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Greenwood

Miss Aurel Cope spent last week end with her parents.

Weber McFadden spent last week end at the Phil Hall home.

Mrs. Louis Wright is in the Nicholas-Senn hospital at Omaha.

Mrs. Elsie Peters has been on the sick list with a cold the past week.

Mrs. Lois Gumbel spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Peters.

Mrs. John Adams of Wyoming visited Mrs. Ed Fisher the past week.

Everyone is glad to see Mrs. William Armstrong able to be around again.

Dale Larson, of St. Edwards, spent the week-end in Greenwood with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James and David of Omaha visited Mrs. Elsie Peters last Sunday.

Winifred Lambert was a Thursday evening supper guest of Veda Leasley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Peters called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brockhage Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Keeler, of Lincoln, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Peters Friday.

Miss Irene Kelly went to Lincoln Thursday to make a short visit with Miss Evelyn Bentley.

The Easter bazaar and supper Saturday evening was well attended, several coming from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sanday and Evelyn of Ashland visited at the John Vant home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holt left Saturday afternoon for Illinois. They expect to be gone for about two weeks.

The drama presented by the Epworth League Friday night at the church was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Irene Kelly graduated from Goldes School of Cosmetology April 7 and is spending a few days with home folks.

There was a good attendance at the Dorcas Society meeting Friday. Mrs. Chas. Martin and Alice Boucher served a tasty lunch.

Guild will meet at the church on April 19, with Mrs. Frank Hurbut and Mrs. Charles Bloom entertaining. Everyone is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Knolle of Sioux City spent the Easter vacation at the home of Mrs. Knolle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Marvin.

Goodhart Vant is working in Oregopolis, where he plans to be for ten days. Jim Kimble, who formerly held the position, moved to Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Palling and family of California visited at the Clyde Newkirk home, Friday. Little Miss Nancy Palling of Byron, Neb., was also a guest.

Harley Kirk, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kirk, was transferred to the C. C. camp in Worly, Idaho. He was formerly in the camp at Weeping Water.

Mrs. Clyde Newkirk and Ramon and Irene Kelly drove to Columbus Tuesday, where they visited Clyde.

In the afternoon Ramon and Irene motored to St. Edwards and called on Dale Larson.

Goodhart Vant went to McCook last Saturday to visit his brother,

ALVO

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heiers were Lincoln visitors Monday.

Mrs. Orville Buehler's father and mother of Liberty were guests at the Orville Buehler home Sunday.

Friends helped Walter Frank celebrate his birthday Monday evening, when all enjoyed a social evening with cards at the Frank home.

Mrs. Jesse Williams, Williams, Sr., and Elmer Klyver attended the Prairie Home Ladies Aid Society meeting Thursday afternoon.

The Cemetery Association is attempting to dig the well at the cemetery deeper with the hopes of securing an abundance of water for use in the cemetery.

The ladies of the Aid Society are having water put in the church basement. Men of the community are donating the digging. This will save the ladies from having to carry water.

Children Vacationing at Farm
The Cheever children, of Lincoln, grandchildren of Mrs. Mabel Winn are spending their Easter vacation at the Stout home. Mrs. Winn went to Lincoln Thursday and brought the children home with her.

Parents of Fine Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Zoz are the proud parents of a very fine seven pound baby daughter born Tuesday, April 12. The parents have the congratulations of their many friends.

Family Enjoy Dinner
Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gerbeling and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mickle and son and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hardnock enjoyed Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nickel and children.

Enjoys Visit with Sister
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Green, of Washington, Iowa, stopped for an over night visit with Mr. Green's sister, Mrs. William Mickle and family, Wednesday evening, as they were enroute to Arizona, continuing on their way Thursday morning.

Guests at Wallace Home
Mr. and Mrs. Spirey and grandson Freddy and the Misses Alice Miller and Nancy Wallace, all of Lincoln, were Sunday guests at the Wallace home, where they enjoyed Sunday dinner and a pleasant visit. Miss Wallace is a sister of Rev. Ben Wallace.

Helping at Daughter's Home
Mrs. Wm. Coatsman of Elmwood, is caring for her daughter, Mrs. Martin Zoz and baby at the Zoz home. Mrs. Zoz and baby are getting along fine.

Program as Memorial to Mother
Miss Ruth Dreemer, who has a music studio in Lincoln, was the guest entertainer on the program for the Mothers' and Daughters' Council guest day, Friday, April 8. Miss Dreemer is a former Alvo girl and gave her part on the program as a memorial to her mother, who was one of the organizers of the club.

At one o'clock the club members and guests enjoyed a very delicious luncheon at the church basement.

Small tables were used and were very beautifully decorated with nut-cups, and napkins in keeping with the Easter season.

The girls' quartet from the school gave a very beautiful number. Miss Dreemer gave several piano solos and Mrs. Wallace gave the last number which was a whistling solo.

The entire afternoon was immensely enjoyed. The committee in charge was Mesdames W. C. Timblin, Earl Bennett, Fairfield and Kahlor.

SAYS CONDITIONS TO IMPROVE
NEW YORK, April 14 (UP)—Roy B. White, president of the Western Union Telegraph company said today that all indications point to improved business conditions.

He said in his annual report to stockholders that both gross revenues and net income of Western Union now were on "an even keel" after five months of steady decline.

John, Mary and Jack

DENTISTRY and PUBLIC HEALTH

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PLATTSMOUTH DENTAL SOCIETY

CHAPTER XL

On discovering that Mr. Reynolds had trench mouth, Dr. Young immediately asked Mrs. Reynolds and Jack to come to his office.

Neither mother nor son had any symptoms of the disease. However, he advised adequate prophylactic treatment and gave thorough instructions in gum massage with the toothbrush. In the meantime, and in response to Dr. Young's treatment, the soreness and inflammation gradually left Mr. Reynolds' gums and they slowly resumed their natural pinkness.

Jack watched this transformation with intense interest. Naturally, he asked many questions regarding the disease. One day, he brought up the subject of pyorrhea.

"What is the difference," he asked, "between pyorrhea and trench mouth? They both affect the gums, don't they?"

"Yes," replied the dentist, "they both affect the gums, but there is a vast difference between them. Trench mouth, or as it is more properly termed, Vincent's infection, is caused by a lack of resistance or tone in the gums. This permits the invasion of the gums by two germs. These germs are known as the Vincent spirochete and the fusiform bacillus. To be frank, we are not absolutely sure whether these two germs are primary or secondary factors in the disease, but they are both always present in an active case of trench mouth. We term trench mouth a specific disease because specific germs are always present. We can control it by keeping the teeth clean and the gums hard and by the application of certain remedies. On the contrary, pyorrhea is not a specific disease. It may have several different causes. Generally speaking, we can say that an inflammatory condition of the gums may be caused by either local or systemic conditions. This may lead to pyorrhea. The largest percentage of pyorrhea cases are caused by some local irritation, such as tartar deposits about the necks of the teeth; food deposits wedged and packed in between the teeth; ill-fitting crowns and bridge-work; irritating, overhanging margins of fillings; the absence or loss of certain teeth; irregular or crooked teeth; and traumatic occlusion."

"What is traumatic occlusion?" asked Jack.

"Traumatic occlusion," replied the dentist, "is a term used to designate a condition in which certain teeth come together, or occlude inharmoniously. Our jaws are so constructed that, under normal conditions, all of our upper and lower teeth come together in exactly the right way. This is, in one tooth, or no two teeth receive an excess amount of stress or strain. Sometimes one or more teeth will shift their positions or get out of line, so to speak. In that case, they may strike their opposing teeth before they should. Thus the tooth will be subject to an excess amount of masticating stress or pounding. In time this constant pounding will cause the supporting tissue about the tooth to become irritated and inflamed. If the condition is not corrected, a pyorrhea socket will result."

"What is a pyorrhea pocket?" asked Jack.

Dr. Young laid aside his instruments and smiled. "When you were a little fellow, Jack, I always said you could ask more questions than any boy in town, and you haven't outgrown the habit. I have another patient waiting for me now. When you come in next Wednesday, I'll finish telling you about pyorrhea and pyorrhea pockets."

(To be Continued)

KILLED BY TRAIN

COUNCIL BLUFFS, April 16 (UP)—Two persons, Mrs. Wilmata Gilligan, 28 and her daughter Eileen, 8, were killed and two other members of the family seriously injured when their automobile was struck by a Illinois Central passenger train at a crossing here this morning. The little girl was killed instantly and Mrs. Gilligan died shortly after the crash.

Elvin Gilligan, husband and father of the victims is not expected to survive. A son Carroll, 6, received serious injuries.

Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

A Whole Community Implicated

By IRVIN S. COBB

THERE is a special writer on one of the New York papers who, justly or unjustly, lacks popularity with some of his office associates. It is understood that he believes his confreres are envious and cannot appreciate true ability. On the other hand, they assign very different reasons for the estimation in which they—and to hear them tell it—many outsiders hold the penman. One night the special writer, having finished his assignment was lolled back in his chair, favoring the company with his views which, as a rule, are very pronounced.



From a nearby desk, an associate lifted a sour face. "Blank," he said, "I'm going to tell you something. Some morning you're going to be found dead in bed, with your throat cut from ear to ear. And more than a million people in this town will be arrested for the murder!"

(American News Features, Inc.)

Wabash News

Sherman Hardaway was transacting business in Lincoln last Saturday.

John F. Sweesy, who has been in Cass county the past few weeks, was transacting business in Wabash last Wednesday.

John C. Browne spent last week at Alvo, where he visited at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Strome and husband.

H. H. Gerbeling has been plowing up an alfalfa field in which the stand had become very poor, and is debating whether to reseed it to alfalfa or plant it to corn this year.

Thomas Colbert, of near Elmwood, was a visitor in Wabash Wednesday, coming for a load of farming machinery and equipment which he was needing in the course of his farming work.

Parker Otte brought to the store for exhibition some bits of dirt in which there was a generous sprinkling of grasshopper eggs. He also reports many of them have already hatched out, being about a half inch in length and that they were hopping about as soon as the snow and sleet of last week thawed so they could.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren T. Richards were at Weeping Water last Wednesday, where they went to attend the funeral of the late Gene Moore, Jr., who died suddenly at Palmyra last Sunday morning. There were many people at the funeral, as Mr. Moore was a very popular young man.

Enjoying Afternoon Meeting
The ladies of the Wabash Kensington met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Hansen, where they looked after business. Included in their discussion were plans for the beautifying of Wabash.

Decorating Home
Henry Frisbee has been having the exterior of his home painted and the interior decorated. Besides providing protection against deterioration from weathering, the beauty of the place is greatly enhanced. The money spent for paint and work of this kind is always a good investment in one's property.

To Leave Soon for Far East
Miss Alice Abel, who resided for many years in this vicinity and was a teacher in the rural schools, but who of late years served as a Missionary in China, writes from Fort Collins, Colo., where she has been visiting at the home of her parents, that she has received her passport and expects to sail from Vancouver, Washington, on May 14, for the return trip to China. She has been in the U. S. for several months, prior to the beginning of the Japanese invasion.

vision and Washington officials were somewhat reluctant to give her a passport at this time.

She recently visited friends and relatives in this vicinity, going from here to Fort Collins to visit with her parents.

Visits Aged Mother
Frank Reese was at Mound City, Mo., last week, where he went to visit his mother, who is past 93 years of age and who was sick for a time, but is now feeling much better. Mr. Reese and the mother enjoyed a nice visit together.

Speaking of the weather there, Mr. Reese said there were large drifts of snow at the roadside that had been pushed from the highway. At places where the ground was clear of snow the wheat looked even better than here.

Grading Progressing Nicely
The road a mile south of Wabash and running from Weeping Water directly west is a busy place these days as there are a large number of men at work there. The western portion of it leading to Alvo is completed but the eastern portion is being changed and straightened, with a lot of grading required to a point one mile north to Wabash, thence into town and out two miles west, before it jogs back the mile to join with that portion leading to Alvo. This detour is made because of the overhead bridge over the Missouri Pacific and the bridge over Weeping Water creek which is very dangerous, especially to one unacquainted with the conditions there.

ADVISED QUOTA FILLED
Communication received today indicates the Cornhusker Boys' State quota has been filled and it will be impossible to accept further applications, including that of Plattsmouth forwarded last week for two boys.

Although this will cause some disappointment, Plattsmouth has little to worry about over its sponsorship of boys' work and activities in general. Few Legion posts over the state, even in larger cities than this can boast of sponsorship of a Boy Scout troop, a Junior drum corps and a Junior baseball team.

Fortunately no boys had been selected from the student body to attend this combined training and recreation camp, so there will be no disappointments on that score, and the different organizations that would have contributed something to the cost involved will be saved the expense.

Plattsmouth will be host to Arbor Lodge district Boy Scout camporee in June, and is engaged in a campaign to bring about organization of two more Scout troops, which after all is just about as fine youth training as can be secured anywhere.

MANLEY NEWS

Postmaster R. Bergman and wife were at Elmwood on last Monday evening where they attended the meeting of Cass county postal employees.

Joseph Walpert was a visitor in Weeping Water last Wednesday keeping an appointment with his dentist as some of Joe's teeth had been giving him trouble.

John H. Buck and son of Murdock were in Manley last week for a few days sawing wood for Bobbie McDonald, who has been chopping and had a large amount of wood ready for the buzz saw.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Quinn of near Havelock were guests last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Catherine Earhardt, mother of Mrs. Quinn, where they enjoyed visiting for the day and a very delightful dinner as well.

Mrs. R. Bergman was a visitor in Weeping Water last Tuesday evening attending the meeting of the Order of Eastern Star and was driven down by Mr. Bergman, who was looking after some business while there.

Returned from Visit at Beatrice
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rau and Miss Sue Moekenhaupt were visiting at Lincoln last Saturday night, where they met Rev. Father Harte, pastor of the Catholic church at Beatrice, and George Rau, who had been visiting the former Manley priest, and who returned home with them.

Pleasant Evening at Cards
Last Monday Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Rauth entertained a group of friends at a card party. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. Ray Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Art Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Thorbold Hansen, as well as Miss Rena Christensen, who returned from Omaha recently where she had been at the hospital following a major operation. Miss Christensen is doing very nicely since returning from the hospital.

Doing Very Fair at Hospital
Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy and Mrs. Catherine Earhardt of Manley were in Omaha last Friday, where they went to visit Mrs. Clarence Earhardt, of Nebraska City, who is recuperating following an operation there for the restoration of her health. They report Mrs. Clarence Earhardt as showing good improvement now.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy also transacted business matters while in the city.

Will Attend Deanery Meet
The ladies of St. Patrick's church of Manley met last Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rauth, where they were looking after the business of the society as well as arranging to attend the forthcoming Deanery meet for this district, to be held at Avoca in the near future.

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