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Alvo News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards spent Sunday visiting with relatives at Peru.

The Edwin Taylor family, Roscoe Bird family, Wm. Kitzel family and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Friend spent Sunday at the Joe Bird home.

Mrs. Minnie Peterson is feeling some better after having been feeling very poorly the past three weeks, with a severe cold of laryngitis.

The W. C. Timblin family were among the guests present at the Young Home near Murray on Sunday, May 30th, for a picnic dinner sponsored by the Young Cemetery association.

The Mothers' and Daughters' Council will hold their final meeting for the club year next Friday afternoon. The club will close the year with a one o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. Frank Henke.

It was necessary to hold the Memorial day services in the church Sunday because of the rain, but nevertheless it did not by any means spoil the fine program. Dwight Griswold of Gordon was the guest speaker.

Mrs. Arthur Bird has been home for several days from the hospital. Her hip seems to be improving very well. The children have returned to their home after spending several days and weeks, respectively, with their injured mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fairfield went to Lincoln Tuesday and brought Mrs. Coon and son to their home for a few days. The son has been in the Orthopedic hospital at Lincoln and is now being taken to an Omaha hospital for treatment. Mrs. Coon is a sister of George Hardnock.

Takes Mother and Nephew Home
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards and family took Mrs. Edwards' mother, Mrs. Elliott and their little nephew, Paul, who have been staying at the Edwards home since the beginning of school, to Tecumseh last Sunday. Mrs. Elliott will spend the summer there with her son and care for the grandson, Paul, so the little boy can spend the summer with his father.

From Tecumseh, the Edwards family went to Peru to spend the day before returning home.

Entertains Aid Society
Mrs. Turner McKinnon, assisted by Mesdames Banning, Davis and Bradley, most delightfully entertained the Ladies Aid Society Wednesday afternoon. Twenty-three ladies were present and enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

The hostess group served very delicious refreshments.

Arrival of Fine Son
Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCartney are the proud parents of a fine son born Wednesday, June 2. Mother and son are reported to be getting along very well.

Attend Meeting at Wahoo
Mrs. Wallace, accompanied by Mrs. Jennie Kouze and Mrs. Earl Keller drove to Wahoo Tuesday for a meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Mrs. Wallace took part on the program. The ladies enjoyed a most pleasant day.

Summer Bible School
A two weeks' term of Bible school is being held at the school house. A number of people of the community are giving their time toward making this a most successful term.

A number of children who had planned to attend did not enroll the first of the week because of whooping cough.

Moved to Lincoln
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Edwards and family moved to Lincoln Saturday, so that Edgar could be close to his work. Last spring Edgar accepted

Prompt Closings
FARM 4 1/2% LOANS
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Elmwood News

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Groat were enjoying a visit from the brother of Mr. Groat, John Groat, of Hickman. Walter Woods and family visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Woods, last Sunday.

Mrs. Leland Dennis, who has been visiting here from Los Angeles at the home of her husband's parents, R. M. Dennis, will leave Tuesday for her home in the west.

Jacob Sterner, night patrolman of Elmwood, was a visitor in Denver last week, accompanying a friend who was taking a truck load of tractors to the mountain city.

In eight games of pinochle played at the Ronald Schlichtemeier home last Monday, between himself, Elmer Shreeve, Emil Rosenow and J. L. Hayes, the combined score amounted to 5,200, unequally divided.

George W. Blessing furnished his public address system and a man to operate it to the Palmyra boosters when they were making the rounds of neighboring towns advertising their two day picnic at Palmyra on June 10th and 11th, Thursday and Friday of this week.

It is told of the Boosters club of Palmyra that they hold Kangaroo Court on their friends who visit the town and do not conduct themselves in a straight faced manner, hailing them before the improvised judge, who always applies a fine which goes to the fund to pay the expenses of the big picnic which is to be held there the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Adair, of Osceola, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Penterman, coming to visit before they departed for California for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright and daughter, Phillis Mont Meadows and wife of Ralston were also visiting at the Penterman home, the ladies being sisters of Mr. Penterman. They also attended the Memorial services while here.

Thinks Country Looks Nice
Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Williams and family took a trip in their auto last Sunday, which included a visit at the farm south of Cedar Creek and on into Murray, from there to Union and back home over U. S. 34, which gave them a good view of the growing crops, which they pronounce as being very fine notwithstanding some washing by the heavy rains of last week.

Enjoyed Family Gathering
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleischman, who make their home over towards Weeping Water were host and hostess to a family gathering on last Sunday, which included a very pleasant day for all those who were there and a very fine dinner as well.

Those who were present included Mrs. Ronald Schlichtemeier and son Rollie, Bert Reber and wife, George Miller and family, Mel Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, Oscar and May Miller, Ruth and Roy Warren, Howard Taylor, Orland Burrows, Joy Miller and wife and Howard Miller as well as Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller.

Hold Memorial Services
Memorial services were duly celebrated here on Sunday, May 30, by members of the American Legion, with "His Honor" Emmitt Cook as the prime mover and arranger. The fine manner in which he looked after the details was reflected in the program carried out. The graves of American veterans—Civil, Spanish-American and World wars were properly decorated and a volley of three shots was fired in honor of the soldier dead. Rev. Jansen was the speaker of the occasion.

Had Enjoyable Time
Ronald Schlichtemeier and wife entertained the members of the Elmwood Pinochle club on last Monday evening at their home, when the members indulged in their favorite game and played the game as it should be played. However, one of the members could not get his cards to operate in a satisfactory manner and he had to take them out doors and let them cool off before the game could be concluded. The members of the party were Emil Rosenow, J. Elmer Shreeve, J. L. Hayes and the host, Ronald Schlichtemeier.

MOVES TO OMAHA
Miss Tillie Lenhoff, who has lived in Plattsmouth over 70 years, is moving this week to the Fontenelle Home in Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lenhoff brought Miss Lenhoff and her niece, Mrs. Ernest Nordin, and two great-nieces, Nancy Lou and Dee Nordin, to Plattsmouth this morning to spend the day. The group is returning to Omaha this afternoon.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. Frank Barkus returned to her home Friday afternoon from the Methodist hospital in Omaha. She is recovering nicely and hopes soon to be over the effects of her illness.

Alumni Banquet

One hundred and seventy-three members of the Elmwood high school alumni gathered at the Methodist church for the annual banquet, while the work of receiving the class of this year, which numbered twenty-one, into the organization was carried out at the Memorial building. The ladies of the Methodist church served the banquet, which was a very sumptuous affair and was enjoyed by all.

Joined in Memorial
The members of the I. O. O. F. and the Rebekahs joined with the community in the celebration of Memorial day. The members of these two orders decorated the graves of their deceased members and loved ones at the same time as the general community memorial service.

Home from School
Miss Nevada Long, who has been teaching at Central City, closed her school year very successfully and was re-elected for the coming year. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Long, drove over to Central City on last Sunday to bring the daughter home and found the country looking fair all the way, but better at some places than others. Up until they neared Lincoln the crops were looking fine and then for a number of miles on each side of the capital city, the crops were very poor. Near Central City everything was looking fine, the feed lots were filled with fine cattle and there seemed to be plenty of feed for them besides.

Family Reunion at "Bud's"
"Bud" Clements and wife entertained members of Mrs. Clements' family on Memorial Sunday, having as guests, the father, O. S. Turner, of Elmwood; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Turner and children of Marquette; Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Cook and son, of Alvo; Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Bothwell and Jean Adair, of Elmwood, and County Treasurer and Mrs. John Turner and Dorothy Jean of Plattsmouth. A sumptuous dinner was served and all enjoyed the reunion.

M. I. S. S. Club Meets at Lincoln
The members of the M. I. S. S. club met at Lincoln last Monday. A few of the members reside in the capital city but most of them make their homes in Elmwood. Among those gathered there for the very pleasant meeting were Mesdames Maude West, Hattie Rosenow, Della Greene, Ines Greene, Bertha Fitch, Verona Olsen, Vergie Keckler of Weeping Water, Etta Jones, Pearie Woodard of Lincoln, Jessie Wooders, Bessie Robb of Lincoln, Freda Stark, Mary Lake, Geneva Ellis and Ella Rosenow. They had a most excellent time and an abundance of good eats.

Enjoyed Family Gathering
The annual Smith family reunion was held Sunday, May 30, at the home of Mrs. Ellen Smith of Elmwood. All of her eleven children were present for the first time in several years. A delicious picnic dinner was served and all attended the Memorial services in Elmwood in the afternoon.

Palmyra Boosters Here
Elmwood was the first town on the scheduled booster trip for the Palmyra Old Settlers' picnic, which was staged last Tuesday. The picnic is to be held Thursday and Friday of this week, May 10 and 11.

Secure Certificate
Among the students who are in the spring class of the Peru State Teachers college, are two Cass county girls who are given elementary state certificates for teaching. These are Miss Rosemary Clويد, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Clويد of this city and Miss Dorothy Gakemeyer of Murdock.

Need Wide-spread Warfare on Grasshoppers

Local People Urge General Action Through All of State to Eradicate the Pests.

The warfare that is planned on the grasshopper pest in Cass county is one that should be joined in by all of the farm owners and tenants if it is to accomplish the desired end of checking the ravages in the coming summer.

Searl S. Davis, who handles a large number of farm properties over the county as well as his own farms, points out that unless all of the farmers co-operate in the efforts to check the spread of the hoppers through the use of the hopper poison, that much of the effectiveness will be lost.

To make the drive really effective an area that will embrace not only Nebraska but much of the nearby territory will have to be in line, as the hoppers in their migration make many hundreds of miles and unless all are prepared to exterminate them in the beginning there will be the menace of the visitations from other sections.

The government and county farm bureau agencies are providing all possible aid to the farmers and land owners in the use of the hopper poison and which many have taken advantage of over the county, but all should do this to protect the farms this summer from the inroads of the hoppers in the dry months.

left, took the equipment along, together with Marion Williams, who looked after its operation in the various towns visited. The boosters were accompanied by a band and everyone was dressed in true pioneer style. The picnic is in celebration of the golden anniversary of the town.

Some of the highlights of the Palmyra celebration include an amateur contest and a public wedding, to be sponsored by the Old Settlers' association.

Keep the dates in mind and be ready for the big show the latter part of this week.

LOCAL SHOEMAN JOINS NATIONWIDE DRIVE

"Clem" Woster, of the Fetzer Shoe Co. store has joined the nationwide foot relief campaign inaugurated by Dr. Scholl, the world-famous foot authority, and in this issue of the Journal appears an advertisement announcing participation by that store in Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Week, June 5th to 12th. Clem, who is a Scholl trained foot expert, says he will make this week a special occasion to relieve foot trouble among the people of this locality and invites everyone who has trouble with his or her feet or the shoes they are wearing to come to the store for free consultation. He is thoroughly qualified to provide relief from common foot troubles through Dr. Scholl's Comfort Appliances and Remedies, some of which will be found described in the ad. Read it!

FALLS FROM LADDER

P. T. Becker was severely bruised Friday afternoon when he fell from a ladder while working around his residence on North 11th street. Mr. Becker was engaged in cleaning out the eave spouts of the house when he slipped from the ladder and fell several feet to the ground below, striking his nose and causing a painful injury and one leg was also bruised and injured to a great extent by the force of the fall.

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Wabash News

Richard Eppings of Murdock was a visitor in Wabash for a short time Wednesday of last week.

Frank Marshall was over to Omaha last Tuesday afternoon with a load of stock for the farmers of the vicinity.

William Murfin and son, Paul, were down in Otoe county, where they were assisting Noel Golden in putting up his hay.

Henry Obernaut and wife were at Peru Wednesday, going to bring their daughter, Melba home at the completion of the school year at the college there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dorr and family were down to Falls City last Monday, where they were guests for the day at the home of Russell Dorr, who is engaged in the funeral business there.

Louis Schmidt and wife were in Plattsmouth last Tuesday, where Mr. Schmidt was called to look after business and was accompanied by his wife and children. Louis says the rain was heavier over that way.

To facilitate the work of making hay Hobert Hansen has added to his equipment in this line a new mower and a hay loader and is ready for an opportunity to try it out when the hay is dry enough to work.

Mrs. C. S. Murfin of Denver and Mrs. Seward Day of Weeping Water were guests at the Wm. Murfin home last Monday and were also visiting the Wabash-Murdock cemetery, in which they have friends buried. They were visiting with their friends in Wabash as well.

H. H. Gerbeling, who has been troubled with a very painful attack of rheumatism for some time, is feeling quite a bit worse recently as the damp weather continues. With the return of sunshine and drier weather, he feels confident his condition will improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rudolph of Eagle were in Manly, coming to visit at the home of their daughter for the day last Tuesday. Mrs. Fred Weyers and husband, Joe says there has not been as much rain around Eagle as here until Monday night when they had a good one.

Many of the farmers of this vicinity are putting up their first cutting of alfalfa. The crop is very heavy, due to the rains of recent weeks, some of which continue now and interfere with the work of making hay. With the time rapidly approaching for cultivating corn, the farm work will double up unless the alfalfa cutting is out of the way by then. Also there will be the harvesting of the small grain crop, which is no small job in itself.

Working at Springfield

Guy Hinds, who was down near Dawson, working on track for the Missouri Pacific, having the family there with him and living in a trailer house, has been transferred to Springfield. The family is back in Wabash, living in their own home, and Guy is going to and from his work daily.

WILL ENJOY VACATION

Bernard Klinger, the genial manager of the meat department at the Hinky-Dinky store will be missing from the place of business the coming week, "Dutch" enjoying a vacation away from the pork chops, hamburger, etc.

He is planning on taking a real rest and will be found busy with the fish pole along the banks of the Platte and Missouri rivers and hopes to add many a fine catfish to the family larder.

ATTEND PEONY SHOW

From Saturday's Daily—A group of Plattsmouth flower lovers drove to Shenandoah, Ia., today where they are attending the Annual Peony show. Those who drove are Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, Mrs. John Crabill, Mrs. George Mann, Miss Sophia Kraeger, and Mrs. Lillian Freeman.

John, Mary and Jack

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CHAPTER XV

The Whimsie Bridge Club met every Thursday afternoon at the home of one of its members. Naturally, all of the members were deeply involved in learning the intricacies of Contract. For two hours each week, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Brown and their ten friends concentrated on Culbertson with the madness of martiny. There came an hour each afternoon, however, when brains no longer functioned and card sense seemed to wane. Conversation drifted into other and more pleasant channels and those with common interests drew apart in isolated groups.

This social hour enabled Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Brown to exchange their views on babies. Billy did this today, or Jack learned that yesterday. This last unburied hour each week was much more pleasant than the first two hours of concentration.

Today, however, Mrs. Brown was worried. "I wonder," she said, "if that early habit of sucking his thumb has injured Billy's mouth."

"I don't think so," replied Mrs. Reynolds. "You cured him of it so quickly, I'm sure nothing could have developed in such a short time."

"Just the same," said Mrs. Brown, "I'd feel dreadful if he developed a rabbit face—you know what I mean—upper front teeth sticking out and no chin."

"Don't be silly," said Mrs. Reynolds. "I'm sure that won't happen, but I'll tell you what we'll do. We'll have Dr. Young look at his mouth and set his advice."

The next afternoon found both young mothers and Billy in Dr. Young's office. After carefully examining the youngster's teeth, the dentist assured Mrs. Brown that, as far as he could ascertain, the shape of Billy's jaws had not been injured.

"I'm glad we brought him to see you, doctor. I feel much relieved. I suppose if we had not cured his thumb-sucking habit so quickly, he might have injured his mouth."

"Quite probably," replied Dr. Young. "Prolonged thumb-sucking usually changes the shape of the bony structure of the mouth, I say 'usually' because it doesn't always work out that way. I have heard of thumb-sucking cases where the face was not deformed, but it does become deformed so often from this habit that it should most certainly be discouraged."

"You see, the bones of a small child are so soft and pliable that the least bit of constant pressure can influence their growth. Funny thing about children. They can develop the queerest habits. Thumb-sucking is only one of them. Some children form the habit of biting the lips or cheeks; others bite the tongue. Some form the habit of sleeping with the face buried in a pillow, while others sleep with the hands under one side of the face. Many school children develop the habit of studying with the elbow propped on the desk and the head propped against the hand. All of these habits may, in time, cause facial deformities. Up until a few years ago, we had another serious problem on our hands—the use of a pacifier. You don't see many pacifiers any more. Mothers have learned that they are not good for children, but it was a long, hard fight to convince them that their use was wrong. Even yet, in some parts of the country, I understand that some mothers can be found who give them to their children."


"Mouth breathing is another bad habit which deforms and injures the child's face. Many children develop the habit of mouth breathing during infancy, although the habit may not become definitely discernible until the child is five or six years old. Mouth breathing is often caused by some obstruction to nasal breathing, such as adenoids, enlarged tonsils, or a deflected nasal septum."

"That old saying about a man being a bundle of habits applies to children as well, doesn't it?" said Mary.


"Absolutely," replied Dr. Young. "It is during infancy and childhood that many habits are formed. Good habits can be formed by constant repetition. Bad habits are formed in the same way, and, from a dental standpoint, some of these early pernicious habits certainly play havoc with a youngster's teeth and jaws."

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