

PARKERSBURG—Services for Mrs. Pearl Kappers, 75, who died Tuesday night at the Waverly hospital, will be 1:30 p.m. Friday at the United Methodist Church in New Hartford; burial in Oak Hill Cemetery in New Hartford; survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Albert Thorne of New Hartford; three sisters, Mrs. Kate Eckhoff of Shell Rock, Mrs. Marie Wildeboer of Allison, and Mrs. Rudolph Hook of Grundy Center; friends may call at the Engelkes Funeral Home in Parkersburg.

MARIE WILDEBOER

Marie Wildeboer of the Allison Care Center, Allison, Iowa and formerly of Stout, Iowa was born the daughter of Everett and Fannie Johnson Miller on October 7, 1902, in Grundy County, near Grundy Center, Iowa. She received her education in a rural school near her home. In 1918, Marie moved with her parents and family, 1 1/2 miles East of Stout, Iowa.

In September of 1959, Marie was united in marriage with Floyd Wildeboer. They lived East of Stout. After Floyd died in 1965, Marie became a resident of Lawn City Nursing Home in Cedar Falls, Iowa. Later, on July 26, 1974, she moved to the Allison Care Center in Allison, Iowa.

She was a member of the Reformed Church of Stout.

At 8 p.m. Sunday, May 29, 1994, Marie died at the Allison Care Center from complications of her cancer illness. She reached the age of 91 years, 7 months and 22 days. She was preceded in death by her parents, 1 brother, John Wildeboer and 3 sisters, Lettia Miller, Kate Eckhoff and Pearl Kappers.

Marie is survived by 4 nieces and 4 nephews and several great nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 1, 1994, in the Reformed Church of Stout, Stout, Iowa with Rev. Virgil Dykstra officiating. Mrs. Elaine Schnell was the organist and Richard Schafer sang "One Day At A Time" and "In The Garden". Congregational hymn was "How Great Thou Art." Casketbearers were: Bernard Kressley, Albert Thorne, David Thorne, Darrell Thorne, Mark Thorne and Ralph Hook. Interment followed in the Stout Cemetery.

Schwartz Funeral Home in Parkersburg, Iowa was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

KATE ECKHOFF

Kate Eckhoff of Allison, Iowa, was born the daughter of Everett and Fannie Johnson Miller on September 27, 1907, in Grundy County, near Fern, Iowa. She attended Stout school in Stout, Iowa.

On February 3, 1926, Kate was united in marriage to Joe Eckhoff in Stout, Iowa. They farmed in Butler County. Later after they retired to Shell Rock, Iowa, Kate was employed at the Shell Rock Nursing Home for 7 years. Joe died on May 16, 1973. In 1977, Kate moved to Allison, Iowa.

Kate was a member of the Trinity Reformed Church in Allison, Iowa.

At 6:15 P.M. Friday, January 18, 1991, Kate died at the Allison Health Care Center in Allison, Iowa, where she had resided since May 22, 1984. She reached the age of 83 years, 3 months, and 22 days. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe Eckhoff, her infant son, a great great granddaughter, her parents, 1 brother, John Miller, and 2 sisters, Lattie Miller and Pearl Kapper.

Kate is survived by her: 3 daughters, Marjorie, Mrs. James Thorne, Allison, IA, Bernice, Mrs. George Beenken, Morrison, IA, and JoAnn, Mrs. Robert Spencer, Ackley, IA; 10 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren, 3 great great grandchildren; and 1 sister, Mrs. Marie Wildeboer of Allison Care Center, Allison, IA.

Funeral Services were held at 1:30 P.M. Monday at the Trinity Reformed Church, Allison, Iowa, with Rev. James Lemmenes officiating. Mrs. Greta Cordes was the organist and Joyce Frey sang "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" and "The Old Rugged Cross". The congregational hymn was "How Great Thou Art". Casketbearers were: Darrell Thorne, David Thorne, Dennis Thorne, Dale Thorne, Jeff Kuiper, Jerry Beenken, Ronald Beenken, Roger Beenken, and Michael Spencer. Interment Followed in Oak Hill Cemetery, Parkersburg, Iowa.

Schwartz-Engelkes Funeral Home in Parkersburg, Iowa was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

GRUNDY CENTER — Fannie Hook, 78, of Grundy Center, died Wednesday, June 26, at Allen Memorial Hospital, Waterloo, of a heart attack; survivors include a son, Ralph of Grundy Center; a daughter, LaVon Hook of Grundy Center; two grandchildren; a brother, Bernard Kressley of Cedar Falls; and a sister, Janelle Bacon of California; she was preceded in death by her husband, Rudolph in 1984; and a son, LaVerne; services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at Engelkes-Abels Funeral Home, Grundy Center, with burial in Pleasant Valley Reformed Church Cemetery, rural Holland; friends may call at the funeral home after 9 a.m. Saturday; a memorial fund has been established.

to complete 4-H & EPA water beef weigh-ins for Deuel County in 1991. A total of 53 beef were processed to be eligible for the 1991 Deuel County Fair. This number compares to 65 head in 1990 and 70 head in 1989. There are 42 4-H/EPA members that weighed animals at these weigh-ins.

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Losing On Shell Rock

Many from local banks, county courts and the McHenry Township Board of Deputies County Conservation Board has added another program. To kick off this new addition, the Conservation Board is sponsoring a beginning canoe instruction program at the Shell Rock Recreation Area near Shell Rock on Thursday, June 4.

Join in the fun as we canoe around the lake at the Shell Rock Recreation Area. Beginning at 1 p.m. the program will include canoeing safety and safety equipment, steering and exiting a canoe, and basic paddling strokes. After the basic instruction session, paddlers will have a chance to spend some time paddling around the lake. The program will end at 3:00 p.m.

With only 50 spots available, pre-registration is required by 1:00 p.m. Friday, June 3. A donation of \$5 per paddler is

Left to Right:
Jessica Vice, Dan

SENIOR SURVEY

THE 10, ECLIPSE, JULY 23, 1997



FAVORITE TELEVISION SHOW: Monday night
FAVORITE MOVIE: Fire In The Sky
FAVORITE ACTOR/ACTRESS: Don't have one
FAVORITE MUSICIAN/GROUP: Alice Cooper
FAVORITE MUSIC VIDEO: "You're All I Need",
 by Motley Crue

OTHER FAVORITES: My dad, mom, Alesha,
 and all of my brothers and sisters

PET PEEVES: when others think they're better
 than others, when they're not!

MOST EMBARRASSING THING DONE: When
 I broke my nose twice

MOST MEMORABLE HIGH SCHOOL MOMENT:
 Getting Alesha back with me, and graduating
 from high school

PROUDEST ACCOMPLISHMENT: Graduating
 and getting Alesha back.

SECRET AMBITION: being an astronaut

I ADMIRE: my dad for being there for me for 18
 years

MOST IMPORTANT THING LEARNED: You
 don't have to drink at a party to have fun.

WORDS TO LEAVE BEHIND: when somebody
 puts you down, don't just sit there. Stand up
 and protect yourself.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE: Work, maybe col-
 lege, and hopefully get married to Alesha.

Dustin Kellum



APRIL WEDDING

Announcement is being made of the April 19, 1997 wedding
 of Alesha Kay Dempster and Dustin William Kellum.

Parents of the couple are Jan Eldridge and Les Dempster and
 Joann Dixon and Mike Kellum.

Vows were exchanged at 7:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church in
 Cedar Falls with Pastor Rhio Cleigh officiating.

The bride chose her sister Krista Nolte as Matron of Honor.
 Bridesmaids were Susan Kellum, cousin of groom, Kellie
 Kollmann, friend of the couple, and Steffanie Guess, also a
 friend of the couple.

Joey Kellum, cousin of the groom, served as the Best Man.
 Groomsmen were Travis Kellum, brother of the groom,
 Douglas Nolte, brother-in-law of the bride, and Brad Fobian,
 friend of the couple.

The flowergirl was Jessica Dempster, sister of the bride.
 Ringbearer was Andrew Dempster, brother of the bride.

The candlelighters were Les Dempster and Mike Kellum,
 fathers of the bride and groom.

During the ceremony, Les Dempster, father of the bride,
 sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Long As I Live." Organist was
 Alice Jannsen.

Guest book attendants were Stacy Crawford, step-sister of
 the groom and Sara Dempster, step-sister of the bride. Pro-
 gram attendants were Brooke Christensen, cousin of the
 groom, and Angie Dempster, half-sister of the bride. Gift
 carriers were Steve and Jackie Schipper, and Vanessa
 Henning, friends of the couple.

Following the ceremony a reception and dance were held at
 the Veterans Memorial Building in Parkersburg. Sound On
 The Run DJ'ed the dance.

The bride is employed by Hiway 20 Cafe, while the groom is
 employed by Omega Cabinets. The couple reside in Stout,
 Iowa.

NAME: Dustin William Kellum
BIRTHDATE: June 20, 1976
PARENTS: Mike and Joann
OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS: Travis, Carry, Shane,
 Holly, Stacey, Lisa
CURRENT CLASSES: American Government,
 Photo Design, World Geography, P.E.
EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: working,
 and spending time with my girlfriend Alesha
FAVORITE PLACE TO EAT: Alesha's house
FAVORITE BOOK OR MAGAZINE: Don't have
 one



DEMPSTER-KELLUM ENGAGEMENT

*Feb 26
 1997*

Alesha Dempster of Parkersburg is engaged to Dustin Kel-
 lum of Stout, Iowa.

Parents of the couple are Jan Eldridge of Parkersburg and
 Les Dempster of Cedar Falls, and Mike Kellum from Parkers-
 burg and Joann Dixon of Waterloo.

Dempster and Kellum are both graduates of Dike-New Hart-
 ford High School.

The groom-elect is employed by Omega Cabinets, while the
 bride-elect is a recent graduate of Hawkeye Community Col-
 lege.

An April 19th wedding at the First Baptist Church in Cedar
 Falls with a reception and dance following at the Veterans
 Memorial Building in Parkersburg is planned.

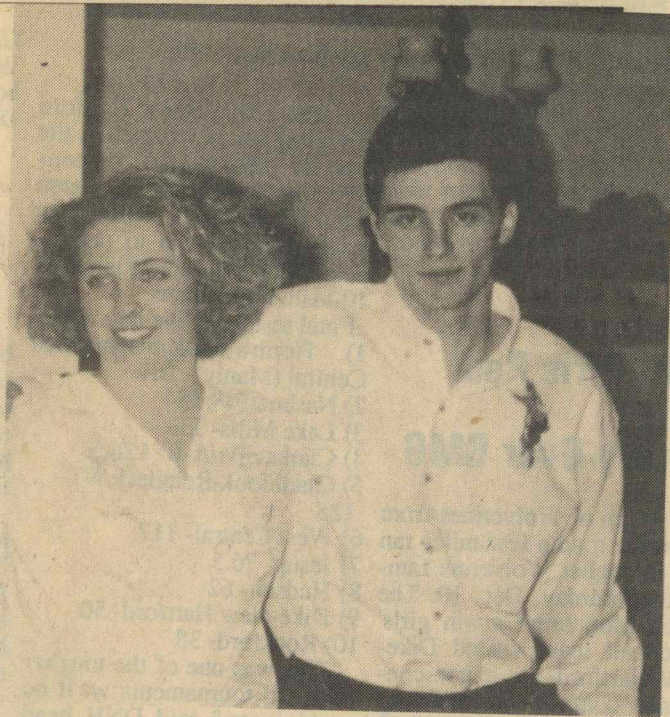
1, OCTOBER 18, 2000

HELLO WORLD

Making his arrival a little ahead of schedule, Matthew Lucas Kellum was born at 3:18 a.m. on Sunday, September 24, 2000 at The University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics. He weighed 2 lbs. 10.7 oz and was 15 1/2 inches long.

Waiting to welcome him home from The U of I Hospital are his parents, Dusty and Alesha Kellum of Parkersburg.

Maternal grandparents are Jan Eldridge of Parkersburg and Les & Patti Dempster of Cedar Falls, Iowa. Paternal grandparents are Joann Kellum of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and Mike & Jan Kellum of Cedar Falls, Iowa.



Announce Wedding

Kasie Laing of Vernon, Texas and Shane Kellum of New Hartford, were united in marriage on Saturday, December 10, 1994 at the home of Shane's parents, Janet and Mike Kellum, R.R. Parkersburg.

Officiating the marriage was Rev. Paul McDowell of the First Baptist Church, New Hartford.

Kasie Laing, is the daughter of Delbert Laing of Amarillo, Texas and Carla Lowry of Vernon, Texas. Shane Kellum is the son of Mike Kellum of Parkersburg and Joann Dixon

of Amarillo, Texas.

Members of the wedding party were Dustin Kellum, brother of the groom, Kendra Mobley of New Hartford and Aleisha Dempster of Parkersburg, friends of the couple. Flowergirl was Jamie Kellum of New Hartford, daughter of Joey and Susan Kellum. Ringbearer was Calib Christiansen of Dike, son of Richard and Zetha Christiansen.

The couple are making their home in New Hartford. They both work at Windsor Care Center in Cedar Falls.



CRAWFORD-NEISEN ENGAGEMENT

Stacey Crawford of Stout, Iowa and Roger Neisen, of Stout, Iowa are announcing their engagement and approaching marriage.

Stacey is the daughter of Donald Crawford of Sebastopol, CA and Janet (Mike) Kellum, of Cedar Falls. Roger is the son of Gerald Neisen of Waterloo and Pat Neisen of Waterloo.

The bride-elect is employed at GMAC in Waterloo, and her fiancé is employed at Central Iowa Water Association in Grundy Center, Iowa.

The wedding is planned for May 6th at 2:00 p.m. at the Dike Catholic Church in Dike, Iowa.

Waterloo Courier Mon., Feb. 16, 1976

Henry Kellum

DIKE—Services for Henry Kellum, 62, who died Sunday night at Schoitz Memorial Hospital in Waterloo after three days hospitalization, are pending at Dike Funeral Chapel. He is survived by his wife, Aerial; three daughters, Mrs. Clinton (Illene) Wolf of Des Moines, Mrs. Jim (Cherlyn) Brooke of Moberly, Mo., and Zatha Kellum of Cedar Falls; four sons, Dale of San Jose, Calif., Roger, Bruce, and Michael, all of New Hartford; a sister, Mrs. Susie Scoles of Tripoli; a son, Andrew of New Hartford.

Averil Kellum, of Dike, passed away Friday, October 21, 1994 at Parkview Manor, Reinbeck, Iowa, of natural causes, having attained the age of 79 years, 6 months, and 27 days

Averil E. Kellum was born March 24, 1915 in Butler County, Iowa, the daughter of Charles E. and Minnie (Farnsworth) Whitney. She attended New Hartford country schools and graduated from New Hartford High School with the Class of 1933.

On May 29, 1933, she was united in marriage to Henry R. Kellum in Waverly, Iowa. For over 30 years, Averil worked with her husband on farms in Grundy, Butler, Bremer, and Chicksaw counties. She was also employed for many years as a cook at the Barn Cafe in Dike, and retired from the Knife Factory in Dike.

Averil was preceded in death by her parents; husband Henry in 1976; and two brothers, Charles Whitney and Charlton Whitney.

Survivors include four sons: Dale Kellum and wife Charlotte of Red Bluff, CA, Roger Kellum and wife Mary of Waterloo, Mike Kellum and wife Jan of Stout, and Bruce Kellum and wife Zelta of Allison; three daughters: Gail (Illene) and husband Ray Miller of Truth or Consequences, NM, Cherlyn and husband Jim Brooke of Huntsville, MO, and Zatha and husband Richard Christiansen of rural Cedar Falls; 25 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and one brother, Rolland Whitney of Port Angeles, WA.

In Loving Memory Of AVERIL E. KELLUM

BORN

March 24, 1915
Butler County, Iowa

DIED

October 21, 1994
Reinbeck, Iowa

SERVICES

United Methodist Church
Dike, Iowa
Monday, October 24, 1994 11:00 a.m.

OFFICIATING

The Rev. Steven Solberg

MUSIC

Marlys Paige, Organist
Congregational Singing
"Amazing Grace" No. 378
"How Great Thou Art" No. 77

BEARERS

Todd Witte
Joey Kellum
Dustin Kellum

Mark Wilson
Shane Kellum
Matthew Christiansen

USHER

John Mulder

FLORAL COMMITTEE

Esther Freese

Twyla Mesenbrink

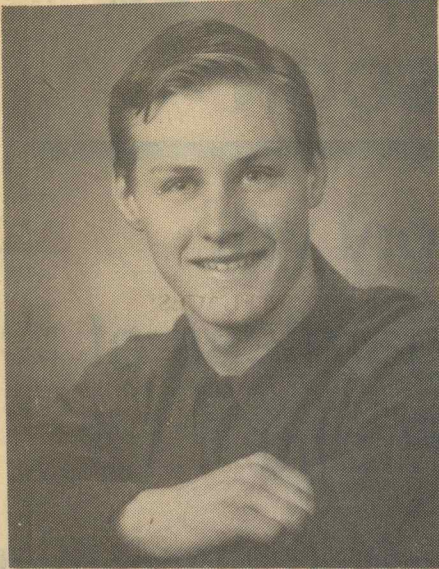
INTERMENT

Elmwood Cemetery
Dike, Iowa

SERVICES BY

Dike Funeral Chapel
Dike, Iowa

SENIOR 1992



Chuck Kellum

by Kelly Wise

Richard Charles Kellum was born on December 12, 1973. Chuck now lives with his parents Pat and Bruce. Chuck has an older sister named Candy and a younger sister named Crissa. Chuck currently resides in New Hartford.

In school Chuck has participated in football for three years and FFA for three years. Chuck says his favorite class is Building Trades because he likes to build things and he says, "you get away with almost anything". Chuck said that he also liked study halls.

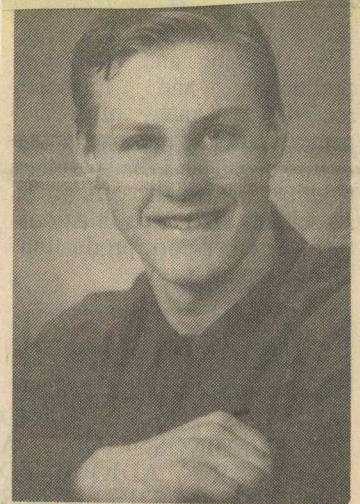
When Chuck is not in school he likes fishing, building things, and working on cars. He also likes to spend a lot of time with his friends in Parkersburg.

Chuck says he likes attending PHS because he has many friends. On the other hand Chuck thinks there could be some things done differently at PHS. He thinks students should be allowed to bring cards to school. He feels that the seniors should have more privileges.

Even though Chuck as found some faults with PHS he says he has had some pretty good memories. Chuck said two of his most memorable were "watching Josh climb the bookshelves and pull down the shades". He also enjoyed watching what happened to Josh Clark and Kelly Wise in Building Trades class. Chuck said his scariest moment was going over Wallbaum's Hill.

Chuck graduates in two weeks and he plans to get a construction job after he graduates. Before he graduates he said he would like to pass on some advice to underclassmen. First he'd like to say "Leave it to the beaver" and he would also like to say "Brownnosing doesn't get you anywhere." Best of luck in the future!!

DECEMBER 4, 1996



**Former P.H.S. Grad
Killed In Accident**

A 1992 graduate of Parkersburg Community High School was killed in an accident in Shell Rock last Friday.

According to reports a car driven by Richard "Chuck" Kellum, 22 of Rural Cedar Falls plunged off a Shell Rock River bridge causing his death. Kellum was driving onto Cherry Street from a parking lot in Shell Rock about 6:20 p.m. when he lost control of his car and crashed through the bridge's north side railing, landing upside down in the river. At press time is not yet been determined if road conditions were a factor.

The accident is being investigated by the Butler County Sheriff's Department, Shell Rock and Clarksville Police Departments and the Iowa State Patrol

PAGE B2 WATERLOO-CEDAR FALLS COURIER MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1996

CEDAR FALLS — Richard "Chuck" Kellum, 22, of rural Cedar Falls, formerly of New Hartford, died Friday in Shell Rock of injuries received in an automobile accident.

He was born Dec. 15, 1973, in Cedar Falls, son of Bruce and Pat Dietrick Kellum. He married Kimberly Bush Sept. 23, 1996, in Grundy Center.

Mr. Kellum was a farmhand and was employed by Unverferth Manufacturing in Shell Rock.

Survived by: his wife; a daughter, Kaylee at home; his mother, Pat Dietrick of Aplington; his father and step-mother, Bruce and Zelda Kellum of Waverly; and two sisters, Candy Kellum of Cedar Falls and Crissa Kellum of New Hartford.

Preceded in death by: paternal grandparents, Henry and Averil Kellum; and maternal grandparents, Robert and Shirley Dietrick.

Services: 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Engelkes-Abels Funeral Home, Grundy Center, with burial in Oak Hill Cemetery, New Hartford. Friends may call from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. today and from 9 a.m. to service time Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorial fund: has been established.



**Richard
Kellum**

Senior Interview



Candy Kellum March 1990

By: SHANNON RIES

On May 20, 1972 Pat and Bruce Kellum were blessed with a baby girl. They named this little girl Candy. Candy has grown now and become a senior in high school, who is eagerly awaiting graduating.

When Candy was asked what she likes about Parkersburg, she responded, "I like the many friends that I have met in Parkersburg."

One way that she feels things could be done differently at Parkersburg High would be granting more senior privileges. An example of a privi-

lege could be early dismissal for seniors if they have a study hall during their last period.

Candy participates in both volleyball and basketball at Parkersburg. "These activities have given me a chance to have a good time with my friends," explained Candy.

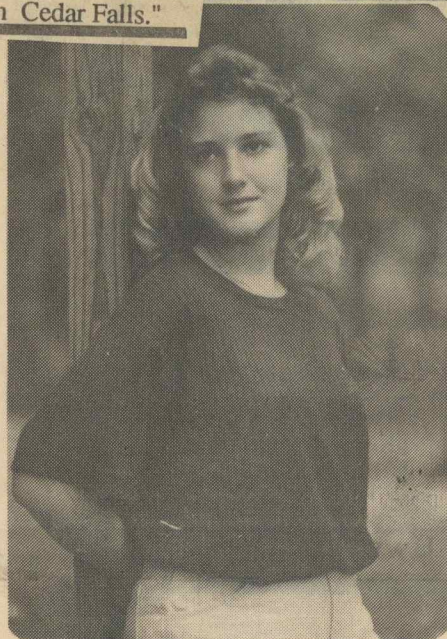
For favorite classes Candy had four semester ones that she has really enjoyed. These four were Sociology and Psychology taught by Mr. Kerns, and Government and Economics taught by Mr. Thomas. She said, "I've enjoyed these classes because of the teachers' personalities."

After high school, Candy has plans to attend UNI to become a social worker. This job will allow her to help others.

Some memorable moments come to Candy when she thought. The first one was when she got hit (there weren't any injuries) by the Silver Bullet, which is Shelly Bruns' car. The other one was when she witnessed somebody hitting a garbage can and getting it stuck under their car.

In Candy's leisure time, you may find her working at Momma Mias. She also enjoys shopping, listening to the radio, and watching television.

When Candy was asked to give advice to underclassmen she said, "Don't ever ride down 'Hell road' in Cedar Falls."



Crissa Kellum

On October 24th, 1974 the world was given Crissa Deanne Kellum, daughter of Pat and Bruce Kellum. Crissa has one brother, Chuck 19, and one sister Candy 20.

While in school you could find Crissa in any of these classes: Government, Economics, Accounting I, Senior Gym, Health,

English IV, Art II, Sociology or Life. Some of Crissa's favorites include Brad, sleeping in, listening to Elvis and Lynard Skynard, or watching a movie starring Mel Gibson.

Guys who feel they need to look at dirty magazines, Brad's pinups, school, paranoid people, men, and people who make wise-cracks about New Hartford are Crissa's pet peeves. When asked who Crissa admires, she responded with remarks about her family. She admires her mother for having given birth to her, her sister because she is hard-working and finally her brother because he is cocky and doesn't take anything from anybody. Crissa's secret ambition in life is to become a nun. Something unique about her is that she is very shy. Crissa's most memorable moment came on July 25th, 1991. Her most embarrassing moments are anytime she is with Michelle Grandon in the yellow boat and throwing up on Brad's shoes.

Crissa's one wish would be for an honest male or Brad's Iroq. Her plans for the future include joining the marines. Crissa's words to leave behind are, you come to school to learn not as a fashion statement. The most important thing learned for Crissa is don't let anyone make decisions for you, because they aren't you.

We wish Crissa the best of luck in the future!

April 1993

Butler standoff ends in cold light of day after heated pursuit

■ Sheriff talks man armed with weapon into surrendering after being cornered after chase.

By JEFF REINITZ
Courier Staff Writer

NEW HARTFORD

After sitting in the cold 1988 Pontiac La Mans hatchback for more than three hours, Kirk Kiewiet apparently knew the game was over.

The freezing temperatures began to seep into his clothes, which were moist with the sweat the 39-year-old Kiewiet had broken into while Butler County deputies chased him on foot through the snow-covered fields east of New Hartford, at one point firing shots at him when he brandished a pistol.

Surrounded by law enforcement officers from three counties, Kiewiet listened as Butler County Sheriff Tim Junker sat next to him in the car inside the white two-car garage, urging him to surrender.

Finally, Junker put his hands around Kiewiet's steel .44-caliber revolver. Kiewiet tried to pull back, but the sheriff told him, "No, let's go," and gently pulled the gun from his grasp.

"There wasn't a struggle; I finally got him talked into it," Junker said. "He kind of gave up. We talked him out and waited him out. He was getting cold. ... It was pretty cold."

The revolver was loaded with six bullets, which Junker shoved in his pants pocket after he unloaded the weapon.

Kiewiet, a former Butler County resident who moved to Cedar Falls, was arrested for being a felon in possession of a firearm and tampering with and possession of anhydrous ammonia, Junker said.

Butler County deputies began chasing Kiewiet early Monday when he showed up at an anhydrous ammonia tank — siphoning hose in hand — at a grain elevator in New

Butler County standoff

Deputies talked a Cedar Falls man into putting down his gun after chasing him from an anhydrous ammonia tank in New Hartford.



Hartford.

Junker said his office has been investigating a string of thefts of the fertilizer chemical, which is used by amateur chemists to manufacture the illegal drug methamphetamine. Authorities had a hunch someone was going to drain some anhydrous ammonia that night and a deputy was stationed there to keep watch. Two other officers were also in the New Hartford area.

About 3 a.m., Kiewiet arrived at the elevator but fled when an officer

approached him, Junker said.

Apparently trying to get back to his Ford Bronco, which police had already spotted parked off the roadway, Kiewiet led officers across the frozen fields around Diagonal Road east of the town, Junker said. At one point, Kiewiet pulled out a handgun to threaten his pursuers, authorities said.

"He pointed it at them and waived it at them," Junker said.

The threat was met with gunfire from the officers, but none of the shots struck Kiewiet.

Junker said his deputies fired only a couple of rounds.

Once they knew their suspect was armed, officers tried to contain the chase to the fields. The strategy was to keep him out of town and keep him on the move until daylight came, the sheriff said.

"We knew that once he had that gun that we were dealing with someone very dangerous," Junker said.

A tracking dog entered the chase, and at one point officials thought Kiewiet was hiding in an unoccupied shack. But he was then discovered down the road hiding in the Pontiac in Bernice Lindsay's detached garage.

The retired widow woke up about 6:30 a.m. as lawmen were negotiating with Kiewiet in her car. At first she saw the light on and thought someone was burglarizing her garage, but then she noticed the line of police cars on the road in front of her farm house.

"I wasn't really scared," Lindsay said. "I figured as long as the sheriff and everyone was here, I was safe."

Deputies gave Kiewiet a cellular telephone during the standoff so he could talk to relatives, but the batteries eventually died, Junker said.

Kiewiet is in the Butler County Jail. Bond has not been set.

Police accuse Cedar Falls man of conspiracy to make drugs

By JEFF REINITZ
Courier Staff Writer

WATERLOO

A Cedar Falls man who already is facing charges for waving a handgun at Butler County deputies after they allegedly thwarted his attempt at stealing anhydrous ammonia has now been arrested on Black Hawk County drug-related charges.

Black Hawk sheriff's deputies arrested Kurt K. Kiewiet, 38, of 11049 Butler Road, Monday at the Butler County jail on a warrant for conspiracy to manufacture more than 5 grams of methamphetamine while in possession of a firearm, possession of ephedrine, receipt of a precursor, manufacturing meth while in possession of a firearm, possession of lithium and possession of ether, said Kim Griffith, the assistant county attorney who is prosecuting the case.

The arrest stems from incidents between August and October 1999, according to court records. No further details were available, other than documents state he was in possession of a

.38-caliber handgun.

In February, Kiewiet led Butler County deputies on a foot chase through snow-covered fields outside the town of New Hartford.

Acting on a tip, investigators had staked out the town's grain elevator that night waiting for someone to siphon off anhydrous ammonia. Anhydrous ammonia is used in the production of methamphetamine.

At 3 a.m., Kiewiet arrived at the elevator with a hose, but he ran away when an officer tried to approach him. The chase continued for awhile, and Kiewiet pulled out a loaded revolver at one point and waved it at the deputies. The officers fired a few shots at him in self defense, but he wasn't struck.

Authorities finally found him in a car parked in a detached garage at a nearby farmhouse, and Butler County Sheriff Tim Junker talked him into surrendering.

He was arrested for being a felon in possession of a firearm and tampering with and possession of anhydrous ammonia, Junker said.

2, JULY 19, 2000

The following case appeared before District Court Judge Paul W. Riffel in Butler County Associate District Court in Allison, Iowa on June 20, 2000:

Kurt K. Kiewiet, 38, of Cedar Falls, Iowa pled guilty to Count 1: Felon in Possession of Firearm and was sentenced to prison for an indeterminate term, not to exceed 5 years and was given credit of 127 days of time previously served. Kiewiet was also ordered to pay a fine in the amount of \$750.00, plus a 30% surcharge. Count II: Possession of Methamphetamine, 2nd offense and was sentenced to prison for an indeterminate term, not to exceed 2 years and was given credit of 127 days for time previously served. Kiewiet was also ordered to pay a fine in the amount of \$500.00 plus a 30% surcharge and \$50.00 court costs. It was also ordered that Mr. Kiewiet's license is revoked for 180 days. The conviction stems from charges filed in February by Doug Iserman, a Peace Officer with the Butler County Sheriff's Dept. Kiewiet was represented by Tom Frerichs and Butler County Attorney Greg Lievens appeared for the State.

Grundy County seizes firearms reported stolen

By **KELSEY HOLM**
Courier Staff Writer

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GRUNDY CENTER — A number of firearms recovered in a Dec. 29 search have been linked to an investigation into stolen property.

While executing a search warrant at 11049 Butler Road, Cedar Falls, in rural Grundy County, officers seized quantities of methamphetamine and marijuana and several firearms. Some of the seized firearms were reported stolen from a residence in Bremer County on Nov. 29. A snowmobile also was seized by the Iowa Department of Natural Resources and is under investigation.

During the search, resident Kurt Kiewiet, 44, was arrested

for possession of methamphetamine with intent to manufacture, possession of marijuana and felon in possession of a firearm. Another resident, Debra George, 44, was arrested for possession of marijuana. Tracey Everman, 44, of Stout, was arrested for possession of meth and marijuana.

The arrests were the latest in an investigation that has been ongoing since Dec. 22, when a Black Hawk County deputy sheriff, who stopped to assist a motorist in the 1000 block of East Dunkerton Road, arrested Timothy Platter of Waterloo, the motorist he assisted, for carrying weapons and felon in possession of a firearm. A subsequent search of Platter's truck turned up a license plate belonging on a construction

trailer reported stolen from the Denver area on Dec. 19.

Black Hawk and Bremer County deputies searching Platter's home at 625 Grover Court on Dec. 22 recovered a trailer reported stolen near Reinbeck on Dec. 4, several tools and two stolen firearms, one from the Denver residential burglary.

Platter then had additional charges filed for trafficking stolen firearms and second-degree theft. Platter's brother, Kent Raymond Platter, 41, of Waterloo, was arrested for felon in possession of firearms, trafficking stolen weapons and second-degree theft.

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Stolen property investigation leads to drug charges

Dec 28 - 2005

By **JEFF REINITZ**
Courier Staff Writer

GRUNDY CENTER — Grundy County deputies have arrested three people for drugs as part of an ongoing investigation into stolen property.

Deputies and officers from a number of agencies executed a search warrant at 11049 Butler Road, Cedar Falls, in rural Grundy County, shortly after midnight Wednesday.

They arrested the resident, Kurt Kiewiet, 44, for possession of methamphetamine with intent to manufacture, possession of marijuana and felon in possession of a firearm.

The other person living at the address, Debra George, 44, was arrested for possession of marijuana, and Tracey Everman, 44, of Stout, was arrested for possession of meth and marijuana.

Authorities described the address as an acreage that

included a home and an automotive repair shop called Kurt's Kar Kare. Officers recovered drugs and several firearms.

Deputies with Black Hawk and Bremer counties assisted Grundy deputies, as did officers from the Iowa Division of Narcotic Enforcement, Iowa State Patrol, and Iowa Department of Natural Resources.

Authorities said the case is still under investigation, and detectives said the arrests were made

as they looked into stolen property after finding two brothers with stolen guns in Waterloo last week.

In that incident, Timothy Allen Platter, 37, and Kent Raymond Platter, 41, were arrested for trafficking stolen weapons and second-degree theft after deputies found a handgun, rifle and tools stolen from Bremer County and a construction trailer stolen from Grundy County.

Kiewiet has a history of run-ins

with the law including a February 2000 incident where he allegedly waved a .44-caliber revolver during a foot chase with Bremer County deputies who caught him trying to siphon anhydrous ammonia from a grain elevator in New Hartford. Deputies fired at Kiewiet, who was later found inside a nearby garage.

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Eighth arrest made in ongoing investigation

By JESSICA MILLER

Courier Staff Writer

GRUNDY CENTER — An ongoing investigation involving drugs, guns and thievery produced another arrest this week, this time of a Dike man.

Grundy, Black Hawk and Bremer county sheriff's deputies searched the home of Scott Moses, 43, on Tuesday. He is charged with possession of methamphetamine with intent to manufacture, a Class B felony, and possession of a

firearm as a felon, a Class D felony.

Moses' arrest is the eighth in an investigation dating back to Dec. 22 when Black Hawk County officers assisted a motorist, Tim Platter. Officers found a handgun stolen in a Bremer County burglary.

Subsequent searches produced a stolen construction trailer and led authorities to arrest Tim Platter's brother, Kent Platter, 41, of Waterloo. Kent Platter is charged with possession of firearms as a felon, trafficking stolen

weapons and second-degree theft.

Those arrests led to three more in Grundy County on Dec. 29.

Kurt Kiewiet, 44, was arrested for possession of meth with intent to manufacture, possession of marijuana and felon in possession of a firearm. Debra George, 44, was arrested for possession of marijuana. Tracey Everman, 44, of Stout was arrested for possession of meth and marijuana.

On Jan. 7, Black Hawk County arrested Amy Anderson, 30, of Waterloo for two counts of sec-

ond-degree theft. Bremer County sheriff's deputies also have arrested a person related to the investigation. Information about that individual was not available.

Moses remains in jail on a \$1 million bond. Class B felonies are punishable by 25 years in prison. Class D felonies are punishable by five years in prison.

Moses was found guilty in Grundy County District Court in 2003 for possessing a meth precursor, a Class D felony.

GRACE KIEWIET

Grace Kiewiet, daughter of Frank and Trena Cordes Bergman, was born May 30, 1900, in Grundy County near Holland. She received her education in the rural school near her home.

On November 20, 1919, she was united in marriage to Fred Kiewiet in the Colfax Center Presbyterian Church of Holland, Ia. They established their home on a farm near Holland where they farmed for several years, then farmed in the Sinclair and New Hartford areas until they retired in Parkersburg.

After Fred's death in 1970, Grace moved to Aplington where she lived with her daughter Minnie Pruisner at 633 Parrott St.

She had been suffering from ill health for several years and was admitted to Allen Memorial Hospital June 8, 1989. It was there she died, Monday morning, June 12, 1989. She reached the age of 89 years, and 13 days. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, 4 sisters, and 1 brother.

Grace was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Aplington. She is survived by one son; Clarence Kiewiet, Waterloo; by one daughter; Minnie Pruisner, Aplington; by 6 grandchildren; 18 Great Grandchildren; 6 Great Great Grandchildren; by 2 sisters; Hannah Stevens, New Hartford, and Anna Garner, Longville, Minnesota; and one brother; Henry Bergman, Grundy Center.

Funeral services were held 1:30 P.M. Thursday, June 15, 1989, at the First Presbyterian Church of Aplington with Rev. Douglas Darnold officiating. Dorothy Stubbe was the organist and the congregation sang "How Great Thou Art" and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus." Casketbearers were Scott Sells, Ron Garner, John Bergman, Todd Pruisner, Robert Stevens, Kevin Kiewiet, Donald Shelton, and Dennis Kiewiet. Interment followed in Oak Hill Cemetery, Parkersburg, Ia. Schwartz-Engelkes Funeral Chapel of Aplington was in charge of arrangements.

WATERLOO — Clarence F. Kiewiet, 77, of Waterloo, died Monday, Dec. 6, at Covenant Medical Center of natural causes.

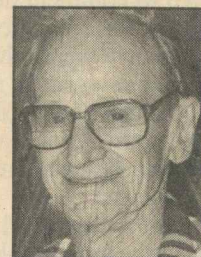
He was born July 24, 1922, in Holland, son of Fred and Grace Bergman Kiewiet. He married Maxine Thorp on June 29, 1947, in Waterloo.

Mr. Kiewiet was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was employed as an assembler for Hawkeye Steel for 35 years, retiring in 1976.

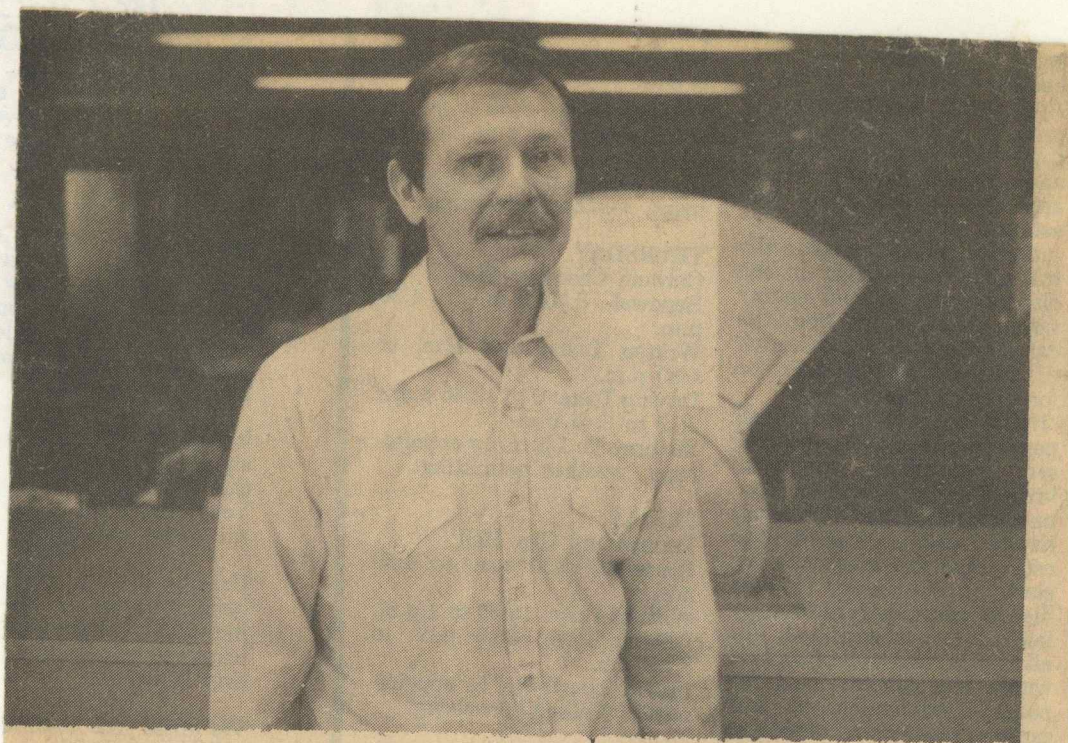
Survived by: his wife; a son, Kevin of Evansdale; two daughters, Dava Boller and Becky Landers, both of Waterloo; seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild; and a sister, Minnie Pruisner of Aplington.

Services: 1 p.m. Thursday at Kearns, Huisman-Schumacher Chapel on Kimball, with burial in Garden of Memories. Full military rites by Becker-Chapman American Legion Post 138 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1623 will be conducted during committal services in the Temple of Memories at the cemetery. Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and for an hour before services Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorials: may be directed to the family.



Clarence
Kiewiet



New Aplington Postmaster

Virgil Pruisner was named the Postmaster of the Aplington office last week. Virgil, a native of Aplington, has been the postmaster at Dumont for the past 10 years before taking over for the retired Dominic Corsello. Virgil started working for the postal service in the Waterloo office in 1970, in 1975 he was Postmaster at Holland before taking the Dumont job.

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Be Kind

JUST THE ART OF BEING KIND

by Vincent B. Silliman

So many gods, so many creeds
So many paths that wind and wind;
When just the art of being kind
Is all this sad world needs.

So wrote Ella Wheeler Wilcox, favorite
rhymster of a time when some of the oldest of
us were much younger.

"Just the art of being kind" may not in
fact be all this sad world needs; but it can go
a long way toward filling some of the deepest
needs of any person living.

The art of being kind:

The skill, the tact, the sensitivity, the
wit, the understanding, the sympathy, the gen-
erosity, to be kind --

To comfort, to cheer, to encourage another
human being --

To relieve the devastating aloneness of
someone --

To help to bring him out of the isolation
of exaggerated self-concern --

To let him know somebody cares --

To supply someone's need without hurting
his pride --

To hearten someone without invading his
privacy --

To help someone without diminishing his
self-confidence and his self-reliance --

To show sympathy for someone in a manner
that strengthens him as a person --

To befriend somebody in such a way that,
if that is his need, he becomes himself a
friendlier and more loving person:

This surely is an art.

No doubt in this regard some of us are
more talented, more richly endowed, than others.

Some of us certainly have more wit, more
tact, than others -- more sympathy, more sensi-
tivity, more generosity.

However, this is partly a matter of saying
that as persons we are different -- who knows
exactly why?

We do not have to be all alike to be use-
ful and valuable and all but indispensable to
one another, and to the larger community around
us.

Some people do not seem to know that they
need to be needed -- that they need to be loved.
They prefer complete independence and self-
dependence.

Perhaps at some time, and many, many times,
and for too long a time these people have been

deeply hurt and are unconsciously or consciously
in fear of being hurt some more.

How can you tell them that their neighbors
need them and the world needs them? How can
you suggest to them that they might really like
to count for more?

There are times, I fear, when most of us
would rather be unkind than kind. We are too
sorry for ourselves to be concerned for anybody
else.

We have no interest then in learning or
practicing the art of being kind.

There is another side to most of us.

The fact is that with most of us, on any
day we feel that we have really got in touch
with somebody and helped him a bit, that day is
made.

It is also true that most of us like some
of the time to prove one is a better man than
someone else -- abler -- more fortunate --
stronger -- wiser.

It is true that these feelings can mas-
querade as kindness; but they are in fact self-
centered and very selfish feelings.

It's hard really to know and understand
ourselves -- harder it seems than it is even to
know and understand other people. We mistake
some very selfish impulses for generosity.

Jesus said:

Take heed that ye do not your righteous-
ness before men, to be seen of them...

When therefore thou doest alms, sound not
a trumpet before thee, as the hypocrites do in
the synagogues and in the streets, that they
may have glory of men.

Most of us want a little appreciation from
time to time -- a little recognition. When we
are doing something generous we think we have a
right to know that other people are not taking
advantage of us in some way -- holding back
themselves and letting us carry the load.
There's something sensible and wholesome here.
I am not necessarily giving "to be seen of
men," or "to have glory of men" if I want my
giving and my doing to count for something.
Otherwise why give at all? It is good sense
not to be willing to waste either my time and
effort or my means.

On the other hand, what other people do
and give is only so important. Let me do my
part. Someone else's shirking does not neces-
sarily excuse me from action. If all of us
should use the shortcomings of other people as
our own excuses, nothing useful ever would get
done.

No doubt a great many of us have managed to train ourselves to be more observing of the thoughts and feelings of other people than once we were. Many of us are nevertheless more careless of the thoughts and feelings of other people, old and young, than we mean to be. We hurt other people unknowingly by our neglect; we hurt them by our inattention. Most of us probably can learn to do better by deliberately trying.

Kindness comes from the heart.

Part of the art of being kind is in the thoughtful acts we do not really feel like doing. We push ourselves. We may or may not get much satisfaction from our doing. That is a true kindness. There is nothing sham about it. It is a matter of letting one's best self take over.

Among the prose poems of Ivan Turgenev, the Russian novelist, is this:

I was walking along the street... I was stopped by a decrepit old beggar.

Bloodshot, tearful eyes, blue lips, coarse rags, festering wounds... Oh, how hideously poverty had eaten into this miserable creature.

He held out to me a red, swollen, filthy hand. He groaned, he mumbled of help.

I began feeling in all my pockets... No purse, no watch, not even a handkerchief... I had taken nothing with me. And the beggar was still waiting... and his outstretched hand feebly shook and trembled.

Confused, abashed, I warmly clasped the filthy, shaking hand... "Don't be angry, brother; I have nothing, brother."

The beggar stared at me with his blood-shot eyes; his blue lips smiled; and he in turn gripped my chilly fingers.

"What of it, brother?" he mumbled; "thanks for this, too. That is a gift too, brother."

I knew that I too had received a gift from my brother.

"Just the art of being kind."

Not all this sad world needs, to be sure. But one of this sad world's great needs no less.

An art that to be sure is partly gift. There are greatly loved people who are specially talented.

An art, too, that anyone can learn who really wants to -- just by seeing, just by doing, just by trying.

A bit of personal attention; a pleasant word; a neighborly deed.

Here is the meaning of the saying, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

"Just the art of being kind."

The world is so big now; life is so complicated. Personal kindness only can never cover the world's needs -- even the needs of the old and the forlorn in such a place as Yarmouth. Community services of one kind and another are most necessary.

But community services, however considerate, can never take the place of what you and I can do and mean for one another as persons.

Children cry for love; the basic need of all the rest of us is love.

The REV. VINCENT B. SILLIMAN, D.D. is one of the most erudite writers and editors in the Unitarian Universalist ministry. He has served as an editor of the Beacon Song and Service Book, We Sing of Life and We Speak of Life, and of Hymns for the Celebration of Life. His own hymns, readings, and dramas have been widely used for worshipping experiences. His churches have included pulpits in New York and Chicago. He is now living in Yarmouth, Maine where he preaches at the Universalist Church. He was graduated from the University of Minnesota and Meadville Theological School, which recently awarded him an honorary doctorate.

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**JENS PETER KLODT
BURIED MONDAY**

1946

Jens Peter Klodt, 88, a former resident of this vicinity, died Friday at his home in Cedar Falls of old age and complications after an illness of one year. Funeral services were held Monday at Brown's funeral home at 1:30 p.

m. and at 2:15 at the Fredsville church. Burial was in the Fredsville cemetery.

He was born Sept. 9, 1858 at Vendrum, Denmark and married Bengta Olson, Aug. 27, 1872 in Denmark. They came to this country and settled at New Hartford in 1884. For the last 27 years the family lived in Cedar Falls. He was always a farmer until he retired.

Two sons survive, Ole, New Hartford and Swem, Buhl, Idaho; also six daughters, Mrs. Ellen Rockey, Mrs. Bert Court, and Mrs. Will Crowston, all of Cedar Falls; Mrs. A. J. Koldberg, Minneapolis; Mrs. Clarence Card, Waterloo and Mrs. Pauline Wiley, Parkersburg. There are 22 grandchildren. Ten grandsons served during the war in which one gave his life. There are 14 great grandchildren.

Sunday, December 2, 1990 Waterloo

BIRTHDAYS

Pauline Wiley

CLARKSVILLE — Pauline Wiley will celebrate her 90th birthday Saturday with an open house from 1:30 to 4 p.m. at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Harris.

The event will be hosted by her children, James Wiley of Allison, Bobbie Kahler of Grinnell, and Jean and Donald Harris of Clarksville.

Pauline Klodt was born Dec. 13, 1900, near New Hartford, the daughter of Jens P. and Bengta Klodt. She married James Wiley Feb. 5, 1919, and resided in Butler County most of her life.

There are two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Her husband and two sons are deceased.

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PAULINE R. WILEY

Pauline R. Wiley of Allison, Iowa was born the daughter of Jens P. and Bengta Olesson Klodt on December 13, 1900 in Black Hawk County, near New Hartford, Iowa. She graduated from the Parkersburg High School in 1918.

On February 5, 1919, Pauline was united in marriage to Andrew James Wiley in Allison, Iowa. They farmed East of Parkersburg, Iowa then moved to a farm south of Allison in 1964. Jens died on February 26, 1973, and Pauline remained on the farm until moving to Allison in 1985.

Pauline was an active member of Bethel Lutheran Church in Parkersburg, Iowa and she had been a Sunday School Teacher for many years. She also enjoyed reading, writing, crocheting and being with her family.

At 7:45 a.m., Saturday, March 6, 1993, Pauline died at the Allison Care Center, Allison, Iowa where she had resided since July of 1990. She was preceded in death by her: husband, James Wiley; 2 sons, an infant son, Robert and John Bruce Wiley, who was killed in W.W.II; and two brothers and five sisters.

Pauline is survived by her: one son, James (Dutch) Wiley, Allison, Iowa; two daughters, Jean Harris and her husband, Donald of Rt. 1, Clarksville, Iowa and Roberta Kahler of Grinnell, Iowa; two grandchildren, Mary and Wilson Groen of Parker, Colorado and Jerry and Mary Kahler of Glen Ellen, California; and two great grandchildren, Marcus and Rebecca Groen.

Funeral Services were held at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 9, 1993, in Bethel Lutheran Church with Rev. Gary Olson officiating. Mrs. Audrey Peters was the organist and Susan Wubbena sang "Just As I Am" and "I Was There To Hear Your Morning Cry". Congregational Hymn was "Beautiful Saviour". Casket-bearers were: Everett Oldenburger, Ronald Saathoff, Jan Franken, Gordon Card, Duane Whitney and Otto Brocka. Interment followed in Oak Hill Cemetery, Parkersburg, Iowa.

Schwartz Funeral Home in Parkersburg, Iowa was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

\$15,000 DAMAGE CAUSED BY BLAZE AT NEW HARTFORD

Explosion of Oil Starts Fire
Which Threatens Entire
Business District.

New Hartford, Ia., Sept. 22.—
(Special)—Explosion of oil which
was being used to clean harness in
the O. N. Klodt shop here yesterday
about 3:20 p. m., caused a fire
which spread rapidly thru the shop
and to the rest of the building,
which was completely destroyed.
Damages estimated at \$15,000 were
caused, the harness stock being val-
ued at \$5,000, the building at a
similar sum and equipment of Eber-
hart billiard and poolhall and a
young men's club in the same build-
ing comprising the balance. Insur-
ance will cover part of the loss on
building and harness stock.

The blaze spread rapidly and for
a time threatened the remainder of
the business district, but, except for
minor damage from heat and smoke,
loss was confined to the building in
which it started. No chemicals were
available, but volunteers formed a
bucket brigade and, with the aid of
a line of hose, fought the fire un-
til assistance came from Dike and
Cedar Falls. A call was also sent to
Waterloo, but the fire was under
control before arrangements were
completed for sending aid from the
department in that city.

G. B. Luck, 87, who was first to
carry mail to Waterloo and Vinton,
bringing it from Cedar Rapids, re-
sides near the burned building and
his furniture was removed when it
was believed the flames would
spread. Furniture and merchandise
were taken from other nearby
buildings.

PASSING OF MRS. O. N. KLODT

A gloom was cast over the city on Monday morning when it was learned that Mrs. O. N. Klodt had passed away that morning at Sartori hospital in Cedar Falls.

Clara Viola North, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George North, was born in Blackhawk county, June 23, 1890, and departed this life April 30, 1923, at the age of 32 years, 10 months and 7 days.

She grew to womanhood in the vicinity of New Hartford, and on May 3, 1916, she was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Ola Klodt. To this union three children were born, Jim, George and Velma, who with the husband survive.

She was converted in the Kirkland meetings and united with the M. E. church under the pastorate of Rev. W. A. Faris.

In addition to the husband and children she is survived by her father and mother, two brothers, Clinton and Clifford, one sister, Mrs. Mabel Kroemer, and other relatives, who mourn her death.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock from the M. E. church in this city, in charge of Rev. W. A. Faris of Dunkerton assisted by Rev. B. A. Davis of the local church. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. The burial was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us in any way during our recent bereavement. We especially wish to thank the business men, lodges, home economics class of the high school, and friends for the beautiful flowers.

O. N. Klodt and Children,
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. North,
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton North,
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kroemer,
Clifford North.

Clara Viola North was born near Cedar Falls, Iowa, June 23, 1890 and departed this life April 30, 1923 at Sartori hospital at Cedar Falls, Iowa. She grew to womanhood in the vicinity of New Hartford. She was converted during the Kirkland meetings and was united with the M. E. church at this place during the pastorate of Rev. Faris. Clara for the past eighteen months had been a great sufferer, which she bore with everlasting patience, always thinking of those who were caring for her.

On May 3, 1916 she was united in marriage to Olie N. Klodt at Waterloo, Iowa. To this union three children were born, Jim, George and Velma, who with the bereaved husband, father, mother, two brothers Clinton and Clifford North, one sister Mrs. Mabel Kramer are left to mourn the loss of a kind and loving wife, mother and sister besides other relatives.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon conducted by Rev. W. A. Faris of Dunkerton assisted by Rev. B. A. Davis of the associated churches of this city. Interment was made in

READLYN — Jim P. Klodt, 76, of Readlyn, died Thursday, April 8, at Allen Memorial Hospital, Waterloo, after suffering heart failure at his home; survivors include his wife, Berdina M.; three daughters, Andrea Strottmann of Readlyn, Marilyn Anderson of Sonora, Calif.; and Anita Dorn of Denver; six grandchildren, seven stepgrandchildren, a great-grandchild and six stepgreat-grandchildren; a brother, George of Waterloo; and two sisters, Velma Bickner of Cedar Falls and Marie Sutton of Elk Run Heights; services will be 11 a.m. Monday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Readlyn, with burial in the church cemetery; friends may call from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. today at Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home, Readlyn, and an hour before services Monday at the church; memorials may be made to the family or to an organization of the donor's choice; Mr. Klodt owned and operated Klodt Tiling, retiring in 1973; he served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

PAGE B2 WATERLOO-CEDAR FALLS COURIER TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1999

CEDAR FALLS — George Olie Klodt, 81, of Cedar Falls, died Saturday, Dec. 11, at Windsor Care Center of natural causes.

He was born Jan. 10, 1918, in New Hartford, son of Olie and Clara North Klodt, and from the age of 4 was raised by his aunt and uncle, Bill and Mable Kroemer. He married Dorothy Mae McCracken on May 27, 1955, in Waterloo. She preceded him in death.

Mr. Klodt was a truck driver for C.W. Shirey Ready Mix for 25 years, retiring in 1977.

Survived by: two daughters, Gloria J. Hayungs of Granville, Ill., and Nancy A. Klodt of Cedar Falls; a son, Gary L. of Cedar Falls; three grandsons and seven great-grandchildren; and a sister, Velma Bickner of Cedar Falls.

Preceded in death by: a brother, Jim.

Services: 10 a.m. Wednesday at Barr Funeral Home, Cedar Falls, with burial in Fairview Cemetery, Waterloo. Friends may call from 2 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home, with family present from 6 to 8 p.m.

Memorials: may be directed to the family.

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THE COURIER

Metro Deaths

Velma E. Bickner (1919-2005)

CEDAR FALLS — Velma E. Bickner, 85, of Cedar Falls, died Monday, Sept. 19, at the Cedar Valley Hospice Home, Waterloo.

She was born Oct. 10, 1919, in New Hartford daughter of Olie and Clara North Klodt. She married Earl G. Bickner Oct. 16, 1937, in Waverly. He died Oct. 5, 1982.

She worked for the Cedar Falls School System in the laundry department for 25 years.

Survived by: a son, James (Judy); a daughter, Barbara (Duane) Whitney of Denver; four grandsons; two great-grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Preceded in death by: a son, Ray; and two brothers, Jim and George Klodt.

Services: 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Nazareth Lutheran Church, Cedar Falls, with burial in Oak Hill Cemetery, New Hartford. Friends may call from 3 to 7 p.m. today at the Dahl-Van Hove-Schoof Funeral Home, and for an hour before services Thursday at the church.

Memorials: may be directed to the family.



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PAGES OF THE PAST

10 Years Ago

The letters LIBRARY have been placed on the Kothe Memorial Library as a gift from the Harlan Knepp family, in memory of Margaret, a former librarian.

Shannon Ries completed graduate work at Vennard College in University Park, IA in December 1995. He will serve the Lord as part of an interdenominational team in the inner-city of Chicago.

Angie Church will be working at Janni's Beauty Salon.

Elizabeth Dole spoke at the APHS to campaign for her husband Sen. Bob Dole a Republican nominee for President.

Parkersburg Senior Center will host a Soup Supper and Casino Night Fundraiser. A UNI fraternity will run the casino. John Akkerman will auction off donated prizes.

40 Years Ago

Olie Klodt closes the New Hartford Harness and Shoe shop after 52 years. He turned 82 on August 31.

10% of the 1965 Butler Co. high school graduates have married. 47% are furthering their education. 23% are working within the county, 3% are in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Payne of New Hartford were Monday evening supper guests in the Carl Youngberg home.

Gold Key Restaurant north of Hampton on Hwy. 65 has a special of 12 adult buffets for the price of 10.

Specials at Dickman Bros. in Aplington Rath Franks are 49¢/lb. Gooch's elbow macaroni 2 lbs. for 35¢, and Wilderness Cherry Pie Filling is 4/\$1.

Mr. and Mrs. George Busch of Allison visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jungling.

Jay Benton

—Democrat, Waverly, Iowa, March 8, 1990

CHRIS KLUITER

Chris Kluitier, 78, of Allison, died Wednesday afternoon, March 7, at Allen Memorial Hospital in Waterloo, where he had been a patient since January 26.

Chris was born on June 25, 1911, in Butler County, the son of Albert and Stienje (Klassen) Kluitier. He attended country school near his home and then worked as a farm hand. He accepted Christ as his Savior in February of 1929. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and following his discharge, returned to the Allison area where he started farming.

In January of 1946, he was united in marriage to Fae Carolyn Benton in Sumner. They farmed in the Allison area until 1960 when they moved to a farm near New Hartford. In 1962 they moved to a farm near Shell Rock where he farmed until 1969 when he moved to Allison and worked for Allison Implement. In 1977 he retired, but continued working part-time until 1983.

Chris was a member of the Hitesville Gospel Hall and a member of the American Legion Post No. 253 in Allison.

He is survived by his three children and their spouses, Jim and Barbara Kluitier of Shell Rock, Linda and Wayne Epley of Shell Rock, and Jack Kluitier of Janesville; one brother, Albert Kluitier of Clarksville; three sisters, Mrs. Minnie Harms of Allison, Carrie, Mrs. John Kramer of Shell Rock, and Anna, Mrs. Jake Jacobs of Allison; and by four grandchildren, Brandon and Daniel Kluitier and Chris and Jody Epley. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife on May 31, 1965, and three brothers, Jerry, John and Sebo Kluitier.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, March 9, at the Hitesville Gospel Hall near Kesley, with Robert Orr and Russell Nesbit officiating. Burial will be in the Riverside Cemetery in Shell Rock. Friends may call after noon Thursday at the Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home in Shell Rock.

Senior Interview



Michelle Kluiter

Another one of our lucky seniors to be graduating this year is Michelle Lee Kluiter. Seventeen-year-old Michelle was born on July 15, 1972, to Larry and Linda Kluiter.

Michelle, who plans to be a nanny and work with kids, says her greatest achievement will be when she graduates.

Her most embarrassing moment was "being dragged out of the concert vocal festival because I was sick." Then her most memorable moment was getting the Dove Award for volleyball.

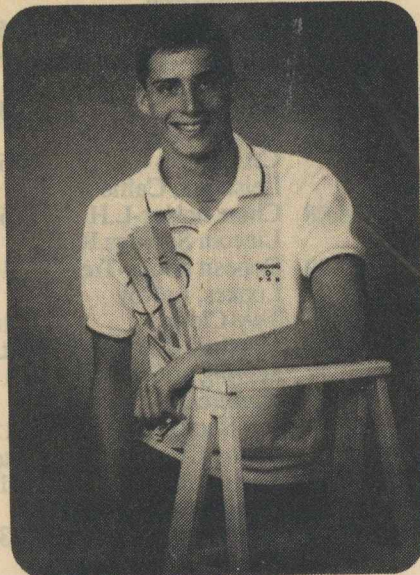
"My freshman year" quoted Michelle was her greatest setback. Some of her unique qualities are being easy-going also, she doesn't show her temper very often.

Michelle's favorite singers are Annie and Steve Chapman. Her favorite food is pizza and her favorite people are her parents.

Michelle's advice to underclassmen is "Stand up for what you believe in, even if you're the only one who believes it. Also she advises to "Have fun - it goes fast."

Michelle lists her goal in life: "To get married, have kids, and move to Montana or Wyoming and have a ranch for foster children."

SENIOR SURVEY



NAME: Jason Jon Kluiter

BIRTHDATE: April 20, 1976

PARENTS: Larry & Linda Kluiter

OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS:

Brett, Michelle, Rebecca

CLASSES CURRENTLY TAKING:

Chorus, PE, Accounting, Life Skills, Art, Metals, Family Living, Government

FAVORITE PLACE TO EAT:

Anywhere with lots of American food

FAVORITE BOOK OR MAGAZINE:

Don't read, illiterate

FAVORITE TELEVISION SHOW:

Young Riders

FAVORITE MUSICIAN/GROUP:

Sammy Kershaw and Little Texas

FAVORITE MUSIC VIDEO: Doug

Supernow: "I Don't Call Him Daddy"

FAVORITE ACTOR/ACTRESS:

Bugs Bunny

OTHER FAVORITES: Yvette, weekends with Chuck K. and milking cows.

PET PEEVES: Wanna-Be's and the government

CRAZIEST THING DONE: Whenever I go out with Chuck K. on weekends

MOST EMBARRASSING THING DONE: Going to Wal-Mart with Amy D. (that should be self-explanatory), being with Amy.

MOST MEMORABLE MOMENT: August 14 (the meeting of my future wife)

PROUDEST ACCOMPLISHMENT: Having my Chevette go up in flames and blowing up the engine in my Nova

SECRET AMBITION: To be in a Rodeo

I ADMIRE: my dad for constantly fix my car when I cause something to go wrong with it.

MOST IMPORTANT THING

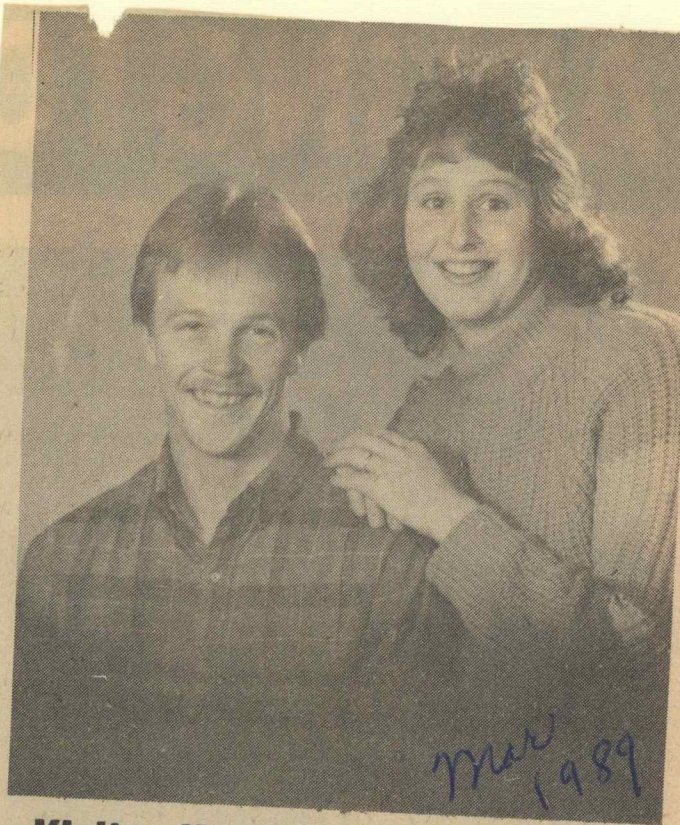
LEARNED: When you parents tell you something, listen.

WORDS TO LEAVE BEHIND:

There isn't a rule that wasn't meant to be broken.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE: Keep milking cows, get a place of my own, get married and become a dad.

Jason Kluiter
1993



Kluiter-Hartema Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kluiter of Shell Rock are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Tracy Jo to Michael Dean Hartema, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hartema of Cedar Falls.

Tracy is a 1988 graduate of New Hartford High School and Michael is employed at Kannegieter Manufacturing in Kesley.

An April 14th, 1989 wedding is being planned at Trinity Weslyn Church in Cedar Falls.

NE Iowa Deaths

Danielle S. Knight (1974-2008)

NEW HARTFORD — Danielle SuzAnne Knight, 33, of New Hartford, died Thursday, Jan. 3, at Sartori Memorial Hospital, Cedar Falls, of natural causes.

She was born Jan. 8, 1974, in Hastings, Minn., daughter of James and Diane Cutsforth Hoffer. She married Stephen Knight on July 21, 1992.



**Danielle
Knight**

Survivors include: her husband; her father of Waterloo; her mother and stepfather, Diane and Fred Kienast of Hudson; a brother, Ryan Hoffer of Waterloo; a sister, Jamie Hoffer of Dunkerton; her grandfather, Cletus Cutsforth of Minnesota; and her grandparents, Kenny and Shirley Steen of Waterloo.

Services: 1 p.m. Monday at Parrott & Wood Chapel of Memories, an Overton Family Service, with burial in Garden of Memories Cemetery, both in Waterloo. Public visitation for an hour before services Monday at the chapel.

Memorials: may be directed to the family
Condolences may be left at www.overtonservice.com.



Henry Moser Knipe 1844-1918

Opal Knipe 1893-1957

Forrest Knipe 1895

Sarah Morgan Knipe

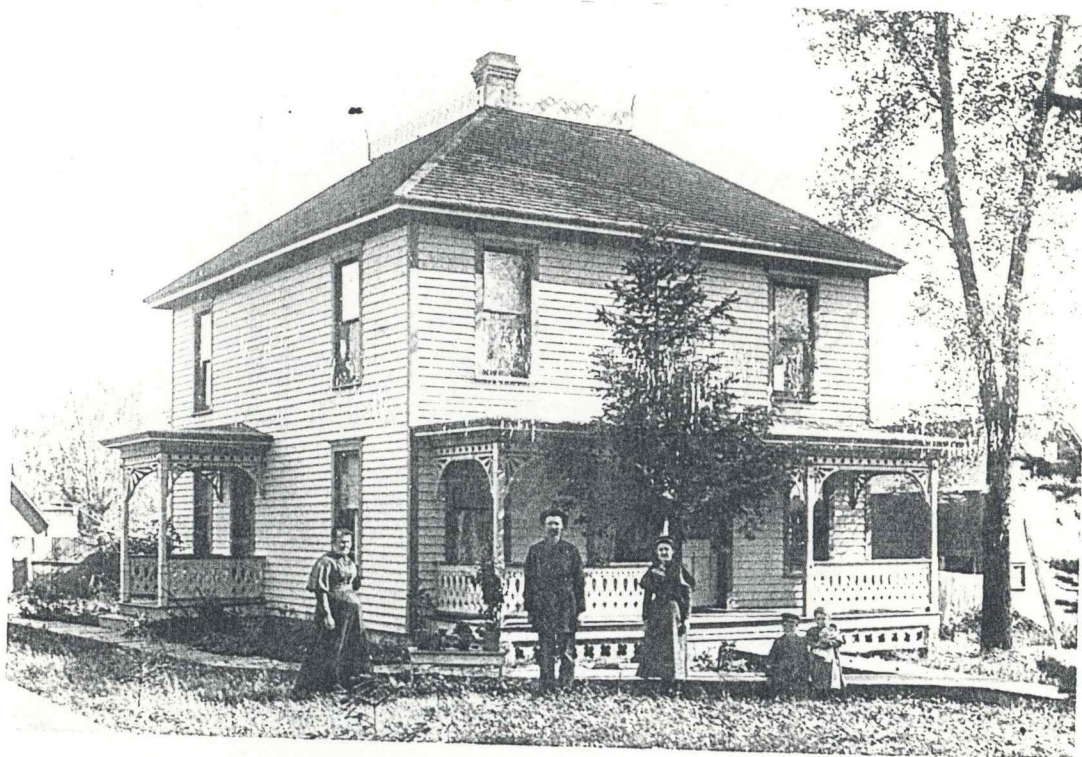
Lloyd Samuel Knipe b. 1869 at New Hartford, IA.

Lillian Agnes Taylor Knipe

Sq. 1-1



Jesse Cox Knipe Family before
Lillian was born- probably 1889
Harry, Sarah Adaline Bolton Knipe
Pearl, Jesse
Square 1-7



*the Jesse Cox Knipe house 1895
Notice the boardwalk.*

Jesse Cox Knipe built this house on Packwaukee St. in 1892.

Sarah Adeline Bolton Knipe (1857-1939)

Jesse Cox Knipe (1859-1896)

Pearl May Knipe (1883-1895)

Harry Knipe (1888-1895)

Lillian Jane Knipe (1891-1959)

*He is sitting down on the boardwalk
She is standing up.*

Sq. 1-7



Petersen

308 MAIN ST.
CEDAR FALLS, IA.

Wedding Picture 1896
Ethel Dixon (1880-1960)
And
William Lewis Bolton (1864
Sq. 4-3



the Children of Dr. Ried Sq. 4-2

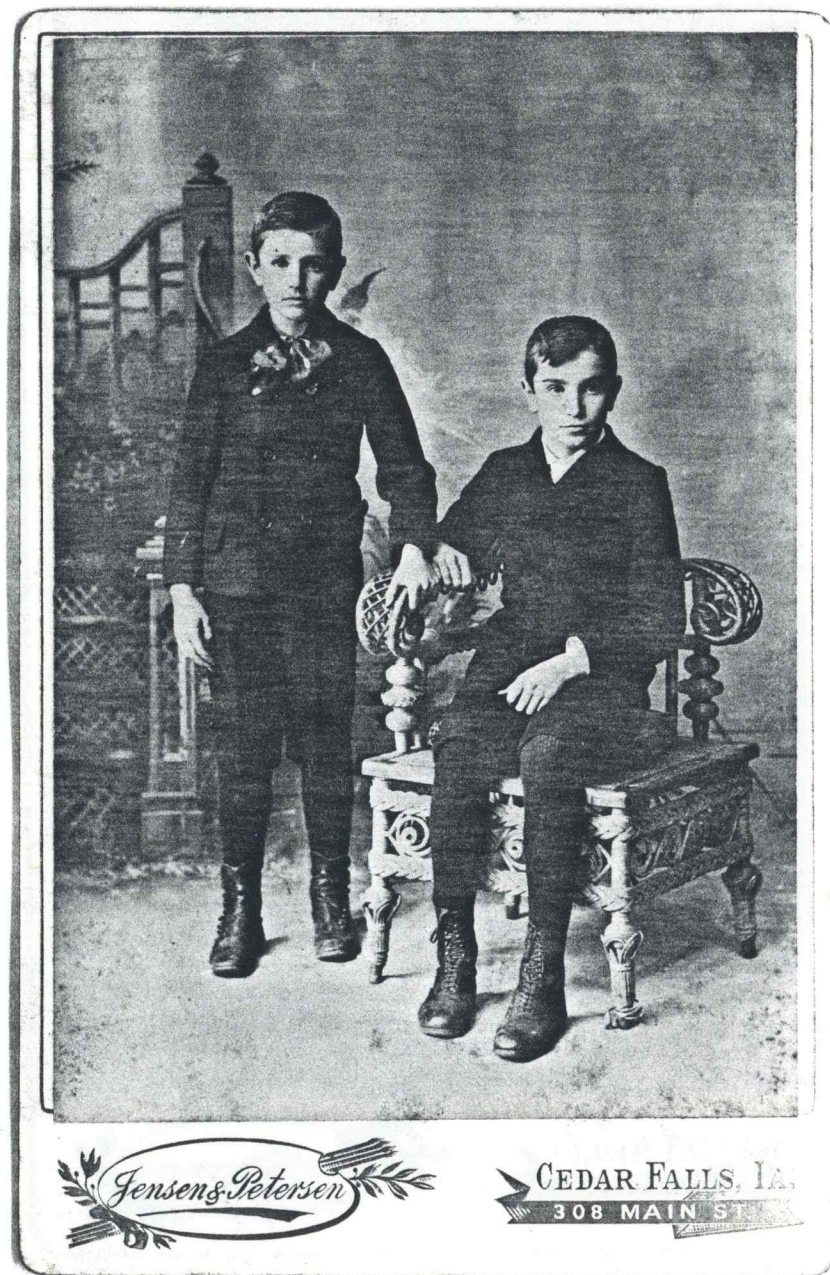


Jensens & Petersen

CEDAR FALLS, IA.
303 MAIN ST.

Estelle Mae (1894-1979) and Laura Lula (1891- Knipe
Daughters of
John Sheneberger Knipe II and Minnie Ashton Knipe

Sq 3-5



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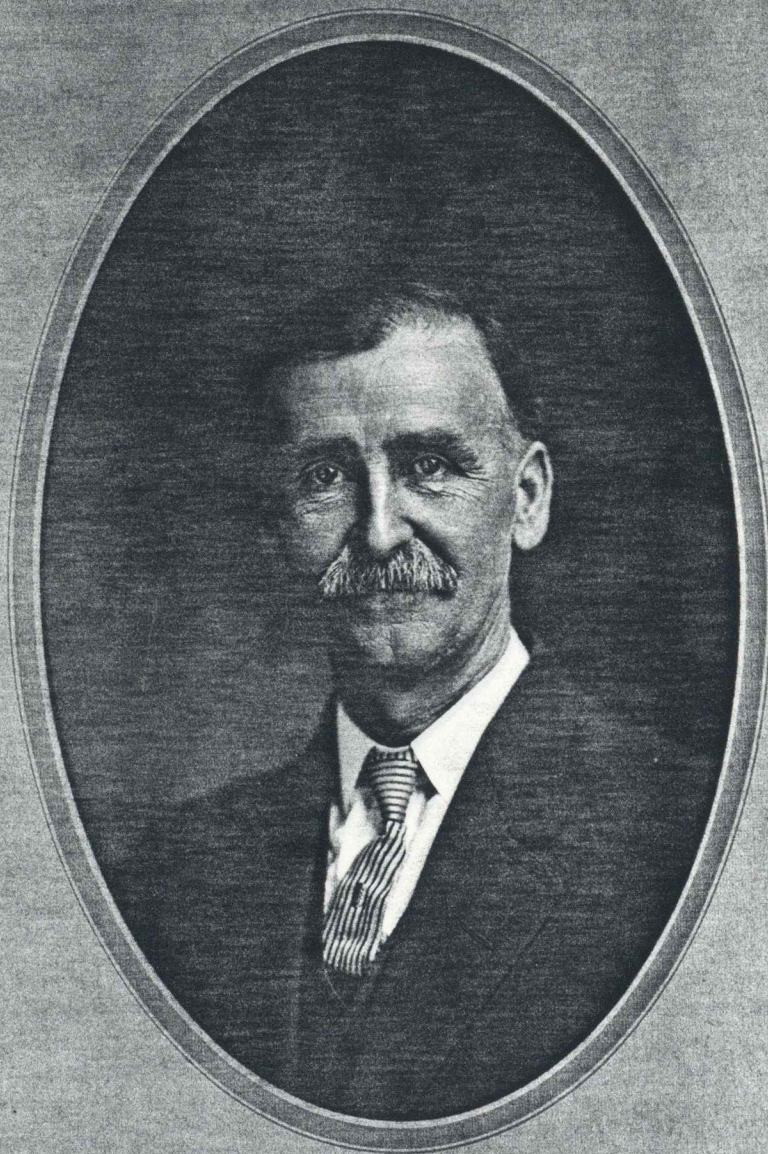
CEDAR FALLS, IA.
308 MAIN ST.

Arthur Knipe Louis Knipe

Sons of John Sheneberger Knipe II
Sq. 3-5



Eva Mae and Carrie Adel
daughters of John Sheneberger Knipe II
1895



John S. Knipe II

Son of John Sheneberger Knipe I

Jacob Moser Knipe Family



Edith	Jacob	Burton	Ann	James
	& Roy	Herbert	Eliza	Bolton
	(Earnest)		Bolton	Knipe
	Leroy		Knipe	

1887

Sq. 3-4



1894

Sq. 1-7

Lillian Jane Knipe (Berninghausen) 1891-1959 and Cousin Marian Elzora Wheeler
(Moore) 1891-1982 (not listed on quilt)

WILLIAM RICHARDS KNIPE (Oct. 4, 1858-Jan. 24, 1926). Born at Philadelphia, Pa. Episcopal. Dry goods business. Resided at Roxborough, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where he died. Buried Leverington Cemetery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Married at Philadelphia by Rev. H. M. Reed, March 29, 1883, Anna Sarepta McNabb (May 13, 1863-Sept. 17, 1918), daughter of James and Mary () McNabb of Bordentown, New Jersey. Children: Nabel Richards, born Feb. 20, 1884; Frank Betts, born Oct. 4, 1885; Edward Humphries, born Sept. 21, 1893. See - Page 156.

CHILDREN OF JOHN SHENEBERGER KNIPE (Oct. 29, 1817-Jan. 24, 1879)
my grandfather

ISAAC MOSER KNIPE (April 30, 1843-April 30, 1843). Born and died in Whitpain Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Probably buried in St. John's Lutheran Churchyard, Centre Square, Pennsylvania.

✓ HENRY MOSER KNIPE (June 10, 1844-Feb. 8, 1918). Born in Whitpain Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Lutheran and Baptist. Moved to Iowa with parents in 1860. Farmer and school teacher. Operated retail shoe store at Cherokee, Iowa, for 32 years. Died at Cherokee. Buried Oak Hill Cemetery, ^{Cherokee} ~~New Hart-~~ford, Iowa. Married at New Hartford, Iowa, in 1868, Sarah Morgan, daughter of Richard and Mary (Jones) Morgan of Butler County, Iowa. Children: Lloyd Samuel, born March 19, 1869; Cora Elizabeth, born April 4, 1871. See - Page 157.

Note: All children except the youngest were born in
Butler County, Iowa.

Descendant:

→ Mrs. Rosa Bass Morgan, 1024 Pendergast Street, Victoria,
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Stores in N. H. & later in P. Bay
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Dr. Jim & Grace Stuart Knipe had 4 children. Lived in Armstrong Pres. Iowa A/4A

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Children:

always called Maggie

→ MARGARET ANN KNIFE (July 15, 1846-March 13, 1906). Born in Whitpain Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Lutheran, Methodist and Presbyterian. Husband was farmer. Resided at New Hartford, Iowa, and Nobles County, Minnesota. After retiring from the farm in Nobles County, near Worthington, Minnesota, resided at Round Lake, Minnesota, where she died. Buried Round Lake Cemetery. Married at New Hartford, Iowa, in 1865, George Bass (May 29, 1837-May 30, 1926), son of William Bass (May 3, 1816-) and Mariah (Wood) Bass (June 15, 1816-

). (The Bass family moved from eastern Canada to Illinois and thence to Iowa. George Bass served with Illinois troops in Civil War.)

Children:

I have picture of Will & Elsie

Son - Lee Bass

*Bud Bass
Larry Bass
New Hartford*

→ William Henry (Dec. 31, 1866-Apr. 4, 1937) married

→ Elsie Abbot, Round Lake, Minnesota.

→ Elizabeth M. (Mar. 28, 1869-Oct. 1, 1923) married

→ Duncan Sutherland. *I have picture of Libby*

→ John Edwin (Oct. 21, 1870-June 25, 1941) married (1)

Charlotte Robinson, Worthington, Minnesota,
and (2) Frances Illavacek, Sioux City, Iowa.

→ Ross Lee (Apr. 10, 1873-) married Lloyd

Morgan, Round Lake.

→ Margaret May (Feb. 4, 1876- 1931) married Martin Lawson Lashburn of Saskatoon, Canada.

→ Clarence Eugene (Apr. 18, 1878-Aug. , 1918) married Lucy Gasahl, Round Lake. *Saw Lucy in Spokane, Wash in 1954.*

→ Carrie Pearl (Jan. 22, 1886-Jan. 20, 1915) married Victor Charles Baney of Eureka, Montana.

I wonder how & why Lee Bass stayed in New Hartford when apparently Will & Elsie went to Minn.

Note: Eugenia Tabor Burdette resided and died at Vinton, Iowa. Burial place of George Tabor unknown. *Probably Finchford, Iowa.*

Descendants:

- George Umbaugh, 517 Williston Avenue, Waterloo, Iowa. Raymond Umbaugh, Waterloo, Iowa.

DAVID MOSER KNIPE (April 5, 1853-March 18, 1874). Born in Whitpain Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Farmer. Died on father's farm in Butler County, Iowa. Buried at Finchford, Iowa. Not married. *Taught the school at Willoughby -*

Store in N.H.

- JOHN SCHOENBARGER KNIPE (Nov. 30, 1855-Feb. 3, 1921). Born in Whitpain Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Lutheran and Methodist. Farmer in Butler County, Iowa, until 1893. Merchant in New Hartford, Iowa, until retirement in 1909. Died at New Hartford where he is buried in Oak Hill Cemetery. Married at New Hartford, March 17, 1876, Winnie Ashton, daughter of Monroe and Eliza (Damon) Ashton. Children: Eva Mae, born Jan. 14, 1880; Carrie Adel, born Oct. 6, 1882; Louis Monroe, born Dec. 24, 1885; Arthur Lee, born June 4, 1888; Laura Lulu, born May 9, 1891; Stella Mae, born Dec. 19, 1894. See - Page 159.

my father Lillian Knipe Berninghauson

- JESSE COX KNIPE (July 11, 1859-April 27, 1896). Born in Whitpain Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Lutheran and Methodist. Farmer in Butler County, Iowa, and operated general merchandise store in New Hartford, Iowa. Died at New Hartford,

Iowa, where he is buried in Oak Hill Cemetery. Married at Butler

3 Knipes Jesse, Jacob, John had stores in N.H. at the same time, then Louis Knipe eventually took over Jesse Knipe store. Carrie Knipe Frederickson took John Knipe store.

Arthur married Evelyn Durham - went to CA and had music store there. Also Avacado farm.

Came to IA. at age 11 mo.

- Curtis Eugene (March 21, 1869-), married
→ Elisabeth Karolina Anritter. *always called Elsie*
- Harvey Richard (Sept. 5, 1871-), married
Etta Frost of Iowa.
- John Howard (Feb. 15, 1874-July 25, 1951), married
→ Bessie May Baldwin, Sibley, Iowa.
- Frank (Aug. 10, 1876-), married
→ Lydia Hoffman, Clinton, Iowa.
- Edith Anna (June 30, 1881-), married
→ Frank Williardson.

Descendants:

- Frank Morgan, Worthington, Minnesota. Mrs. Frank Willardson,
Box 110, Round Lake, Minnesota. → Curtis Morgan, Round Lake,
Minnesota. *Harvey Morgan, Spokane, Wash. We visited them
in 1954.*

- MARY AMANDA KNIPE (July 5, 1851-May 7, 1925). Born in Whitpain
Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Lutheran and Metho-
dist. Teacher. Educated at State Teachers College, Cedar Falls,
Iowa. Resided at New Hartford, Vinton and Waterloo, Iowa; Rush-
mory, Minnesota; and Chicago, Illinois. Died at Waterloo, Iowa.
Buried Vinton, Iowa. Married (1) 1870, George Tabor (
-March 18, 1874). Issue:

- Eugenia (-Apr. 4, 1911), married Frank
Burdette.

Married (2) at Worthington, Minnesota, July 5, 1883, George Um-
baugh (-March 7, 1898). Issue:

- Jesse (Apr. 23, 1885-Nov. 30, 1940), married Hazel
Clarence Starff. of Vinton, Iowa

my mother born Linn Grove,
Cedar Co., Iowa

Center, Iowa, in 1880, Sarah Adaline Bolton (April 18, 1857-

Feb. 1, 1939), daughter of Henry and Margaret Jane (Burton)

Bolton of Giles County, Virginia. Children: Pearlie May,

born Oct. 1, 1883; Harry, born Oct. 21, 1886; Lillian Jane,

born Dec. 7, 1891. See - Page 162. *me*

*Silas Knipe bro. of John Shenoberger Knipe I came to IA.
to Teach School - Could not stand the cold, went to MO.
and died*

CHILDREN OF SILAS KNIPE (June 17, 1831-August 5, 1870)

Mabel's mother

PENELOPE JANE KNIPE (Oct. 24, 1858-Dec. 29, 1940). Born in
Norristown, Pennsylvania. Baptist. Dressmaker and tailoress
at Norristown and Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. Resided at James
County, Iowa; near Holden, Missouri; Parkesburg, Pennsylvania;
and Bridgeport, Pennsylvania, dying at the latter place. Bur-
ied Norris City Cemetery, Norristown, Pennsylvania. Married
at Parkesburg, Pennsylvania, August 3, 1882, William Pierce
Hughes (Oct. 28, 1855-Sept. 24, 1895), son of Cyrus and Frances
(Hall) Hughes of Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. Children:

Silas Howard (March 17, 1884-Nov. 7, 1884).

Amy (Oct. 23, 1886-Feb. 20, 1938), married (1)
William Wallace Hart and (2) Jasper Jordon.

➤ Mabel (Sept. 2, 1890- Dec. 1981), married John
Nelson Shillady. He died Jan 4, 1956.

Elsie (July 28, 1892-May 6, 1893).

Descendants:

➤ Mrs. Mabel H. Shillady, 9 West 6th Street, Bridgeport, Penn-
sylvania. Mrs. Joseph Chappel, R. D. 1, Laceyville, Pennsylv-
vania. Mrs. Joseph Hartshaw, R. D. 1, Laceyville, Pennsylvania.

Mar. 21, 2004

Dear Vopa,

I hope your son will read these papers to you. We zeroxed the big Knipe gen. book 25 years ago. I had one copy bound. I never got around to have the extra sheets collated and put in a notebook so now I have them and can copy them on our scanner. I am sending you copies on New Hartford Knives.

oh, There were a lot of stores. 3 brothers Jacob, John, Jesse has stores in New Hartford.

the eldest brother, Henry had a shoe store in Cherokee.

~~three~~ two children of John's, Arthur Lee, who married Evelyn Dunham, and Carrie who married John Frederickson also had stores. Also Louis (father of Paul and Carol Jean.) had store in N.H.

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John S. Knipe & Mary Mosser
 Norristown Pennsylvania
 Willowby, Iowa

1. Maggie Knipe married George Bass
 W^m Henry — Dec. 31, 1866 — April 5,
 (Married Elsie Abbott Oct 24, 1866
 Children: Elsie, Baby, George
 Lee Randolph, Pay, Leona
 Harrison, Walter Minnie,
 Hestley, Lyndon.
2. Jacy — George Morgan
3. Mandy — Umbough
4. Henry
5. Jacob M. Married Anna Bolton (p
 Bertie, Edith and James (M.D)
6. John S. Nov. 30, 1855 1921
 Married Minnie Ashton
 Eva, Carrie, Louis, Laura, Stella, Ar

7 Jesse Cox (J. C.) Knife July 11, 1859 - April 27, 1897
Married

Sarah Bolton April 18, 1859 - Feb 1, 1939
(Daughter of Henry and Margaret Bolton)

1. Pearl - Oct 1, 1882 - Mar. 12, 1896

2. Harry - Oct 28, 1887 - Jan 19, 1896

3. Lilian 1891 - 1959

Married F. N. Berninghausen
June 25, 1913

(1) David

(2) Harry

(3) Jane.

FAMILY GROUP No. _____

Husband's Full Name

John S. Knipe

3

This Information Obtained From:

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	30 Nov 1855				
Chr'nd					
Mar.					
Death	1921				
Burial					

W. Ashton resides on section 15, where he located October 1, 1872. Mr. Ashton was born in Livingston county, New York, July 2, 1832. He was brought up in the town of Mount Morris, in that county. His parents were Sidney and Eliza Ashton. He married Eliza A. Demmon, daughter of Calvin Demmon. Mrs. Ashton was born in Tuscarora, Livingston county, New York, in August, 1833. They were married December 24, 1856; removed to Illinois in 1864, and to Indiana the same year; to their present location from the latter State. Mr. and Mrs. Ashton have two daughters—Minnie, now Mrs. John Knipe, and Cora. Mr. Ashton's farm contains 140 acres.

Places of Residence	Church Affiliation	Military Rec.
Occupation		
Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.		

His Father *John S.* Mother's Maiden Name *Mary Mooser*

Wife's Full Maiden Name *Minnie Ashton*

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	1860				
Chr'nd					
Death	1954				
Burial					

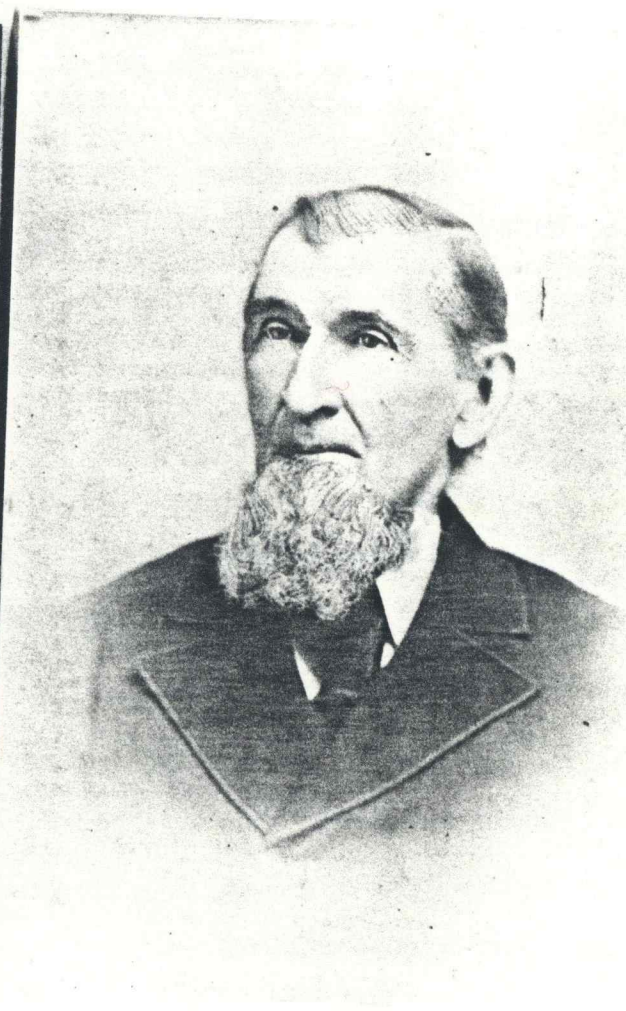
Places of Residence	Church Affiliation
Occupation if other than Housewife	
Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.	

Her Father *M. H. Ashton* Mother's Maiden Name *Eliza Demmon*

Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
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1	<i>Eva</i> Full Name of Spouse* <i>Harry Walker</i>	Birth				
		Mar.				
		Death				
		Burial				
2	<i>Carrie</i> Full Name of Spouse* <i>John Fredrickson</i>	Birth	1882			<i>La Villa</i>
		Mar.	19 June 1907			<i>Alice</i>
		Death	1968			
		Burial				
3	<i>Louise</i> Full Name of Spouse* 1889-1948 <i>Althea Ellis</i>	Birth	1885			<i>Carol Jean</i>
		Mar.	17 Aug 1908	<i>Fort Dodge</i>		<i>Paul</i>
		Death	1935			
		Burial				
4	<i>Laura</i> Full Name of Spouse* <i>Ray Dodd</i>	Birth	1891			<i>Vivian</i>
		Mar.				<i>Minifred</i>
		Death	1972			<i>Helen</i>
		Burial				<i>Charlotte</i>
5	<i>Stella</i> Full Name of Spouse* <i>Edward Mooser</i>	Birth	1893			<i>Rev. John</i>
		Mar.				
		Death	1979			
		Burial				
6	<i>Art</i> Full Name of Spouse* <i>Evelyn Dunham</i>	Birth				
		Mar.				
		Death				
		Burial				
7	Full Name of Spouse*	Birth				
		Mar.				
		Death				
		Burial				
8	Full Name of Spouse*	Birth				
		Mar.				
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		Burial				
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		Mar.				
		Death				
		Burial				
10	Full Name of Spouse*	Birth				
		Mar.				
		Death				
		Burial				

*If married more than once No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.



Mary Moser Knipe John Sheneberger Knipe I ?

I have pictures of them
that do not agree with these.

June 19, 1907

Knipe - Fredrickson

WEDDING BELLS.

At a high noon on Wednesday, June 19, 1907, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Knipe, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Carrie A. Knipe and Mr. John Fredrickson of Wall Lake, Iowa.

At the appointed time, the bride and groom, unattended, but to the strains of Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus, played by Miss Stella Knipe, sister of the bride, took their place under a canopy of green and white, covered with white carnations, roses and green vines, a beautiful, large white wedding bell suspended from the center; where the words that made them one were pronounced by Rev. C. T. Ensign, an old-time friend and schoolmate of the bride. Miss Carrie is well known here as New Hartford has been her home from early childhood. The last two years she has spent teaching in Lake View, Ia.

Mr. Fredrickson is a young business man of Wall Lake, and though a stranger here is highly spoken of in his own community and worthy the bride he has won. The bride was becomingly gowned in a white Persian lawn, lac-trimmed and carried bride's roses. The groom wore the conventional black.

During the congratulation Miss Stella played Mendelssohn's Wedding march, after which all were invited to the dining room where a four course dinner was served.

The home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, roses and carnations and smilax being used in profusion. The parlors were in green and white and dining room in pink and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrickson left in the evening on a wedding trip to Omaha and other points and will visit at Manilla, where the groom's people reside, before going to Wall Lake, where the groom has a home in readiness for them. Many beautiful presents were received.

The Review, with their many friends in New Hartford, wish for the newly wedded pair a happy and prosperous life.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knipe and grand-daughter, Opal Knipe, of Cherokee; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Knipe and Roy Knipe from Parkersburg; Mrs. Annie Knipe and daughters, Constance and Samona, of Armstrong; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walker and son of Ft. Dodge.

Married at Fort Dodge.

At the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Harry Walker, in Fort Dodge, Monday, August 17, 1908, at 6 o'clock p. m. occurred the marriage of Mr. Louis Knipe and Miss Althea Eells both of New Hartford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Fort of the M. E. church of that place. Only immediate relatives were present.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Eells and since her graduation from the New Hartford High school one year ago, has been a successful teacher.

Mr. Knipe is the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Knipe and is a member of the firm of Knipe, Umbaugh & Co. Both of these young people are prominent in church and society circles.

Mr. and Mrs. Knipe will visit for a couple of weeks at different points in the state, after which they will return to make New Hartford their home.

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THE PASSING OF J. S. KNIPE

J. S. Knipe died at his home in this city-Thursday evening of last week, after only a two days sickness, death being due to heart trouble. News of his death was a great shock to members of his family and his many friends in the city, as it was not thought the nature of his sickness was serious.

John S. Knipe was born November 30, 1855, in Montgomery county, Penn. and died at his home in New Hartford, February 3, 1921, at the age of 65 years, 2 months and 4 days. His parents were J. S. Knipe and Mary Mosser Knipe, both natives of Pennsylvania. In 1860 the family moved to Iowa and settled in Butler County. He was reared on the farm and received a common school education.

In 1876 he was united in marriage to Minnie Ashton, to which union six children were born, Mrs. Eva Walker, Ft. Dodge; Arthur Knipe, Orange, Calif.; Mrs. Carrie Frederickson, Louis Knipe, Mrs. Laura Dodd and Stella Knipe, New Hartford.

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He died at his home in this city-Thursday evening of last week, after only a two days sickness, death being due to heart trouble. News of his death was a great shock to members of his family and his many friends in the city, as it was not thought the nature of his sickness was serious.

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father afterwards purchased a farm on section 16 of the same township, which, upon his death in 1880, fell to a family of seven children. The mother died in 1878. In 1872 Jacob settled on his farm on section 8, where he now resides, and owns 193 acres. Mr. Knipe is at present one of the constables of the town. He was married in 1872 to Miss Anna Bolton; they have three children—Bertie, Edith and James. For seven successive winters Mr. Knipe taught school in this county. 1893

Wedding

One of the notable events of the season in Parkersburg society was a very pretty wedding which occurred June 15, 1904, when Miss Edith, only daughter of Jacob and Mrs. Knipe, was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Shoenhair at the home of the bride's parents. Promptly at 2 p. m. to the sweet strains of the wedding march by Miss Florence Owen the flower girls, little Dorothy Shoenhair and Constance Knipe, nieces of the bride and groom, preceded the bridal party to the beautifully decorated corner of the parlor. Here the bride and groom were pronounced man and wife by Rev. Norton. The groom was assisted by his brother, John Shoenhair, and the bride by her cousin, Miss Carrie Knipe, of New Hartford. The bride was daintily robed in white silk with American beauties in her hair and hands; her maid of honor was also attired in white. Immediately following the ceremony the guests numbering over fifty were served to a four course dinner. The presents were numerous and costly, among which was a check for one hundred dollars and a forty dollar range stove.

The guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. John Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Postlebe, Mr. Lons Knipe, Mrs. Sarah Knipe, Mrs. Frank Field, Mrs. Nathan Olmstead, J. H. Walker and wife, The Misses Elsie Saucer, Ida Bolton, Lulu Bourquin, Carrie Knipe, Anna Bennett and Nellie Ensign all of New Hartford.

From Cedar Falls, Mrs. H. A. Allison; from Waterloo Miss Josie Fitzpatrick; Mrs. Stanley Anderson from Belle Plaine; John Shoenhair, little Dorothy and Leland Shoenhair from Iowa Falls; Miss Bessie Wright from Ledyard, Iowa; B. H. Knipe and family and Miss Grace Crowston, from Armstrong; from Valley Springs, S. D., Miss Lorena Woods; Messrs Wm. and C. Haas from Charles City.

The bride and groom left on the 6 p. m. train for St. Louis by way of Chicago. They will also visit Eureka Springs and Siloam Springs in Arkansas; points in Indian Territory, Oklahoma, and other places in the south. They were followed by the good wishes of a host of friends who gathered at the depot. The editorial family makes acknowledgement of a generous supply of wedding gifts.

Edith Knipe-Shoenhair. 1876-1905
Edith Knipe-Shoenhair was born at New Hartford, Butler Co., Iowa, March 28, 1876, and died at the home of her father, Jacob Knipe, in Parkersburg, May 26, 1905, aged 29 years, 1 month and 28 days.

Her early childhood was spent in New Hartford where she attended the public school; then for a number of terms she attended the State Normal at Cedar Falls. After teaching several terms in Beaver township she moved with her parents to Parkersburg in 1898, where she made her home helping her father in the store a good deal of the time.

She was married to Frank Shoenhair June 15, 1904. The same evening after the wedding she left with her husband for a trip for pleasure, visit and health into Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri and Arkansas, being gone until the later part of November.

Her health had not been good for the past three years, but she bravely kept up and was anxious to be of use in this world. She was ambitious beyond her strength.

She united with the Methodist Episcopal church in New Hartford when a child and has ever since been a faithful member in New Hartford and Parkersburg.

She had a bright, quick intellect and made friends with all who knew her.

She leaves a sorrowing husband, father, mother, three brothers and a large circle of relatives and friends who mourn her untimely death. While anxious to live she seemed resigned to the will of God and often quoted the passage from God's word used as a text at the funeral, "All things work together for good of them that love God."

Short services, conducted by her pastor, were held at the home where a large concourse of neighbors and friends from Parkersburg and New Hartford met to pay a last tribute of love to the departed and followed the remains to Oak Hill cemetery where the body was laid peacefully to rest until the resurrection morn, Sunday afternoon, May 28.

Edith, as she was familiarly known, will be greatly missed in the community and the sorrowing ones have the sympathy of all.

1876-1905
CARD OF THANKS.

The husband, father, mother and brothers of the late Edith Shoenhair wish to express their thanks to the many friends who have shown them and their loved one so much kindness during her sickness and death, also for the beautiful wreaths and bouquets of flowers and to the singers for sweet music at the last obsequies.

DEATH OF B. H. KNIPE

1906

Armstrong, Iowa, Journal: On Thursday, October 18th, in Tularoso, New Mexico, occurred the death of B. H. Knipe after a lingering illness from tuberculosis. He first felt the effects of the disease about a year ago and gave up his position as traveling salesman and moved to Arkansas for three months where he improved and again took up his work on the road. Last winter he caught a severe cold at a fire in Eagle Grove and from that time on gradually grew worse. In the spring he went to Pine City, Minnesota, and a month ago to Tularoso, New Mexico, but all in vain. He fought bravely and had hopes of recovery almost to the last. He was an optimist in all things and saw only the good in everybody, and had hope for the future and faith in the hereafter. The world would be a pleasant place if all the people had the kind, sympathetic disposition of B. H. Knipe. The greatest characters of enlightened and christian civilization were all ardent home lovers. In this fine atmosphere of affection, the best of a man's character is revealed. Mr. Knipe's home was ideal. His thoughts and efforts were always for his family's comfort and pleasure and in him was personified the ideal husband and father. The friends who appreciated and respected him, and the family, which was always his object of tender devotion, all will feel the keen pang of his early taking away. Mr. Knipe was a splendid type of the true gentleman. He was clean and conscientious.

Burton Herbert Knipe was born March 27, 1874, in New Hartford, Iowa. He was educated in the public schools of that town and at the age of twenty engaged in the mercantile business with his father in New Hartford and later in Parkersburg. Close confinement not agreeing with him he retired from business and secured a position as a commercial traveler. In 1902 he came to Armstrong and opened up a large department store for C. F. Wenhem and after a few months resigned and again took up the life of a traveling salesman which he followed till his health failed about a year ago. He was married Dec. 7, 1897, to Annie F. Crowstone. The beloved wife, two children, father and mother and two brothers survive to mourn the loss of a most loving husband and father, and a kind and good son and brother.

Funeral services were held at the residence Tuesday afternoon conducted by Rev. Slessor, assisted by Rev. Bell, and the remains laid to rest in the Armstrong cemetery.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
DECORAH, IOWA
CELEBRATION OF LIFE AND RESURRECTION

Paul M. Knipe
August 29, 1928 March 9, 1998
March 14, 1998

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE
GREETING
L: God wakes us with the sun in the morning
P: AND BANISHES OUR CLOUD.
L: God plants in us sweet memory
P: AND TEACHES US TO LAUGH OUT LOUD.
L: God whispers to us a promise,
P: UNTIL WE DRUM OUT A TUNE,
L: and fall asleep with a smile
P: SECURE BENEATH GOD’S MOON.
L: Pause with me in prayer before joining in song of praise for the beauty of
life given to us in God’s Son, Jesus Christ.

PRAYER
DEAREST GOD, LIKE OUR PARENTS WHO LOVED US BE-
FORE WE WERE BORN, YOU HAVE CRADLED US IN YOUR GREAT
HEART; LOVING US, PROVIDING FOR US, BEFORE WE EVER HAD
MEMORIES OR DREAMS OF YOUR CARE. WE THANK YOU FOR
LOVING US AS CHILDREN WHEN WE WERE HELPLESS, VULNER-
ABLE, CAPABLE OF GIVING LITTLE THAT THE WORLD HOLDS
IN HIGH ESTEEM. WE THANK YOU FOR TEACHERS, PARENTS,
PARTNERS, AND FRIENDS WHO WALK WITH US IN THE JOUR-
NEY OF EXPLORING THE BEAUTY OF THE WORLD AROUND US,
AND WHO HELP UNFOLD AND CELEBRATE THE AWE AND
WONDER OF ITS MYSTERY. GIVE US, AGAIN, EYES TO SEE,
MINDS TO UNDERSTAND, AND HEARTS TO TREASURE ALL OF
YOUR CARE, ALL OF THE DAYS OF OUR BEING, IN THE NAME OF
YOUR SON, OUR SAVIOR, JESUS CHRIST. AMEN.

HYMN *“Fairest Lord Jesus”* #189
OBITUARY
PASTOR’S PRAYER
SCRIPTURE Psalm 116: selections
SONG *“Just as I Am”*
NEW TESTAMENT
Matthew 19:13-15, Mark 9:33-37
MEDITATION
SONG *“Here I Am, Lord”*
BLESSING
POSTLUDE

Minister - Rev. James S. Dale
Organist - Rev. Kristen Kvamme
Soloist - Ken Vande Berg

Paul appreciated and enjoyed so much his contact with each of you. We, his family, thank you for sharing with him, and for sharing with us this celebra-
tion of his life. Please come and share with us a luncheon in the Fellowship
Hall following the service.

PAGE C2 WATERLOO-CEDAR FALLS COURIER THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1998

DECORAH — **Paul M. Knipe**, 69, of Decorah, died at home Monday, March 9, of natural causes; **survivors** include his wife, Eileen; a daughter, Rebecca Bancroft of Toledo; two sons, Greg of Grand Island, Neb., and Steven of Charlotte, N.C.; seven grandchildren; and a sister, Carol Jean Fischer of Des Moines; **memorial services** will be 2 p.m Saturday at First United Methodist Church, with burial in Phelps Cemetery, both in Decorah; friends may call from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday at Fjelstul Funeral Home, Decorah; **memorials** may be directed to Decorah Public Library; Mr. Knipe was a school administrator at Decorah public schools for many years.

OBITUARY.

Margaret Burton Bolton passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah A. Knipe, Monday, July 13, 1914, age 86 years, 1 month and 27 days.

Hers was a long and fruitful life of sacrifice for others, care and responsibility. She never complained of anything, and when asked a short time ago if she wished she were young again she said, "Why no, what would I want to be young for, I couldn't do any different if I were."

Margaret Jane Bolton was born near Parisburg, Giles county, Virginia, May 16, 1828. She was one of the seven children of John Burton and Lizzie Hughes Burton. When eight years old her mother died and she was adopted by the family of Floyd McClarity where she lived until she was seventeen when she was married to Henry Bolton of Giles county, Virginia.

Shortly after she was married she was baptised by Rev. Lee and joined the Baptist church and her long, patient, cheerful life has shown how real her conversion was.

To this union were born twelve children, four of them in Virginia. When the fourth child was not quite a year old the parents answered the call of the great unknown west, and leaving the historic old state, set out to make for themselves a new home in a new country. The entire journey was made in a prairie schooner, across the Allegheny mountains, through the dense forests, fording the rivers, across the Mississippi to Cedar county, Iowa.

There were many hardships to endure, neighbors were far apart and many times the Indians were hostile, but the family grew and prospered. Five children were born in Cedar county and again the parents decided to move. This time the journey was short, to Butler county, Iowa, where they spent the rest of their lives. The husband passed away eighteen years ago and soon after Mrs. Bolton came to live with her daughter, Mrs. Sarah A. Knipe. For the past eighteen years she has spent most of her time with this daughter, going occasionally to visit one of her children who lived near, but she never wanted to stay long away from home. She never could get used to the new things, railroad trains; etc., and never could be prevailed upon to visit her daughters who lived at a distance.

Of the twelve children, four preceded their mother to the other world, John, Martha, Arthur and Charles. There remains eight children, thirty-two grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. The sons are J. P. Bolton, Oscar Bolton, C. J. Bolton of New Hartford and W. L. Bolton of Warren. The daughters are Mrs. Wheeler of Lewistown, Mont., Mrs. W. A. Wright of Algona, Mrs. J. M. Knipe of Parkerburg and Mrs. Sarah Knipe of New Hartford.

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J. M. KNIPE DIES AT HIS HOME IN PARKERSBURG

After an illness of several weeks J. M. Knipe, one of the best known and well beloved citizens passed away at his home in this city, bringing to the city and county a feeling of genuine regret for in the passing of this good man, the home, the city and the county has lost one whom all admired and loved.

Jacob Moser Knipe was born in Montgomery county, Pennsylvania, on June 30th, 1848, and died at his home in Parkersburg, Iowa, December 15, 1927, being at the time of his death in his 80th year.

In 1860 when Mr. Knipe was a boy of twelve he came with his parents to Butler county, Iowa, settling on a farm four miles north of New Hartford where he grew to manhood.

He was married November 28, 1872, to Ann E. Bolton and moved to a farm which he had purchased on section 8 in Beaver township. Here Mr. Knipe lived for a period of fourteen years when he moved to New Hartford and engaged in the general mercantile business. After thirteen years of successful business life in New Hartford he came to Parkersburg and continued in the general mercantile line.

About twenty-five years ago he retired from business, and has since lived quietly at his home in Parkersburg among his friends and neighbors, whom he loved, enjoying the sun set of life in the companionship of the wife of his youth to its fullest extent.

At the time of his death Mr. Knipe had been a continuous resident of Butler county for a period of sixty-eight years, and it is doubtful if there is anyone else now living in the county who has resided here that long.

For over fifty years Mr. Knipe had been an earnest and consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal church, first at New Hartford and afterward in Parkersburg. Mr. Knipe took great pride and much interest in his church affiliations, and not only lived a Christian life on Sunday, but every day of the week as well.

His sense of honor was high, and he made a sharp distinction between right and wrong. His pledged word meant as much to him as his bond, and while slow to make obligations he was remarkably quick to discharge them after they were once made. He was a liberal supporter of and contributor to all good enterprises fostered by his church and town for the betterment of mankind and the community in which he lived.

He is survived by his aged wife, one son Dr. J. B. Knipe of Armstrong, Iowa, and two grandsons and two granddaughters, all of Armstrong. Two sons, one daughter and two granddaughters have preceded him in death.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Methodist Episcopal church, conducted by Rev. B. A. Davis, interment being made in Oak Hill cemetery.

Those from out of town who were here to attend the funeral included Dr. J. B. Knipe and family of Armstrong; Lloyd Knipe, Clarksville; Louis Knipe, Mr. and Mrs. John Fredrickson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, Mr. and W. D. Wheeler, R. H. Ward, Prof. Berninghausen, Mrs. Sarah Knipe, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Olmstead, Mrs. Chas. Lee, Wm. Harmon and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bolton all of New Hartford; Mrs. Harry Walker of Ft. Dodge, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wright and Francis Wright and Mr. and Mrs. F. Shoenhair of Eagle Grove.—Parkersburg Eclipse.

Harry Knipe
Oct 28, 1887
Jan 19, 1896
(Son of J. C. & Sarah)
1896 Knipe

OBITUARY

Pearlie May Knipe was born on her father's farm north of New Hartford, Butler county, Iowa, Oct. 1, 1882, and passed to her eternal rest from the home of her parents, Jesse C. and Sarah Knipe, at New Hartford, March 12, 1896, aged 13 years, 5 months and 11 days. Her life was spent in New Hartford and vicinity. She was kind, obedient and loving; a diligent student, and, for one so young, a great reader. Always an exemplary child, at the early age of eleven she made public profession of faith in Jesus, and, with her father and mother, joined the M. E. church, from which time she has continued an active worker in the church. She was secretary of the Junior League and took great interest in its welfare. As treasurer of the Sunday school and a faithful attendant she will be greatly missed. In her last sickness she suffered much for several weeks, and successive diseases, grip, fever, rheumatism and pneumonia, finally overcome the body, but the spirit conquered gloriously. About one o'clock Friday morning, March 6, all pain left her and for several hours she was in a most happy state of mind. She called her friends to her, sent for her acquaintances and school-mates and kissed them all good bye; told them of the glories of the heavenly home where she was soon to be with little Harry, her brother who died a few weeks before, and with a heavenly radiance on her face and a freedom of speech that astonished those who heard her, she spoke of the life beyond and exhorted them to get ready for heaven, exacting from each a pledge that they would meet her there. It seems as though the Lord just pushed aside the veil and let her look in upon the glories hid from mortal eyes. She arranged the details of her funeral service, suggesting hymns and flowers to be used; sent for her pastor and talked with him, requesting him to preach from the text, "That whosoever believeth on him should not perish but have everlasting life," and wanted him to tell all to meet her in heaven. Just before her death she asked, "mamma shall I tell Harry you love him still?" She then wanted to sing and joined as best she could in singing,

"Just as I am without one plea,
But that thy blood was shed for me,
And that thou bidst me come to thee,
O, Lamb of God, I come, I come."

The funeral services were held in the M. E. church at New Hartford Saturday afternoon, March 14, conducted by the pastor. The church was filled with those who gathered to pay loving tribute to her memory. There were many beautiful floral offerings presented by the League, the Sunday School, her class and by personal friends.
W. E. R.

DEATH OF J. C. KNIPE. 1897

DIED:—At his home in New Hartford, Tuesday evening, April 27, at 6:50 o'clock, Mr. J. C. Knipe, aged 37 years, 7 months and 14 days. The funeral will be held this (Thursday) afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, at the Methodist church, Rev. V. E. Ross conducting the services. We will print obituary next week.

THE LAST OF EARTH.

The funeral of J. C. Knipe was held at the Methodist church, last Thursday afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock. Rev. W. E. Ross preached the sermon, from words found in Zephaniah, 3-15, "Thou shalt not see evil any more." The choir of the church rendered several appropriate selections. Beautiful flowers and plants were placed on the altar and casket by loving hands as a tribute of love and respect to a departed friend and brother. After the services at the church, all that was mortal of Jesse Knipe was laid to rest in Oak Hill Cemetery, beside his son and daughter, there to wait the resurrection morn.

The pall bearers were R. E. Wick, F. O. Canfield, C. L. Canning, Robt. Van Gelder, H. A. Baxter and A. J. Ackerman. The following obituary was furnished us by Rev. W. E. Ross.

OBITUARY. 1897

It will be thirty-eight years the 11th of next July since Jesse C. Knipe was born. When Jesse was nine months old his father and family moved from their home in Pennsylvania to Butler Co., Iowa, and settled on the West Fork, about four miles north of New Hartford. The deceased lived in that neighborhood till some six years ago, he moved with his family to New Hartford, where he went into business with his brother, J. M. Knipe. Later he continued in mercantile business with Mr. Caywood, and for a short time with N. C. Mack, till failing health compelled him to retire.

When but seventeen years of age his mother died, and two years later his father was taken. In those days, opportunities for education were not what they are now, and yet he made up largely for lack of early opportunity, by diligence and attention in the school of experience. By industry and application he attained success financially. The confidence of his fellow townsmen in his integrity and ability is seen in the fact that for some time he was a member of the town council. Bro. Knipe was converted in meet-

Knipe, 82; born April 18, 1857; leaves daughter, Mrs. F. W. Berninghausen, three grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. W. D. Wheeler, all of New Hartford; and one brother, Oscar Bolton, Independence; husband, Jesse Knipe, a daughter, Pearl, and a son, Harry, preceded her; funeral, 2 p. m. Friday at the Methodist church; burial in Oak Hill cemetery here.

1939

Lillian Jane
Knipe was born
in 1891, daughter
of J. C. and Sarah
Adeline Bolton Knipe
She was married
to J. W. Berninghausen
June 25, 1913. Her
husband J. W. and
sons David and
Harry and daughter
Jane Sarnoff
survive.

(see Berninghausen)

Jacob Moser Knipe Family



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Old Settler Passes Away.

George Morgan, a well known retired farmer, died at 6:50 Tuesday morning, at his home in Worthington, aged 72 years, 3 months, and 12 days. Mr. Morgan was born in Pennsylvania, April 9th, 1842. He served in the civil war in the 9th Pennsylvania Cavalry. Two years after the war he came to Butler county, Iowa, and three years later he was married to Miss Tacy Knipe. In 1870 they came to Jackson county, Minn., and took up a homestead where they lived for 36 years. Eight years ago he retired from active farm life and moved to Worthington, residing there until his death.

Mr. Morgan was an active member of the Round Lake Presbyterian church, and to him it owes much for its existence. He had been in good health all his life, until a few months ago when apoplexy set in. Yet all his friends hoped confidently for a speedy recovery, but as time wore on, he failed more and more, and at the end of last week they realized that his life was ebbing away. He met the possibilities of death with a fearless heart. On Tuesday morning, July 21st, 1914, he fell asleep in Him who had redeemed and purchased him from all sins and the power of death.

He leaves to mourn his death, his bereaved wife and five children who are all living in this community. They are, Curtis, Howard, Harvey, Frank, and Mrs. Edith Willardson. The funeral was held at the Round Lake Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. A. F. Meyer officiating, and the remains were laid to rest in the Round Lake cemetery in the hope of a joyous resurrection.

MRS. TACY MORGAN'S FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY

Mrs. Tacy Morgan was called to her last reward, Wednesday night August 25, 1926, at 11:30 p. m., after a long illness.

Miss Tacy Knipe was born in Norristown, Pennsylvania, Aug. 30, 1849, and died at the home of her son Curtis, near Round Lake, Minn., August 25, 1926, aged 76 years, 11 months and 25 days. The deceased was next to the last survivor of a family of eight children.

At the age of 9, she emigrated with her parents from Pennsylvania to Butler Co., Iowa where she grew to womanhood and was married to George Morgan, May 5th, 1868.

In the spring of 1870, she and Mr. Morgan emigrated across the country to Jackson county, Minn., and took up a homestead which she still owned at the time of her death and where they lived for 36 years, and endured all the hardships of the early pioneer days in this section. Mrs. Morgan was probably the last survivor living here of those who took up homesteads in this locality. In 1906 they moved to Worthington, Minn., where they resided happily together until July 21, 1914, when Mr. Morgan passed to the great beyond.

On account of failing health for the past three years with the exception of the last two weeks she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Willardson of this place.

She joined the Presbyterian

church early in life and was a firm believer in the Bible and her Savior, reading her Bible daily and was also a member of the Womens Relief Corps of Worthington, Minn.

The deceased had many acquaintances to whom she was endeared. Our heavenly father surely called a real mother in the person of the deceased as she possessed a most congenial spirit and a love for those better things in life that made for her family "home" the dearest place in all the world.

While the departure of this mother is greatly missed the memory of her deeds will ever be as a "lamp in the pathway of life," to those she left behind.

She leaves to mourn her death, four sons, Curtis, Howard and Frank of this place and Harvey of Spokane, Washington and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Willardson of this city, one brother, Jacob Knipe of Parkersburg, Iowa, all of whom were present.

Other out-of-town relatives present at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Umbaugh and family of Waterloo, Iowa, Lloyd and Forest Knipe, Cherokee, Iowa, Mrs. Charley Price, Spirit Lake, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wentler, Ocheyedan, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. John Bass, Worthington, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, Worthington, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Edwards of Worthington, Minn.

The funeral was held in the Round Lake Presbyterian church Saturday forenoon at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. S. Geohring officiating and the remains were laid to rest in the Round Lake cemetery. The

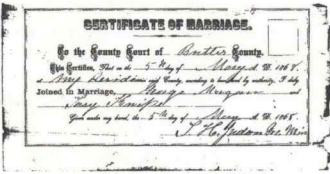
Mrs. Tacy Morgan

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Worthington Women's Relief Corps, of which Mrs. Tacy Morgan was a member, took a brief part in the services at the church and cemetery.

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Scrapbook for Marriage of George Morgan and Tacy Knipe

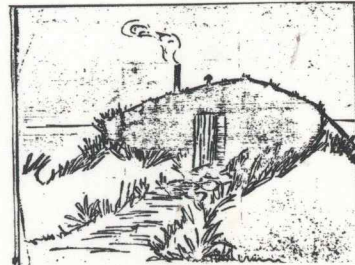


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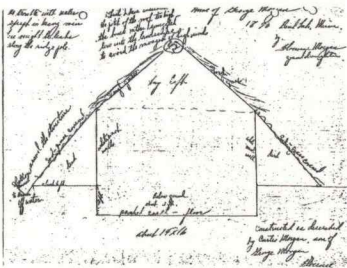


George & Tacy
Morgan



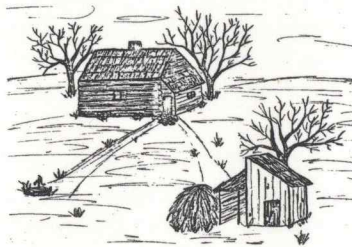
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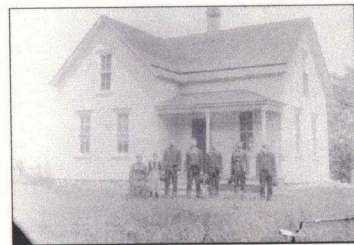
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GREENE — Robert V. Fischer, 81, of Des Moines, formerly of Greene, died Friday, Aug. 28, at New Oaks Care Center, Des Moines, of natural causes; **survivors** include his wife, Carol Jean; three sons, Daryl of Phoenix, Bruce of Naperville, Ill., and David of Des Moines; seven grandchildren; two stepgrandchildren; and two great-grandchildren; he was **preceded in death** by a son, Richard; a sister, Dorothy Walker; and a brother, Wayne; **services** will be 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Reid's Funeral Chapel with burial in Rose Hill Cemetery, both in Greene; military rites will be conducted by Tack Barnett Post 268 American Legion of Greene; friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday and 9 a.m. until services Tuesday at the funeral home; **memorials** may be directed to the Boys and Girls Club of Des Moines, 1350 E. Washington Ave., Des Moines 50316, or to Boy Scout Troop 26, Greene 50636. Mr. Fischer served in the U.S. Army during World War II from 1943 to 1946 and returned to Greene where he was employed by the Iowa Recorder. He was also a news editor for the "Charles City Press" and a copywriter for Salsbury Laboratories in Charles City. He retired in 1981 and became an editor for "Iowa Horticulturist."

Eclipse, Wed., Oct. 3, 2001

Carol Jean Knipe Fischer, 82, of Des Moines, formerly of Greene died at the Iowa Lutheran Hospital in Des Moines on Sept. 23. She is survived by three sons, 7 grandchildren, 2 step grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by her husband Robert in 1998, a son Richard and a brother Paul Knipe. Her parents will be remembered here as Louis & Althea Knipe. She graduated in 1936 from New Hartford and later from Iowa State Teachers College.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2001

GREENE — Carol Jean Fischer, 82, of Des Moines, formerly of Greene, died Sunday, Sept. 23, at Iowa Lutheran Hospital, Des Moines, from complications caused by an infection; **survivors** include three sons, Daryl of Phoenix, Bruce of Naperville, Ill., and David of Des Moines; and seven grandchildren, two stepgrandchildren and two great-grandchildren; she was **preceded in death** by her husband, Robert V., on Sept. 28, 1998; a son, Richard; and a brother, Paul Monroe Knipe; **services** will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Reid's Funeral Chapel, with burial in Rose Hill Cemetery, both in Greene; friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. today and for an hour before services Thursday at the chapel; **memorials** may be directed to Boys & Girls Club of Des Moines, 1350 E. Washington Ave., Des Moines, IA 50316; Mrs. Fischer graduated from Iowa State Teachers College, Cedar Falls, in 1938; she began teaching in Ireton, where she remained for two years, then moved to Greene, where she taught until 1943; she also was superintendent of Sunday School.

Knipe Funeral to Be Held on Sunday at New Hartford

(Courier Special Service)

New Hartford, Ia.—The funeral of Louis Morgan Knipe, who died Wednesday at Sartori hospital in Cedar Falls, will be conducted Sunday.

There will be a service at the family home at 1:30 p. m. and one at the Methodist Episcopal church at 2 o'clock.

Louis M. Knipe, 49, New Hartford, Dies at Cedar Falls

(Courier Special Service)

Cedar Falls, Ia. — Louis Monroe Knipe, 49, died Wednesday at Sartori Memorial hospital, where he had been a patient two weeks. Death was due to a complication of illnesses.

Mr. Knipe was born on a farm near New Hartford and had been a lifelong resident of Butler county. He operated a store in New Hartford for many years.

Besides the widow, who was Althea Eells, there survive two children, Carroll Jean and Paul, both at home; his mother Mrs. Minnie Knipe, New Hartford; four sisters and one brother, Mrs. Harry Walker, Fort Dodge; Mrs. John Fredrickson, Mrs. Ray Dodd and Mrs. Ed Moore, all of New Hartford, and Arthur Knipe of California.

Funeral Thursday at New Hartford

(Courier Special Service)

Cedar Falls—Final rites will be at New Hartford Thursday at 2 p. m. for Mrs. Althea Knipe, 58, who died suddenly of a heart attack while at work as a matron at Baker Hall, Iowa State Teachers college.

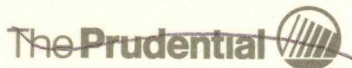
The service, conducted by Rev. M. Trevor Baskerville, will be held in the New Hartford Methodist church. Burial will be in the New Hartford cemetery.

Mrs. Knipe was born Althea Eells Oct. 9, 1889, at Waukon, daughter of Lenthel and Mary Eells. She was married to Louis Knipe at Ft. Dodge in 1908. He died several years ago.

She is survived by a son and daughter, Paul Knipe, Cedar Falls, and Mrs. Carol Jean Fisher, Greene. She also leaves a brother, D. T. Eells, 511 West 12th street.

She had resided in Cedar Falls at 2203 Walnut street for the last three years. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Died May 18/1946



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Corporate Actuarial Department

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Dear Vopai,

You asked if I had written
down the story of Pearl's death.
Although I have not written that
down I send you a sample
of what I have written - It needs
some revision of course.

I shall add Pearl's obit to
this "book" which at the moment
is in a loose leaf notebook.

Love,

Jane Virginia

P.S. 'tis said metanucil helps to
bring down cholesterol

Some that Jane
sent me is under
James Peter Bolton

FAMILY GROUP No.

Husband's Full Name

Jesse Coy Knipe

This Information Obtained From:

Husband's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
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Places of Residence

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Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.
Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father

Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name

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3	Lillian Jane Full Name of Spouse* J. H. Brunninghausen	Birth							
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*If married more than once No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

Gen. 4

Sarah Adaline Bolton (1857 - 1939)

Sarah Adaline Bolton, fifth child of Henry Peter and Margaret Jane (Burton)

Bolton was born April 18, ¹⁸⁵⁶ 1857 in a little cabin in Linn Grove, Cedar County, Iowa. She was the first child of the family born in Iowa. ^{in 1868} ~~Sometime around 1862 or 1867~~ the family moved again to Butler County, Iowa and lived on a farm in Beaver Grove, near the little town of New Hartford. They were perhaps even closer to the tiny town of Willoughby.

Sarah started school at age seven and finished the sixth grade in the rural schools. At that time most country schools did not go beyond sixth grade.. Many children did not start school until age 7 because the winters were fierce and the walk was a distance. There were many children in the family and she was needed at home. Sarah and her sisters did a lot of house work, raised a big garden, picked both tame and wild fruit for canning, made all their own clothes and raised chickens. They walked to town to sell their eggs and cream, sometimes stopping beneath a large cottonwood tree, that still stood on the curve of the road half way to town when I was a girl, to eat their lunch. When she was about eighteen and until she was married, Sarah also served as a nurse for new Mothers and their babies. Usually she went to stay with the expectant Mother two weeks before the baby was due, to help with all the housework and to prepare linen and clothes for the new baby. It interesting that she had many careful customs for strict cleanliness and actual sterility during the years 1875 to 1880. For example, the little binders which were put on the new baby were washed, sun-bleached and then, just before using, baked in a hot oven until the edges began to scorch. Louis Pasteur was making his important discoveries concerning germs about 1849 to 1888. She had never heard of him. She was, infact, following the teachings of her Mother and her Aunt Adaline who had learned them in Virginia. Sarah usually stayed to help until the baby was about a month old, sometimes leaving earlier because someone else needed her. Of course sometimes she ~~went~~ just went with the Doctor. All the girls in the family, their Aunt Adaline and one cousin did this work.

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I see that I must revise this in view of the obit
which you read to me.

Sarah Adaline Bolton married Jesse Cox Knipe in 1880 at Butler Center, Iowa. Jesse Cox Knipe, who was born July 1, 1859 and died April 27, 1896, was the son of John Schoenebarger Knipe I. and Mary Moser Knipe, who lived on a farm near New Hartford, Iowa. ~~Jesse finished High School in New Hartford.~~ He also started school at Willoughby, Iowa, which was taught by his brother, David.

Sarah and Jesse Knipe lived on a farm across the road from the old John S. Knipe farm until about 1890 when they moved to the town of New Hartford. A cousin came to farm the farm and Jesse started business in a general merchandise store. He built two houses on the hill by the creamery.

They had three children: Pearlie May Knipe, born October 1, 1883, died May. 12, 1895 of pneumonia; Harry Knipe, born October 21, 1888, died March 19, 1895 of croup; and Lillian Jane Knipe, born Dec. 7, 1891, died July 24, 1959. Lillian Jane Knipe married Frederick William Berninghausen at New Hartford, Iowa on June 25, 1913. They had three children. See Generation 5.

After Jesse's death in 1896, Sarah's Mother, Mrs. Margaret Jane Burton Bolton came to live with Sarah and her little daughter, Lillian. Sarah built a little self-contained room onto the North side to the house for "Grandma Bolton". Later cousins, Maud and later, Peggy (granddaughters of Adaline Bolton Ensign) also came to town to live with their "Aunt Sarah" and finish High School. Lolah Bolton, daughter of Burle and Ila Bolton also lived with her Aunt Sarah to go to High School. Sarah took in a foster child called Florence when Florence was six years old. Florence was no relation and it was not a formal adoption.

Sarah's younger brother, Charles Bolton, returned from the Spanish American War to her house. She cared for him until he died.

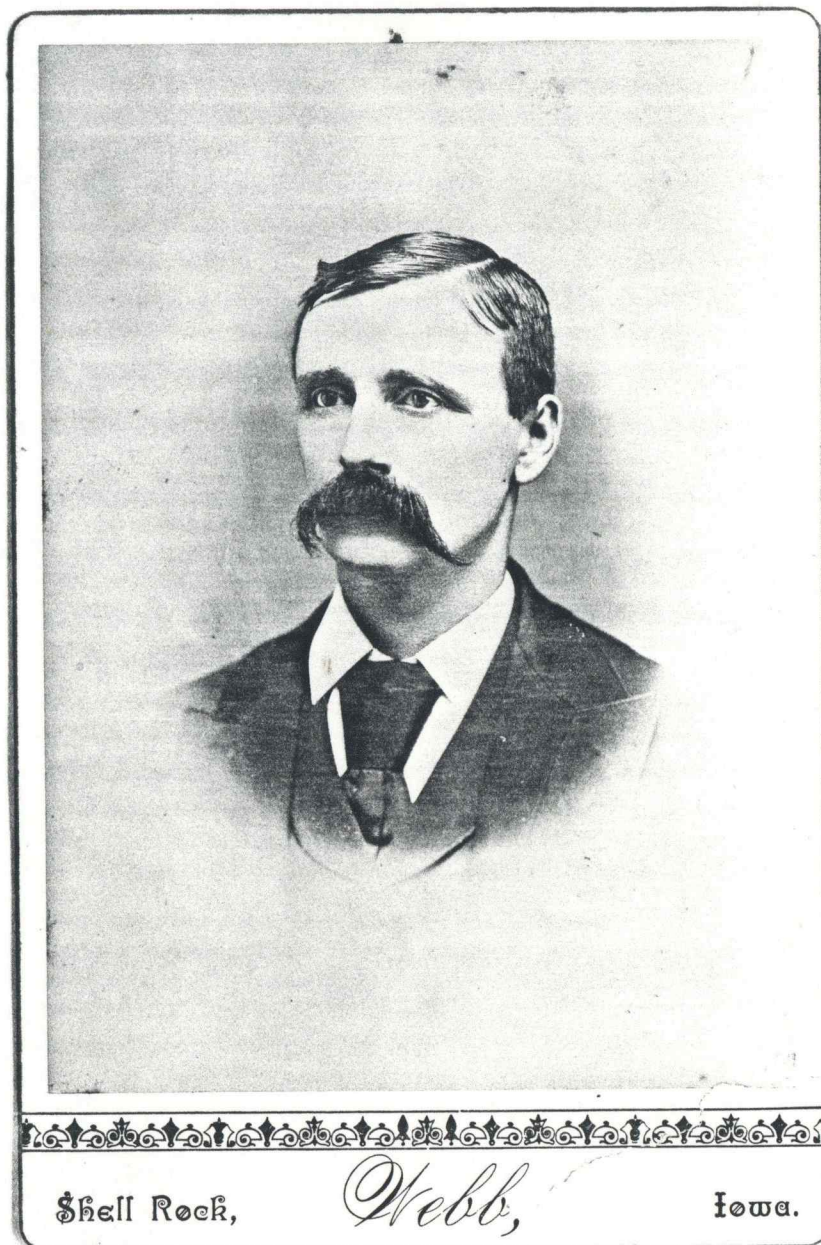
Aunt Frances Berninghausen, the little sister of Sarah's son-in-law, told me that she was quite a young girl when she first met "Mrs. Knipe" and that "she and her sisters exclaimed over her beauty". They had never thought an "old lady" could be so beautiful.

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Sarah had golden brown hair like ripe wheat . She had lovely pink and white skin and large, blue eyes. Aunt Frances would have been about eight years old at that time.

Sarah Bolton Knipe was a Methodist. She lived all her life at Cedar County, Iowa or Butler County, Iowa except for a year at Nashua, Iowa in Chickasaw County when she lived with her daughter, Lillian. She died February 1, 1939 in the Waverly Iowa, Hospital. She is buried at Oak Hill Cemetery with her husband and older children. She died of Pneumonia following the breaking of her hip on the ice.

There is a particular significance to the name "Sarah". She told me that her Mother wanted to name her "Cynthia" after her Mother's little sister. Her father, Henry Peter, insisted that she must be named "Sarah" because every generation must have a "Sarah". "It was", he said, "the name of Henry Bolton's first wife". He must have meant the Henry Bolton of England, born 1741. Henry of Virginia (b.1760) named a daughter, "Sarah" and his brother, Condery, named his first daughter "Sarah".



Jesse Cox Knipe Son of
John Sheneberger Knipe Jr. 1880
Married Sarah Adeline Bolton
He died of T.b. at age 36



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Jane Berninghausen
Sarah Knipe
Harry and David
Berninghausen



75th Birthday

Bena Knock, of Cedar Falls, Iowa will celebrate her 75th birthday with a family dinner and a card shower.

She was born near Stout to John and Bena Marks.

Mrs. Knock has farmed for 57 years and worked at Rath Packing Co., and Hinson Manufacturing in Waterloo.

Her family includes: Linda Meyer, New Hartford; Dennis and Connie Rasmussen, Waverly; and Daryl and Cindy Rasmussen, Cedar Falls. There are 10 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

A son, grandson and son-in-law are deceased.

The honoree requests no gifts.

Cards may be sent to:

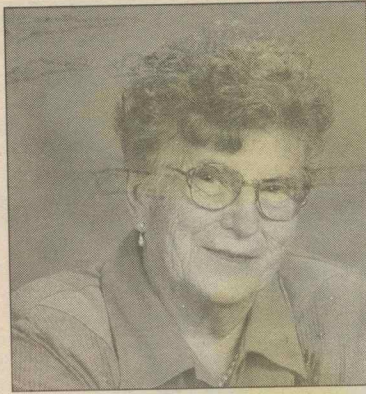
**32515 110th St.
Cedar Falls, IA. 50613**

Happy 85th birthday on Oct. 30

A family dinner with her children, Linda, Dennis and Connie, and Daryl and Cindy, is planned at the Amana Colonies to celebrate her birthday.

She also has 10 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Help share her celebration. Send



Bena Rasmussen Knock

cards to 32515 110th St., Cedar
Falls 50613.

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April plans

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RAYMOND—Announcement is being made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Lisa Lynn Koop and Gregory Reynold Schmitz.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop Jr., rural New Hartford, and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Schmitz.

The bride-elect and her fiancé are students at Wartburg College in Waverly. After graduation the groom-elect will be employed by Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Company in Des Moines.

An April 9 wedding at 4 p.m. at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Waverly is planned.



Gregory Schmitz, Lisa Koop



25th Anniversary 1983

Meinard and Bonnie Koop will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary with a family gathering June 18th.

Bonnie Schurman and Meinard Koop, Jr. were married June 20, 1958 at the Congregational Church in Parkersburg, Iowa. Meinard is

Operations Service Manager at Mead Containers in Waterloo and is also engaged in farming.

They are the parents of three children: Lori Koop of Iowa City, Mrs. Greg (Lisa Koop) Schmitz of Waverly, and Steve at home.



Engagement

Nov. 6 1985
Eclipse

Announcement is being made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Lori Lee Koop and Joel Howard Dorman. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop, Jr. of New Hartford and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dorman of Belmond. The bride-elect is a graduate of Iowa State

University and is presently a law student at the University of Iowa. Her fiancé is a graduate of the University of Iowa and is currently attending law school at Drake University. A December 28 wedding is planned at the Nazareth Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls.



40TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop will celebrate their 40th Wedding Anniversary with an Open House at the Rotary Reserve Club House, 5932 North Union Road (T75), Cedar Falls, Iowa, Saturday, November 7. Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. with a short program and dance following.

Meinard Koop and Bonnie Schurman were married June 20, 1958, at the Congregational Church in Parkersburg.

Hosting the event will be their children and their spouses, Joel Dorman and Lori Koop of West Des Moines, along with Lisa and Greg Schmitz and Steve and Angie Koop of New Hartford. There are 11 grandchildren.

No gifts are requested.

*Come Celebrate
40th Wedding Anniversary
Meinard and Bonnie Koop*

November 7, 1998

*Buffet Dinner 6 p.m.
Program and Dance Following*

*Rotary Reserve
5932 N. Union Rd.
Cedar Falls, Iowa*

No Gifts Requested



Vows Exchanged

Lori Koop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop, Jr. of New Hartford, and Joel Dorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dorman of Belmond exchanged wedding vows in a candlelight service on Dec. 28, 1985 in the Nazareth Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls.

Officiating at the double-ring ceremony were Pastors Homer Larson and Willis Grant. Organ music was provided by Bill McGuire with Stan Thompson as vocalist. Selections were "One Hand, One Heart", "He Has Chosen You For Me", "Longer" and "The Lord's Prayer".

The church was decorated with brass candelabra with red roses, white mums, greenery and red and white satin bows. The altar was decorated with the Unity Candle and flower arrangement. The pews were decorated with brass and glass candelabra and greenery, flowers and bows. The front of the church was decorated with two Christmas trees, wreaths, greenery, candles and Poinsettias.

Escorted by her father, the bride chose an elegant gown of white chiffon that featured a high neckline, sheer sweetheart bodice, and bishop sleeves, all heavily accented with beaded and sequined Venise lace. The full length skirt and cathedral length train were trimmed with the same Venise lace and the entire skirt and train had a wide Schiffl

and sequins. Her headpiece was a side-tipped picture hat trimmed with flowers, sequins, beads, blush and waistlength veil. Her satin shoes had lace and pearl trim.

The bride carried a cascading bouquet of red roses, stephanotis, baby's breath, pampas fern, white fugi mums, and Christmas greenery.

The bride's personal attendant was Sharon Petersen friend of the bride.

The matron of honor was Lisa Schmitz, the bride's sister. Bridesmaids were Jana Hollingshead, Julie Schoeman, Kristi Wolter, and Susan Bulmer, all friends of the couple. The bridesmaids wore tea-length gowns of red lace over red satin. The bodice featured a sabrina neckline, short sleeves, a satin cummerbund, with a bow at the natural waistline. The pattern of the lace formed a scalloped hemline. They wore hats of matching satin and red net which were made by the bride's mother. They also wore matching red satin shoes. They carried bouquets of red roses, greenery, baby's breath and mums. The bouquets were accented with Christmas votive candles and jingle bells.

The miniature bride was Shauna Schurman, cousin of the bride. She wore a gown of white chiffonette that featured a high ruffled neckline, a lace trimmed bodice, lace trimmed long sleeves and a sash at the waistline. The skirt featured

two rows of lace edged ruffles and a chapel length train. Shauna carried a basket of red roses and Christmas greenery.

The flower girl was Kendra Schurman, cousin of the bride. She wore a dress of red satin and lace that featured long sleeves, dropped waistline, and a rumba ruffled skirt with a satin bow at the hip. The flower girl's dress was made by the bride's mother. Kendra carried a nosegay of miniature roses, baby's breath and greenery.

The groom wore a full dress tuxedo of black shadow-weaver fabric. A white wing shirt, white picque vest and a bow tie completed his attire. His boutonniere was red roses, baby's breath and fern.

The miniature groom was Ivan Harken, cousin of the bride. Ivan wore an identical outfit to the groom.

The ring bearer was Michael Schmitz, nephew of the bride. Michael wore a black velvet blazer and black velvet short trousers, with a white satin tuxedo shirt and red bow tie. His complete ensemble was made by the bride's mother.

Todd Dorman, brother of the groom was best man. Groomsmen were Steve Koop, brother of the bride, and Steven McLaughlin, David Sorum, and Cary Halfpop, friends of the couple.

Ushers were Greg Schmitz, brother-in-law of the bride, and Neal Nelson, Joe Benetti, Mike Flanagan and Greg Oberhauser, friends of the couple.

The groomsmen and ushers wore black shadow-weave tuxedos with white wing shirts, red bow ties, and red pleated cummerbunds.

The fathers wore the same shadow-weave black tuxedos with black accessories.

The bride's mother wore a floor-length gown of iris chiffon over taffeta that had a bugle bead and sequin trimmed bodice and sleeves. Her satin shoes had toes and heels of brocade trim.

The mother of the groom wore a royal blue floor-length gown trimmed with silver sequins. Both mothers wore red rose corsages.

The guest book attendant was Cathy Kramer, friend of the couple.

Gift carriers were Scott Walk, cousin of the groom and Samuel Harken, cousin of the bride. Gift attendants were Brian Lorber and Annie Potoroff, friends of the couple.

Special guests were Meinard Koop, Sr., grandfather of the bride, Mrs. Dick Schurman, Sr., grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. Vernon Walk,

A dinner reception with a dance following was held at the Dike Community Building. Hosts and Hostesses were Senator and Mrs. Charles Grassley, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schoeman, and Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Oberhauser, friends of

the couple.

Reception servers were Judy Doescher, Donna DeBuhr, Donna Payne, Marge Schurman and Sally Schurman, friends and relatives of the couple.

Cake cutters were Violet Walk, Aunt of the groom and Eileen Meling, friend of the couple. Punch server was Pat Schurman, Aunt of the bride. Coffee server was Betty Schurman, Aunt of the bride.

A series of pre-nuptial events honored the couple:

Dec. 7th- Miscellaneous Shower held in the home of Nancy Flanagan of Belmond, given by friends of the groom's family.

Dec. 8- Miscellaneous Shower held in the home of Mrs. Dick Schurman, Sr., given by the bride's aunts.

Dec. 21st- Miscellaneous Shower held in the home of Audrey Schoeman, given by friends of the bride and bride's sister.

Howard and Lee Dorman hosted a rehearsal dinner at Bob and Jerry's Steak Corral on D

Lo... Iowa State College

graduate of the University of Iowa. Lori also graduated from the University of Iowa Law School in December, has passed the bar and will be practicing law. Joel is presently attending law school at Drake University and is working for a law firm in Adel.

After a wedding trip to Wisconsin, the couple is making their home in Adel.



Lori Koop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop Jr., is sponsored by Land R Service. She has completed her first year at ISU where she was named to the Dean's list, served as a house officer, and was active in intramural sports. While in high school she was also active in sports, drama, band, chorus, honor society, student council and was a class officer. This summer she is observing operations at KCFI, doing volunteer work for cerebral palsy, and making good use of the privilege of a little leisure time.

Hello World 89

1987

Joel Dorman and Lori Koop of Adel are the parents of an 8 lb. 5 oz. baby girl.

Ashley Elizabeth Dorman was born on Friday, Sept. 25, 1987, her father's birthday, at Iowa Methodist Hospital in Des Moines. She was 21 1/4 inches long.

Ashley's maternal grandparents are Meinard and Bonnie Koop of New Hartford. Her paternal grandparents are Howard and Lee Dorman of Belmond. Local great grandparents are Meinard Koop, Sr. of New Hartford and Fan Schurman of Parkersburg.



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Hello World

Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop, Jr. announce the arrival of a new granddaughter Jennifer Grace born July 25th to their daughter Lori and her husband Joel Dorman of Adel. Jennifer has a sister, Ashley to greet her.

Maternal great grandparents are Meinard Koop, Sr. of New Hartford and Mrs. Dick Schurman, Sr. of Parkersburg. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dorman of Belmond.

1989

ECLIPSE, JULY 1, 1992

Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop announce the arrival of a new grandson Nicholas Joel born June 9, the son son of Juel Dorman and Lori Koop of W. Des Moines. Maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Dick Schurman of Parkersburg.

NOVEMBER 15, 1995

Hello World

Lori Koop and Joel Dorman of West Des Moines, Iowa, are happy to announce the birth of Jake Ryan at Methodist Hospital in West Des Moines, Iowa. He was born October 24, 1995. He weighed in at 6 lbs. 7 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. He joins Ashley 8, Jenny 6, and Nicholas 3.

Jake is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Koop of New Hartford and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dorman of Belmond.

In Memory Of
MEINARD KOOP SR.

Born
SEPTEMBER 20, 1902
WEENER, GERMANY

Entered Into Rest
MARCH 29, 1991
New Hartford, Iowa

Services Held At
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
New Hartford, Iowa
April 1, 1991 - 10:30 a.m.

Clergy Officiating
REV. DWIGHT F. GROSVENOR

Organist
NANCY BRAVARD

Vocalist
STAN THOMPSON

Final Resting Place
OAK HILL CEMETERY
New Hartford, Iowa

Casket Bearers
MEINARD'S GRANDCHILDREN
LORI KOOP & JOEL DORMAN
GREG SCHMITZ & LISA SCHMITZ
STEVE KOOP

Following the graveside service,
relatives and friends are invited to
return to the church for a time of fel-
lowship with the Koop family.

Meinard Koop Sr., 88, of 303 Church
Street, New Hartford, Iowa, died early
Friday morning, March 29, 1991, at his
home of natural causes.

He was born on September 29, 1902, in
Weener, Germany, the son of Meinard and
Kea DeBoer Koop. He received his
education in Germany and then worked on
farms near his home. In 1922, he came to
the United States, making his home near
Ackley, Iowa. Meinard worked for his
brother Jake as a farm hand and on March
7, 1928, was united in marriage to Bertha
Beving in Ackley. The couple farmed near
Ackley for 11 years until 1937 when they
moved to their farm near New Hartford. In
1964 they retired from farming and in 1968
Meinard & Bertha moved to their home in
New Hartford. Bertha died on October 7,
1987, and Meinard continued to live at 303
Church Street.

He was a member of the United Methodist
Church in New Hartford.

Meinard is survived by his daughter,
Katherine Koop of New Hartford; his son,
Meinard Koop Jr. of New Hartford; three
grandchildren, Lori Koop of West Des
Moines, Iowa, Lisa Schmitz of New
Hartford, Steven Koop of Iowa City, Iowa;
five great grandchildren, Gregory Michael
Schmitz, Lindsay Nichole Schmitz, Matthew
Steven Schmitz, Ashley Elizabeth Dorman &
Jennifer Grace Dorman, and by his
sister-in-law, Johanne Kuiper of Weener,
Germany. He was preceded in death by his
parents, his wife Bertha, his brother
Jake, and by a half-brother, Annaeus.

Eclipse, June 19, 1991

KATHERINE KOOP

Katherine G. Koop, 59, of
the Dumont Care Center and
formerly of 303 Church Street,
New Hartford, died early
Wednesday evening, June 12
1991, at the care center fol-
lowing a brief illness.

She was born on June 30,
1931, in Ackley, Iowa, the
daughter of Meinard Sr. and
Bertha (Beving) Koop. In 1937
she moved with her family to
New Hartford where she had
lived until April 19, 1991
when she became a resident of
the Dumont Care Center, Du-
mont, Iowa.

She is survived by her
brother, sister-in-law and fam-
ily, Meinard Jr. and Bonnie
Koop of New Hartford, Lori
Koop of West Des Moines,
Lisa Schmitz of New Hartford
and Steven Koop of Iowa City.
She was preceded in death by
her Mother on October 7,
1987, and by her Father on
March 29, 1991.

There will be no funeral
services or visitation. Her body
was cremated and there will be
a private family burial at a
later date. The Kaiser-Corson
Funeral Home, Cedar Falls, is
in charge of arrangements.

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lowing a brief illness.

She was born on June 30,
1931, in Ackley, Iowa, the
daughter of Meinard Sr. and
Bertha (Beving) Koop. In 1937
she moved with her family to
New Hartford where she had
lived until April 19, 1991
when she became a resident of
the Dumont Care Center, Du-
mont, Iowa.

She is survived by her
brother, sister-in-law and fam-
ily, Meinard Jr. and Bonnie
Koop of New Hartford, Lori
Koop of West Des Moines,
Lisa Schmitz of New Hartford
and Steven Koop of Iowa City.
She was preceded in death by
her Mother on October 7,
1987, and by her Father on
March 29, 1991.

There will be no funeral
services or visitation. Her body
was cremated and there will be
a private family burial at a
later date. The Kaiser-Corson
Funeral Home, Cedar Falls, is
in charge of arrangements.

AREA DEATHS

FANNIE SCHURMAN

Fannie Schurman of 608 3rd Street, Parkersburg, Iowa, was born the daughter of George and Henrietta Vogt Knavel on June 26, 1902, in rural Butler County near Aplington, Iowa. She attended rural school near her home. Fannie worked in the General Store in Aplington for several years.

On July 3, 1928, Fannie was united in marriage to Dick Schurman, Sr. in Independence, Missouri. After operating the General Store in Eleanor, they farmed in Butler County and purchased their farm from his father. The farm was located Northeast of Aplington, Iowa. Dick died on July 27, 1976 and Fannie moved to her present home in 1979.

Fannie enjoyed her family and entertaining her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She loved to cook, crochet, gardening, raising flowers and having friends visit with her.

At 7:45 A.M., Wednesday, May 26, 1993, Fannie passed away at Allen Memorial Hospital in Waterloo, Iowa. She reached the age of 90 years and 11 months. She was preceded in death by her husband, an infant daughter, Sharon, her parents, 5 sisters, Bertha DeBerg, Margaret Green, Hattie Wessels, Tadie Uhlenhopp and Gertrude Hill and 5 brothers, Henry, Joe, George, Tom and John Knavel.

Fannie is survived by her two sons and one daughter, Dick Schurman, Jr. and his wife, Pat, of rural Aplington, Iowa and Bob Schurman and his wife, Betty, of Parkersburg, Iowa, Bonnie and her husband, Meinard Koop, of rural New Hartford, Iowa; 7 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren.

Funeral Services were held at 1:30 p.m., Friday, May 28, 1993, at the First Congregational Church in Parkersburg, Iowa with Rev. Rod Wetzig officiating. Arlyce Lindeman was the organist. Congregational hymns were: "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" and "When We All Get To Heaven". Rod Wetzig sang "Jesus There's Something About That Name". Honorary Casketbearer was Dr. Curtis Kannegieter. Casketbearers were: Curtis Schurman, Steve Koop, Jack Harken, Grant Jones, Greg Schmitz and Joel Dorman. Interment was in Oak Hill Cemetery, Parkersburg, Iowa.

Schwartz Funeral Home in Parkersburg, Iowa was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schurman 25th Wedding Anniversary

Robert and Betty Schurman of Parkersburg will celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary with an Open House at the IOOF Hall in Clarksville, Iowa on September 5, 1993 from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Mr. Schurman and Betty Clark were married September 6, 1968 at the Clarksville Community Church in Clarksville.

Mr. Schurman is employed at Weyerhaeuser Paper Co. in Waterloo.

The event is being planned by both Robert and Betty's sisters and brothers and their two god-children Jennifer Clark and Calsey North.

Steve Koop Is Wartburg Homecoming King Candidate

Oct. 18, 1988

HOMECOMING CANDIDATES- The seniors pictured above are candidates for Homecoming Queen and King at Wartburg College this year. They are selected by vote of the junior and senior classes. The make up of the Homecoming Court will be announced between performances of Kastle Kapers, a student variety show, Friday, October 21, and the Queen and King will reign over the remaining activities October 22-23. King candidates are (l-r) Alan Vandenburg of Milford, Lee Petersen of Cedar Falls, **Steve Koop of New Hartford**, Tony Harris of Chicago, Ill., and Kori Stoffregen of Jesup. Queen candidates are Janet Jurgensen of Mechanicsville, Beth Warner of Whitehall, Wisc., Joni Waters of Postville, Cheryl Calease of Waverly and Barb Epps of Runnells.



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Announce Engagement

Announcement is being made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Angie Graham of Storm Lake and Steve Koop of New Hartford.

Parents of the couple are Mike and Laurie Graham of Webster City, and Meinard and Bonnie Koop of New Hartford.

The bride-elect is a social worker with Arrowhead Area Education Agency in Sac City, and her fiance is a Math teacher and Coach in the Denver School System.

A July 31 wedding is planned at St. Thomas Aquinas Church in Webster City.



Butler County Farm Bureau Receives Award

Dec. 1995

Meinard Koop of New Hartford (left) received the Butler County Farm Bureau recognition award at the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation (IFBF) annual meeting in Des Moines on November 29. Merlin Plagge, IFBF president, made the presentation to Koop, who is the county Farm Bureau president. Butler County Farm Bureau received gold star recognition for its 1995 programs in net farm income and national affairs; and silver star recognition for women, policy development, legislative, ag in the classroom, and public relations activities. Gold stars recognize outstanding achievement, while silver stars show above average achievement.



WEDDING

Angela Graham and Steve Koop were united in marriage on Saturday, July 31, 1993 at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in Webster City. Father James Duster officiated the wedding.

Parents of the couple are Mike and Laurie Graham of Webster City and Meinard and Bonnie Koop of New Hartford.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her parents. She wore a gown of shimmering white satin with a sweetheart neckline. Irridescent sequins sparkled over the fitted bodice. Satin tapered sleeves were accented with beaded appliques. Large cut-out appliques decorated the flowing cathedral train. She carried a bouquet of pink roses, stephanotis and baby's breath.

Maid of Honor was Therese Leon of Des Moines. Bridesmaids were Mary Coffey of West Branch, Lisa Schmitz of New Hartford and Lori Koop of West Des Moines. The attendants wore tea length aqua satin gowns. The junior bride was Jennifer Dorman of West Des Moines.

Besman was Mark Fober of Denver, Iowa. Groomsman were Mark Graham of Boston, MA., Greg Schmitz of New

Hartford, and Joel Dorman of West Des Moines. Junior groom was Matthew Schmitz of New Hartford. The men were attired in black tuxedos with aqua boutonnieres.

Flower girls were Lindsay Schmitz and Ashley Dorman. The Ringbearer was Michael Schmitz.

Ushers were Scott Anderegg of Keota, Al Vandenburg of Milwaukee, Duane Aulner of Iowa City, Lonnie Schultdt of Ruthven, Brian Olson of Cedar Falls, Chris Brooks of Iowa City and Kevin Toben of Sparta, WI.

Music was provided by Shauna Schurman and Erin Sheehan as vocalists. Marty Doerning was the organist.

The reception was held at

Briggs Woods Clubhouse with over 300 guests attending from Iowa, Ohio, Maryland, Minnesota, Illinois, Florida, Colorado and Wisconsin.

The rehearsal party was held at the Briggs Woods Clubhouse hosted by the groom's parents.

The couple took a wedding trip to Maine and Nova Scotia. They presently reside in Denver, Iowa.

The bride is a graduate of St. Ambrose University in Davenport and earned her Masters Degree from the University of Iowa in Iowa City. She is employed by the Black Hawk-Grundy Mental Health Center in Waterloo. The groom is a graduate of Wartburg College in Waverly and is a teacher and coach in the Denver School system. He is also engaged in farming.

Three showers were given for the couple: One in Emmetsburg by the bride's relatives; one in Webster City by the bride's aunts and one in New Hartford by the groom's sisters.

JANUARY 4, 1995

Steve and Angie Koop of Denver, Iowa, are happy to announce the birth of their baby, Thomas Meinard, 7 lbs. 14 oz. and 21 inches long who was born December 26, 1994.

Grandparents are Meinard and Bonnie Koop of New Hartford and Mike and Laurie Graham of Webster City.

Great grandparents are Lois Graham and Pearl Neibauer of Emmetsburg.

JANUARY 22, 1997

Steve and Angie Koop of New Hartford are the proud parents of a baby girl, Rachael Graham born January 2, 1997 at 9:09 a.m. The little miss weighed 6 lbs. and 11 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

She has a brother Thomas 2 years old to welcome her home.

Grandparents are Bonnie and Meinard Koop of New Hartford and Mike and Laurie Graham of Webster City.

BERTHA KOOP

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Bertha Koop, 81, of 303 Church St., New Hartford, IA, died early Wednesday morning, October 7, 1987 at her home of complications of age.

Bertha was born on July 26, 1906 in Bunde, Germany, the daughter of Ubbe and Grace Van der Linde Beving. She attended school in Germany and at a young age her father died. As a young girl, Bertha migrated with her family to the United States and in 1920 made their home in Monroe, South Dakota. Bertha continued her schooling in Monroe

and on March 7, 1928, she was united in marriage to Meinard Koop in Ackley, Iowa. The couple farmed near Ackley for 11 years before moving to New Hartford in 1937. They continued farming in New Hartford for the next 30 years and in 1968 the couple moved to their present home.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church in New Hartford, she enjoyed being outdoors and liked to embroider but most of all she had a great love for her grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, Meinard Koop, Sr., of New Hartford; her children Meinard Koop, Jr. and Katherine Koop both of New Hartford; two step-sisters Mrs. Florence McKinnon and Mrs. Minnie McDowell both of Gettysburg, S.D.; three grandchildren, Lori Koop of Adel, Lisa Schmitz and Steven Koop both of New Hartford; three great grandchildren, Gregory Michael Schmitz, Lindsay Nicole Schmitz and Ashley Elizabeth Dorman. She was preceded in death by her parents; five brothers; and two sisters.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Oct. 10, 1987 at 10:30 a.m. at the United Methodist Church, New Hartford, with Rev. Robert Holdorf officiating. Nancy Bravard was organist and Stan Thompson sang "Old Rugged Cross, and "How Great Thou Art". Casketbearers were Fred R. Everts, Bud DeBuhr, Jr., Albert Thorne, Paul E. Fobian, Henry A. Marks, and Roy P. Gibbs. Interment was in the Oak Hill Cemetery, New Hartford. Memorials may be directed to the New Hartford United Methodist Church, in New Hartford.

Kaiser-Corson Chapel in New Hartford was in charge of the arrangements.



To Observe 86th Birthday

Meinard Koop, Sr., 303 Church Street, New Hartford will observe his 86th birthday, September 20.

A family dinner was held September 18th at the Meinard Koop, Jr. home to celebrate his birthday. Mr. Koop has two

children Katherine at home, and Meinard, Jr. He also has three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Koop farmed in the Ackley and New Hartford areas till his retirement in 1964. He moved to his present home in 1967.

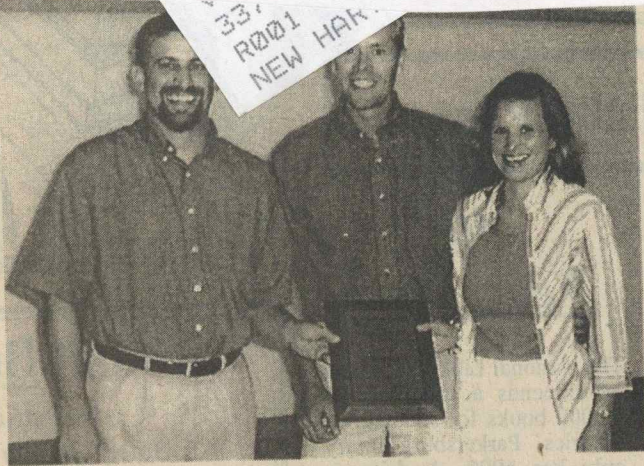
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Depression Glass Galore!

Mar 2005

The New Hartford Woman's Club met at the home of Bonnie Koop on February 28th. Bonnie pictured above, gave a special presentation on Depression glass, her hobby collection from the past 35 years. From Cherry Blossom to Georgia Lovebirds, from Hobnail to Rose Cameo, the ladies of the club learned to recognize the patterns and the different colors of Depression glass. Bonnie showed how adding one or two pieces of Depression glass creates such a beautiful table setting for special events. She used black pieces for Halloween and forest green for the Christmas dinner table. During the 1930's, place settings, cheaply made, were frequent giveaways and serving pieces. Usually had to be purchased separately so fewer serving pieces were made. Depression glass came with soap, magazine subscriptions and through many businesses to entice people to buy. Nostalgic stories were shared and enjoyed by all the ladies as pieces of glass were passed around the group.



Koops Receive Iowa Conservation Award

Steve and Angie Koop of New Hartford have been selected as the Region 3 winners of the Iowa Soil Conservation Awards Program for 2005. They were nominated for the award by the Butler County Soil & Water Conservation District Commissioners.

Koops farm in Albion and Beaver Townships, using no-till and conservation tillage techniques in combination with carefully monitored nutrient and pest management. Other erosion control practices employed to protect their soil resources include contouring, grass waterways, terraces, and contour buffer strips. To improve water quality, the Koops have installed grass filter strips along the creeks to trap sediment and nutrients contained in field runoff.

Using the Conservation

Reserve Program (CRP), Steve and Angie have completed a hardwood tree planting and constructed a shallow water area on the floodplain of Beaver Creek to provide wildlife habitat.

The Koops received their award at the Conservation Districts of Iowa Fall Regional meeting held at the Ridge Stone Golf Club in Sheffield. Their farming operation sets an excellent example of land management, with a diverse selection of conservation practices that maintain high levels of crop production while protecting our valuable natural resources.

For more information, please contact Lawrence Green, District Conservationist, Butler SWCD, 310 Allan St., Allison. Phone: (319) 267-2756. E-mail: lawrence.green@ia.usda.gov

UNI gets \$500,000 gift from old friend

■ **Family of Dr. Jitu Kothari gives money to help join new arena with UNI-Dome.**

By **JON ERICSON**
Courier Staff Writer

CEDAR FALLS — A gift from the family of a longtime supporter of Panther athletics will help connect

the new McLeod Center Arena to the UNI-Dome.

Dr. Jitu Kothari had been a member of the University of Northern Iowa Athletic Club for 24 years before his death in 2003.

In addition to being a fan and booster, Kothari served as orthopedic surgeon for the Panther football team from 1981 until his death.

Kothari's widow, Harshida, agreed

this week to donate \$500,000 on behalf of the family to pay for the second floor of the connection between the two athletic venues.

In June, UNI announced that Bill Krause, chief executive officer of the Krause-Gentle Corp., had made a similar donation to finance construction of the first level of the connector.

With the donation, the second

floor of the connecting pavilion will be named for Kothari.

"Aesthetically it ties the two facilities together, but also functionally it allows fans to freely go between the facilities and also it makes it a cohesive facility," said UNI Development Vice President Scott Leisinger.

Harshida Kothari said her hus-



Dr. Jitu Kothari
treated UNI football
players for years

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UNI GIFT

Funds will still be raised for finishing touches

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band was always concerned with giving back to the community.

"It was a big part of him," she said. "We are excited about this opportunity to honor his legacy."

Funding for the connector was the last major piece in construct-

ing the McLeod Center. Leisinger said the university will still be raising funds for some finishing touches, including furnishing the food service area.

The connecting pavilion had been listed as an alternate option when bids were taken for the McLeod Center. The gifts from Krause and the Kotharis ensured it will be built.

Dr. Kothari had been an orthopedic surgeon with Cedar Valley Medical Associates. He also had worked in the UNI Athletics

Department. Kothari served as orthopedic surgeon for the Panther football team from 1981 until his death in 2003.

Harshida Kothari graduated from the University of Northern Iowa in 1994. She holds a master's degree in computer science. She now lives in Minneapolis. The Kotharis had three children — Neelay, Neeraly and Tejus — none of whom attended UNI.

Harshida Kothari said the project was a good fit for the family.

"We felt it was important to

give back to the community, and at UNI we were able to honor his legacy," Kothari said.

UNI plans to use the connector to house the UNI Hall of Fame.

The McLeod Center is expected to be completed in the fall of 2006. It will have a seating capacity of up to 7,000. It will be home to Panther wrestling, volleyball and basketball programs.

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County Farm Bureau Recognized For Program Excellence

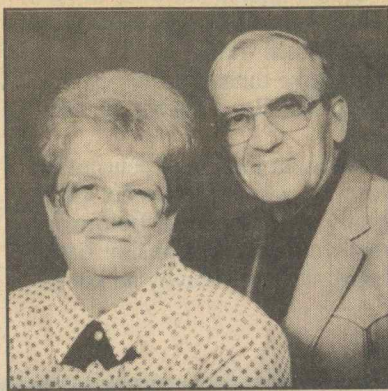
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Kothenbeutel/35

NEW HARTFORD — Harold and Kathy Kothenbeutel of Bedford, formerly of New Hartford, will be honored on their 35th wedding anniversary next Sunday with a surprise open house from 3 to 10 p.m., with dancing from 6 to 10 p.m., at the Island Park Beach House in Cedar Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Kothenbeutel were married Dec. 3, 1960.

Hosting the event will be their 11 children, Carl, Truman, Buzz, Kay, Esther, Rollie, Augie, Pam, Jim, Vicky and Cindy.



Mr. and Mrs. Kothenbeutel

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Kathy Kothenbeutel (1923-2010)

NEW HARTFORD — Kathy Kothenbeutel, 86, of Bedford, formerly of New Hartford, died Thursday, March 25, at Bedford Nursing and Rehab Center.

She was born May 6, 1923, daughter of Carl and Angie Harris. She married Harold Kothenbeutel on Dec. 3, 1960.

She was a member of First Baptist Church in Bedford and a 55-year member of Rebekah Lodge.

Survived by: five sons, Carl (Marietta) Blake of Winthrop, Truman (Dr. Sharon) Blake of Alaska, Buz (Esther) Blake of Waterloo, Augie Blake of Alaska and Jim Kothenbeutel of Bedford; five daughters,

Kay Weedman of Cedar Falls, Esther DesJardins of Las Vegas, Pamela (Fred) Garbes of Minnesota, Vicky (Dennis) Emery of Cedar Falls and Cindy Dralle of Winthrop; two brothers, Buzz Harris of Cedar Falls and Troy Harris of Florida; 22 grandchildren; and 41 great-grandchildren.

Preceded in death by: a son, Rollie Blake; a grandson, David Blake; a granddaughter, Kristi Wagner; five sisters and two brothers.

Services: at a later date, with inurnment in New Hartford at a later date.



Kathy Kothenbeutel



Bernard Kressley of Cedar Falls

Unending search for mother, twin sister



At age 3

By BETTIE FERGUSON
Courier Staff Writer

CEDAR FALLS—Bernard Kressley is a quaker.

He is searching for his natural mother and a twin sister, neither of whom he has seen since he was born on May 23, 1928.

But, this probe has a reverse twist. Bernard Kressley wants his mother and/or sister to contact him.

"I don't want to cause anyone any hardship or heart ache," he explains, "so I think it would be easier to contact me, even if it's done anonymously."

HIS LIFE picks up at that point following his birth to a woman, "whose name was Miller, in possibly Butler County."

"I (and his twin sister) was delivered by a Dr. (first name unknown) Pelletier, in my mother's home and then taken to Sartori Memorial Hospital."

"My sister was adopted by one couple, and I was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Al Tieglar. However, less than two weeks later they decided not to go through with the adoption and I was then taken by Mr.

and Mrs. Elmer (Georgia) Kressley, a brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Tieglar.

"They began adoption proceedings in January of 1929, but for some reason the adoption was never completed. They always told me, as I was growing up, that I was adopted, and I was raised with their family name."

WHEN BERNARD was 16 he began working for the Rath Packing Co., and although a birth certificate was requested by the company, the matter was never pursued.

At age 29, after marrying and beginning a family of his own, Bernard Kressley makes serious application for the certificate and discovers that he has never been legally adopted.

At this time, the Kressleys follow

through, and no longer is Bernard officially listed as "Baby Boy" as he has been for more than a quarter of a century.

The years pass and he and his wife, Arlene, who in June celebrated their 33rd wedding anniversary, become the parents of six children.

THEY ARE Robert of here; Frank of Bell, Calif.; John with the Army in Germany, and the father of twins; Barb Nichols of Independence; Beth Adams of here, and Berna Deane Webb of LeMars. Including the twins there are now eight grandchildren.

Sitting at the dining room table in his home at 2509 Eddie St., Bernard Kressley writes correspondence to the Adult League of Mature Adoptees (ALMA), and to Concerned United Birth Parents (CUB).

"But, all I really hear back from them is the steps to take to find my mother, which I've already done."

BERNARD'S ADOPTIVE mother died in 1962, and while his adoptive father was still alive, Bernard hesitated to go public and admit his search.

On May 14 of this year, Elmer Kressley died and his natural son, Ervin, urged Bernard to proceed with the quest.

And, so he has, but stopping just short of his goal.

"As I said, I don't want to cause anyone any heartache," he reiterates.

"If my mother or sister read this story, they will know I still care."

"And if they, or just one of them, get in touch with me, I will know that they feel the same."



At age 16



Bernard Kressley...today

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Maybe you're addiction prone

Pat's pointers

Flowers complement this afai



Search Finally Ends

The twins were born May 23, 1928, at Stout, IA. The mother was unmarried and her parents were financially unable to care for the twins. Dr. Pelletier took them to Sartori Hospital at three days of age. Clarence and Emadell Sponhum took the girl on June 6th. Later they divorced, and Emadell took the girl (Synva). She remarried and changed the girls name to Doris Janell. Al & Cora Tegeler took the boy June 26. After about two weeks they decided against adopting him, and Cora's brother and sister-in-law Elmer and Geor-

gia Kressley took him. Over the years, Bernard tried to find his sister--an article in the Courier August 24, 1979, led to the discovery of a half sister, Fannie Hook, of Grundy Center--who had been raised believing she was her natural mother's younger sister. Also two elderly aunts, now both residing in the Allison Manor, plus 5 first cousins, and many second cousins. But it wasn't until August of 1986 that Doris Bacon, of Goleta, California wrote Sartori for her birth statistics that they made contact. A relative in the

Records department saw the query, and got the address to Kressley. On Aug 25th, they mailed a letter to Doris. On Aug 27, she called them, and they made plans to come to Iowa "sometime" -- which happened Sept. 30. The Kressleys have a son named John- so does Doris- and her husband Jack. Both Bernard and Doris like flowers, and have a "sweet tooth".- Also, both have a passion for SHOES!!

The Bacon family consists of two sons, John and Jerry. There are three daughters and three sons in the Kressley family.

*Eclipse
Oct 8
1986*

Celebrating The Life Of
BERNARD NEIL KRESSLY



Bernard Neil Kressley was born May 23, 1928 at Stout, Iowa, the son of Elmer L. & Georgia M. (Fouts) Kressley. He married Arlene Franke June 9, 1946 in Waterloo, Iowa. He worked for Rath Packing Co for forty years and for the last five years he worked as a Crossing Guard at Hansen-Holmes Schools. Bernard died Tuesday, June 14, 2005 at Sartori Memorial Hospital in Cedar Falls, Iowa at the age of 77 years.

Bernard is survived by his wife, Arlene Kressley of Cedar Falls; three sons, Robert N. Kressley of Cedar Falls, Frank L. Kressley of Los Angeles, California and John T. (Gail) Kressley of Hayes, Virginia; three daughters, Barbara L. (Tadd) Nichols of Independence, Iowa, Beth (Frank) Adams of Waterloo, Iowa and Berna Deane (Robert) Webb of LeMars, Iowa; eleven grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren; one brother Ervin Kressley of Waterloo, Iowa and his twin sister Janelle Bacon of Goleta, California.

He was preceded in death by parents, one grandson in infancy, one grand daughter, Naomi Nichols Mussman and one sister, Fannie Hook.

FUNERAL SERVICE

1:30 p.m., Friday, June 17, 2005
Dahl-Van Hove-Schoof Funeral Home
Cedar Falls, Iowa

CLERGY ~ Rev. Paul Huffman
Faith Wesleyan Church

EULOGY ~ Dr. Robert Bremner

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Daddy's Hands"

"In My Life /If We Never Meet Again"

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"This World Is Not My Home"

CASKET BEARERS

Earl Murray Tommy Roberts Ryan Shatek
Jason Robins Jerry Cox Dave Fobian

INTERMENT

Cedar Valley Memorial Gardens
Cedar Falls, Iowa

*A luncheon will be served at Faith Wesleyan Church
following the committal service.*

A Dahl-Van Hove-Schoof Funeral Home service.

Dorothy "Ma" Kugel (1916-2004)

CEDAR FALLS — Dorothy "Ma" Kugel, 88, of Cedar Falls, formerly of New Hartford and Fort Myers Beach, Fla., died Thursday, July 15, at the Cedar Falls Health Care Center.

She was born May 21, 1916, in Waverly, daughter of Fred and Philura Etta Warren Pothast. She was a graduate of Waterloo West High School. She married Harvey W. Brocka on Jan. 26, 1934, in Waterloo. He died Oct. 13, 1938. She then married Henry C. Kugel on Jan. 26, 1940, in Preston, Minn. He died Oct. 13, 1987.



Dorothy Kugel

Mrs. Kugel was employed by Steamboat Gardens Restaurant and later by Geerling Feeds in Waterloo. She and her husband retired to Florida in 1973, and she moved back to New Hartford in 1996.

Survivors include: six sons, Willie (Darlyne) Brocka of Janesville, Everett Brocka of Estero, Fla., Henry (Judy) Kugel of Yelm, Wash., Robert (Pamela) Kugel of Winslow, Ark., Eddie (Connie) Kugel of New Hartford and John (Ruth) Kugel of Ogden; two daughters, Tammy (Jim) Ernst of Coon Rapids, Minn., and Tangy Wormley (Jerry Barloon) of Parkersburg; a stepson, Don (Daisy) Brocka of Tuscon, Ariz.; 30 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Preceded in death by: four sons, Harold, Steven, Richard and Kenneth; a grandson, James Ernst Jr.; five brothers, Charles, William, Chas Jr., Jimmy and Edward; and four sisters, Olive, Mae, Esther and Berdine.

Services: 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Janesville United Methodist Church, with burial in Cedar Valley Memorial Gardens. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at Richardson Funeral Home and for an hour before services Tuesday at the church.

Memorials: A memorial fund has been established.

In Memory Of
KENNETH L. KUGEL

Born
FEBRUARY 26, 1943
Waterloo, Iowa

Died
DECEMBER 19, 1993
Cedar Falls, Iowa

Services Held At
KAISER- CORSON CHAPEL
Cedar Falls, Iowa
December 22, 1993 - 2:00 p.m.

Clergy Officiating
REV. PAUL E. FREDERIKSEN

Organist
LOIS VAN ROEKEL

Final Resting Place
CEDAR VALLEY MEMORIAL GARDENS
Cedar Falls, Iowa

Casket Bearers
DANIEL L. BARKHOFF - DAN BRACE
DUSTIN BROCKA - LYNN DEBOER
DAVID A. KUGEL - EDDIE KUGEL SR.
LARRY VANDYK

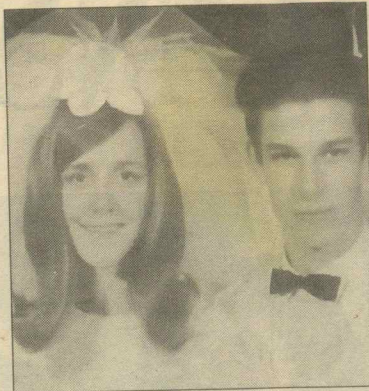
Following the graveside service,
Relatives and friends are invited to
the Eagles Club for food and refreshments
with the family.

Kenneth L. Kugel Sr., 50, of 6312 Mt. Vernon Rd., Cedar Falls, Iowa, died Sunday December 19, 1993 at Sartori Memorial Hospital, following a heart attack.

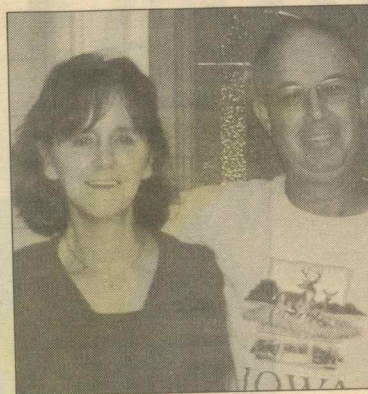
Ken was born February 26, 1943 in Waterloo, Iowa, the son of Henry Conrad and Dorothy Pothast Kugel. He attended school in Waterloo, and later in New Hartford, Iowa, when his family moved there. Following his schooling Ken worked for a time as a hired hand for farmers in the Cedar Falls and New Hartford areas. Following that he worked at the New Hartford elevator for a time. On June 15, 1962, Ken was united in marriage to Karen A. DeBoer in Cedar Falls. The couple made their home in Cedar Falls, and in 1965 Ken began working in the foundry at John Deere. Shell Rock became their home for many years, where they raised three boys, but in 1988 they moved back to Cedar Falls, to their house on Mt. Vernon Rd.. In March of 1992, Ken retired from John Deere after 26 years of service. He had been assisting his son, Ken Jr., at Kugel Electric Motors since his retirement.

Ken enjoyed golfing, fishing, hunting, and motorcycling, but his family was dearest to him, as he loved to spend time with his wife, children, and grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Karen, his mother, Dorothy, of Ft. Myers Beach, Florida, three sons and their spouses, Kenneth LaVerne Jr. & Jane Kugel of Iowa Falls, Iowa; Kevin Lee & Jenni Kugel of Dysart, Iowa; and Kurt Louis & Cindy Kugel of Waterloo; five grandchildren, Katie Kugel and Ariel Kugel of Iowa Falls; Taylor Kugel of Dysart; and Lucas Burrier and Whitley Burrier of Waterloo; six brothers, Willie Brocka of Janesville; Everett Brocka of Florida; Hank Kugel of South Carolina; Jimmy Kugel of Fayetteville, Arkansas; Eddie Kugel of New Hartford; and Johnny Kugel of Ames, Iowa; two sisters, Tammy Ernst of Baldwinsville, New York; and Tany Wormley of Ft. Myers Beach, Florida. He was preceded in death by his father, and by three brothers, Steven Kugel and Harold Kugel, both in infancy, and Dick Kugel.



Mr. and Mrs. Kugel
1968



Mr. and Mrs. Kugel
2008

Kugel/40

NEW HARTFORD — Eddie and Connie Kugel will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Oct. 4 with a friends and family celebration at Tangy, Jerry and Shane's home at 30517 Ridge Ave., Parkersburg, beginning at 2 p.m.

Eddie Kugel and Connie Mead were married Oct. 4, 1968, at First United Methodist Church, Cedar

Falls.

Mr. Kugel has his own construction business, Kugel Construction, and Mrs. Kugel has worked at Sartori Memorial Hospital for 31 years.

Their children are Jeanette Jacobsen of Dike, Edward Kugel of New Hartford and Teresa and Scott Hogrefe of Stout. They have seven grandchildren.

All friends and family are invited to share in the celebration.

Mrs. Mary E. Kyhl

Sun., Feb. 6, 1977

CEADAR FALLS—Services for Mrs. Mary E. Kyhl, 84, of Gaston, Ind., formerly of Cedar Falls, will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Nottger-Erickson Funeral Home, with burial in Fairview Cemetery. Mrs. Kyhl died Thursday afternoon in a Gaston nursing home.

She was born May 8, 1892, in Escondido, Calif., daughter of Q. W. and Estelle Dillinger Lomax. She married Soren H. Kyhl July 30, 1931, in Kansas, and he preceded her in death.

After teaching school in Kansas, and later farming in the New Hartford area, she moved with her husband to Cedar Falls in 1946. She was a substitute teacher in the Cedar Falls schools.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. John (Jane) Beekman of Muncie, Ind.; a brother, Orville Q. Lomax of Houston, Texas; and two sisters, Mrs. R. L. Peck of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. J. D. McConnell of Independence, Kan.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday and until service time Monday.

IN MEMORY OF

Mary E. Kyhl

BORN

May 8, 1892

Escondido, California

ENTERED INTO REST

February 3, 1977

Gaston, Indiana

FUNERAL SERVICES

1:00 p.m., Monday, February 7, 1977

Nottger-Erickson Funeral Home

Cedar Falls, Iowa

CLERGYMAN

Rev. Forrest Chaffee, Pastor

Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Cedar Falls, Iowa

MUSIC

Mrs. Larry Gregory, organist

PALLBEARERS

Martin Holst

Godfrey Guldager

Holger Jensen

Robert Newgard

INTERMENT

Fairview Cemetery

Cedar Falls, Iowa

Nottger-Erickson Funeral Home

Cedar Falls, Iowa

Mrs. Mamie Kirsten Kurt

NEW HARTFORD—Memorial services for Mrs. Mamie Kirsten Kurt, 78, who died Thursday morning at University Hospitals in Iowa City, will be 2 p.m. Saturday at Dahl-VanHove-Schoof Funeral Home in Cedar Falls; burial in Oak Hill Cemetery in New Hartford; survivors include her husband; Carl; a son, Kenneth of New Hartford; a brother, Morris Hansen of Coleridge, Neb.; and two sisters, Effie Hansen of Coleridge and Violet Bach of Wakefield, Neb. A memorial fund has been established.

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Area Deaths

KENNETH W. KURT

Kenneth W. Kurt, 57, of 5524 Peridot Road, Cedar Falls, died Saturday evening at 7:25 p.m. at the Covenant Medical Center Kimball, Waterloo, Iowa of cancer.

Funeral services will be 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 28, 1987 at the Dahl-Van Hove-Schoof Funeral Home, Cedar Falls, Iowa. Rev. Kathy Bissen of the Linden United Methodist Church, Waterloo, will be officiating. Memorial Fund will be to the Linden United Methodist Church, Waterloo and Cedar Valley Hospice.

Kenneth was born August 29, 1929 in New Richland, Minnesota the son of Carl W. and Mamie K. Hansen Kurt. He was married to Joyce (Sally) R. Harman, November 18, 1955, in New Hartford, Iowa.

He was a Shipping Clerk for the Viking Pump.

Survivors include his wife of Cedar Falls; son and daughter-in-law Kevin W. and Jenny Kurt of New Hartford and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; an infant daughter Leah Marie; and 1 brother Karl.

Kenneth W. Kurt 1987

CEDAR FALLS — Services for Kenneth W. Kurt, 57, of 5524 Peridot Road, No. 54, will be 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Dahl-Van Hove-Schoof Funeral Home with burial at a later date in Oakland Cemetery, New Hartford.

Mr. Kurt died of cancer Saturday evening (Jan. 24) at Covenant Medical Center at Kimball Avenue.

He was born Aug. 29, 1929, in New Richland, Minn., son of Carl W. and Mamie K. Hansen Kurt. He married Joyce "Sally" R. Harmon Nov. 18, 1955, at New Hartford.

He was a shipping clerk at Viking Pump Co. He was a veteran serving in the U.S. Army from 1946 to 1947.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Kevin W. of New Hartford; and two grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother, Carl George, and an infant daughter, Leaha Marie.

Memorials may be made to Cedar Valley Hospice or Linden United Methodist Church in Waterloo.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday and from 9 a.m. until service time Wednesday.



KURT-KIRKPATRICK

Rita Kurt, daughter of Kevin and Jenniffer Kurt of New Hartford, and David Kirkpatrick, son of Roger and Mary Kirkpatrick of Dike are pleased to announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

Rita, a 1994 graduate of Dike-New Hartford High School is employed by Payless Shoe Source in College Square Mall and David, also a 1994 graduate of Dike-New Hartford is employed by Sam's Club in Waterloo.

A May 12, 1995 wedding is planned.

CEDAR FALLS — **Axel J. Kyhl**, 80, of the Lutheran Home, died there Thursday, Dec. 24, of natural causes.

He was born Nov. 17, 1912, in Milltown, Wis., the son of Nis J. and Kristine Ovegard Kyhl. He married Octavia S. Christensen Oct. 16, 1936, in Askov, Minn., and she died in 1988.

Survivors include two sons, Alvin J. of Cedar Falls and Howard E. of New Hartford; a daughter, Karen Sue Campbell of Jacksonville, Fla.; 12 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Alpha Reed of Juneau, Alaska; he was preceded in death by a grandchild; and a sister.

Services will be 1:30 p.m. Monday at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, with burial in Greenwood Cemetery; visitation will be 2 to 9 p.m. today and 9 to 11 a.m. Monday at Dahl-Van Hove-Schoof Funeral Home, and an hour before services at the church.

Memorials will be established.

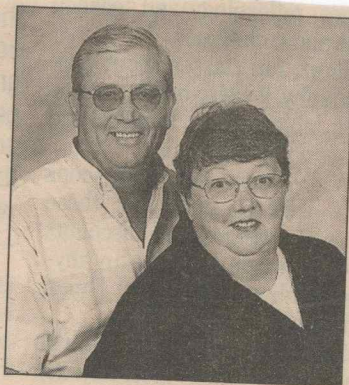
Kyhl/45

NEW HARTFORD — Howard and Pamela Kyhl will celebrate their 45th wedding anniversary with a family dinner.

Howard Eugene Kyhl and Pamela Lee Yarcho were married Feb. 14, 1964, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

Mr. Kyhl is employed by Black Hawk Engineering/NEWCOR, and Mrs. Kyhl is employed by Waterloo DHS.

Their family includes Curt and Lorie Kyhl of New Hartford, Robin and Jr. Cole of Parkersburg and Kevin



Mr. and Mrs. Kyhl

and Lara Kyhl, also of New Hartford, as well as six grandchildren.

Kyhl-Cole

NEW HARTFORD — Robin Kyhl and James "JR" Cole are announcing their engagement and approaching wedding.

Parents of the couple are Howard and Pam Kyhl of New Hartford, and James and Carole Cole of Tripoli.

The bride-elect is employed at Allen Hospital, and her fiance is employed at Schuldt Repair.

Vows are planned for 3 p.m. July 19 at United Methodist Church, New Hartford.



James "JR" Cole
Robin Kyhl

ENGAGE



Lock washers and all, they say I Do!

When the minister asked them if they would have each other in sickness and in health...



Kayla Kyhl

Parents: Curt and Lorie Kyhl

School/Extra Curricular Activities: volleyball, basketball, tennis, softball, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, SADD, student council, choir (show, jazz, large group vocal), band (including marching), speech, drama

Community Involvement: 4-H, UM youth group, secretary of the nursery at church, tornado/flood clean up, drawing, painting, DFS, church, serving at Alumni Banquet, concessions, Relay for Life, Brittany's Hope Walk

Awards/Achievements: Academic Excellence awards, honor roll, 'Most Improved' in volleyball, letter in basketball, runner-up at conference for singles and doubles (tennis), 'Golden Glove' infielder award for softball, Honor Band, Who's Who Among American High School Students nomination, letters in plays and musicals, many ribbons in 4-H

Leadership Roles: 4-H County Council, leader of 4-H club, leading elementary students at Farm Safety Day and Camp Noah, Bible School teacher

Skills/Hobbies: scrapbooking, baking, sewing, animals, church groups, babysitting, helping elderly, decorating for prom, tennis, softball, basketball, volleyball, 4-H, band, vocal, speech/drama, academics, helping around the community

Future Plans: Finish high school, and attend the University of Iowa for physical therapy

Kayla feels she would be a good Butler County Fair Queen because she is a good role model, enjoys volunteering and helping our community and enjoys spending time with her community members. She also likes to be involved with today's youth because they are the future of the community. She also feels she is a well-rounded person.