

Metropolitan Deaths

Mrs. Emma Eckstein at 101 Years

Services Thursday For Centenarian

Mrs. Emma W. Eckstein, 101, of 333 Cutler St., died at 5:10 p.m. Monday at Allen Extended Care Unit of complications of age.

She was born Nov. 8, 1870, in Germany, to Mr. and Mrs. Korth. She came to the United States in 1879 and settled in New Hampton. She had been a Waterloo resident since 1918. She was married Feb. 19, 1889, at Nashua to Henry Eckstein. She was a member of Trinity American Lutheran church for over 50 years.

Survivors include a son, Bert of Alameda, Calif.; a daughter, Miss Elda Eckstein of the Allen Extended Care Unit; five grandchildren; several great-grandchildren, and several great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband in 1947, a son, a daughter, two sisters and a brother.

Funeral services are being planned for 1 p.m. Thursday at the Allen Memorial Home Chapel, with the Rev. R. M. Meyer and the Rev. Kenneth D. Eggen, pastors of Trinity American Lutheran Church, officiating. Friends may call at Parrott and Wood Funeral Home after Wednesday noon.

THEODORE PHILLIPS

Services for Theodore (Ted) Phillips, 78, Good Thunder, Minn., former resident of the Waterloo area, were Monday at Mankato, Minn., with burial also in a cemetery there.

Mr. Phillips died Thursday evening at a hospital in Mankato following a heart attack last Tuesday. Five carloads of relatives from the Waterloo area attended his services Monday.

The last of 10 children, Mr. Phillips was born Aug. 13, 1893, and was reared near Raymond. He married Mary Schmitz at Gilbertville on Aug. 19, 1923, and had farmed near Good Thunder since 1931.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, Eldred of Waseca, Minn., Neal of Des Moines; Joseph of Good Thunder and Norbert of Rochester, Minn.; two sisters, Joan of Denville, N.J., and Mrs. Don Sebarg of Madison Lake, Minn., and 24 grandchildren.

JOHN M. SPEER

CEDAR FALLS — John M. Speer, 67, formerly of Cedar Falls, died of cancer at 3:30 a.m. Tuesday at his home at Sequim, Wash.

No funeral services are planned. The body is to be cremated.

Mr. Speer was born at Cedar Falls on April 8, 1904, to Victor and Bertha Voorhees Speer. He was a graduate of the University of Northern Iowa and received a master's degree from Oregon State University at Corvallis.

Mr. Speer taught industrial arts at Cedar Falls High School, Ketchikan, Alaska, and Seattle, Wash., and was senior architect for the territory of Alaska school building program prior to World War II.

He served as a commander in the Navy during that war and was an instructor at Bremerton, Wash., Navy yard. Prior to his retirement 10 years ago, he was featured on a Seattle television show.

He married Louise Hearst in Cedar Falls on Aug. 22, 1936. He was a member of the Naval Reserve, the Masonic Lodge and an executive of the Community Club of Sequim.

Preceded in death by his parents, Mr. Speer is survived by his wife and three brothers, Vernon of Lewis, Idaho, Richard of Mare's Neck, Va., and Robert of Red Wing, Minn.

ROY R. THEOES

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Kearns-Dykeman Chapel for Roy R. Theoes, 66, of 1123 Sycamore St., who died Saturday evening.

The Rev. Marvin Kaniogier, pastor of the Walnut St. Calvary Church, will officiate. He will be assisted by the Rev. Harold Sturiz, assistant pastor of the church and the Rev. Billie Evans, pastor of the Open Bible Church of Oelwein, a step-son of Mr. Theoes.

Entombment will follow in the Temple of Memories with King-Marson Chapter No. 11 of the Disabled American Veterans conducting the military rites.

ALAN A. BRYANT

Funeral services were at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Parrott and

Wood Funeral Home for Alan A. Bryant, 81, of 535 Pleasant Ave., who died of heart attack at 10 a.m. Sunday at Woodlawn Convalescent Home. Dr. Charles Jacobs, pastor of First Congregational Church, officiated. Burial followed in the Waterloo Cemetery.

Mr. Bryant worked in auto and truck sales for many years and operated Bryant Sundries in Evansdale from 1952 to 1961.

ARTHUR GILBERT

Funeral services for Arthur Gilbert, 69, of 702 W. Mullan Ave., who died at Scholtz Memorial Hospital at 4 a.m. Monday of a heart attack, will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Parrott and Wood Funeral Home, with the Rev. J. C. Dahm, pastor of Christ Church Chapel, Trinity Episcopal Parish, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

FRANK B. SCHRADER

Frank B. Schrader, 81, of 518 Sumner St., died at Scholtz Memorial Hospital at 9:55 a.m. Tuesday of a stroke. Funeral services are pending at O'Keefe and Towne Funeral Home, where friends may call after Wednesday noon.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT EASTMAN

Funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eastman of 111 Main St., will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Hagerman Baptist Church, with the Rev. Ralph G. Colas, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Garden of Memories. Friends may call at Chapel of Memories West until Wednesday noon, when the casket will be taken to the church.

EARL B. SPENCER

Earl B. Spencer, 77, of 2840 W. 4th St., a Waterloo contractor and founder of the E. B. Spencer Engineering Company, died at the Parkview Gardens Nursing Center at 4:20 p.m. Monday of complications of his age.

He was born on Nov. 9, 1894, at Norfolk, Neb., the son of Willis and Ada Baumgardner Spencer. He married Bess Shaver in 1919 in Cedar Rapids. Mr. Spencer was a veteran of World War I. He was a student at Iowa State University, Ames, when he enlisted in the aviation section of the U.S. Army in 1917 and was wounded while flying in France as an aerial photographer and observer.

After the war he continued his engineering course at Ames, worked six years as assistant county engineer in Black Hawk county and a year as Buchanan county engineer, before starting work with a bridge builder. In 1928 he started his own firm, building bridges and culverts on state and county roads. He then diversified his operations to include city utilities, disposal and water plants and sewer and water lines.

His son, Earl S. Spencer, joined him on graduation from Iowa State University and the firm was incorporated as the E. B. Spencer Engineering Company of Waterloo. Earl B. Spencer retired from active participation in the business in 1960. For several years he and his wife traveled.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church, a member of the Masonic Order, the El Mecca Shrine Club of Waterloo; the Elks Club and was past president of the Association of General Contractors. He was also an honorary member of the Iowa Engineering Society.

Surviving are two sons, John B. Spencer, 217 Park Lane; Earl S. Spencer of 2840 W. 4th St.; four grandchildren; two sisters, Miss Vera Spencer and Mrs. Lee Strong both of Alliance, Neb.

He was preceded in death by his wife, his parents and one brother.

Friends may call at the Parrott and Wood Funeral Home after 9 a.m. Wednesday. Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the Parrott and Wood Funeral Home.

SQUADRON WINS AWARD

LA PORTE CITY (CNS) — S. Sgt. Paul R. Riggie, son of retired U.S. Navy Chief Warrant Officer and Mrs. Cecil R. Riggie of La Porte City, has been recognized for helping his squadron earn the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

Sgt. Riggie is a communications specialist with the 6903rd Security Squadron at Osan AB, Republic of Korea, that received the award for exceptional meritorious service from March 1, 1970 to April 1, 1971.

Del Bowers Again Heads Ingawanis

To Begin 7th Year As Camp Director

Del Bowers, of Waterloo has been named as director of Camp Ingawanis, near Waverly, and Gary Stattler of Conrad, director of the Winnebago Scout Reservation near Marble Rock, by Winnebago Council Camping Chairman Frank Ahrens of Osage.

Operates 6 Weeks

Camp Ingawanis will operate six weeks beginning Sunday, June 11. Each session will be for one week. Bowers estimates that more than 1,300 boys will camp, under their own troop leadership for a period of one week. Bowers has been camp director for the past seven seasons, and served on the staff several years prior to that. Bowers is employed by Rath Packing Company of Waterloo.

Reservation State

Winnebago Scout Reservation will operate five one week periods, beginning June 11, and ending July 15. Stattler, a camp staff member, for several years, estimates that about 900 boys will camp at Winnebago. Stattler is a teacher in the Marshalltown schools, and serves as Scoutmaster for Troop 107 in Conrad.

In addition to the regular camping program conducted by the two camps, six week long canoe trips on the Shellrock and Cedar Rivers have been scheduled.

Scouts or Explorers desiring to participate are urged to contact the Council Service Center at 234-2867 in Waterloo.

Three From Here to Get ISU Honors

Seniors Admitted With Recognition

Twenty-one northeast Iowans, including three Waterloo students, are among a third group of outstanding high school students named by Iowa State University to be admitted with recognition next fall.

Nancy K. Jacobsen of 1135 W. 8th St., Gary L. Olson of 739 Sherman Ave., and Robert E. Schenk Jr. of 441 Kingbird Blvd., are the Waterloo high school seniors named for the honor in this announcement.

Other NE Iowans

Other northeast Iowa seniors named were Craig A. Blanchard of 4123 Hillside Drive, Cedar Falls; James E. Ruesch of Charles City; Catherine K. Frana of Decorah; Alan J. Dole of Eldora; Laura J. Ware of Grundy Center; Michael R. Hlmer and Mark P. Loebig, both of Iowa Falls; Judy L. Bahlmann of Nashua; Nancy J. Grove of New Hampton; Debra J. Hauge and Steven J. Norby, both of Osage; David Holien of Ossian; Denise M. Schmitt of Prottivin; William L. Miller of Reinbeck; Gary L. Anderson of Toledo; Gordon D. Baxter of Vinton; and Gary D. Blasberg, Gaylen W. Drape and Bruce H. Epley, all of Waverly.

Scholarship Superior

Students recognized for their superior scholarship are admitted with recognition. They will receive certificates from the university attesting to their scholarship achievements.

High school seniors admitted to Iowa State with recognition rank in the top five per cent of their graduation class.

The scholarship recognition program was originated by Iowa State in 1966.

HONOR GRADUATE

JESUP (CNS) — Airman First Class Loyal H. Bauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Bauer of Jesup, has graduated with honors at Chanute AFB, Ill., from the training course for U.S. Air Force avionics instrument systems equipment specialists.

Eischied to Address Explorers

Mike Eischied, well-known kicker for the Kansas City Chiefs professional football team will be the featured speaker at the Winnebago Council Explorer program planning conference at the Cliff House Motel in Decorah Saturday evening, according to Scott Toppin, conference chairman from Waterloo. District Court Judge Joseph C. Keefe of Decorah will address the noon luncheon Saturday.

Eischied's appearance will climax a series of planning sessions, workshops, and recreational activities beginning Friday night. Other program personalities include Waterloo Explorers Scott Toppin, and Scott Bitner, and Explorer advisors Willis Huck and Fred Pines. The conference is expected to draw an attendance of 50 teenagers from the 17 county Northern Iowa council territory and is open to all registered Explorers, both young men and women. Reservations should be made through the Exploring Division of the Winnebago Council, at their service center, 2503 University Ave., Waterloo, or by calling 234-2867 in Waterloo.

Hearing in Rent Boost Suit Friday

Injunction Sought In Federal Court

A hearing has been set for 10 a.m. Friday in federal court in Cedar Rapids on the first suit filed in Iowa concerning the Economic Stabilization Act. The federal government, plaintiff in the suit, Monday asked the court to issue a temporary injunction and restraining order against Mr. and Mrs. Elba Breeden, 1528 Schultz Ave., to stop an alleged rent increase.

Allege \$30 Increase

It is alleged the Breedens told a tenant, Mrs. Goldie Potter, 405 E. 2nd St., last December that she would have to start paying \$75 a month rent instead of \$45 a month on the duplex apartment she occupies.

The U.S. Attorney General's department, represented by U.S. District Attorney Evan (Curly) Hultman, contends the rent increase was prohibited under the price freeze law. The suit asks she be refunded \$60 she has paid in the alleged rent increase and that the owners be restrained from forcing her to move out or from harassing her because she made a complaint concerning the increase to the Internal Revenue Service.

First in Iowa

Judge Edward J. McManus set the time for the hearing Friday which will represent the first court action on complaints involving alleged violation of the Economic Stabilization Act in the state.

Deny Charge Of Cruelty To a Horse

A rural Waterloo couple pleaded innocent in Municipal Court Tuesday to a charge of cruelty to animals and a jury trial was scheduled for 8:30 a.m. April 25.

The couple, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Clarke, Rt. 5, are charged with failing to provide food, water or shelter for a registered quarter horse on their property during the month of February.

Judge Everett Scott set bond at \$200 on Clarke after his attorney entered innocent pleas for he and his wife.

In other action, a trial was scheduled April 18 for Johnnie L. Johnson, of rural Waterloo, who was charged last week with cruelty to animals. He is charged with failure to provide food and water to some horses and a calf.

Cranston's Damage Suit Nears Jury

Final Arguments in Rath Case Are Heard

The civil trial case of a meat inspector asking \$97,400 damages from the Rath Packing Co. as the result of a fall at the plant on April 18, 1969, was scheduled to go to the jury of six men and six women Tuesday afternoon.

Final arguments in the case brought by George Cranston, 56, the meat inspector, against Rath's were heard Tuesday morning with each side claiming negligence on the part of the other.

Cranston received neck, shoulder and head injuries when several cartons of meat fell on him from a pallet that was being moved onto a boxcar, causing Cranston to fall to the cement gutter about eight feet below.

"If he (Cranston) had gone into the boxcar to take a nap or was in there without his headgear, then he might have been negligent," Cranston's attorney said. "But he went in there in the normal function of his duties."

Claims Care Required

Cranston's attorney said that Rath's didn't have to guarantee a perfectly safe place to work but he said that the law does require reasonable care to prevent accidents. He said that Cranston was not injured willfully but that acts of carelessness due to lack of ordinary care was responsible for Cranston's injuries.

These injuries will cost Cranston over \$8,000 in medical expense and loss of earnings in the past and future he said. In addition, Cranston has suffered a loss of future earning capacity and has suffered from much pain and anguish, the attorney claimed.

Says Risk Assumed

Rath attorneys claimed that Cranston was guilty of contributory negligence in causing the accident and said that Cranston, by going into the boxcar where he did not ordinarily make his inspections, assumed the risk of being hurt and did not keep a proper lookout.

Cranston's previous medical record was also presented to indicate that perhaps his present health problems are not a result of the fall but are caused by conditions existing prior to the accident.

Chaplin's Star To Appear in Walk of Fame

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The last hurdle in the way of honoring Charlie Chaplin with a star on Hollywood Boulevard's "Walk of Fame" has been removed.

The City Council voted 11 to 3 Monday to approve a star for the baggy-trousered, derby-hatted film comedian, who left the United States 20 years ago upset by public criticism of his leftwing politics.

Chaplin's star will be installed April 10 in a ceremony sponsored by the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce. About 1,500 entertainers' names are imbedded on the "Walk of Fame."

Chaplin, who lives in Switzerland, is due to receive a special Academy Award here April 10.

ASTRONOMY SEMINAR

CEDAR FALLS (CNS) — The earth science department of the University of Northern Iowa will feature Dr. John Fix in a seminar on "Planet Pluto" at 4 p.m., Wednesday (March 22) in Room 309 of the Physics Building. Dr. Fix, from the University of Iowa department of physics and astronomy, will open the meeting with a lecture.

MORE TIME

DES MOINES (AP) — The Iowa House passed 87-2 and sent to Gov. Robert Ray Monday a bill to give Iowans more time to sell a motor vehicle after it has been inspected.

Death of Child Ruled Crib Death

By a Staff Writer

WAVERLY — The death of Sarah Tenery, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Nitcher of rural Waverly, has been ruled a "crib death," according to Bremer County Medical Examiner Dr. James Rath.

Sarah Tenery was found dead after taking a nap last Wednesday at her home. She was taken to a Waverly hospital by ambulance, where she was dead on arrival.

Her sister, Tammy, 2½ months old, was found dead at the family home in January. Her death was also ruled a "crib death."

Dr. Rath said Tuesday his investigation of the death had not been closed by the "crib death" ruling.

Rath and the Bremer County sheriff's office have been investigating the death, although both say there is no evidence of foul play.

Bills in the Legislature

DES MOINES (AP) — Bills in the Iowa Legislature Monday. House bills passed by House go to Senate. Senate bills passed by House or House bills passed by Senate go to governor unless otherwise indicated.

PASSED BY HOUSE

HF109. To provide that the full scale price of property be subject to the real estate transfer tax, 58-77. Returns to Senate.

HF105. To create a state Department of Environmental Quality, 55-41.

HF102. To appropriate \$100,000 to the Iowa Crime Commission to match federal funds, 81-6.

HF103. To appropriate \$100,000 from the state general fund to the General Service Department to plan a state office building and \$25,000 each from the fertilizer and commercial feed inspection funds for planning a new Agriculture Department building, both with advice and consent of the State Capitol Planning Commission, 84-6.

HF104. To appropriate \$50,000 to implement and administer a state building code, 82-7.

PASSED BY SENATE

SF85. To create a department of environmental quality, 55-41.

SF101. To appropriate \$75,000 to finance the school lunch program, 44-0.

SF128. To establish state occupational safety and health regulations, 36-12.

ART FILM

CEDAR FALLS (CNS) — The University of Northern Iowa art department will present three showings of the film "J. Vitelloni" at 3:30, 7 and 9:30 p.m., on Tuesday (March 21) in Room 210 of the UNI Arts and Industries Building. The Fellini film is presented as part of the A & I Film Series, and admission is 75 cents.

Weimarner Obedience Class Champ

A total of 26 dogs were graduated from the Waterloo Kennel Club's 10-week novice obedience course at Electric Park Monday night.

Winners of the adult handlers' division were Richard Fisher of 5014 S. Cedar Heights Drive, Cedar Falls, and his Weimarner dog Saffron. The dog scored 185½ points out of a possible 200.

Winners of a separate division for Kennel Club members were Mrs. Margaret Ormond of 5917 E. Mt. Vernon Drive and her German shorthair pointer Adolph, who scored 189½ points.

Penny Ahlman of 1903 Edwards Ave., Cedar Falls, and her yellow Labrador retriever Poncho were winners of the division for handlers age 16 and under, scoring 132½ points.

Second place winner of the adult division was Mrs. Ann Olsson of 1972 Newell St., whose great Dane Ben Hur scored 155½ points.

Trainers for the course were Wayne Folks, Jack Trostel, Joe Green and Harold Knip.

Stuart-Menlo Board Reviews Coach's Firing

STUART (AP) — A walkout by half of the Stuart-Menlo High School student body Monday in protest of two teacher dismissals has prompted the school board to review the case of one of the teachers.

Supt. Roscoe Wald said the 150 youths were protesting the dismissal of Embree Edgington, boys physical education director and girls basketball coach, and William Campbell, the high school principal.

The board agreed to review Edgington's case after the youths said it appeared he was being fired as a coach, even though he was hired as a teacher.

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Council To Decide on Residency Policy

(Courier News Bureau)

CEDAR FALLS — The City Council's Personnel Committee decided Monday on a residency policy for Cedar Falls policemen and firemen.

However, members of the committee are not making public their recommendation until next Monday's City Council meeting.

At that time, the recommendation will be discussed and either approved or rejected by the council.

Present informal policies require both policemen and firemen to live in the city.

However, state law forbids cities to force their civil service employees (policemen and firemen) to live within city limits.

Cities may establish "reasonable maximum distances" outside limits within which such employees may live, the law states.

IOWANS WHO CARE

DES MOINES (AP) — Articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of state by a religious-oriented group organized to fight a bill before the legislature to allow carry-out wine sales in grocery stores. Iowans Who Care is a political action group composed of ministers and laymen to deal with legislation relating to the sale of alcoholic beverages.

For complete market results read the Dairy Courier.

Sentenced to 10-Day Term in Knepp Assault

A sentence of 10 days in the county jail with work release privileges was levied against a man who pleaded guilty in Municipal Court Monday to hitting an aide in the Black Hawk county attorney's department.

The man, Edward Raymond Murphy Jr., 29, of 1202 Sycamore St., pleaded guilty before Judge Everett Scott to a charge of assault and battery.

He was accused of hitting Craig Knepp, who handles child support payment enforcement in Aid to Dependent Children cases for the county, last Thursday afternoon. Knepp was not seriously injured in the assault which occurred in his office.

Purse Snatching Suspect Arrested

A 16-year-old boy was arrested on a charge of delinquency by robbery in connection with a purse snatching case shortly before noon Tuesday.

Police said Ray Ervin Kelly, 2219 Idaho St., is accused of taking a purse from Mrs. Marian Grace Farley, 75, of 407 Archer St., last Friday as she was going up to her house with a sack of groceries.

She said the purse contained about \$4.

Hellum, evidence of which was found in the sum of \$43, was discovered outside the car's atmosphere.

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