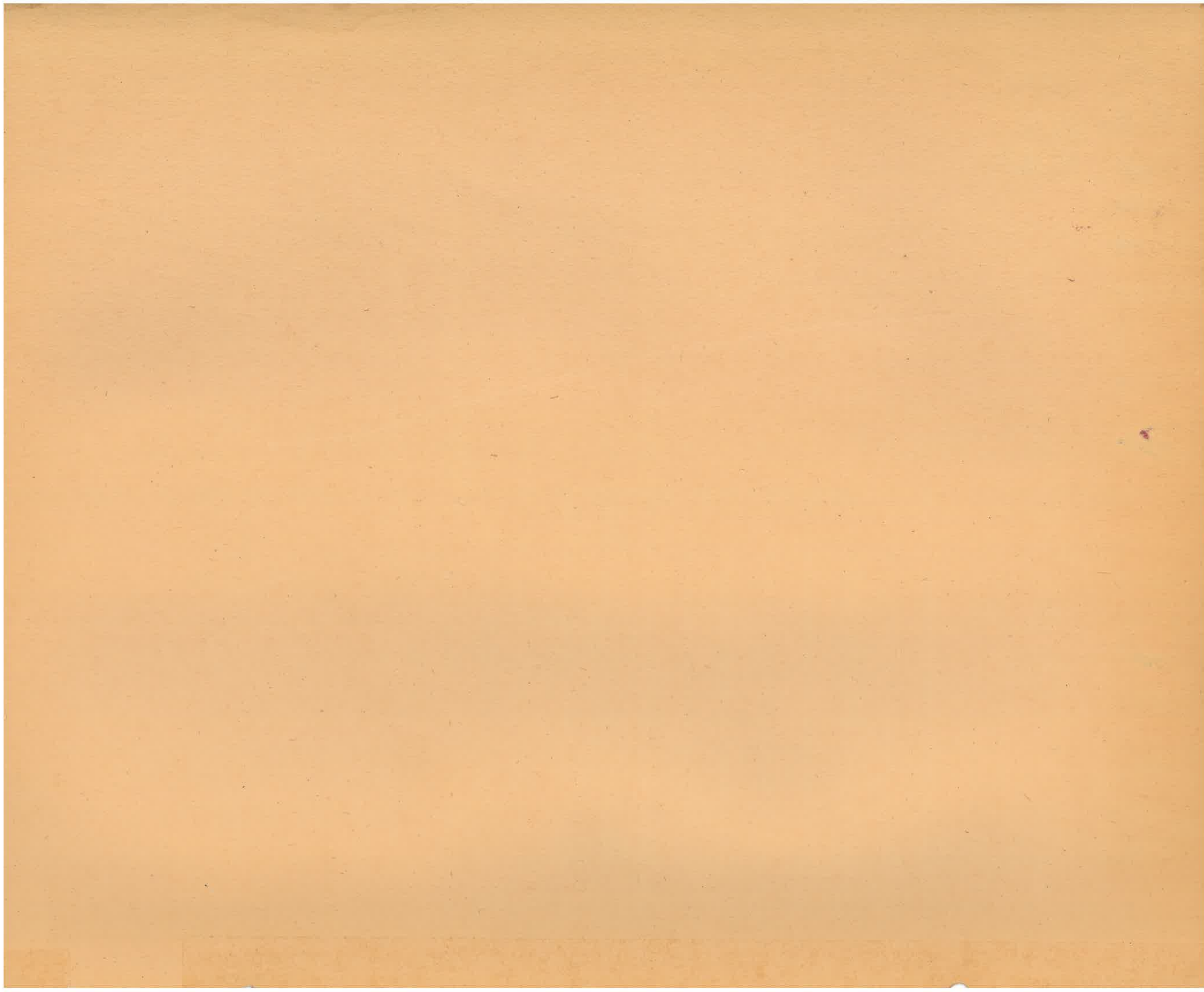
SPOKANE - Funeral services were held March 23 for Alice M. Olson, 79, who died March 20. She was born July 26, 1910, in Ritzville to Hans and Mary Vehrs. She attended school in Ritzville and graduated in 1931. She moved to Spokane and married Harold A. Olson, who preceded her in death in 1981. She was employed with Rosauers for many years.

She is survived by one son, Kenneth H. Olson, Hadlock; three daughters, Norma Fry of Moses Lake, Jeanette Smith of Mead, and Audrey Kinzler of Spokane; four sisters, Rosa Russell of Portland, Ore., Clara Reames of Spokane, Virginia Gier of Troutdale, Ore., and Joan Geschke

of Ritzville; nine grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, one aunt, L. Elsie Koch of Ritzville, numerous nieces and nephews.

The service was held in the Alwin Chapel from the Hazen & Jaeger Funeral Home with Pastor Kent Conrad officiating. Lori Mayle and Darla Stewart, granddaughters, sang "It Is Well with My Soul" and Dan and Marlene Smith, grandson and granddaughter, sang "Great Is Thy Faithfulness." Jeanette Smith, her daughter, accompanied them at the organ. Casket bearers were grandsons Dan Smith, Corey Smith, Vic Mayhile, Paul Olson and Darrel Stewart. Interment was in Fairmount Memorial Park in Spokane.

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MAMMIE VEHR

Mrs. H P Jacobs

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Memorial service held for M. Jacobs

MESA, Ariz. - A family memorial service was held on March 24 for Mamie M. Jacobs, 77, who died March 23.

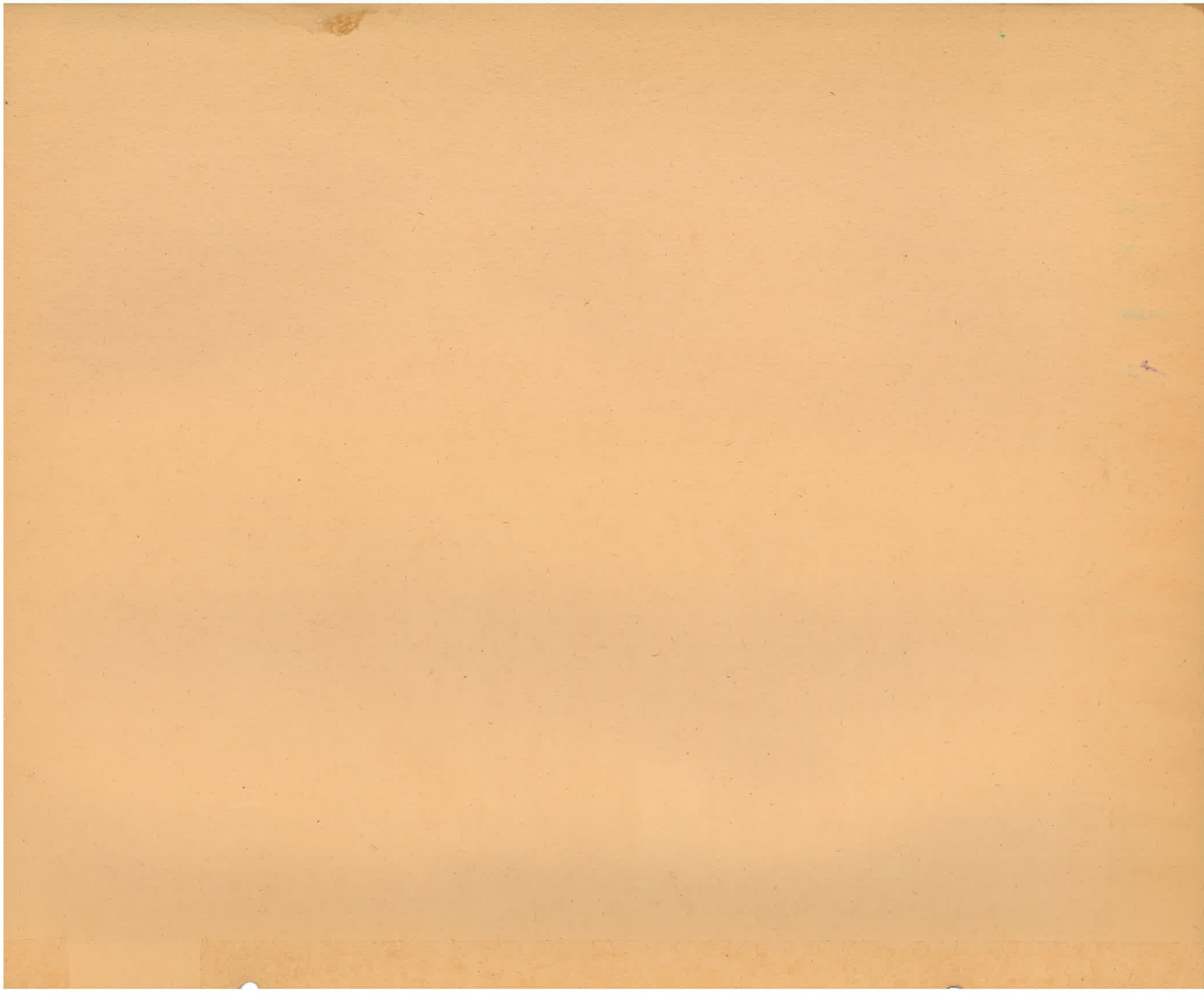
Mrs. Jacobs was born Oct. 25, 1912, in Ritzville, Wash., to Hans and Mary Vehrns. She attended school in Ritzville and graduated in 1931, moving to Spokane soon after graduation.

On July 4, 1934, she married Albert A. Jacobs. They moved to Mesa in 1973 for health reasons.

Mrs. Jacobs was a member of the Church of the Nazarene in Mesa, enjoyed oil painting and was a violinist.

She is survived by her husband, Albert Jacobs of Mesa; a son, Larry A. Jacobs of Mesa; two daughters, Joyce K. Jacobs of Tualatin, Ore., and Karlene K. Burris of Rapid City, S. Dak.; four sisters, Rosa Russell of Portland, Ore., Clara Reames of Spokane, Wash., Virginia Gier of Troutdale, Ore.; and Joan Geschke of Ritzville, Wash.; three grandchildren; one aunt, L. Elsie Koch of Ritzville, Wash.; numerous nieces and nephews.

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HILDA WAGNER

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Sis. Mary Mrs. Holland
Rt 5 Box 220

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Sam Wolsborn stands in fairway on the back nine of Gresham Golf Course.

Staff photo by Steve Gibbons

The course that Sam built

by DAVE PINSON
of The Outlook staff

Somebody please yell "Fore!" Sam Wolsborn's playing through.

At 72, M.M. "Sam" Wolsborn — a land developer, home builder and golf entrepreneur — is by no means ready to shorten his swing and put away the clubs.

"I have always felt that I would never retire," Wolsborn said Thursday during an interview in his offices at the Gresham Golf Course.

"I think I'll keep active in the business as long as I have my health, (but) I might shorten my days and lengthen my vacations," he said with a big smile.

Wolsborn's appearance belies his age, as does his deep resonant voice. It might just be that the three or four weekly trips he makes chasing little white, dimpled balls around his golf course help keep him fit.

That's right — his golf course. Well, it's technically owned by the Wolsborn family — his sons, Bob and Chuck, run the place — but Sam Wolsborn is the long-ball hitter when it comes to building golf courses.

The Gresham Golf Course became a reality in

1968 when the first nine holes were completed. The second nine came one year later.

"At that time, it was terribly risky, basically, because we couldn't get any financing," Wolsborn said. "We did our own financing. I like to call it smorgasbord financing."

He borrowed from his other businesses to get started. And he had plenty of business partners and underlings to work with. At the time, Wolsborn was one of the more successful land developers and housing builders in the Portland metropolitan area. He figures he's had his hand in about 3,500 homes in the area.

With 191 acres smack on the edge of what was then the small city of Gresham, Wolsborn started work on his golf course development. About 104 acres went to the golf course, while the rest was subdivided for housing development.

The course had to be subsidized for 11 years, he said. Some of the money came from the sale of lots next to the golf course, lots that proved to be highly profitable, Wolsborn said.

The semi-private course now is in fine financial shape. The restaurant on the premises is being remodeled. Meanwhile, Wolsborn still keeps his brightly lit office open at the course. And his home is along the 14th hole.

"We're still developing a little land," he said. "We shut down the building operation in 1984."

Wolsborn finds himself busy with other things besides work these days. Things like travel. He spends two or three months a year in Southern California, fishing and, of course, golfing.

And while golf isn't exactly his whole life, it's a life-long hobby. Golf, Wolsborn said, is growing. "What the sportswriters are saying about golf is absolutely accurate," he said. "The swings have changed and the equipment has gotten much better. The kids are getting bigger and stronger and starting much earlier than before.

"The long-ball drivers (who used to hit 240 yards) are now hitting 340 yards," he said. "And we're getting so darn much publicity from the three tours . . . the TV is loaded with weekend golf."

If he had to build the golf course today, Wolsborn isn't sure he could afford to build it in the same place. "If we were to build the golf course now, we'd have to have \$4 million," he said, "and we couldn't pay the interest on \$4 million."

"Possibly, with the right opportunity, I'd build another golf course. But I don't know if the right opportunity will come up," he said.

MILTON WOLSBORN

Two Dinners Honor Oregon Visitors

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Local Men Fishing for Salmon on Coast

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schafner were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wolsborn, Charles, Donald and Mary Ann Wolsborn and O. J. Plaquet, Portland, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wolsborn and daughter Kimberley, Astoria, Ore.; Barbara Wolsborn student at Linfield college in McMinnville, Ore.; Charles Bocks, OSU student at Corvallis, Ore.; Robin Messinger, University of Idaho student, Moscow; Mrs. Gladys Keve, Watsburg; and Builerno Cuellar of San Pedro Sula, Honduras, Central America, an exchange student who is making his home with the Milton Wolsborn family and attending high school in Portland.

Hoefel and Albert and Milton Wolsborn left here Friday for Portland and were joined on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schafner for a visit there before going to the coast.

Wolsborn Nuptial Date Is Observed

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wolsborn celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday, December 10, with a family dinner at the Circle T Inn.

A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hoefel.

Among the guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoefel of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clodius of Coeur d'Alene, Ida. Hoefel is a brother and Mrs. Clodius a sister of Mrs. Wolsborn.

Grace Chapter Plans Events for the Season

Grace chapter of Philadelphia Congregational church will sell Alabama pecans and baked goods at the Columbia Gas company building on November 15 beginning at 11 o'clock in the morning.

The sale and other projects were planned during their meeting Tuesday evening at the church.

Speaking at the church the evening of November 13 will be Miss Jennie Doidge. She will tell of her visits to 26 countries. A coffee hour will follow the service.

A Christmas program is being planned for the December meeting with members having a potluck supper. Husbands and friends will be guests.

Mrs. Margaret Martin led devotions for the meeting. The Rev. Ernest Sprenger spoke and showed a film. He will begin a study of the books of the Bible at the January meeting.

Hostesses for the evening were Marie Kramer, Mrs. Albert Wolsborn, Dorothy Powell and Mrs. Elmer Heimbigner.

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Wolsborns Hosts to Oregon Folks

Saturday evening dinner guests at the Albert Wolsborn home were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wolsborn and family of Portland.

Also enjoying the evening with the group were Eiter Albers, an exchange student from Berlin, Germany, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hoefel, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schafner and Martha Moon.

Following dinner Hoefel showed his slides of Germany and Russia.

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Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hoefel, Mrs. Martha Moon and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wolsborn.

The same group of people and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kanzler and children Mikki and Jerry of Pullman were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hoefel.

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MAMA INEZ
WHEN YUBA PLAYS THE RUMBA ON THE TUBA
Fox Trial Medley with Vocal Chorus
- 3. DANCING IN THE DARK
GOOD NIGHT SWEETHEART
ALL OF ME
Fox Trial Medley with Vocal Chorus
- 4. WHERE THE BLUE OF THE NIGHT MEETS THE GOLD OF THE DAY
CUBAN LOVE SONG
SOMEDAY I'LL FIND YOU
Waltz Medley with Vocal Chorus

SIDE TWO

- 1. MY SILENT LOVE
I FOUND A MILLION DOLLAR BABY
WHEN THE MOON COMES OVER THE MOUNTAIN
Fox Trial Medley with Vocal Chorus
- 2. YOU'RE MY EVERYTHING
I LOVE LOUISA
I LOVE A PARADE
Fox Trial Medley with Vocal Chorus
- 3. THE NIGHT WAS MADE FOR LOVE
SWEET AND LOVELY
SHE DIDN'T SAY "YES"
Fox Trial Medley with Vocal Chorus
- 4. LIFE IS JUST A BOWL OF CHERRIES
MY SONG
THAT'S WHY DARKIES WERE BORN
Fox Trial Medley with Vocal Chorus

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Notes by Louis Untermyer

The world in 1931 was restless and worried. It seemed to have lost its nonchalance and know-how. In America a depression deepened. There was rioting in Cuba and soon revolutions grew out of the soil of Central and South America. The United States Marines were in Nicaragua. Fascists ominously roiled their robes in Italy.

Factories all over the world idled to a stop and people's spirits seemed to rust with the machinery. President Hoover summoned groups of anxious businessmen to the White House. Neighborhood soup-kitchens multiplied as the nation suffered. The world-wide spread of poverty was discussed in the League of Nations. A tariff truce was considered necessary to end the stalemate in production. The German bankers were saved by American loans.

Spain deposed her king and became a republic. Mussolini attacked the Catholic Action organizations. Von Hindenburg assumed rule of the Reich as dictator "to curb radical excesses." Hoover declared a world debt moratorium for one year; Congress backed the plan in order to help Germany. Japan grew suddenly aggressive. On September 19th it seized Mukden, Manchuria, and started the pattern which was to include Italy's Ethiopian outrage and Germany's conquest of Europe.

Here in America prohibition enforcement was collapsing. Hoover appointed a board to study the problem. The board favored revision, but Hoover opposed modification and urged continued trial of "the noble experiment." Legislation began in state legislatures to modify prohibition laws. Juries here and there refused to convict violators. Even some of the better citizenry became flagrant violators of the liquor laws. Recognizing the trend, Governor Roosevelt urged repeal of the 18th Amendment.

Congress passed the soldier's bonus. The navy abandoned its base at Guam as having no military value! A movement began in the South, either to plow under or prevent planting of crops. "Hunger marchers" were turned away from the Capitol. The Democrats were gaining strength throughout the country.

In Nicaragua an earthquake killed 1,000 people. In New York the world's tallest building, the Empire State, opened. Its 102 stories were not easily filled. Arturo Toscanini was cuffed and slapped by fanatic Italian youths at Bologna for his refusal to play a fascist anthem.

The spectacle of the world in the doldrums was somewhat lessened as one turned to sports and entertainment for relaxation. St. Louis took four games to Philadelphia's three in the World Series. Billy Burke won the United States open golf match with a score of 292. In the Rose Bowl football classic, Alabama beat Washington State 24-0. Army took Notre Dame 12-0 after having been defeated 7-0 the year before. The sports world was stunned by the news of Knute Rockne's tragic death in an air crash.

The motion picture industry left its silent pictures behind. "Talkies" became universal. The Academy Award picture of 1931 was Cimarron with Richard Dix and Irene Dunne. The best actress was Marie Dressler, for her performance in *Min And Bill*; the best actor, Lionel Barrymore, for his characterization in *Free Soul*. One silent picture, however, was a box office smash. This was Charlie Chaplin's *City*

Lights. The Marx Brothers were up to their usual monkey-business in *Monkey Business*. Alexander Hamilton was portrayed by George Arliss and looked more like Arliss than Arliss himself.

Radio was becoming the vast chain in 1931 which now links all America in its patterns of entertainment. Phil Cook was at the height of his fame; Morton Downey was a new voice to radio listeners; Belle Baker was a popular Sunday broadcaster; the *March of Time* began as a radio program. There were the Boswell Sisters; Russ Columbo; the Mills Brothers; Eddie Cantor; Walter Winchell; Guy Lombardo; Ben Bernie; Cab Calloway; Bing Crosby was heading for the top; reviews about his style "were increasingly enthusiastic."

In the popular music field about a half dozen bands led in reputation. Among their leaders were Abe Lyman, Duke Ellington, Jesse Stafford, Horace Heidt, and Rudy Vallee.

Despite the depression and reduced receipts, the legitimate theatre managed to survive. Eva Le Gallienne brilliantly revived *Comille*. Katherine Cornell headed a notable cast in *The Barretts of Wimpole Street*; Noel Coward and Gertrude Lawrence were sensational in *Priegle Lives*. Al Jolson returned to Broadway in *The Wonder Bar*. Earl Carroll's *Varieties* and George White's *Scandals* were top musicals. The *Band Wagon* was notable for its gay tunes; riding it were Fred and Adele Astaire, Frank Morgan, Helen Broderick, and the dancer Tilly Losch. Eugene O'Neill startled the public with his deeply probing *Mourning Becomes Electric*, but audiences felt more at home with Elmer Rice's *Counselor-at-Law*, with Paul Muni, and with the satirical musical, *Of Thee I Sing*. Susan Glaspell's *Alison's House* (based on incidents in the life of the New England poet, Emily Dickinson) was awarded the Pulitzer Prize the following year. The theatre lost the renowned director and producer David Belasco, who died on March 15th.

Nineteen thirty-one enjoyed some memorable books. By an unhappy coincidence, Pearl S. Buck's Chinese novel, *The Good Earth*, appeared the year Japan chose to begin its "protection" of Asia; aroused American readers turned their attention to the problems and culture of the East. Fannie Hurst described the lamentable dead-end of extramarital entanglements in *Back Street*. In poetry Robert Frost was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for his *Complete Poems*. Edwin Arlington Robinson published the dark and disillusioned *Mathias At The Door*, and Edna St. Vincent Millay offered her sonnet sequence, *Fatal Interview*, which was rapturously reviewed. Other Pulitzer Prizes were awarded to Margaret Ayer Barnes's novel, *Years of Grace*; Henry James's biography, *Charles W. Eliot*; and Bernadotte E. Schmitt's history, *The Coming of the War, 1914*.

Nineteen thirty-one was not exactly a glamorous year nor a year of gracious living. Fortunes were lost and savings disappeared. However, in music and the allied arts, America carried on the tradition of her strength and the legend of her beauty. As always, her songs reflected the country's love of life and youthful high-heartedness.

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I Wonder

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Year after year they come to me
These children, with questioning looks,
Year after year they leave me
As they leave their outgrown books;

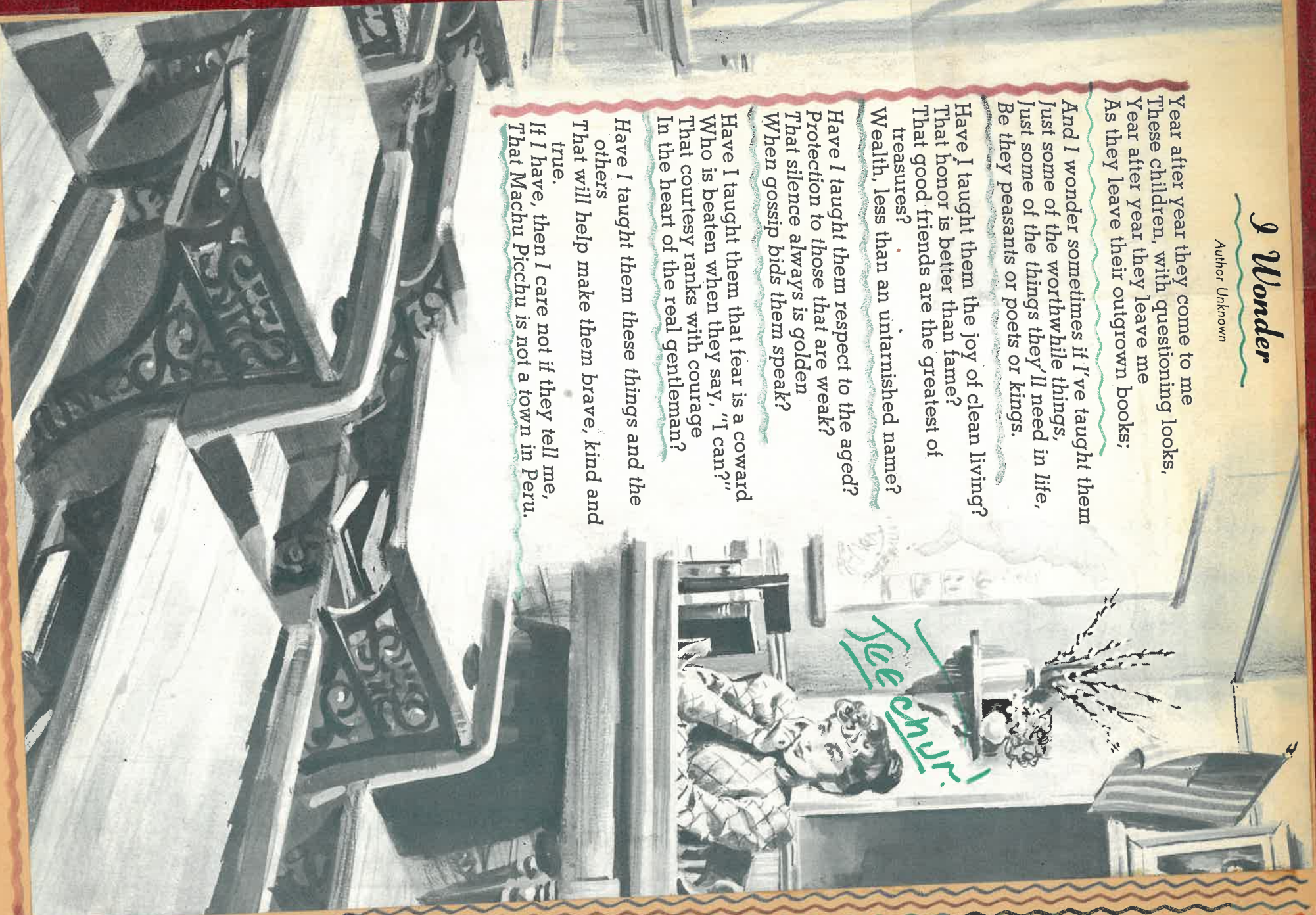
And I wonder sometimes if I've taught them
Just some of the worthwhile things,
Just some of the things they'll need in life,
Be they peasants or poets or kings.

Have I taught them the joy of clean living?
That honor is better than fame?
That good friends are the greatest of
treasures?

Wealth, less than an untarnished name?
Have I taught them respect to the aged?
Protection to those that are weak?
That silence always is golden
When gossip bids them speak?

Have I taught them that fear is a coward
Who is beaten when they say, "I can?"
That courtesy ranks with courage
In the heart of the real gentleman?

Have I taught them these things and the
others
That will help make them brave, kind and
true.
If I have, then I care not if they tell me,
That Machu Picchu is not a town in Peru.



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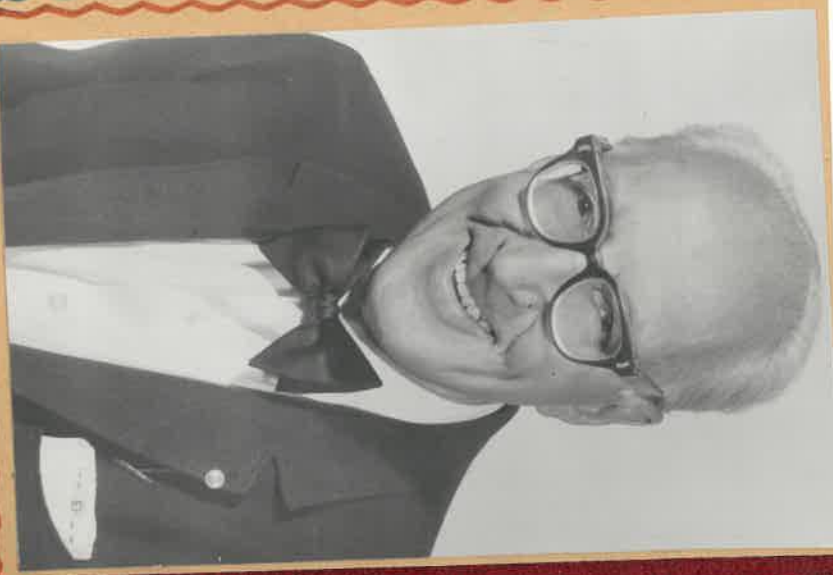


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1931 — WHEN THE MOON COMES OVER THE MOUNTAIN

When the moon comes over the mountain,
Ev'ry beam brings a dream dear of you,
Once again we'll stroll 'neath the mountain,
Thru that rose covered valley we knew.
Each day is gray and dreary,
But the night is bright and cheery,
When the moon comes over the mountain,
I'm alone with my memories of you.

Kate Smith - 1931

With a Teacher like this they had to

Teacher on Inside
Over-Turn right

A Teacher's Prayer

Robert H. Stewart

Oh, Lord, if I'm to teach, inspire me to be
The teacher that I want to be;
Direct my every word and deed,
Supply me with the wisdom that I must
To guide each child through the day.

Oh, Lord, if I'm to teach, give me the gift of wisdom
Give me the gifts of love and truth;
Allow my senses added insight
So my lips will speak kind words,
And my eyes will see goodness in everyone.

Oh, Lord, if I'm to teach,
Grant me the power to penetrate the mind's mystery,
And let me awaken the sleeping knowledge. You
have placed there.
Show me how to enlighten the unfortunate
And give me patience with the slower ones.

Oh, Lord, if I'm to teach,
Let me have compassion and make me sympathetic.
Help me to be tolerant;
Remove prejudice and doubt and fear from my mind.
Let me appreciate each child a little bit every day.

Oh, Lord, if I'm to teach,
Grant me strength to teach with joy in my heart
And allow my service to be a living example.
Lord, give me the gift of teaching . . .
I ask so much, but Lord, I need so much
if I'm to teach.

