

LINCOLN NEWS

Mrs. M. H. Friedrich

Birthdays Surprise

Milton Friedrich and Martin Bittner were surprised on their birthdays Dec. 21. Those present were Mrs. E. C. Reuther of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fischer of Giddings; Mrs. Minnie Bittner, Monroe, Martin, Francis, Milton, and Laura of Concord; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fritsche and children of Dime Box; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Friedrich and boys, Oscar Friedrich, Miss Evelyn Schulz, Milton Kappler, and John Herenz.

Games of 42 were played.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, coffee, and cold drinks were served.

Milton and Martin received many nice gifts. Everyone wished them many happy returns of the day.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Egmont Friedrich of Houston are the proud parents of a baby boy born on Dec. 18. He weighed 8 lbs. 15½ ounces and was named Egmont Otto Jr.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Friedrich of Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hearn of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Rackel of Lincoln are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born at Lee Memorial Hospital. That is the couple's second child and both are girls. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Markert and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rackel of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pampell of Houston are the proud parents of a baby boy born December 30 at a Houston hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rackel and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pampell

of Loebau.

Celebrates 50th Birthday

Richard Noack of Fedor celebrated his 50th birthday New Year's Day with a delicious dinner. Present were the Rev. and Mrs. Karcher, Prof. and Mrs. E. F. Wendland and sons of Fedor; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Berger of Grassyville; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Friedrich and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Friedrich and sons, and Mrs. Henry Friedrich, all of Lincoln; and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knippa and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boettcher and Betty Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pillack and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Domann, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gerlach and Mr. and Mrs. E. Schroeder and sons, all of Fedor.

He received many nice gifts for which he is very thankful to all. Everyone departed wishing him many returns of the day.

Personals

Miss Charlene Rackel of Loebau spent the week in Houston, with her sister, Mrs. Edward Pampell.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Friedrich and sons of Lincoln had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Berger at Gassyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Friedrich and children and Milton Kappler were the guests of Mrs. Minnie Bittner in Concord for Christmas dinner.

Miss Gladys Bittner and Alton Fritsche of Houston were holiday visitors in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Friedrich and children of Houston spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Henry Friedrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Friedrich and children of Giddings spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin

Schnelder of Fedor.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schulze and girls spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Willie Reuther.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Knippa attended the Christmas program in Lincoln Wednesday night.

Martin Bittner was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schulz and Evelyn Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gruetzner and son of Houston spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Gruetzner at Loebau.

Pvt. Marvin Gruetzner of Ft. Bliss is spending his 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gruetzner at Loebau.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knippa and family of Dallas spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kieschnick at Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Knippa at Loebau.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gruetzner, Miss Evelyn Schulz and Martin Bittner attended the funeral of Mr. Gruetzner's aunt in Thorndale last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Markert and son spent Christmas with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rackel and daughter of Houston spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beisert of Giddings and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rackel at Lincoln.

Mrs. Emil Patschke and son spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselt at Fedor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Proske and son spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Proske and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Beisert at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Iselt of Houston spent the week-end at home with their parents and

also attended church in Lincoln Sunday.

Misses Gertrude and Irene Kilian of Austin spent the week-end at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Kilian at Lincoln. They returned to their jobs Monday morning.