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Kiely (implement dealer). 301 S. Main St.; Brimhall's S kodex Store; Lester Golly (Portable Milling); Brimhall's West Furniture; C.L. (Red) Osborn (Woodwork); C. Huff (Trucking); State Center Sentry, Boswell, W. A Coward, DDS; Drs. Bierschwel & Sokol; A.O. Woods, MD, Dr. N. Ravinsky (Optometrist); Charlie Barnard (Grinding); State Center Lockers; Home Oil Co.; State Center Farmers Co-operative Creamary Association; Brimhall-West Furniture; Farmers State Bank; Goodman and Mead; State Theater; Ayers Food Shop; Pitman Ins. Agency; Ripley's Grocery and Market.

Ed Carter, native of State Center, succumbs Saturday
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Edmund R. Carter, a native of this community, and a decorator in State Center for many years, passed away Tuesday, March 14, 1946, at 53, suffered a slight attack on last Thursday night but was able to be up and about as usual on Friday. About ten-thirty o'clock Tuesday evening, March 13, he was taken to the hospital, and early Saturday morning. Death came as he was being taken to the Deaconess hospital at Marshalltown in an ambulance.

Service was held in State Center church in State Center two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 13, with Pastor H. R. Caviness of Marshalltown and the Rev. John F. Maze of State Center officiating. Interment was in Hospital Cemetery. Pallbearers were Hoyt Patton, Wilbur Peters, Arthur Veren, Arthur Carey, Forrest Baie and Earl Weave. Flower bearers were Gladys Peters, Leona Reynolds, Edith Miller, Harriet Watson, Stella Mathers and Florence Weave. Music was furnished by Mary Swartz and Vernon Bredy of Emma Heflin as accompanist. Edmund R. Carter was the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Carter. He was born at State Center, April 25, 1893. He was married to Miss Hortense Tige on November 17, 1912. As a young man Mr. Carter operated a four-chair barber shop in the building now occupied by Ayers Food Shop on Main street. He became involved in the furniture business with his brother-in-law, Mr. R.A. Brown, with whom he was associated until shortly before his death in 1943. He is survived by his wife, three sons, Richard C. Carter (sister-in-law) Robert of Villa Park, Ill., Ben C. Carter of Indianapolis, Ind., and Richard G. Carter of State Center; and one grandson, Dennis of State Center. Interment was at Mason Memorial Cemetery, Main St., the former Jansen-Pflanz building now owned by Jason Kirke.)

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Willkening Electric; Spears Hatcher; Dr. J. A. Berquist, Chiropractor; Dan W. Woods, Lawyer; Drs. Bierschwel & Sokol — Dr. Ray G. Robinson (Ophthalmologist); and Dampster Hospital Service (Ambulance Service); Schmidt Jewelry; Ficus Truck Line; Shorty's Elevator; Herb's Phillips 66 Service; Brimhall West Co. Furniture; Furniture Sales Co. and Wright's Furniture; Westfield State Bank; John Benno Co. of State Center; Home Ice Co.; James Mothers Plumbing; Heating; State Center Farmers Co-operative Creamery Association; Ed Food Market; People you know

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The Enterprise takes pleasure in presenting: Arnold Westphal, owner and operator of Westphal's Standard Service Station and Garage, Mr. Westphal was born in State Center, the son of Otto Westphal and the late, Mrs. Westphal. Mr. Westphal was educated in the local schools. He was married to Miss Gussie Glenn on July 8, 1932 and they have the parents of Mr. and Mrs. Robert 14, Donald 11 and Rodney 7 years old. Mr. Westphal is a member of the St. Paul Lutheran church and a former president of the State Center Volunteer Fire department and secretary-treasurer of the Marshall County Free Pressers' association, and the State Center Community Club.

People you know

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The Enterprise takes pleasure in presenting: Otto H. Newkirk, district Manager of the Central Iowa Telephone company. Mr. Newkirk, who was born in State Center in 1914, has been a part-time resident of the community in 1947 and he previously was manager of the local telephone exchange. Mr. Newkirk is the former Jennie Margaret Lyons and the couple was married on December 27, 1939 and they are the parents of one daughter, Lorna, a junior in the local high school. Mr. Newkirk is a member of Trinity Lutheran church, the State Center Lions club and the State Center Community Club.

State Center Business open to this week
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The State Center Business open to this week in the former location of Mill's Body Shop, which was sold to the community in 1944, and both daughter came to this community in 1947 and he previously was manager of the local telephone exchange. Mr. Newkirk is the former Jennie Margaret Lyons and the couple was married on December 27, 1939 and they are the parents of one daughter, Lorna, a junior in the local high school. Mr. Newkirk is a member of Trinity Lutheran church, the State Center Lions club and the State Center Community Club.

State Center State Business open to this week
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The State Center Business open to this week in the former location of Mill's Body Shop, which was sold to the community in 1947 and both daughter came to this community in 1944, and he previously was manager of the local telephone exchange.

Mill's Pueschel, the former owner, recently accepted a position with State Food Stores, which is located in the old Ayers building in the Des Moines area. The Pueschel's plan to continue living here for the present. (Shirley's note: Mill's Body Shop is located in what's now the town's store front.)

(Shirley's note: Several of you have corrected some information that I wrote in one of the Looking Back columns sometime back. I had included the wrong information that the Body Shop was located in the Crawford Electric building on East Main Street. Although Izy did have a garage there, it was in the early 1940's. Izy's garage that burned was located on the Iowa State Fairgrounds or it is where Al Davis' building is—depending on who you talk to.)
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Kiely (implement dealer & general store), Brimhall's Rent-a-Car, Luster Golly (Portable Milking), Brimhall's Real Estate, C.L. (Red) Osborn (Woodwork), C. Huff (Trucking), State Center Service, W.R. Howard, W.A. Coward, DES; D.S. & Brierson & Sokol; A.D. Woods, MD, Mr. Martin; Charles Barnard (Grinding), State Center Locker; Home Oil Co; State Center Farmers, Co-operative Creamery Association; Brimhall-West Furniture; Central State Bank; Goodman and Mead; State Theater; Ayers Food Shop; Pitman Ins. Agency; Ripley's Grocery and Market.

Ed Carmack native of State Center, succumbs Saturday

March 14, 1946 State Center Enterprise

Edmund R. Carter, a native of this community, and a decorator in State Center for many years, passed away Monday, March 9. Mr. Carter, who was only 53, suffered a slight attack on last Thursday night but was able to be up and about as usual on Friday. About ten-thirty o'clock Monday morning, Mr. Carter suddenly collapsed and was taken to the hospital where he died early Saturday morning. Death came as he was being taken to the Deaconess hospital at Marshalltown in an ambulance.

Funeral services for Ayers Food Store were held in church in State Center at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 12, with Pastor H. R. Caviness of Marshalltown and the Rev. John F. Maze of State Center officiating. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery, State Center. Pallbearers were Hoyt Patton, Wilbur Peters, Arthur Veren, Arthur Carey, Forrest Baie and Earl Weave. Flower bearers were Gladys Peters, Leonia Reynolds, Edith Miller, Harriet Watson, Stella Mathers and Florence Weave. Music was furnished by Mary Swartz and Vernon Brady, both of Emma Hillman as accompanist.

Edmund R. Carter was the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Carter. He was born at State Center, March 25, 1893. He was married to Miss Hortense Tigue on November 17, 1912.

As a young man Mr. Carter operated a four-chair barber shop in the building now occupied by Ayers Food Shop on Main street. He became i

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Weilken Electric, Spencers Hatchery, Dr. J. A. Berquist, Chiropractor,


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The Enterprise takes pleasure in presenting:

Arnold Westphal, owner and operator of Westphal's Standard Service Station and Garage, Mr. Westphal was born in State Center, the son of Otto and Maggie Westphal and the late, W. W. Westphal. Mr. Westphal was married to Virginia Stahl on July 8, 1932 and they have two children, Robert 14, Donald 11 and Rodney 7 years old. Mr. Westphal is a member of the St. Paul Lutheran church and a former member of the State Center Volunteer Fire department and secretary-treasurer of the South County Fireman's association, and the State Center Community Club.

People you know

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The Enterprise takes pleasure in presenting:

Otto H. Newkirk, district Manager of the Central Iowa Telephone company, Mr. and Mrs. Newkirk and their daughter, Catherine, 12, daugther came to this community in 1947 and he previously was manager of the local telephone exchange.

Mr. Newkirk is the former Jeannie Margaret Lyons and the couple was married to Forrest and DES. Among their children are the are the parents of one daughter, Lorna, a junior in the local high school.

Mr. Newkirk is a member of Trinity Lutheran church, the State Center Lions club and State Center Community Club.

State Center Body Shop to open this week

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The State Center Body Shop operated this week in the former location of Mil's Body Shop just south of State Center on 22nd Street. Frank Roling is manager of the new body and fender shop which is offering complete front-end work, wheel balancing and alignement.

The former trained personnel will take care of all auto rebuilding and painting along with glass replacement.

Milt Puschel, the former owner, recently accepted a position with State Fair. He is now manager of the Fair in Des Moines area. The Puschels plan to continue living here for the present.

(Shirley's note: Mil's Body Shop was located in what's now the town's civic center building.)

(Shirley's note: Several of you have corrected some information that I wrote in one of the Looking Back columns sometime back. I had included 441 Madison with Midway Real Estate when it actually is located in the Crawford Electric building on East Main Street. Although Izzy did have a garage there, it was in later years. Izzy's garage that burned was located on the southwest corner of Washington and Main. I'm not sure where the City is or where Al Davis' building is—depending on who you talk to.)