

*T. E. Harriet Elms  
released*

1937

January 7, 1937

Arvada schools have been closed for a week due to the flu epidemic. Supt. Homer N. Peck hopes the worse is over.

Mrs Ralph Wolf died a week ago. They moved to Arvada in 1919 from Larkspur.

William Bennet of Arvada was named President of the Moffat Tunnel Commission.

Rev. Harold V. Campbell, pastor of Shrine of St Anne, Arvada, for the past six years was named Pastor of the Blessed Sacrament Church in Denver. The members will miss him.

Sam Koenig takes over County Treasurer (Democratic). He won over Paul V. Patrbridge.

Vernon E. Downing, sheriff of Jefferson County for the last two years, has resigned. He will go to Kansas where he will become distributor of Coors Co. of Golden.

The Jeff. Co. Medical Society picked the following Advisory Committee to aid and advise the Welfare Board: Dr R. G. Hoiulect, R. D. E. Given, Golden; Dr Edward Fee, Arvada and Mrs Lillian D. Lee, County nurse.

Leyden miners are having a benefit dance to raise money for young boys to play the coming session (?). Tickets, 35¢ ladies, 40¢, gents.

Miss Ida Hein and Charles Wear were married New Year's Day. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs J. Hein, Rhea Ave. He, the son of George Wear of Arapahoe Road.

Gertrude Gamble and C. U. Corkqueodite were married this week. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs Joy Fulton. He is from Santa Rosa, Calif.

Miss Louise Hays and Robert Henry Jasper were married Sunday. Robert's parents are the Henry Jaspers, Arapahoe Road. She is from Denver.

Miss Mildred Boehme is Social Editor for the Arvada Enterprise.

Mr Joseph Shaech, Mrs Dennis Sullivan of the Ralston Creek area and Robert Rodda died recently. All are pioneers.

Mr & Mrs Henry Pearce were killed a mile from their home in an auto accident. They owned the Pearce's Grocery Store, Ralston area.

1937, continued, page 2

January 14

Willis Morris, Arvada, was sworn in as Sheriff of Jeff. Co. Under-sheriff is C. B. Fugate, Pleasant View.

Mrs James (Grace) Bennett died this week following an auto accident.

Mrs Emma Dregs, 90, died this week. Her son, Carlyle Dregs, died the next day of pneumonia. They lived at 501 W. Grandview Ave

Ad from Red & White Store - H. J. Juchem Grocery, Market Ph. 25 or 26. Armour bacon, sliced 36¢ per pound. Pot roast, corn fed - 25¢ per pound. Oranges, 2 doz. 41¢. Bread, Butternut, 2 loaves 15¢.

Gov. Teller Ammons was sworn into office last week.

Thomas C. Hursh suffered a paralytic stroke. He is in serious condition. Mr Hursh is head of the Arvada Lumber Co.

January 21

Mr & Mrs Syd Sweetser of So. Wadsworth Ave have purchased the property on the corner of College & Wadsworth. They will move there.

The flu epidemic seems to be at its peak. Most of the children are back in school, and business men also.

Mrs Jonie Biggens, wife of Mayor and Co. Commissioner Jim Biggins, Jr died after surgery for 7, and meningitis. She was the daughter of Mr & Mrs S. P. Ayer of Arvada. She had one son, James G. Biggins, III.

January 28

The long-drawn-out trial of Paul V. Pattridge vs Sam A. Koenigoner, the office of County Treasurer. Mr Koenig won by 5 votes.

Dr Logan L. Meginity of Denver opened his office at 244 E. Grandview Ave. He is a chiropractor, and also is a sport official for high school games.

Mr & Mrs Lewis Lucci have purchased the E. O. Kestler on Highway 72 on Ralston Creek. They are from Trinidad.

Charles Collins has sold his Denver milk route to the Arvada Dairy.

A daughter was born to Mr & Mrs Perry Scott of West Arvada.

Ralston Dam -  
built by Denver water board - Feb., 1937

Mrs. W. R. Swadley Dies after Long Illness -  
Feb. 26, 1937 - Born: June 18, 1874 at Westminster.  
married: ~~W. R. Swadley~~, Jan 23, 1898.  
Two sons: Geo. L. Swadley,  
Rab. P. Swadley.

Mr. & Mrs. Andrew S. Redstrom of West Ralston  
Rd, celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary  
March 7, 1937. They moved to Nevada in 1906.

1937, continued, page 3

January 28

Mrs Charles J. Dickerson, wife of the late Fred Dickerson, mother of Hugh Dickerson of Arvada. She was 73 (Died, I presume)

Joseph R. Goodlet of Arvada was married to Nina Ulrich of Denver.

February 4

Mrs S West of 113 1st Street in Arvada has been seriously ill. She is better at this writing.

February 11

\* The Arvada town board voted to give free water to the churches in Arvada if they use over 10,000 gallons. Most of them do from a survey taken.

' A petition is up before the board to change the (name?) of the street Railroad Ave to Reno Place. They also are asking to have the street improved.

Tuesday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, Arvada school district will vote whether or not they would like to have the present grade school building enlarged to 16 rooms. Supt Homer N. Peck.

Mr & Mrs William Hogle are the parents of a daughter. She is the former Babara Myers.

Helen Cordrey & Richard Schmitz...? She is from Denver. He is the son of Mrs Agnes Schmitz, 411 E. Ralston Road.

Kathryn Church Bardick and William D. West were married February 6th. She is the daughter of Mrs G. Burcick. Bill, the son of Mr & Mrs Lee A. West.

Anna Duncan of Arvada & Carroll Howes of Denver were married February 18.

School bonds carry 6 - 1 for remodeling the grade school.

February 25

<sup>Famie</sup>  
Fannie V. Peterson, 27, daughter of William E. Peterson died after an illness of several months. She is the sister of Ethel Blood and Gladys.

Mr & Mrs Hugo Swanson are the parents of a baby boy. They live at E. College Ave.



1937, continued, page 4

Arvada Redskins basketball team won second place. Englewood placed first. Players include Welch, West, forwards Klumker & Retallach; forwards, Keir; centers, Lofgren & Sonborn; guards -

February 25

Enterprise Grange square dancers won over Lock Lomond, and Maple Grove now will compete in rest of county.

Mrs N. Boise Smith died. She was the wife of Boise Smith, mother of Margaret and Rowella; daughter of Mr & Mrs H. H. , resided in Ralston Creek. Margaret Brayfull of Ralston was her sister. She had been seriously ill for some time with an abcess on the lung.

Arvada Lodge #145, I.O.O.F. celebrated its <sup>orig 1902 - 35th</sup> fifteenth anniversary last week with their oyster supper.

Public auction will be held March 2nd for the farm of D. E. Berfiel, 6 miles northwest of Arvada. John E. Meier, ckerk, Ray J. Body, auct.

March 4

Mrs W. R. Swadley of 82 Ralston Road died after a long illness. She married Mr Swadley June 18, 1874. They had 2 sons, George and Robert. She was very active in Arvada for many years. She was buried in the Arvada Cemetery.

Mr & Mrs Kenneth Nable are the parents of a baby girl, Sary Ann.

Mr & Mrs Leland Lewis moved to South Robinson Way last week.

March 11

Mr & Mrs C. E. Barrett of West Ralston Road are the proud parents of a boy, Claude Edward.

Arvada Redskins Basketball team in State play-off. They defeated South 29 - 27.

Mr & Mrs Andrew S. Redstrom celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They are natives of Sweden. Lived in Arvada since 1906. They have three daughters.

Arvada High School class of 1917 held a reunion. Ten of the 17 members were there. Mrs Anderson (Lucille Emery) and her husband were hosts. Those attending were: Davis Adams, Ruth Levine, Rose Weingurt, (Mrs Christianson), Mr & Mrs Clarence Rutherford, Mrs French (Pearle Hebson), Mr & Mrs Fowler Hines, Mr & Mrs George Swadley, Mr & Mrs Earl Soder-

1937, continued, page 5

Mr & Mrs Fowler Hines, Mr & Mrs George Swadley, Mr & Mrs Earl Soderstrom (Kathryn Chinn), Miss Claress Dorsett.

There seems to still be many people ill with the flue.

Mrs Percilla Pierce, wife of W. H. Pierce of Juchem Lane died of a cerebral hemorrhage.

March 18

George Wendt will open new drug store. He is now in North Wadsworth. He will open the Arvada Pharmacy on Alder & Grandview Ave, where the Mahannah Drug used to be a few years ago.

Arvada Redskins lost in the quarter finals of the State play off. They had a very successful year.

All the churches in the area are having Pre-Easter services. Presbyterian Church, pastor Rev. P. V. Jenness, Baptist Church, Rev. Aubrey Nilson, Community Church (Methodist) Rev. Cecil P. Simpson.

Word was received from Africa that Carrie West and Garnet McRostea were married February 9th in the French Court there. They are missionaries. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs E. C. West.

March 25

Anna Petrafesco 10-year old daughter of Mr & Mrs Frank Petrafiso died of spinal meningitis.

Mr & Mrs Ray Goedert moved from 224 Fourth St to East Ralston Road.

Mr & Mrs Fred Welke moved from Golden to 224 Fourth St.

Mr & Mrs Floyd Carter of 3d Street are the parents of a baby boy.

April 1

The George Wendts opened their new drug store. He is giving free Carlson's ice cream for the kiddies. He has an ad: Mineral Oil 29¢ pint; cold cream, 1-pound jar, 25¢. 100 Bayer Aspirin 59¢.

April 8

A daughter was born to Mr & Mrs Carl Speck. She is the former Shirley Ross of Arvada.

Mr & Mrs George Johnson, & family have moved from E. Grandview Ave to 146 1st St.

1937, continued, page 6

Mrs Anna Greese, a former school teacher in Arvada, died at the age of 59. She was the former Anne Schaffer.

Mrs Margaret (Lindsey) Abbott died at her home on 230 First St. She was the widow of James W. Abbott. She had one son, J. W. Abbott of Illinois. She was almost 81.

The Arvada Electric Co. is lowering its rates.

April 15

Agust (Gus) Dickenson of Boulder died of a heart attack. He and his wife, Minnie Smith Dickenson, lived in Arvada many years. He had one son, Wesley.

W. C. "Clay" Moore died of a heart attack. His wife, Mary and children, Virginia, William, Melvin, Robert and Albert all live in the Arvada area. They farmed here for thirty years.

C. A. Branamon, Jr, died of a heart attack. He was the 9-year-old son of the C. A. Branamans, 111 Cedar St. He had a brother, Larry.

Mrs Frances Moon & James P were married last week. She is from Ralston Creek, he from Maple Grove.

April 22

Distillery begins to bottle liquor for retail sales. The International Distillers Corp. will sell under the name "Golden Bourbon". Barney Youell is the general manager. Fifteen women have been hired to do the bottling. All of the whisky will be marketed in the Denver area at present.

Vincent McNulty took over the interests of Royal Fisk on the Fisk McNulty Motor Co. It is now renamed McNulty Motors. They sell Hudson and Terraplanes.

Mr & Mrs George Logan have a new son.

Nomie Sabeski, Arvada, and H. D. Thompson of Golden are married.

Mrs Florence Thorpe of Davis Block has had surgery. She is home doing nicely. She is assistant manager of the Arvada Theater, A. L. Davis, prop. and Maurice Johnson, manager.

Mr & Mrs Lee Beghtol moved last week from East Grandview Avenue back to their home on 131 Ralston Road. They run the Arvada Cafe.

April 29, 1937

Mr & Mrs George Behen moved from 368 Second St to 228 Third St.



1937, continued, page 7

H. A. Wuetig of Avalon Ave, died this week. He had asthma and complications at age 53. He is survived by wife, Jennie, children Babetta, Mary Jane, Julia, Gladys, Oliver, Frederick and Robert.

Jacob Plattner of Griffith Station died at age 73. He had Bright's disease. His wife is Katherine. He has a daughter and four sons. They have lived in this area for thirty-three years.

Mr & Mrs L. A. Anderson of Chicago are the proud parents of a daughter, Jean Edith. She was the former Edith Dowd. Her mother operated the Arvada Bakery on E. Grand View Ave.

Thomas C. Hurst has been released from St Luke's Hospital. He has been there for several months after suffering a stroke. He is slowly improving.

Doris Nelson of Denver and Cindy Pitt were married last week. He is the son of Mrs Carrie Pit of So. Graves Ave.

May 6

Arvada High School win 1937 Suburban Track Title.

Frederick Stricklane and Eleanor Erwin were married. He operates Arvadaland Poultry Farm on Evans Road.

May 13

Arvada High School will graduate 66 students this week. Valedictorian: Stanley R. Fitzmorris. Salutatorian: Nadene E. Wales.

Luella Rigg and Roy Munroe will be married this week. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs Leland Rigg. Roy is from Fruitdale.

Mr & Mrs Clyde Tosly of No. Denver are the parents of a son, William Marvin. She is the former Louise Davies of Arvada.

May 20

Oron Alton Von Scyoc (?) former Arvada resident, died after a short illness. He was 79. One of his daughters is Mrs Flora Goedert of Arvada.

Beryl Baker of So. Wadsworth died. He had pneumonia and had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife and two children.

Peggy Paxton of West Ralston Road and James Gray of Johnstown have they were secretly married September 19, 1936. She is the daughter of Mrs Pauline Paxton.

The Leyden Coal mine will close June 3 for four months' repair. A new ore shaft will be built.



1937, continued, page 8

A new cement crossing to the tramway station helps to keep the muddy street open.

The brick plant began making bricks Monday, using one press and employing 18 men. It will employ 25 men when in full swing.

Theo Sommers has the contract for digging the trench to lay water main on No. Wadsworth Ave.

May 27

The first diversion of water of the year through the Moffat Tunnel was turned on Tuesday. It will start small, increasing gradually to full capacity.

Chas. D. Witt sold his garage business on 128 E. Grand View Ave to Ro. Thrasher of Arvada. Mr Witt is in poor health.

Mr & Mrs Charles Beach of Santa Fe, N. Mex. have a new son. She was the former Thelma Strickland of Arvada.

June 3

Mrs Florence Belgan, wife of Al Belgan, 125 - 2nd St, died suddenly. They have one daughter, Mrs Lester Alduson of Denver.

The Arvada Creamery has added a pasturizing machine and will deliver milk and sweet cream to the Arvada community. One delivery daily.

June 10

R. E. L. Johnson, Ward Road/has been in ill health for some time with ulcers. He is survived by his wife and daughter, Mrs \_\_\_\_\_ of Denver.

Mr J. N. Bowles of Westminster has the distinction of having assisted in the first body that was buried in the Arvada Cemetery. It was a child belonging to a family by the name of Beomon, living in the log cabin on the Cole Ranch. They had a memorial service at the Cemetery. This took place 54 years ago.

The Walter Moreland family are moving into their new seven-room brick house on his 80-acre farm. He purchased the land from his father-in-law, Toreence White.

Viola R \_\_\_\_\_ of Arvada and Gilbert Moore of Greeley were married.

Virginia Keiley and Lathyn Morris were married. She is from Byers Co. He from Ralston station.

June 17

Mrs Mattie C. Bain died June 2nd. The Presbyterian Missionary Society

1937, continued, page 9

had a memorial service for her. She belonged to the Church for 29 years.

Miss Carrie Hooper of Los Angeles, Cal., died suddenly. She lived with her brother on Ward Road until last year. Her brother is John (Jack) Hooper.

June 24

Mrs J. W. (Clara M.) Burch died of heart trouble. She has been ill for some time. She lived at 603 E. Grand View Ave.

Mrs Josephine Larsen 79 died in Denver last week. She lived in Arvada on 3d St for years.

Grace Goodyear and Leon Bush were married Saturday. She is from Denver. He is the son of Mr & Mrs L. J. Bush, 715 E. Ralston Road

July 1

Judge Sam Johnson and Emma Coffman of West Virginia were married last Wednesday. He is from Arvada.

Arthur L. Nelson, Arvada, Alice J. Zisler of Denver were married.

July 8

Married - Anton N. Hale and Barbara Thomas, both of Arvada.

July 15

Mr & Mrs Clyde Vair of Ward Road are the parents of a boy. She was the former Ethel Nasher.

July 22

Mr & Mrs W. C. Rodda celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary Friday. They live on 3d Street.

A. R. Teller family, Arvada, died after a long illness. He was the son of Court Justice James H. Teller. He is survived by his wife Margaret, son and 3 daughters.

Mr & Mrs Sydney Sweetser of So. Wadsworth are the parents of a son, Ronald Rae.

Richard I. Hughes and Agnes E. Shackley, both of Arvada, took out a marriage license this week. She is ~~the daughter~~ a teacher at Fruitdale School. They were married week later.

July 29

Mrs Mary Welke, 82, died of a heart ailment. She and William, her husband, came to Colorado in 1905. Mr Welke died in 1917. She had 5 children, Fred Welke and Mrs Otis Lusky live in this area and Mrs Helen Pitz of Denver.

E. E. Benjamin of the Arvada Flour Mill says a crop of wheat is being harvested. Average price he is paying is \$1.00 per bushel.

Mildred C. Boehme and Noble H. Malcom will be married August 1st. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs Charles H. Boehme of 122 4th St. He, the son of Mr & Mrs Herbert Malcom of Graves Ave.

Margaret Rowe and Leroy Halsted of Fairfax, N. D. will be married August 1st. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs Charles Rowe. They met while attending "Aggies".

Vera Townsley and J. Bernard Bate were married June 20. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs George Townsley. They lived in Arvada for many years.

Arvada Community Church had an ad in the paper this week. They will serve luncheon to 100 people - fried chicken, potatoes, gravy, salad, raspberry shortcake for 35¢ a plate.

August 5

Golden, Colo will celebrate their 70th Anniversary on 6th & 7th of August.

August 12

Grace L. Loveall, Arvada, and Albert R. Kennedy, Rt 2, Arvada, took out a marriage license.

Henrieta Bick and Orville Rath will be married Sunday. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs Henry Bick. He is from Strown, Ill.

Gladys Renow of Denver and Homer Alfred Smith of Arvada were married last week.

August 19

Miss Dorothy Doone is the new kindergarten teacher at the grade school.

August 26

Ralph Longnecker of Coal Creek Highway has bought the grocery store from James P. Kennedy. He will take over immediately.



1937, continued, page 11

George Gaberson and Sarah E. Briggs, both of Arvada, were issued a marriage license this week.

*Chondas*  
Chonda Reed and Emil Regier both of Arvada, were issued a marriage license.

Tom Froggs of Oakley, Kansas, took over the management of the uptown service station this week. Skelly Oil Co. has leased the station for 5 years.

Dr & Mrs R. A. Seath are the parents of a boy, Barry Ross. Dr Seath is the son of Alex and Pearl Seath of Arvada.

Carter Groc. are remodeling, making the store twice as big.

Herfurth Motor and the Bearcat service station are building a new building. It will be on the corner of Ralston Road & Wadsworth Ave. There will be apartments on the top floor.

Helen Fresi and John C. Hartman were married August 21. She is the daughter of C. Freais - 118 First St.

*Regier*  
E. W. Rogers, owner of the Arvada Feed Store and *Chondas* Chondas Reed were married last week.

September 2

Mrs Maria Losasso, 78, died after several months' illness. Mother of Mrs R. R. Fench, Pascal, Mary and Lewis Lasasso.

C. H. Kellstrom of Lake Station died at his home. He is survived by daughter, Mrs Howard Woolun and Carl Kellstrom, one granddaughter.

Arthur Chamberlain died of a heart attack. He was 71 years old. He lived on College Ave. Survived by wife, Florence, daughter, Mrs F. O. Cantrall and step son., John Nesson, all of Arvada. Mr Chamberlain worked for Denver Tramway for many years and was stationed at Clear Creek Junction.

September 9

The H. J. Milzger's have sold their home at 334 Sixth St to John Olson. They will move there at the end of this month. Mitzgers are moving to 44<sup>th</sup> Wolf in Denver.

The Ford Agency of Arvada, operated by R. O. Graves for 22 years has been sold to Wheeler Motors, Inc. They will be remodeling the building.

September 16

Marriage license was issued to Howard C. McElery of Arvada and Mary Hawkins of Denver.

September 23

1937, continued, page 12

Orville Wilson and Inez Bryant, both of Arvada, were issued a marriage license.

Ruth Mills of Arvada and J. M. Kulhany of Denver were married last week.

September 30

Mrs O. E. Williams died at the age of 76. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs O. C. Romey of 8th Street and Earnest of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs James (Bertha) Hogan died of a stroke. She lived in Wheatridge, but had lived in Denver View area for years. She has one daughter, Beth.

The Co. Commissioners are oiling North Wadsworth. Arvada is oiling Alder St from Ralston Road to Grant Place and Grant Place to Alder St to Wadsworth, a much needed improvement.

William H. Beghtol was killed when several tons of clay fell on him. He was loading a truck of clay for Denver Sewer Pipe & Clay Co. His wife survives, Violet and four children, Mrs Elmer , Mrs Sid Sweetser, Orville and Carl Beghtol; brother of Lee Beghtol. They lived on South Wadsworth.

James K. Ogilvie and Caroline M. Calkins of Arvada were married.

October 7

William Henry Kaler dies of a heart attack. Arvada resident since 1900. He is survived by his wife, Arena and four sons and one daughter, who lives in Arvada, Mrs Flora Rogers.

M Allen of Evans Ave and Harvey Daigle of Arvada Heights were married October 14th.

October 21

Mr & Mrs Mer Wilke are the parents of a baby boy, Thomas. She is the former Elizabeth West of Ralston Road.

145 students attended the first all-school party at the Arvada High School. the 3 class sponsoers were Miss Dratz, Miss Browne and Miss Hambly.

October 28

Sugar beet season is in full swing. Elbert Allen and Paul Dawkins are the main growers in this area.

1937, continued, page 13

Neva Weaver of 6th St and Joe F. Maloney of 8th St were married October 19. She is the daughter of J. B. Weaver.

November 4

Mary Mitchell McAfree died last Friday. She is the wife of Lee F. McAfee. They lived at 930 So. Wadsworth. They have 6 sons and 2 daughters. None live in this area.

November 11

Mr & Mrs Lloyd Langworthy are the parents of a girl. They live in Los Angeles, Calif. She was the former Elizabeth Foster, daughter of Dr & Mrs E. L. Foster, 238 E. Grand View Ave.

November 18

Miss Margaret Smith and Albert Chas Harding will be married November 24th. She is the niece of Mrs George Brayfield.

November 25

Miss Dorothy Ann Graves and Dr G. J. El were married Wed. She is the daughter of Mr & Mrs R. O. Groves of 3d St

December 2

C. A. Vair died at his home at age 64. He is survived by his wife, Ina and one daughter, Mrs Alberta Christonson, three sons, Clyde, Bill and Gail, all of Arvada, one stepson, Ted Phillips, of Edgewater.

The Russell Skaags are the parents of a baby girl. She is the former Blanche Moore.

J. Be. Weaver and Opal Merkle of Crete, Nebr., have married. He owns a jewelry store on Grand View. They will make their home here in Arvada on 6th St.

A daughter was born to Mr & Mrs William D. West. Her name is Joan. They live at 116 E. Ralston Road. The mother is the former Kathryn Burdick.

December 9

Opening of the W. 38th Ave subway to Denver will open Saturday. Arvada Chamber of Commerce are in the ceremony.

December 16

Mrs Sipp "Grandma" West has been very ill. She is living with her son and family, Mr & Mrs George West of Fifth St. She is confined to bed.

December 23



1937, continued, page 14

Not much news. Everyone having Xmas parties and family dinners.

The Val Giovaninis are the parents of a baby boy.

December 30

Dr Harvey A. Young buys out the practice and office of Dr Megenety. He specializes in chiropractic, electro-therapy and colin irrigation. The office will still be in the Davis block.

Services were held for Lorenz B. Mattson of the Yeager apartments. He is survived by his wife, Ollie. Interment was at the Arvada Cemetery.

Charlie Genuth of Los Angeles, Calif., will open a new Nash agency in the new Loberg garage at Ralston and Wadsworth Ave on January 1st.

Mrs Sarah Willis Marcum died after several weeks' illness. She is the mother of Mrs Darcy Kud\_\_\_\_ and Walter, Roy and Art Marcum.

Whew!!!!!!!!!!!!

Arvada Enterprise, 1938  
Russell Gorrell, Editor

- 1-6-38 New Nash Agency opened in Arvada in the new Loberg garage at 109 Wadsworth Ave., New Year's Day. Manager Charley Genuit.
- 1-6-38 Miss Phyllis Graves of Juchem Lane visited her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Crooks, in Broomfield.
- 1-6-38 Mrs. Rachel Diehl dies. Born in Sedalia, Mo., Dec. 26, 1871, and following a residence of several years in Victor, Colo., came to Arvada. Survived by 4 sons, James E. and F. Denver of Victor, and Frances Leonard and Victor Orville of Denver.
- 1-6-38 Postmaster Roy Staley shows record breaking receipts for 1937. A record gain of 10,000 from 1936.
- 1-6-38 Arvada Community Methodist Church Pastor, Cecil P. Simpson, Arvada Baptist, Rev. R.E. Williams, Arvada Presbyterian, Rev. Perry V. Jenness, St. Annes, Father Ritter.
- 1-6-38 George Churches, age 7, died from drowning in Croke Canal.
- 1-6-38 High school students hold watch party New Year's Eve at the Harry Fiske home.
- 1-6-38 Coaches Tom Vanderhoof and Joe Weber getting their Redskin basketball team ready for Littleton game. Letterman Tyler Kerr important team member.
- 1-6-38 J.S. Copeland of Dallas, Texas, visiting his son at Greiffith Sta.
- 1-6-38 Arvada Lumber Co., 11 West Grandview, Thos. G. Hurst, Pres.
- 1-6-38 Ralph's Market, 338 Wadsworth Ave.
- 1-6-38 Safeway, 8 West Grandview.
- 1-6-38 Camp No. 66 meets first and third Tues. at Grange Hall. John W. High CC, Lou Wideman, Clerk
- 1-6-38 Conoco Service Station Wadsworth and Grandview.  
Dutch Inn 233 Wadsworth Ave.  
Ray's Permanent Wave Shop, 308 Wadsworth Ave.  
W.E. Peterson's Lunch Room  
Tiller's Sand and Gravel-Hauling  
Arvada Cleaners  
Dr. Viva D. Mahorney, Chiropractor, 100 Wadsworth Ave.  
Frederick Yeakel, Designer, Builder  
Bear Cat Service Station, Wadsworth and Ralston  
Benton G. Kinkel, Plumbing and Heating  
J.B. Weaver, Watch, Clock, Jewelry Repair.
- 1-6-38 Mr. and Mrs. Orville Beghtol of 210 Third St. gave birthday party for their son, Tommy Joe. Those present: Mrs. Violet Beghtol, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lind, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beghtol, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Sweetser, Mr. and Mrs. J.K. Exline and Mr. and Mrs. Wm/ Riedel.
- 1-6-38 Women's Christian Temperance Union meets
- 1-6-38 Wm. Beasley of Selma Okla visiting his brother, E.M. Beasley.

- 1-13-38 Auto tags sold in Arvada
- 1-13-38 Enterprise Grange officers: Master, Ed Lorenz, Sec., Flora Goedert, Treas, George Bongers, Lecturer, Mary Lloyd, Overseer Ed. Kroupa, Steward Paul Harkness, Asst. Steward Louis Smith, Lady Asst. Steward Olive Kelly, Chaplain Ethel Evans, Ceres Edith Lorenz, Pomona Hazel Evans, Flora Doris Jump, Gate Keeper Hershel Kelly, Executive committee L.J. Loyd.
- 1-13-38 George Behen mentioned
- 1-13-38 N.Y. A. library to be opened in Town Hall. Residents asked to bring in old books. Mrs. Phil Wainner promoting this. Mrs. Alice Gallagher will be in charge of the library, as librarian from Smiley Library.
- 1-13-38 Dr. Edward P. Greene, 78 years old, dies in Calif. A native of Bejoit, Wis, practised in Arvada many years, left in 1919. Survived by widow, Bertha I. Greene, daughter, Mrs. Hazel V. Baum, son, Ernest S. Green, Calif., 5 brothers and one sister.
- 1-13-38 Joseph Spano dies at age 53. Born in Palmero, Italy and came to Arvada when a young man. He had lived here 40 years and was well known as a gardner and raiser of celery. Survived by his widow, Mrs. Anna Spano, nine children, Sam, John, Rose, Betty and Polly Spano, Mrs. James Amato, Mrs. Louis Pedato, Mrs. Salvadore Spano and Mrs. Albert Roncaglia. His mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Spano, also survives. Burial, Mt. Olivet.
- 1-13-38 Auxiliary celebrates 10th anniversary, Wilmore-Richter Unit 161. Evalina Campbell elected pres, Verda Olson, Sec- treas. Maude Bengley, Historian.
- 1-13-38 G.H. Church, early pioneer dies. He was born, Dec. 11, 1830 in Rochester, N.Y. Crossed the plains with an ox team in 1861 and 1862. Settled north of Arvada in 1864 where he established a stage stop on the overland route to Sacramento, Calif. He was the builder of the Church irrigation ditch, farmer, stockman and President of the first National Bank of Arvada. Died Jan 10, 1938 In 1869 he brought the first Hereford cattle to Colo. Church ditch began in 1877 and now waters 12,000 acres of agricultural land. Survives: Sarah Henderson Miller, wife and son John F.
- 1-13-38 Jr. Chamber of Commerce meets
- 1-27-38 Arvada Masonic Lodge meets in Bank Hall
- 1-27-38 Mrs. W.H. Johns died at her home in Graves Ave. at age 61, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Graves, pioneers. She married W.H. Johns in 1901. Her entire life was spent on Graves Ave. Survived by 3 sisters, and three brothers: Ruth of Arvada, Mrs. Louise Muench of Arvada and Mrs. S.I. Ross of Bartlesville, Okla., Oliver, Charles and Robert of Arvada. Interment at Arvada Cemetery.
- 1-27-38 Arvada Grade School will be closed Jan 31 for remodeling, but school will be held Sat., Feb. 5.
- 2-3-38 Augustus F. Holland, 82, dies, Feb. 1. He was born in Molurly, Mo. but has been a resident of Arvada since 1881. In employ of



Rio Grande RR until 10 years ago when he retired. He was member of Berkeley Lodge A.F. & A.M. Survived by son, Richard, of Arvada, and two daughters, Sarah and Lavina of Arvada. Interment at Crown Hill Cemetery.

- 2-3-38 Miss Helen Lawrence moved from Ralston Road to Davis Block.
- 2-17-38 Mrs. Esther Lumley died Feb. 17, 1938, age 68. She was born, Nov. 9, 1869 in North Wales, England and came to U.S. when a young woman, married Evan R. Lumley at Emporia, Kansas, Oct. 24, 1888. Lived in Idaho Springs until 1924 when Mrs. Lumley moved to Arvada.
- 2-17-38 Mrs. Cora V. Collett die, Feb. 12, 1938, age 65. She was born, May 25, 1873. Married Rev, Collett, Nov. 22, 1887 and came to Colo. in 1892 where her husband served as Pastor at Holyoke, La Junta, Junta, Durango, Leadville and Denver. Came to Arvada in 1904 and made their home with her daughter, Mrs. R.T. Kerr of Avalon Avenue. Member WCTU, Radiant Chapter, O.E.S., Denver Social Order of Beau---- Member of Trinity Methodist Church for 34 years, Member Denver Women's Club for 20 years.  
Survived by one daughter, Mrs. R.T. Kerr, 2 sisters, Mrs. Minnie F. Grimes and Mrs. May Cruickshank, both of Delaware, Ohio.
- 2-17-38 Historical display to be held, March 10 at the highschool. Teachers in charge, Ethel Dar, Arley Rost, and Ray Kitts.
- 2-17-38 Dr. Alice Moore, who was born on Ralston, is in critical condition.
- 2-24-38 Frank A. Rogers is suing Palmer Hunt and Mrs. R.R. Hunt for damages he alleges were caused by their negligence in leaving poisoned bran where stock could get it. The Hunts lived on the Allison Ranch before Rogers did and the poison was used to kill grasshoppers. Six of Rogers' Herefords died. Damages, \$250.
- 2-24-38 A.L. Davis of the Arvada Theater held a book matinee. Admission was a book for the library, 473 books received, making a total of 1400 books at the library in City Hall.
- 2-24-38 20 years ago, Feb. 28, 1918  
"Hotel De Mix" otherwise known as the bunkhouse of the C&S RR, located on south side of the tracks back of the Enterprise office, caught fire from overheated stove and roof was badly damaged. J. Munal notified fire chief Eddie Richter and section crew.
- 3-10-38 County speech contest won by Elizabeth Wainner, 8th grade.
- 3-10-38 Lou Wideman named to state Odd Fellow office, Grand Warden
- 3-10-38 Historical Exhibit. In addition to Sam Johnson, were special exhibits by Mona Doane, Marcetta Rhodes and Mrs. Tilda Johnson, Main speaker, Dr. Leroy Hafen. *RHOADS*
- 3-31-38 Maude B. Calkins died, March 26, age 65. Daughter of Senator H.R. Brown of Arvada and was born in Denver. Survivors: brother, Hiram A. Brown, Children: Mrs. Anabelle Baer, Mrs. Maude Grace Calkins, Mrs. Caroline Ogilvie, and John R. Calkins.

- 3-31-38 Postmaster Roy Staley reappointed for another 4 years.
- 4-7-38 Rev. Jaeger, president of school board, withdraws from running for a third term.
- 4-14-38 Elizabeth Wainner places 3rd in State Oratorical Contest.
- 4-14-38 "Mack" Rogers, 85, died April 9. Was born in McGregor, Iowa, Jan 1, 1853. Came to Colo. in 1876, married Louisa Belgin, June 26, 1890, had 8 children. Member Woodman of the World, and Baptist Church. Survivors: wife, Raymond, Aaron, Ralph, Philip and Howard, Interment at Arvada Cemetery.
- 4-14-38 Mayor Biggins announces the town is allotted two WPA projects. One for curb and gutter, another was replacement of water main on South Wadsworth
- 4-14-38 First dollar Days to be held by merchants, April 16
- 5-5-38 Work started on balcony at Baptist church.
- 5-5-38 Arvada luncheon club held annual Athletic luncheon
- 5-5-38 Howard Roepnack named head of School Board.
- 5-5-38 Over 500 people attended the electric cooking school sponsored by the Arvada Electric Co. at Bank Hall.
- 5-5-38 Wm. J. Bennett, president of Moffat Tunnel Commission, left for Washington, D.C. on a mission demanding that the Interior Dept. retain in the tunnel Dist. all acreage under the original laws, and that a recent order taking out property and some 250,000 acre feet of water to be applied to the Grand Lake diversion be rescinded. If the water is transferred, the tunnel district stands to lose approximately \$10,000 a year, the amount it would charge for carrying the water involved to the eastern slope.
- 5-5-38 Jim Biggins, County Commissioner
- 5-5-38 Regular school election in Lorraine School Dist. held. Gard Bonar and Mrs. Alice Hazelwood re-elected.
- 5-12-38 Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Swadley of 353 Second St. have purchased Beghtol Cafe. Mrs. Swadley to manage it and Bob plans to continue for a time his work at the Denver Country Club..
- 5-12-38 Nick Skinner buys Skelly Station at First and Grandview from Chas. Beghtol.
- 5-12-38 Walter Haslett, town marshall, trying to get school boys who are shooting out lights.
- 5-12-38 New concrete spillway at Leyden reservoir completed by Heckendorf Construction Co.
- 5-12-38 Lorraine school will hold graduation exercises at Grange Hall
- 5-12-38 Mrs. Elizabeth Lunau, resident at Griffith Station 37 years, dies May 10.

- 5-12-38 American Legion poppy day, May 28. Poppies are made by patients at Fort Lyons Hosp. Amer. Legion pays them for making poppiea.
- 5-19-38 Arvada High School again declared eligible for North Central rating. This is the 15th consecutive year tha t the local school has been so recognized by the Association.
- 5-19-38 Ellsworth M. Hoyt, resident for many years, dies at his home at Eighth and Grandview, Interment at Fairmont Cemetery
- 5-19-38 Redskins win league track title for second year.
- 5-19-38 Thieves broke into the Distillery at 8th and Grandview.
- 5-19-38 Memorial Day to be celebrated Mon. School children attending will be given an American Flag.
- 5-26-38 High School graduates 56 students, Lynette Morris valedictorian and Billie Juchem, Salutatorium.
- 6-2-38 Susan E. Brookhart dies May 30, age 82. She was born in Muscatine, Iowa, Han. 7, 1856. She came to Arvada 16 years Ago. Crown Hill.
- 6-2-38 Dr. E. Loberg garage at 101 Wadsworth burned, 4 cars destroyed.
- 6-9-38 Robert Graves, Jr. new leasee of Sinclair Station.
- 6-9-38 John F. Wales, 86, of Wray, Colo. died June 8, where he lived for 55 years. Mrs. E.E. Benjamin of Lower Lane and daughter attended. He was Mrs. Benjamins uncle.
- 6-16-38 Louis Davis resigns as County Agent, replaced by Chas. Drage. Davis agent since 1934.
- 6-16-38 Town Board to put sidewalk from Grandview to Tramway station.
- 6-23-38 Clara Maibach died June 21. Born in Merubury, Saxonia, Germany July 13, 1865. Lived at Oberon Station 34 years. Arvada Cemetery
- 6-23-38 Charley's Market leads soft ball league.
- 7-7-38 Edna Romans and Ralph Parsons married, July 3.
- 7-28-38 Sipporah West died July 27 at age of 90. Born in Nova Scotia, May 2, 1848 and came to Ralston Road when she was 28. She married L.R. West who died in 1933, state senator for one term. Survived by 5 children: George, Enoch C. Lee, Mrs. Abbie Ambrose and Mrs. Emma Cole, one sister, Mrs. M. Rogers of Nova Scotia. Arvada Cemetery
- 8-4-38 Mrs. Ida Boehme died, Aug. 2. She was 82, born April 12, 1856 at Crestline, Ohio. Came to Denver 1891. Crown Hill
- 8-18-38 Mrs. Catherine Moynabam, 70, died Aug. 12. Born in Chicago, April 16, 1867, married Dennis Moynaham, 1903. Came to Arvad 1919. Crown Hill.
- 8-25-38 Rev. R.E. Williams resigns from Arvada Baptist Church.



- 8-25-38 Joe Wingert dies, crown Hill
- 9-8-38 Grade school completely remodeled and rebuilt.
- 9-8-38 All those merchants who do not wear straw hats at festival will be subject to Kangaroo Court at which Judge Orville Beghtol sits. Prizes for best decorated homes to be given at festival. Little Eva, the engine, who has pulled thousands of youngsters riding the free hay rack train in preceding Harvest Festivals has a new owner. The engine is now the property of the Chamber of Commerce through the generosity of A.L. Davis, the former owner. The engine is being put in first class condition. Fire Dept. will again stage their spectacular water fight at Grandview and Birch.
- 9-22-38 Senior float, Pride of Arvada, huge stalk of celery restin on mountains. Festival huge success.
- 9-22-38 Lloyd Gorrell, senior class Pres.
- 10-6-38 Marcetta Rhoads elected student body Pres.
- 10-6-38 Capt. Rhoads new weather observer.
- 1--27-38 American Legion Auxiliary, by J.B. Echert, has arranged to have a skating pond between Reed and Chatin houses.
- 10-27-38 WPA assisting in curbing and gutterin streets in western part of town.
- 10-27-38 G.S. Scott underwent operation at Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.
- 11-3-38 Mrs. W.J. Evans purchased Lyle Cafe at corner of Church and Wadsworth. Former owners Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hummel.
- 11-3-38 Arvada J. Chamber of Commerce will broadcast election results over their broadcasting system.
- 11-3-38 WPA approves \$14,000 grant for Arvada. Mayor Biggins says grant will go toward sewage disposal plant where sewer empties into Clear Creek.
- 11-10-38 Republicans Swamp Democrats in State and County. Arvada winners, David H.M. Strong for surveyor, former city engineer for Arvada and Englewood. Wm.J. Bennett leads Moffat Tunnel Commissioners battle.
- 11-17-38 Judge Robert G. Strong of the County Court of Weld County died Nov. 8 in Greeley. Judge Strong owned the Hackberry Ranch north of Arvada.
- 12-1-38 George S. Scott dies, see copy
- 12-15-38 Ralph Longnecker to head 1939 Chamber of Commerce.
- 12-15-38 Edgar Michael dies. He was born Oct. 26, 1879 in Parkersburg, Ill. In 1917 he was married to his wife, Ethel, and moved to Griffith Station in 1918. Employed by railway mail service, member of Masonic Lodge in Parkersburg. Survived by wife, daughter

- cont. Margaret and Barbara, one brother, Henry and 3 sisters, Arna and Elsie Michael and Mrs. Mary Marshall, Crown Hill
- 12-15-38 William L. Busby dies, Dec. 14. Resident of Arvada 20 years. Survived by wife, Irma, and daughter, Mrs. James Osborne. Arvada.
- 12-15-38 Adult Education and recreation classes being given through State Dept. of Education by WPA.
- 12-22-38 Band and orchestra will be started for beginning students in grade school and Jr. High by Wendell King.
- 12-29-38 Mrs. Martha S. Scott of West Grandview Ave, 74, dies Dec. 27. Born at Dixon, Mo., April 15, 1864. She came to Arvada in 1905. She was a member of Women's Relief Corps. Surviving are 2 daughters, Mrs. Nell Keller and Mrs. Pansy Lees and 2 sons, Floyd and Paul Scott. Crown Hill Cemetery