



Vets kills in bomber crash cited

LAUREL, Neb. (AP) — Seventeen people killed 50 years ago when two B-17s collided near here during a World War II training mission were awarded posthumous service medals on Memorial Day.

Gene Twiford of Laurel saw it happen, and he and others in Laurel have never forgotten. He was 9 years old.

"It was right at noon," Twiford said Friday. "We were going in for dinner after chopping oats. You could hear the B-17s rumbling. I waited for them to go over, my mother was watching them. They are beautiful machines, shiny silver."

"All at once, I saw stuff flying around in the air, I saw a wing in the air, then an airplane spiral down. That ball of smoke and five over the hill was just unreal. The other plane fell apart, there were bodies out on the oat field."

The two B-17s collided near Laurel on Aug. 5, 1944, after the group of 18 planes took off from an Army air base in Sioux City, Iowa, to conduct a high altitude training mission over central Nebraska and South Dakota.

Only one of the 18 crew members in the two aircraft survived.

A monument to the servicemen killed was built on the north edge of town and dedicated on Memorial Day 1989.

But Twiford, a member of American Legion Post No. 54 in the Laurel area, said he wanted to do more.

Twiford said he learned that the trainees, who came from such states as Michigan, Iowa, Ohio and California, had never received the medals they were entitled to for serving during the war.

The posthumous awards will in-

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BRIAN KOLL, second grade son of Tim and Judy Koll, practices waving his flag prior to the beginning of the Memorial Day Parade, Monday. Koll's cub scout troop marched in the annual parade which pays tribute to the many veterans who fought for our country.

Hundreds honor fallen veterans

By Les Mann
Of the Herald

Approximately 250 people, many with misty eyes, participated in the Memorial Day ceremony honoring deceased veterans Monday at the Greenwood Cemetery.

Citing the "Awesome scarifies" required to maintain freedom throughout the nation's history, featured speaker for the ceremony, Vern

Fleishman, told the crowd that Memorial Day was a day of remembrance.

"Our American way of life has endured, but not without challenge," he said. Memorial Day helps us remember the price that has been paid and the obligation to make future payments on "the continuing account of freedom."

Fleishman said Americans must continue to stand for liberty, free-

dom and justice as a means of showing honor to the veterans who sacrificed for those things in the past.

"Memorial Day is not a salute to the past alone," he said. "To give full credit to the sacrifices they made, we need to rededicate ourselves to the principles for which they died."

Following his presentation, the honor roll of deceased veterans from Wayne County in each of the nation's wars was read as the audience stood

amid the fluttering burial flags which decorated the cemetery.

After the roll call, a three-gun salute was fired and mournful echo of taps was sounded.

The ceremony also featured the patriotic music of the Wayne High Marching Band and the laying of wreaths. It followed a 10 a.m. parade of the color guard, band and cub scouts from downtown Wayne to the cemetery.

Eating in Wayne to be featured

Wayne will be profiled in the July/August 1994 issue of Eating Well Magazine.

This special issue, is the first single-themed issue in the publication's four-year history and will focus on "Eating Well In America." The magazine will be on sale June 28.

Wayne and the Wayne Chicken Show will be included in an article profiling summer food festivals.

"This issue literally explores the way America eats. Our editors felt that it was important to compile a list of food festivals that are unique to this country. After all, these festivals make our food culture distinctly American," said François M. Gaspé Beaubien, publisher of Eating Well Magazine.

Food is the major star of all the festivals covered. However, many of the more than 100 celebrations listed include parades, pageants, sports, contests, street dancers and the featured food served in more ways than you can count.

Chamber post vacated in move

Nancy Schulz, Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce administrative assistant, has submitted her resignation from the post and said she plans to begin a new job in Wayne on July 1.

The new post is one of several she said she has been offered since she lost a bid to be named as executive director of the Chamber. She was one of two finalists for the Chamber post which went to John Farnan of Omaha.

Schulz said she has many fond

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At a Glance



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Thought for the day:

People appreciate getting out into the great outdoors.
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Workshop to be held at Northeast

NORFOLK — The workshop "Preventing Childhood Injury Through Safety Education" will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. or 6 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, June 7 at Northeast Community College in the Activities Center Theatre.

Objectives of this workshop are preventing injury at home and play, preventing traffic related injuries and preventing injury by using child safety seats correctly.

Health care providers, child care providers, foster parents and other concerned individuals are encouraged to participate.

Cost of the workshop is \$5.

For more information, or to register, contact Jerry Brungardt, Northeast Community College, 1-800-348-9033 or 644-0600.

License deadline

WAYNE — Dog owners in Wayne have until midnight Tuesday to license their pet for another year. You may buy the license at the police station for \$3.

Those bought after Tuesday will pay \$20. Proof of shots is required before licensing can be completed.

Wrong person is indicated

WAYNE — There are two Diane Millers in Hoskins.

The Diane Miller recently listed in the Wayne County court reports civil proceedings is not Diane M. Miller of Rt. 1, Box 143, Hoskins, who operates A Cut Ahead in Wayne.

Burney to speak at Riley's

WAYNE — Newspaper columnist Joan Burney will be the speaker at the Open House in honor of the 25th anniversary of the Wayne Senior Citizen Center, which will be held at Riley's on July 1.

It was earlier, erroneously, reported she would speak at the center's anniversary banquet, June 29.



Weather

Jason Good, 7
Wayne

Extended Weather Forecast:

Thursday through Saturday, chance of rain on Thursday, dry Friday and Saturday; highs, upper-70s Thursday, warming into the 90s by Saturday; lows, 50s.

Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 28	80	43	—
May 29	86	61	.65
May 30	84	62	—
May 31	92	58	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precipitation/Month — 1.22"
Year To Date — 4.59"

CRP programs debated in Farm Bill

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Much debate over a new federal farm bill likely will deal with set-aside programs -- whether the government should continue paying farmers to take cropland out of production.

Rep. Doug Bereuter, R-Neb., is among those who have been promoting continuation of such programs as the Conservation Reserve Program, which idled about 36 million acres considered at risk for soil erosion. A phaseout of the CRP, representing more than half the total government set-asides, is to begin this year.

Set-aside advocates point to conservation and environmental benefits, along with higher crop prices paid to farmers due to lower production numbers.

But last week, the National Grain and Feed Association released a study arguing that large-scale land-iddling programs have slowed the growth of U.S. agriculture and put American producers at a disadvantage in worldwide markets.

According to the study, market prices fell in the 1980s and early 1990s despite the idling of 65.5 million acres by 1991. Meanwhile,

world consumption of wheat, corn and soybeans increased and other countries were more than willing to pick up the slack in international trade.

Gradually restoring production to 38.3 million of the idled acres by crop year 2002-2003 would, the report said:

--Increase net farm income by at least \$4 billion a year, and save farmers money by spreading their fixed costs over more acres.

--Increase grain-elevator volume by 20 percent.

--Increase sales of farm inputs,

such as seed, chemicals and machinery, by another \$4 billion a year.

--Load an additional 400,000 rail cars and 12,000 barges.

--Add nearly \$30 billion to the nation's annual income.

John Campbell, corporate vice president of Omaha's Ag Processing Inc. and an official with the national association, said the study assumes that truly fragile lands in the CRP would be left idle and a few million acres set aside for wetlands protection or shelter belts would be

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Things happened fast for vet in '41

Sixth in a series
By Clara Osten
For the Herald

"We were married on Oct. 12, 1941, Pearl Harbor was bombed on Dec. 7 and I was drafted in January of 1942. I was the first married man called up from Wayne County," recalls Glenn Granquist of his World War II experiences.

Granquist was one of 26 young men from Wayne County who were sent to Omaha for induction in the army. They were then sent to Ft. Leavenworth, Kan. From there, Granquist went to Camp Bowie, Texas and became part of the 636th Tank Destroyer Battalion. "For the next three months we lived in pyramidal tents which had dirt floors and no electricity," said Granquist.

"After that we went to Camp Blanding, Fla. Here we worked with tanks and machine guns. We lived in tents here also but they did have floors and electricity. During this time I had my appendix out and spent 21 days in the hospital. This was the best time I spent in the army," recalls Granquist.

GRANQUIST WAS next sent to Camp Edwards, Mass. for more training. It was while he was



here that he got a telegram to come home to see his new daughter. "During this time I received \$10.60 take home pay per month and had no money. I borrowed \$50 from a friend of mine and headed back to Nebraska on a 10 day emergency furlough. It took 2 1/2 days to go each way so I had only five days at home. This was in August 1942."

In February 1943 Granquist's wife Lillian and his young daughter Karen were able to go to Massachusetts to visit Glenn. "There was 25 inches of snow on the ground and no heat for the cabin that we were to stay in. I had to walk a mile carrying five gallons of fuel for the stove. There were two



Glenn Granquist

other families staying in the cabin with us," recalls Lillian.

She stayed at the cabin approximately a month and then spent time with her sister in Washington D.C. when Glenn was transferred to Virginia.

AFTER BEING in the army for over a year, Granquist was sent to Camp Shanks, N.Y. to be shipped overseas. "It took us 13 days to get across the ocean. There were about 1,000 of us on the ship.



We slept in bunks five high. I volunteered for KP duty because everyone else was getting seasick and because the kitchen area was much cooler and cleaner than the rest of the ship," Granquist said.

In April 1943 Granquist arrived in North Africa and stayed there for five months. Not many of the men in his battalion saw action during this time. They were preparing for the invasion of Italy and Sicily.

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n. \rek'erd\ 1. an account in written form serving as memorial or evidence of fact or event. 2. public information available from governmental agencies. 3. information, from police and court files. v. 1. to record a fact or event. syn: see FACT

Police Report

Tuesday, May 24:

9:13 a.m.— Traffic control on First and Main for fire department.
1:12 p.m.— Unlock vehicle at the post office.
10:43 p.m.— Dog loose on South Maple.

Wednesday, May 25:

3:37 a.m.— Unlock vehicle on South Nebraska.
6:21 a.m.— Vandalism at the high school, individuals created a mess on the first floor.
10:37 a.m.— Accident on Second and Main.
2:30 p.m.— Unlock vehicle at Gary's.
5:45 p.m.— Theft of Lawn ornament.
5:57 p.m.— Lines in trees, on Dearborn.

Thursday, May 26:

7:53 a.m.— Unlock vehicle on Valley Drive.
11:51 a.m.— Accident at the high school.
12:48 p.m.— Golf clubs stolen from vehicle in the parking lot of the Windmill.
1:13 p.m.— Theft on West Forth Street.
2:26 p.m.— Kids in parking lot of Hardees.
2:32 p.m.— Unlock vehicle on West First.
5:44 p.m.— Accident on Sherman.
7:38 p.m.— Red Camera driving fast.
7:07 p.m.— Dogs on the loose, at Woehler Trailer Court.
7:15 p.m.— Harassment.
8:04 p.m.— Loud music on South Douglas.
9:33 p.m.— Unlock vehicle at Fairgrounds Avenue.
9:48 p.m.— Water guns at the

bank card center.

10:18 p.m.— Kids drinking at Hardees.

Friday, May 27:

6:26 a.m.— Car hit deer West of Pac N' Save.
8:36 a.m.— Criminal mischief on Birch.
9:22 a.m.— Gas drive off at Presto.
3:00 p.m.— Unlock vehicle on Pearl.

Saturday, May 28:

12:05 a.m.— Unlock vehicle on Logan.
12:08 a.m.— Unlock vehicle at Hair Studio.
7:14 a.m.— Dog missing on West Third Street.
6:42 p.m.— Neglected dog on West Third Street.
11:53 p.m.— Accident on Seventh and Dearborn.
8:14 p.m.— Unlock vehicle on West Fourth Street.

Sunday, May 29:

11:20 p.m.— Deliver message on Main Street.
10:59 p.m.— Request to speak with an officer.

Monday, May 30:

12:17 a.m.— Suspicious person around the Juvenile Detention Center.
1:36 a.m.— Attempt to locate an individual.
2:19 a.m.— People at the Costal station.
4:33 a.m.— Suspicious activity on Logan.
12:54 p.m.— View damage on vehicle at White Horse Station.
2:13 p.m.— Unlock vehicle at Pac N' Save.
6:00 p.m.— Solicitors on East Sixth Street.



Certificate of appreciation

Doris Meyer, representing Wayne High School, presents a certificate of appreciation to Pizza Hut manager Jim Molaček for their efforts in promoting the Community in Schools project.

Dixon County Property Transfers

Catherine and W.L. Clark to the County of Dixon, State of Nebr., a tract of land located in the SE1/4, 33-29N-6, containing 1.653 acres, more or less, which includes 0.750 acres, more or less, previously occupied as public road, the remaining 0.903 acres, more or less being the additional acreage hereby acquired, revenue stamps exempt.
Jack L. and Sheila M. Poulosky to James Bevelhimer, a single person, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 35, City of Ponca, revenue stamps \$15.75.
Carol Ann Angles and Pearl Angles, to County of Dixon, State of Nebr., a tract of land located in the SE1/4, 33-29N-76, containing 1.653 acres, more or less, which includes 0.750 acres, more or less, previously occupied as public road, the remaining 0.903 acres, more or less, being the additional acreage hereby acquired, revenue stamps exempt.

Dixon County Court

Marriage Licenses

Karl David Nelson, 25, Emerson, and Hayley Ann Cunningham, 24, Emerson.
Scott J. Burns, 19, Newcastle, and Faith M. Blatchford, 18, Newcastle.
Court Fines
John R. Swartzentruber, Ubyly, MI, \$74, speeding. Larry Havorka, Laurel, \$39, speeding. Elizabeth Burmester, Norfolk, \$54, speeding. Damon Thomas, Wayne, \$124,

speeding. Heather Cutenese, Wayne, \$54, speeding. Carolyn S. Burns, Laurel, \$54, speeding. Kenneth M. Koenig, Fond du Lac, Wis., \$54, speeding. David A. Nielsen, Ledyard, Iowa, \$39, speeding. Jamie L. Schumacher, Bloomfield, \$54, speeding. Mark T. Sherman, Laurel, \$99, overweight axle.
Jeffrey L. Prichard, Sloan, Iowa, \$84, no reciprocity permit and no permit. Marlene Klopp, LeMars,

Iowa, \$54, speeding. Karla Jensen, Hoskins, \$74, speeding. Travis Cleveland, South Sioux City, \$54, speeding. Sharon May Gusa, Sioux City, Iowa, \$74, speeding. James H. Casey, Laurel, \$39, speeding. George F. Allen, Newcastle, \$524 and 6 months probation, reckless driving.
George Bingham, Dixon, \$49, open burning ban violation. Thomas M. Euter, \$46, no life

jacket. Brent W. Gamble, Wayne, \$199, probation for 12 months, possession of alcoholic liquor by a minor and \$50 for violation of .02 tolerance law. Oswald Guzman, Wakefield, \$149, no proof of insurance, no valid registration and no proof of insurance. Sherry F. Heller, Wisner, \$174, possession of alcoholic liquor by a minor. Clayton E. Obermeyer, Emerson, \$326.25, operating motor vehicle during suspension. Karri M. Paulson, Wayne, \$174, possession of alcoholic liquor by a minor.

Obituaries

Erma Lueshen

Erma Lueshen, 86, of Wisner, died Friday, May 27, 1994 at her home. Services were held Tuesday, May 31 at Christ Lutheran Church in Wisner. Pastor Paul Moeller officiated.
Erma C. Lueshen, the daughter of Amandus and Marie (Reich) Behlers, was born Dec. 14, 1907 in Cuming County. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. She attended Cuming County District School #39. She married Elmer Lueshen on Jan. 18, 1928 at Council Bluffs, Iowa. The couple was engaged in farming west of Wisner. They moved into Wisner in 1981. Mr. Lueshen died April 30, 1983.
Survivors include one son, Deldon and his wife Rayoma Lueshen of Wisner; two daughters, Mrs. Delmer (Marilynn) Heller of Wisner and Mrs. Howard (Susanne) Petersen of Pilger; six grandchildren; and 10 great grandchildren.
She was preceded in death by her husband and six brothers.
Burial was in the Wisner Cemetery with the Kuzelka Funeral Home in Wisner in charge of arrangements.

Wayne County Court

Civil filings:

Action Credit, plaintiff, vs. Kelly Olson, Wayne, defendant, in the amount of \$177.95.
lated stop sign, \$49; Jason Fisher, Moville, speeding, \$54; Amy Schroeder, Bloomfield, failure to yield right of way, \$49; Ryan Martin, Wayne, speeding, \$74.

Criminal filings:

State of Nebraska, plaintiff vs. Joshua L. Fandry, Crete, defendant. Complaint for (count I) minor in possession, (count II) aiding and abetting theft by unlawful taking.
State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Jill Berglund, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for driving while under the influence of alcoholic liquor.
State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Robert L. Langston, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for operating a motor vehicle during suspension or revocation.
State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Steven W. Pospisil, Belden, defendant. Complaint for driving while under the influence of alcoholic liquor.
Small Claim filings:
Carhart Lumber, Wayne, plaintiff, vs. Mr. and Mrs Terry Wellman, Beemer, defendant, in the amount of \$500.
Small claim judgments:
John Addison, Wayne, plaintiff, vs. Christopher L. Shoemaker, Wayne, defendant. Case dismissed.
Johnson's Frozen Foods, Wayne, plaintiff, vs. Mary Longe, Wayne, defendant. Plaintiff recover judgment in the amount of \$503.17, plus court costs of \$24.50.
Nelson L. Miller, Gregory, SD, plaintiff, vs. Richard T. Harmon, Hoskins, defendant. Plaintiff entitled to \$500, plus court costs of \$37.43.
Carhart Lumber, Wayne, plaintiff, vs. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Wellman, Beemer, defendant. Case dismissed.

Benjamin Johnson, Wayne, speeding, \$54; James Thomas, Fullerton, speeding, \$74; Travis Herrick, Wayne, speeding, \$54; Christopher Mollhoff, Wayne, no parking midnight to 5 a.m., \$34; Paul Powers, Papillion, speeding, \$54.

Brenda Agenbroard, Wayne, speeding, \$54; Curtis Jeffries, Wayne, violated traffic sign, \$39; Patricia Pollard, Valley, speeding, \$74; Cammie Kay, Laurel, speeding, \$39.

Monte Dart, Enders, speeding, \$54; Carrie Zeidler, Sioux City, IA, speeding, \$54; Lance Dewald, Laurel, speeding, no valid registration, \$99; Travis Dallegge, Central City, speeding, \$54; Marlene Carpenter, Norfolk, speeding, \$74.

Vehicles Registered

1994: Randall Owens, Carroll, Chev. Pu.; D and B Swine Inc., Carroll, Ford Pu.
1993: David Diediker, Wayne, Merc.; Jay Fink, Wayne, Merc.; Thomas Harrison, Wakefield, Ford; Larry Wittler, Randolph, Ford.
1992: Arnold Janke, Carroll, Ford Pu.
1991: Lorree Dunker, Wayne, Chev. Pu.
1990: Jason Trenhaile, Wayne, Pon.
1989: Mark Janke, Winside, Honda.
1987: Don Goeden, Wayne, Buick.
1986: Dale Stoltenberg, Carroll, Chry.; Michael Patra, Wayne, Pon.
1984: Fletcher Farm Service, Wayne, GMC Tk.; Edward Haglund, Wakefield, Chev.; Jennifer Melis, Wayne, Chev.
1981: Ronald Milliken, Wayne, Ford.
1980: Loren Stutheit, Wayne, Kawasaki.
1979: Donald Sherman, Wayne, Ford.
1978: Tim Volwiler, Carroll, Buick.
1977: Don Barelman, Wisner, Linc.

Traffic Fines

Thor Svenson, Omaha, no license, \$49; James Scott, Randolph, speeding, \$54; Tracy Rotherham, Norfolk, no parking this side, \$34; Nancy Berns, Wayne, speeding, \$54; David Johnson, Norfolk, speeding, \$54.
James Tuttle, Randolph, speeding, \$54; William Hughes, Emerson, speeding, \$124; pilliam Fleck, Omaha, improper Passing, \$44; Rochelle Nelsen, Emerson, speeding, \$54.
Robert Hardy, Norfolk, speeding, \$54; Clint Duer, Wayne, vio-

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Special recognition

The weekly Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce Chamber Coffee was held at Wayne's newest business last Friday, Country Nursery. Pictured from left to right is Wayne Chamber Director John Farnan with Country Nursery owners Brian Cooke and Mike Lutt along with Wayne Ambassadors President Bill Dickey. A certificate honoring the opening of Country Nursery was presented. The business is located east of Wayne.

CRP

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While the Nebraska Grain and Feed Association has taken no official position on the land-idling issue, Executive Vice President Richard Sanne agreed with the national group's contention that taking acres out of production damages American producers' ability to compete worldwide.

He also knows it's damaging to agribusinesses his organization represents and to their local communities.

In the last seven years membership in the state association has dropped nearly 50 percent, to about 550 businesses, he said. Fewer acres

in production has meant reduced sales of seed, feed and fertilizer and underutilized grain elevators.

Set-asides have contributed to mergers, consolidations and business closures of the past seven years, Sanne said. Closures and cutbacks can have devastating effects on rural communities.

"In many communities, the elevator has been the focal point of business," Sanne said.

According to the report, the 600 U.S. counties with the greatest percentage of CRP acres have suffered employment and income drops of up to 10 percent. The report said putting acreage back into production could add some 225,000 jobs

nationwide.

Roy Frederick, University of Nebraska-Lincoln ag economist and former state Agriculture Department director, termed the set-aside issue both complicated and controversial. The issues include how long it would take for the market to reach equilibrium after production expands, and who might be hurt in the interim, he told The Lincoln Star.

Regardless of estimates about international markets, Frederick said, U.S. farmers have excess capacity.

"That means if they produce even more, farmers' income goes down (in terms of prices) in the short run," he said. "There is a fear of what would happen in the short run."

Veteran

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In August Granquist's battalion was the first to invade Italy at Salerno during Italy's D-Day. "We came in on a landing barge which could not get too close to shore. They unloaded the tanks and I drove mine to shore. Each tank had only one person on it, the driver. I didn't see the rest of my crew until the next day."

"WHEN I GOT on shore, I dug a slit trench and just waited. The Germans were shelling us constantly and there were lots of people getting killed. This was the longest night of my army time," Granquist recalls.

"After we landed, we couldn't move for eight days until we got the artillery unloaded and working. Then we started gaining ground until we got to Casino. Then we sat

for five months."

"After we were finally given permission to attack the monastery, all 36 tanks in our battalion fired on it for two days. We gained ground then."

In Italy and again in France, Granquist was hospitalized with malaria. Even after he returned to Wayne, he was plagued by it several times and was forced to stay in bed for several weeks.

GRANQUIST'S battalion then worked their way toward France and was involved in the second invasion of France. During all this time Granquist drove an M-5 tank which he describes as "a light tank with twin Cadillac engines. It held 100 gallons of fuel and would use a gallon of gas for every mile we drove it."

The army was also using M-10 and M-36 tanks during this time. Because of the amount of fuel they carried and the fact that they carried lots of ammunition, tanks were often called "moving caskets."

The Americans did not have too much trouble in France although Granquist remembers going eight days without shaving or taking off his boots during one battle.

From France, they moved into Germany. By this time the Germans were losing ground. "The Germans were short of fuel for their planes. We saw lots of planes abandoned on the Audubon. In fact, when we started moving, we moved up to 140 kilometers in a day. Whole companies of Germans were giving up to us."

IN THE FALL of 1944 Granquist gave up tank driving and became a mail clerk. "This job really wasn't any less dangerous than tank driving because I had to go 60 miles a day to get the mail and then had to deliver it to wherever the troops were at. During the winter of 1944-45 I froze my hands and feet but kept carrying the mail," Granquist said.

The war finally ended in Europe on May 8, 1945 but soldiers were kept to guard prisoners. Glenn met his brother Burdette twice after the war. Burdette was part of the 260th Ordnance Tank Retriever group that was collecting abandoned tanks.

Granquist was able to leave Germany in August 1945. He had spent 30 months on foreign soil and had been in combat for 26 months. He returned to Wayne Oct. 14, 1945, two days after his fourth anniversary.

The Granquists farmed in the Wayne area until 1976 when they were forced to retire because Glenn was still suffering from the frostbitten fingers and toes that had occurred when he was delivering mail.

Glenn and Lillian are the parents of three children — Karen McPherson of Fremont, Gene Granquist of Norfolk and Jim Granquist of Wayne.

Bombers crashed in Wayne area as well

The Laurel community honored the families of servicemen who were killed in a mid-air collision of B-17 bombers near there 50 years ago, but little has been done in Wayne to recognize the servicemen who died in two separate bomber crashes near here during the war, points out Wayne Middle School Principal Dick Metteer.

Metteer's history hobby which assists students with their history projects in school each year, has turned up the stories of two bomber crashes near Wayne in the days when the Midwest was prime training ground for Army Air Corps personnel.

The six-member crew of a B-24 was killed when their four-engine plane crashed in a field on the Fred Westerhaus farm three miles west

and three and a half south of Wayne. The accident happened at about 7:30 Sunday morning, Oct. 10, 1943. Witnesses describing the incident for the Wayne Herald said an engine on the bomber was on fire and the pilot, gunned the other engines to try to carry the doomed bird clear of the populated area of Wayne.

Another Sunday morning a year before that (Oct. 4, 1942), a B-24 went down southeast of Wayne and two members of the crew of nine were killed in that mishap. The first crash was of a plane from the air base at Sioux City and the second was of a plane based at Fairmont Air Base in Geneva.

Metteer said he would like to see something done to recognize the airmen who died in those crashes. All of them were from out of state.

Medals

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clude the World War II Victory Medal, a Good Conduct medal and the American Campaign Medal.

Twiford worked through the office of Rep. Doug Bereuter, R-Neb., to research and obtain the medals. Bereuter's district office manager in Fremont, David Heineman, said the awarding of the medals appeared to have slipped through the cracks.

"My guess is no one ever thought to get this done. Given the war was going on, they never got presented," Heineman said.

Families of 12 of the 17 victims

have been found. Relatives of nine of the victims were at Laurel on Memorial Day.

Organizers of Monday's Memorial Day service asked Sen. Bob Kerrey, D-Neb., a Medal of Honor recipient for his duty in the Vietnam war, to be the keynote speaker.

"It's a single incident that illustrates the great sacrifice during the Second World War," Kerrey said. "To bring the families to Laurel, Neb., and give them not just medals but give them recognition and tell them thanks is a very fitting act."



Teacher appreciation

These teachers were recently honored at a luncheon for their longevity in the Wayne school system. Back left to right: Robert Porter, Judy Koenig. Front: Betty Morris and Doris Daniels. Bonita Day and Ron Carnes were also honored but were not present for the picture.



Susie Ensz

Collegian interns at newspaper

Hastings College junior Susie Ensz, daughter of Robert and Debbie Ensz of Wayne, recently began her internship at the Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper as part of her studies in the field of advertising, personal relations and communications.

Susie is interning under the direction of Lois Yoakum, Advertising Manager.

According to Yoakum, the Wayne Herald takes on interns with the goal in mind of not only teaching students the ropes but adding to the production of the newspaper.

"We are very much interested in the fresh ideas and viewpoints the interns bring to the newspaper," said Yoakum.

Ensz has begun her learning hands-on, as Yoakum recognizes the importance of learning aside from books. "Students tend to grasp a better understanding of their job when they have actual hands-on experience," said Yoakum.

Miss Ensz's emphasis will be in the area of advertising, telemarketing, design and basic layout. She will also be involved with special promotion sales and design and darkroom work.

Chamber

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memories of her two years as Chamber administrative assistant and called chamber work "the nearest job I have ever had in my life."

She explained she elected to leave the post for higher pay and more responsibility in an area that she had trained for in college.

She said she was not at liberty to say yet what the new position will be. The Chamber immediately began the search for a replacement.

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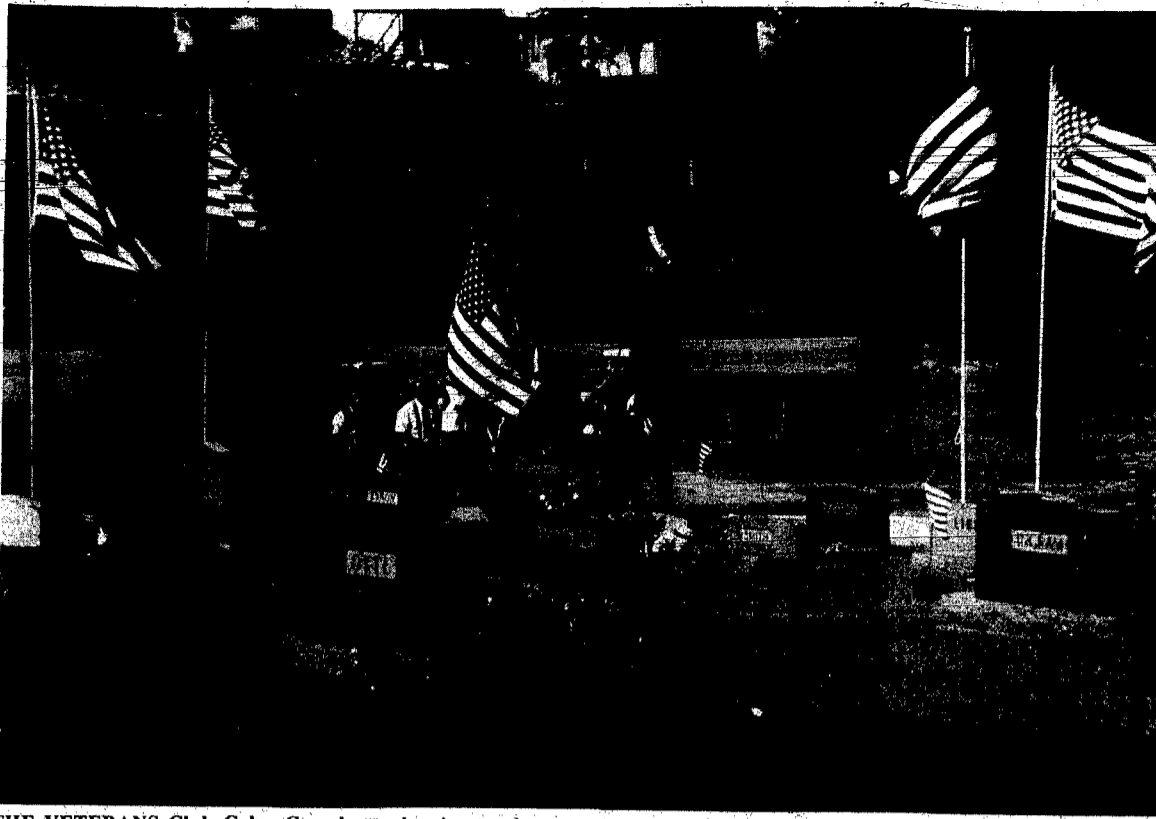
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THE VETERANS Club Color Guard marches in step into a well decorated Greenwood Cemetery Monday morning for a special ceremony honoring veterans on Memorial Day. Veterans Club and Auxiliary Club members helped decorate the cemetery with display flags, burial flags and flowers for the occasion.

Storyteller brings fantasy to Wayne

"Once upon a time..." is often associated with entertaining moments and fairy tale favorites we've come to love; but storyteller, Jym Kruse, believes that stories can inspire and educate as well.

On Tuesday, June 7, the Fremont, Neb. storyteller will bring his world of fantasy and fable to Wayne in a program entitled "Exploring Our World through the World of Stories" at the Wayne Public Library. His performances, which are sponsored by the Nebraska Humanities Council, will begin at 1 and 2 p.m. The program is free and open to the public.

Kruse has used traditional and personal stories for many years both in the college classroom as a teacher and on the stage as a professional storyteller. From statewide festivals to the Nebraska Public Radio Network, he has told his stories to preschoolers and EIderhostelers and every age group in between. A member of the National Association for the Preservation and Perpetuation of Storytelling, he is also a speaker for the Nebraska Humanities Council. He has worked with the National Arbor Day Foundation to develop strategies for using storytelling as a tool for environmental education across the curriculum.

His stories have been featured on "The Enchanted Forest," on Washington Public Radio, as well as "The Story Tree," which is heard on public radio stations across the nation. A frequent speaker at schools, festivals and community gatherings, his stories emerge both from his experience as husband, father and onetime child as well as from the world of traditional folktales.

Heart Association honors its volunteers

Outstanding Volunteers of the Year have been named by the American Heart Association, Nebraska Affiliate. The awards will be presented at the Association's Delegate Assembly to be held June 3 in Kearney.

Award winners are Vic Kensler of Omaha, Jim Bornick of Lincoln, Jeff Hoffman of Fremont, Ron Olsen of Wayne, Dr. Doug Camplin of Grand Island, Jim Smith of Hastings and Linda Janecek of North Platte.

Vic Kensler has volunteered for the AHA for 15 years. He started as a CPR instructor and then joined the Douglas County Board of Directors and Development Committee. Kensler has raised almost \$60,000 for the Heartland Ball since joining the sales and revenue committee in 1989.

Jim Bornick currently serves as the development chair for the Lincoln division, and he has also chaired Hoops for Heart and the American Heart Walk. Bornick's proposal to Bryan Memorial Hospital to support Hoops for Heart resulted in the donation of \$9,500.

Jeff Hoffman currently serves as secretary for the Dodge County Board of Directors. Other volunteer activities include serving on the Murder Mystery committee and placing AHA educational kits at local businesses.

Ron Olsen has been involved in every special event planned in the Wayne area this year. This fourth annual Heart and Sole was so well organized that it drew runners from the Omaha and Sioux City areas.

Dr. Doug Camplin is a longtime member of the Hall County Board of Directors and was responsible for organizing the first Holes Unlimited Golf Event in Hall County. He also has chaired a Teleparty event for the three years.

Jim Smith was cited for his leadership in the Adams County area. He runs the Hastings All-City Jump Rope for Heart event which attracts over 150 students each year. He is currently the Adams County Division President and will resume that position again next year. Smith also serves on the Affiliate Board of Directors and is the Vice Chair of the Affiliate Development Committee.

Linda Janecek currently serves on the Lincoln Division Board of Directors and has been the program chair for two years. She was instrumental in placing AHA educational programs in the North Platte schools.

The American Heart Association is dedicated to fighting heart disease and stroke. In 1993-94, the Nebraska Affiliate spent \$886,155 for research. Eighteen Nebraska scientists received financial support. Since 1949, the American Heart Association has provided over \$1 billion for research.

N.E. Braskans in the News

Grandson grad

Kenneth Roland III, grandson of Kenneth and the late Norma Roland of Wayne, graduated from Fort Campbell High School in Fort Campbell, Ky., May 29. He will attend Midwestern State University this fall where he plans to major in pre-med.

Honor student

Roger Nelson, Carroll, was among 74 students who were named to the President's Honor List for the 1994 spring semester at Northeast Community College.

Laurel scholar

Nebraska Wesleyan University student Jonathan Ebmeier of Laurel has been named a 1994 Barry M. Goldwater Scholar.

Ebmeier received one of 250 scholarships from the trustees of the Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program. This competitive national scholarship, valued at up to \$7,000 is designed to reward excellence and encourage continuing study in science and mathematics. Nearly 600 institutions of higher learning nominated more than 1,4000 students for the program.

Ebmeier also received the Department of Chemistry's award for outstanding performance in Organic Chemistry. The award consists of a certificate and videotape from the Annenberg/CPB series, "The World of Chemistry."

Ebmeier also received the J. Oliver Schock Scholarship from the Department of Physics. The J. Oliver Schock Scholarship Fund was established in memory of Schock, a 1939 graduate of Nebraska Wesleyan who had a distinguished career in aerospace engineering and was dedicated to academic excellence and quality education. It is awarded to a physics major who demonstrates great academic promise.



Roberta Loberg

New lawyer

On Saturday, May 14 Roberta Loberg received a Juris Doctor degree, magna cum laude, from Creighton University Law School in Omaha. Ms. Loberg, who is the daughter of William and Monica Loberg of Carroll, also received the Judge Donald P. Lay Law Review Student Prize for her work on the "Creighton Law Review."

Ms. Loberg published an article in the February 1993 edition of the Law Review and also served as an assistant editor. She was an officer in the Creighton Women Law Students Association and was inducted into Alpha Sigma Nu, the National Jesuit Honor Society.

Ms. Loberg is employed at the law firm of Koley, Jessen, Daubman & Ruppier, P.C., in Omaha.

She graduated from Randolph High School in 1983 and received a business degree from UNL in 1987. She also became a CPN in 1987.

A luncheon for family and a few close friends was held at Scott's Restaurant in Omaha following the graduation ceremony.

Receives diploma

Diplomas and degrees were awarded to 157 graduates in spring commencement exercises held May 18 at Northwest Iowa Community College in Sheldon.

Kent W. Baier of Wayne received a heavy equipment operation and maintenance diploma.

"These students have demonstrated the dedication and ability for exemplary achievement that will prepare them for careers after college," says Dr. Robert Cox, president of Northeast Community College.

Wayne teacher joins select institute

Judith Schafer, Wayne High English teacher, is one of 24 secondary school English teachers from 11 Great Plains states who have been invited to attend a three-week teachers' institute being sponsored by Northern State University in Aberdeen, S.D.

The program, titled "Spirituality in the Literature of the Plains Indians," will be held from June 6 through July 1 on the NSU campus. The educators selected to attend the institute will receive a \$1,000 stipend, free room and board, books and a travel stipend.

Mrs. Schafer is the only Nebraska teacher chosen for the institute.

The teachers' institute will include lectures, discussions, presentations and performances by and about a variety of Native Americans such as renowned artists Arthur Amiotte and Oscar Howe, performer and educator Kevin Locke, poets and writers Ray Young Bear, Roberta Hill Whiteman, Gerald Vizenor, Louise Erdrich, N. Scott Momaday and others.

Participants will also spend nearly a week visiting historical sites in South Dakota and Montana. Included in the travel itinerary are the Standing Rock Reservation, Sitting Bull's grave, the Custer Battlefield, Devil's Tower, the Montana-Crow Agency, wounded Knee, the Badlands, Blue Cloud Abbey, Fort Sisseton and Black Hills sites and museums.



Misty Svitak

Wins award

Misty Svitak of Fremont has been awarded the 1994 Freshman Chemistry Achievement Award at Wayne State College.

Svitak, a 1993 graduate of Fremont Senior High School, is the daughter of Rainold and Betty Svitak. She is majoring in pre-medicine at Wayne State with a minor in art.

At Wayne State, Svitak is active in the Biology Club and the Art Club.

"The annual Freshman Chemistry Achievement Award indicates not only a top-notch performance in the classroom and laboratory, but also a demonstrated potential for future success in chemistry," said Dr. J.S. Johar, division head of mathematics and sciences at Wayne State.

The award is sponsored by the Chemical Rubber Company of West Palm Beach, Fla., and is presented to the outstanding freshman chemistry student at over 1,000 colleges and universities.



New graduate

Teresa Ellis, a senior recreation major from Wayne, received her bachelor of arts degree during commencement exercises Saturday, May 14 at Mount Marty College, Yankton, S.D.

While at MMC, Ellis was named to the dean's list several semesters and was the recipient of both academic and athletic scholarships.

Ellis was on the varsity volleyball and basketball teams. She was named to the teams for all-district volleyball, all-conference volleyball and second team all-conference basketball.

Ellis is the daughter of Ted and Cleo Ellis.

Vicki Jo Frevert, daughter of Darlene Frevert of Wayne, received the bachelor of arts degree from Concordia College in Seward at the school's May 7 commencement ceremony. Concordia is a fully-accredited liberal arts college currently celebrating its 100th academic year. Concordia-Seward is one of 10 academic institutions belonging to the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod's Concordia University System.

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