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Lucille Albert is Seriously Injured in Wreck

Well Known Member of Graduating Class of 1931 Is Caught Beneath Wreck Car

From Monday's Daily—
Lucille Albert, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albert of near Cedar Creek, a member of the graduating class of 1931 of the Plattsmouth high school, was very seriously injured late Saturday night in an auto wreck on the Louisville road some seven miles west of this city.

Miss Albert was being taken to her home by Chester Wiles, a school mate, they riding in the coupe of Mr. Wiles, and while traveling west near the former. The car, which skidded on the wet and slippery road and crashed into the small concrete railing of the culvert, the force of the car being such that it was hurled over the rail and into the ditch below. As the car overturned Miss Albert was thrown from the floor of the car and to the ground below, the car then rolling onto her and pinning her in the wreckage.

Mr. Wiles who was not so severely injured, battled desperately to rescue his companion, by almost superhuman effort was able to lift the car so that Miss Albert could be extricated from the wreck. Assistance was secured and the injured girl was taken back to the C. L. Wiles farm.

The examination of the victim of the accident disclosed that she was suffering from an apparent fracture of the pelvis, the lower front teeth were torn from the bone and flesh and forced back into her mouth and she also suffered severe cuts on both cheeks. The injuries were dressed here and later the victim of the accident was taken into Omaha to be placed in the hospital where the X-ray examination disclosed a triple fracture of the pelvis and that the jaw bone had not been broken as was thought at first was the case.

Mr. Wiles suffered only minor bruises and a severe shaking up and to his back, occasioned it is thought, by his desperate work in lifting the car from the body of Miss Albert.

The injuries of Miss Albert are such that at the very best she will probably have to be in the hospital for six months at the hospital before she can be up and around again.

WRECK VICTIM POORLY

Mrs. Z. E. Lancaster, York, critically injured Monday near Greenwood in the truck-car collision which took three lives including that of her husband, underwent a second blood transfusion operation Saturday afternoon at Bryan Memorial hospital at Lincoln.

Gradually losing ground the last day or two, Mrs. Lancaster's condition has become extremely grave. Dr. C. H. Arnold, attending her, said that unless she rallies following the transfusion she will not live. Hospital attaches reported Saturday night that she had improved little since the transfusion.

Miss Elizabeth Newton, Lander, Wyo., also hurt in the accident, is out of danger, according to the physician. She has improved steadily and is on the road to recovery. Roy Franzen, Worcester, Mass., third survivor of the tragic accident, is in good condition. He probably will be discharged from the hospital soon.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Contryman and children who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Contryman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Oliver, departed early Tuesday morning for their home at Oshkosh, Nebraska. Their daughter, Dorothy, and son, Orin, who are students at the University of Nebraska, returned home with their parents, to spend the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Contryman also visited at Louisville, at the home of Harry Henton and Will Oliver.

VISITS SHENANDOAH

This morning two auto parties of residents of Cedar Creek passed through this city en route to Shenandoah, Iowa, where they enjoyed the day in looking over the flower gardens at the Fields and May seed houses and also visiting the radio stations, KMA and KXNF for the day. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. George Lohes, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Meisinger, Mrs. H. Thierolf, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meisinger and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fornoff.

CALL JURY ON JUNE 22ND

Judge James T. Blegley of the district court has excused the members of the petit jury until Monday, June 22nd, when they will take up the trial list. The jury was to have been here on next Monday but the attorneys were unable to get lined up on their cases and were given another week's time. The jury term will be short however, as there are but few cases to be passed on by the jury.

DEPART FOR CALIFORNIA

From Monday's Daily—
This morning Miss Mathilde Soennichsen and Mrs. Frank R. Gobelman departed by auto for California, they planning on spending a few weeks in the west coast country. Miss Soennichsen will spend some time at Glendale, California, with Mrs. Joan Gundersen and with her two nephews, John Melchoir and Henry Richard Soennichsen, while Mrs. Gobelman will visit with the relatives and many friends over that section of California. The ladies are anticipating a very delightful trip and one filled with the greatest interest and will take their time in sightseeing as they travel westward.

Death of Mrs. John Fight, an Old Resident

Passes Away Saturday Night After Illness of Some Duration at Age of 85 Years.

From Monday's Daily—
Mrs. Grace Fight, one of the old and loved residents of Plattsmouth and Cass county, the wife of John Fight, one of the few surviving veterans of the civil war, was called to the last long rest late Saturday night, her death coming after an illness of some duration.

The passing of Mrs. Fight will bring great regret to the host of friends as she has spent the greater part of her eighty-five years in this community, coming here as a young girl and aiding in the upbuilding of the community in which she and Mr. Fight made their home. The family made their home for a great many years on the farm in Eight Mile Grove precinct up to thirty-eight years ago, when they moved to Plattsmouth, locating in the home on Pearl street where they have since resided. They have been splendid citizens of the community and in the loss of the wife and mother the family will have the deepest sympathy of the host of friends.

The married life of Mr. and Mrs. Fight has covered a period of some fifty years and the family circle there is left to mourn the passing of this good woman the aged husband, John Fight, two sons, W. A. Fight of Omaha and Frank Fight of this city, three daughters, Mrs. Phillip A. Horn and Mrs. Phillip Born of this city and Mrs. T. J. Sullivan of Omaha.

RETURNS FROM OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Katie Hild, who has been spending a short time in Oklahoma with her brothers and sisters, returned home Sunday after a most pleasant stay in the south. Mrs. Hild was at the home of her brother, George Pappé, at Gary, and Carl Pappé near El Reno, and also at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emma Smith, at El Reno. While at El Reno she attended the graduating exercises of the high school, her nieces, Miss Ethel Smith, being a member of the graduating class. Mrs. Hild reports the crop conditions in Oklahoma as excellent, wheat and oats being good and in several localities the wheat harvest is now getting underway. The trip was one that Mrs. Hild enjoyed to the utmost and gave her the opportunity of a fine visit with the relatives in the south.

GRAVELERS LOSE GAME

The ball game Sunday afternoon at Naevs park between the Lyman-Richey team of this city and the La Platte Sluggers resulted in a victory for the Sarpy county team by the score of 13 to 11 and was a hard fought battle between the two teams. "Emeryball" Bragg did the hurling for the locals but was touched up freely and with several errors added to the scoring of the La Platte aggregation. The sticking of Clyde Bragg featured the game for the Gravelers. On next Sunday the Gravelers are expecting to meet the fast Becker All Stars from west of Plattsmouth.

MANY ATTEND RODEO

A large number from this city were at Manley Sunday where they attended the rodeo which was staged at that place by one of the companies that are now touring this part of the state. The event was participated in by a number of the horsemen from Cass and Otoe counties and who gave exhibitions of riding the wild and bucking horses as well as the professional riders who are carried by the company crossing the show. Despite the wet roads a very large number were present from all parts of the county and enjoyed to the utmost the exhibitions of the riders in their various stunts.

UNDERGOING TREATMENTS

Mrs. John E. Turner of this city, who was at Omaha for a short time taking treatments and a slight operation for foot trouble, returned home Saturday. Mrs. Turner will continue her treatments for some time and which it is hoped will correct the trouble from which Mrs. Turner has suffered for some time.

Yessirs Win Plattsmouth

GLEN B. EASTBURN



MAYOR SATTLER H. A. SCHNEIDER JOHN LATENSER JR. Another "get acquainted" trip by the Tribe of Yessir of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce Thursday took 30 men to Plattsmouth for a dinner-meeting with 50 members of the chamber of that city. In the above photo are seen Mayor John Sattler of Plattsmouth, Commissioner Glen Eastburn of the Omaha chamber; President H. A. Schneider of the Plattsmouth chamber, and John Latenser jr. of Omaha, one of the Tribe of Yessir founders.

Corpus Christi Procession at Holy Rosary

Large Number of Members of Church and Clergy Take Part in Honoring Sacrament.

The Holy Rosary Catholic church in the west part of the city was the scene of one of the most impressive and colorful days of the church observance on Sunday afternoon, the Corpus Christi procession, in which members of the church and clergy took part.

The parade was a special mark of reverence to the blessed sacrament, which is specially honored in all Catholic churches of the world on the Sunday immediately following the feast of Corpus Christi, which commemorates the Catholic belief of the presence of Jesus Christ in the blessed sacrament.

The procession followed a short service at the church and which was participated in by the visiting priests, Rev. Father Marcelles Agius, pastor of the Holy Rosary. The visiting priests were Father Stoltz, Father Martin and Father Weis of Nebraska City and Father Chapuran of Omaha.

The addresses of the afternoon were by Arthur Chapuran, he speaking in both English and Bohemian. The members of the Eagles band had been secured for the afternoon and led the procession of the devout with the priests bearing the blessed sacrament was borne along the line of march which covered the block in which the church was situated, the members of the church joining in the hymns and prayers as the procession moved along the streets.

On returning to the church another service was held by the clergy and the benedictions given. School children and the members of the Ursine sisterhood also took part in the processional.

WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE

Miss Marjorie Arn, who is the president of the Y. W. C. A. at the Plattsmouth teachers college, departed Saturday for Estes Park, Colorado, where she goes to attend the Y. W. C. A. conference which is being held at two week periods during the summer. Miss Arn has been named by the Peru branch and will enjoy very much the trip and the advantage of the any interesting meetings that are being held each day of the conference.

Miss Bernese Arn, who has been on night duty at the Methodist hospital at Omaha, where she is a member of the nursing staff, came home Friday for a three day outing and to visit the sister before her departure for the west.

VERY HAPPY EVENT

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Don Cowger, will be pleased to learn that they are the proud parents of a charming little daughter, born on Saturday at the University hospital at Omaha. The little one has been christened Donna Jeanne. The mother and little one are doing very nicely and the occasion brought a great deal of happiness to the members of the family circle. Mrs. Cowger was formerly Miss Jeanne Parker of this city.

Richard Elliott Married at Sigourney, Ia., Friday

Well Known Plattsmouth Young Man Weds Miss Irene Reece of Washington, Iowa.

Two young couples were married by Rev. C. E. Clark at his home at Sigourney, Ia., Friday evening, June 5th. Miss Irene Reece of Washington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reece of Columbia Junction, Neb., and Richard C. Elliott who has been employed at Osceola, Iowa, as a civil engineer for the Continental Construction company, were married at five o'clock. Miss NaDean Beik of Washington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Beik of Wapello, became the bride of Grant Goodlander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goodlander of Washington at nine o'clock Friday evening.

At the Reece-Elliott wedding, the bride wore a blue chiffon dress and a corsage of sweet peas and roses. The witnesses were Miss Winifred Watkins and Mrs. C. E. Clark. The bride was graduated in 1930 from Columbus Junction high school and is a sister of Mrs. Paul Young and a niece of Mrs. Carl Haucher. Mr. Elliott is of Plattsmouth, Neb. Miss Winifred Watkins and Richard Elliott were witnesses at the Beik-Goodlander wedding. The bride studied cosmetology in Cedar Rapids and finished her work at Madame Wall's school of Cosmetology in Burlington. She has been employed at Paul's Beauté Shoppe at Osceola. Mr. Goodlander was graduated from the Bloomfield high school and is employed at the Washington National bank.

After the Beik-Goodlander wedding dinner for both couples was held at Oskaaloos.

MAKES SPLENDID SHOWING

Mrs. W. H. Rainey and daughter, Miss Winifred, returned home Saturday from Lincoln where they have spent the winter while Donald was attending the state university and Miss Winifred completing her work in the Lincoln high school. Miss Rainey was graduated in the class of some 551 students from the Lincoln school on Friday, having the honor of being one of the highest ranked students in the school. She received the distinction of being elected to the national honor society as one of the members of the class showing the highest scholastic standing. Miss Rainey completed her high school work in three years, making her first start in the Plattsmouth high school and later going to Lincoln where the family made their home in the school season. Mrs. Rainey and family are expecting to make their home here for the summer season.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our most sincere appreciation of the many acts of kindness shown us in the illness of our loved wife and mother and for the sympathy expressed in our bereavement in her passing. Also we wish to thank the friends for the beautiful flowers and assistance at the last rites.—John Fight and Children.

Masonic Grand Lodge Pays City a Visit Today

Some 500 Members of Order From All Parts of State Inspect Masonic Home.

From Tuesday's Daily—
The members of the grand lodge of the A. F. & A. M. of Nebraska, which opened its session in Omaha today, were visitors at the Nebraska Masonic Home in this city this afternoon. The members of the party, numbering some 500 and with a number of their ladies also, motored to this city shortly after the noon hour, reaching here at 1:30 and spending several hours in the Home that Masonry has dedicated to the aged and ailing members of the order, and the Eastern Star.

The grand lodge will luncheon guests of the Masonic lodges of Omaha and which organization also provided the automobiles used in the transportation of the members of the grand lodge to this city.

The Plattsmouth representatives to attend the opening of the grand lodge were Hon. James M. Robertson, president of the Nebraska Masonic Home, past grand high priest of the R. A. M. of Nebraska, and past grand commander of the Knights Templar of Nebraska; Dr. R. P. Westover, worshipful master of Plattsmouth lodge No. 6; Harrison L. Capen, master-elect of Plattsmouth lodge, No. 6; Raymond C. Cook, chairman of the grand lodge committee on charters and dispensations and William A. Robertson.

The grand lodge party was headed by Orville A. Andrews, of Lincoln, grand master of Nebraska, and John R. Tapster of North Bend, deputy grand master, and embraced representatives from Masonic lodge all over the entire state.

The committee, comprising Dr. J. B. Litchner, of Omaha, B. F. Pittman, of Chadron, Edward Burnham of Norfolk and E. C. Yant of Brock, were here Sunday and inspected the Home and made ready for the official visit of the grand lodge.

The visitors at the Home spent the time while in the city in going over the buildings, the main building and infirmary, as well as looking over the beautiful grounds that have been arranged with many new features of landscaping since the last visit of the grand lodge.

During the afternoon the members were presented with handsome booklets of views of the Home and a short history of the organization of the association that has provided care and comfort for over 400 since the Home was first thrown open to the use of the order. The booklets were the gift of Plattsmouth lodge No. 6, Nebraska chapter No. 3, R. A. M. and the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce and were printed here at the Journal.

The employees of the Home during the afternoon served light refreshments to the visiting party in the dining room of the Home.

A great deal of interest was taken in the visit as the Home is now at its capacity and it is hoped to have a new addition erected this coming summer that will permit the reception of those who wish to come here to reside, this being one of the matters that will be taken up by the grand lodge at the present session.

Miss Maxine Clodt and Miss Jean Hayes, the hostesses, were assisted by Miss Irene Welsh of Kearney, a house guest of Miss Schneider was out of town guest of the evening.

HONOR BRIDE TO BE

From Wednesday's Daily—
Last evening Mrs. Frank A. Clodt was hostess at a very charming miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Catherine Schneider, whose marriage to Mr. Eugene Burdick of Herman, Nebraska, will take place on June 16th.

The home was very attractively arranged in a color scheme of pink and blue, the June roses being used in the floral decorations of the rooms and made a very delightful setting for the event.

The time was spent in bridge and in which the high scores were secured by Miss Jean Tidball and Mrs. Carl Schneider, there being five tables of the ladies participating.

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MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE

From Tuesday's Daily—
Yesterday afternoon at the court house occurred the marriage of Miss Olga I. Tegtmeyer and D. E. Risler, both of Lincoln. The marriage lines were read by Judge A. H. Duxbury and the ceremony witnessed by Ruth E. Brook and Herbert E. Stearns, also of Lincoln. Following the wedding the bridal party returned to their home at Lincoln.

ASKS FOR DIVORCE

From Tuesday's Daily—
An action has been filed in the district court in which Chauncey D. Shupp asks that he be given a decree of divorce from Lee Ella Shupp, and that a property settlement be arranged between the parties. The plaintiff in his petition states that the parties were married in this city on May 17, 1905, that since 1928, the defendant has resided in California. They have property valued at \$12,000 and the plaintiff asks that the defendant be prevented from selling the same and that a just and equitable division be made of the property.

John F. Gorder Called to the Last Reward

Lifetime Resident of Plattsmouth and Member of One of the Pioneer Families

From Wednesday's Daily—
This morning at 3 o'clock at the family home in this city occurred the death of John F. Gorder, a lifetime resident of this city and one of the most highly esteemed men of this community. The death came after a long period of failing health and which in the last few weeks had been such as to give but little hope of his recovery. Mr. Gorder had been given treatment at Omaha and later at Rochester, Minnesota, but without avail and in the last weeks he has been ministered to tenderly by the members of the family as his life slowly faded from them.

John F. Gorder, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gorder, was born in Plattsmouth on February 1, 1881, his parents having been early residents of this community where they came in 1868 from Iowa. He grew to boyhood in this city and was educated in the city in going over the buildings, the main building and infirmary, as well as looking over the beautiful grounds that have been arranged with many new features of landscaping since the last visit of the grand lodge.

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Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. John Domingo

Well Known Residents of Weeping Water Celebrate the Occasion With Their Friends

Mr. and Mrs. John Domingo were both born in Denmark, where they grew to manhood and womanhood, and both came to America more than fifty years ago, they settling among friends from the same portion of the old country and here met and loved and on June 7, 1881, were united in marriage at the old court house in Plattsmouth, the ceremony which united their lives being said by the former Judge A. N. Sullivan.

They immediately came to the farm where Mr. Domingo had prepared a home for the bonny bride, and there engaged in housekeeping and farming. For thirty-two years they remained on the same place and made a most happy home. The farm is located a few miles north and a short distance east of Weeping Water. A number of years ago they built the home where Leslie Wiles resides and also in 1912 and 1913 they built the home in Weeping Water where they now reside, moving to town well knowing that they had worked hard and did their portion in the redeeming of the farm lands here to the highest state of cultivation and leaving it for the farming of their sons.

The marriage of this couple was blessed with four children, two sons and two daughters, they being Mrs. Leslie Wiles, Mrs. Homer Jamison, and Jesse and George Domingo.

Being and living among a people most socially inclined, they made their life a blessing to the host of friends who on the passing of the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding came in hosts to testify to their sociability to the excellence of the citizenship and neighborliness of this excellent adopted Americans. The friends getting together made this a great gala day. The Danish people being of a sociable turn of disposition, sought to do all possible to make this couple enjoy the occasion, bringing eats in abundance and which were of the very best.

The home had been decorated by the friends and under the direction of their daughter, Mrs. Leslie Wiles, became a house of beauty, the yellow and golden colors predominating. There 115 served and also all were given refreshments who came to extend congratulations, there being 260 in all.

A pretty feature of the occasion being that the bride was able to celebrate the passing of her 67th birthday on the very day of her golden wedding, she being married on her seventeenth birthday, the groom being just ten years and a month or so her senior, he being born May 5, 1871.

Besides the people present there were telegrams and cable messages as well as a perfect shower of cards evincing the pleasure of their friends at the passing of the happy event. A short time since they were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Christian Jefferson of Pomona, California, who were then on their way to Denmark for the summer and on the day of the wedding while they were on the ocean, sent via radio telegraph a message of congratulations which was gladly received. Mrs. M. M. Butler of Lincoln, who was neighbor and friend for many years, in her congratulations, though she has attained the ripe age of 83 summers, penned an original poem which added to the happiness of the event.

All in all the event was one enjoyed not alone by this happy and estimable couple, but by the many friends who were so well pleased that they were able to contribute to the happy occasion.

ROTARY CLUB MEETS

The meeting of the Rotary club Tuesday at the Majestic was under the leadership of Dr. P. T. Heinemann and the program was given over to the general review of the Rotary organization the members being called upon to tell of the organization, purpose and aims of the club.

The members also joined in a birthday song to Senal S. Davis, past president of the club who was observing his natal day, the usual birthday song was well as the stanza of the "Old Gray Mare" were given with much feeling.

GIVEN SURPRISE

Rose Mary and Richard Friedrich were greatly surprised Thursday, when the young folks from Lewiston gave a farewell party for them. Although they were sorry that Richard and Rose Mary were leaving, they enjoyed the evening immensely. Dainty refreshments consisting of home made ice cream and angel food cake were served at a late hour, and all departed, wishing Rose Mary and Richard a lively trip.

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