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War Nurse Writes Of Life In South Pacific War Zone

Florence Lowson, Former Resident of Plattsmouth Tells of Experiences in "Down Under"

Lt. Florence Lowson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Lowson of Wymore, has been stationed in Australia for several months and recently has been nursing in a hospital, taking care of wounded men from the battlefronts. She writes an interesting letter of her experiences:

Australia, 11-23-43

Dearest Folks:

I received Daddy's V-mail on the 15th. I regret to say I have not seen Aunt Mabel nor even phoned her. I'm much farther from her than you think. However, since you sent her address I have written them, and will do all I can to spend a few days with them before leaving Australia. I will no doubt get leave after six months here. It doesn't seem to be too difficult to get, and I will be able to fly down.

At present I'm on night duty. I'm specializing two very sick boys. So I keep busy. I'm much happier since I'm working. In fact, so far as my work is concerned I'm happier than I've been since joining the army. There seems so much more need for it here. You can't realize the pities of war over here. Sometimes, I think it a shame. Perhaps we wouldn't have so many if more people could see it first hand. I never before realized the complacency of people on the side. These boys are going thru hell. There is no other way to express it. And the pitiful part is they, or any of us will never be able to make those at home understand. God grant that it is soon over. I've always realized it was wicked, but never like this.

As I told you there is a fine chaplain here. We went to church Sunday. He shows great preparation and extreme sincerity. He seems to challenge one just as you do, and yet gives great comfort, where it is needed so desperately.

I can't imagine how long it will take to adjust to normal living again after 18 months or two years of this. It is so abnormal and so tiring. I feel for the girls who have put in two years here already. They feel as if they have almost lost contact with the States. These places are so remote.

By the time this reaches you, you will be preparing for the holidays. I shall miss you a great deal. It doesn't seem at all like Christmas here. It is so very hot.

If you can will you send me a couple of good books. I miss reading, and can't get anything here. Also some rit to dye white hose. We don't wear whites, and I may as well be using these I have, and some lobby pins. Thanks.

Wish everyone a Merry Christmas for me. I'll be thinking of you. All my love, Florence.

Visit Here Christmas

Pvt. Lester Curtis, who is in the armed service as a member of the army, arrived home from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Christmas and will be here several days to visit relatives and old friends. He has just recently been taken into the service and is still at the induction center.

- ON YOUR WAY -

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City Council Has Short Session Monday Night

Report Received of the Work Accomplished by Street Force—New Councilman Takes Place

The Plattsmouth city council Monday evening had a very short and snappy session with President W. H. Puls, presiding in the absence of Mayor R. B. Hayes, who is in Pennsylvania for the holiday season.

The session also was featured by the swearing in of C. R. Olson, as the member from the second ward to succeed Don Seivers, resigned. Mr. Olson will take over the committee assignments of Mr. Seiver.

The council received a lengthy communication from the League of Nebraska Municipalities as to the services of the league in the past, and the reminder that the annual dues were due. On motion, the city clerk was authorized to send a warrant for the sum of \$24, the city again was assured of its membership.

The tax and property committee through Chairman Svoboda recommended that the city clerk and mayor make tax deed to the property that had been purchased by Mrs. Lorene Urish in the south part of the city.

Chairman Schutz of the streets, alleys and bridges committee, reported that the street force had been engaged in grading streets in the west part of the city, the force also finishing their work on Lincoln avenue. Mr. Schutz reported that the street force was clearing debris along Washington avenue and expected to be out on Chicago avenue in a short time. A bridge on west Vine street was in need of repairs and the county commissioner had promised to look after the matter.

Chairman Nelson of the parks and improvement committee, reported that needed repairs had been made on the city fall to make it ready for the winter season.

Councilman Rebal reported that a contract had been received from H. H. Henningsen Co., as to engineering, that had been placed in the hands of Mayor R. B. Hayes for his disposition. Mr. Rebal also called the attention of the councilmen to the forthcoming budget, the need of checking the expenditures of each department.

The following bills were ordered paid by the council:

Road Fund	
W. H. Gochenour, labor	\$54.60
Richard Gochenour, same	54.60
Virgil Arnold, same	24.20
John Kubicka, same	35.20
Noah Parker, material	3.00
W. H. Gochenour, material	1.50
A. L. Huebner, gas	19.69

General Fund	
D. O. Dwyer, Perkins house abstract	25.00
A. L. Tidd, extending abstract	25.00
John Kubicka, labor	4.40
Albert Olson, stamps and expenses	3.00

Business Tax Fund	
John Kubicka, street work	\$8.80

Dog Tax Fund	
Virgil Arnold, burying 1 dog	.60
Street Lighting Fund	
Virgil Arnold, labor	4.40
Gasoline Tax Fund	
Lyman-Richey, gravel	222.12
Lyman-Richey, haul gravel	20.06

Buy War Bonds

Funeral of Mrs. Ripple

The funeral services for Mrs. Rozinna Ripple were held this morning at the Holy Rosary church in the west part of the city where she had been a member for a number of years.

The impressive requiem mass of the church was celebrated by Father J. R. Sinkula, pastor of the church, and the choir assisting in the mass. There was a number of the old family friends from Omaha present at the Sattler funeral home and later at the church to pay their last tributes to this excellent lady.

The burial was at Oak Hill cemetery, beside the husband and the son, Plattsmouth youth killed in the first World War.

The pallbearers were old friends: James Sedlak, Mike Vetesnek, Timothy Kahoutek, Adolph Koubek, Frank J. Koubek and John V. Svoboda.

File Assault Charges

Deputy Sheriff Emery Duddy on Sunday evening was called upon to arrest Dallas Redden and Monroe Lockwood on a complaint of Charles Daniels. Daniels was very severely beaten up and was in bad condition when filing the charges. Redden and Lockwood both made pleas of not guilty when arraigned before Judge C. L. Graves, and the appearance bonds set in the sum of \$300 each and the hearing set for January 6th. The defendant, Redden, stated to the officers that Lockwood had no part in the affair.

Kenneth White Honored

Last week at the Marine Corps training base at San Diego, Calif., Kenneth White proved that the Nebraska boys can shoot with the nation's best riflemen, when he scored 315 points out of a possible 340 to take top honors in his platoon and place eighth in a field of some 3,000 trainees. This score, along with his excellent physical record was sufficient to win him the coveted Sea School appointment. Immediately after graduation last Tuesday, Kenneth started on a ten-day furlough, arriving in Plattsmouth Friday evening.

His visit home has been made doubly enjoyable by the fact that his brother, Midshipman Allan White, is also home on leave from his duties at Annapolis, Md.

Injured in Wreck

Sheriff Joe Mrasek was called Sunday evening to the scene of an accident on highway No. 75, north of Plattsmouth. The truck of the Radbery Transfer Co., of Talmage, driven by John L. Bremer of Talmage, was coming south at the time that a car driven by J. S. Sanders, was going north on the highway, the car striking the side of the box of the truck and almost tearing off the entire top of the car.

Mr. Sanders was gravely injured and removed to St. Joseph's hospital, Omaha, in the Sattler ambulance.

Brothers Meet in Pacific

The Edward Bashus family of this city had one of the greatest thrills of their lives when they received a letter from their son, Leonard Bashus, U. S. Coast Guard, now stationed in the Hawaiian Islands. It told of the meeting of Leonard with his younger brother, Edward Tashus, who has been in the thickest of the marine fighting in the South Pacific islands.

Leonard was asleep in his barracks, at the coast guard quarters, when one morning came the telephone message, on answering the call it was found to be from Edward, who had just landed with a party of marines for a rest from their hard fighting in the Tarawa invasion. It took Leonard little time to reach the marine headquarters and to meet the brother whom he had not seen since they both enlisted. Edward was tired and worn with the fierceness of the ordeal he had been through, but in their happy meeting the hardships of war were forgotten.

Visits Old Home

Lieut. James K. Lee, of Greenville, Pennsylvania, was here Monday to attend the funeral services of his grandmother, the late Mrs. Rozinna Ripple, and a short visit with his mother, Mrs. May C. Martin.

Lieutenant Lee has been a member of the C.A.C. for the past eighteen months and prior to that was the manager of the J. C. Penny store at Greenville.

It has been ten years since Lieutenant Lee was here and he noted many changes in the community and old friends. Owing to the shortness of his leave he departed from Omaha Monday night.

Suffers Broken Leg

Mrs. J. E. Meisinger suffered a severe injury on Monday afternoon while engaged in working in the basement of her home at 7th and Granite streets. Mrs. Meisinger had been working at some of the household tasks in the basement and in some manner fell to the floor with the result that the right leg was fractured. The injured lady was taken in the Sattler ambulance to the St. Catherine's hospital at Omaha to have the leg set and the patient treated.

Christmas Visitors

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rosborough and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hansen was the scene of a pleasant holiday party Saturday, when a number from Lincoln were here for the day. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. William M. Rosborough, Clyde's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rosborough, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Lee, Mrs. Dean Rosborough, Mrs. Julia Eggleston.

Dinner guests at the Herman Hennings home on Sunday, December 26, included Mrs. Elizabeth Hennings, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Born, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Born and son, George, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Born, Donald and Ellen Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Egenberger entertained a large group of the relatives for the holiday at their home at 7th and Vine streets. Those enjoying the day were L. B. Egenberger, father of L. W., Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Egenberger, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter and Beverly Ann, of Omaha, Mrs. John S. Egenberger and John Louis, of Nebraska City, Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Egenberger.

Sunday the H. E. Becker home was the scene of a very pleasant family party when they entertained at dinner, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallinger, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willis of near Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidtman and daughter, Janis, Mr. and Mrs. John Sattler, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Egenberger.

Miss Dora Fricke was a holiday visitor in Omaha where she was a guest of her sister, Mr. Russell Harris, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Holman entertained the brother and sisters of Mrs. Holman for the holiday on Christmas. A very fine dinner was served and the afternoon was spent in playing games. These were present to enjoy the event Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bethel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wolski and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sporer and family, Mrs. Ray Anderson of Blair, sister of Mrs. Holman, Buddie Stoll and William Sporer of Murray. One brother, Archie Stull, now in the armed service, was unable to attend.

To Undergo Operation

Bernard Ulrich will be operated on Tuesday morning at Doctors' hospital at Omaha, for the removal of a tumor that has been bothering him for some time. The operation will make necessary a long period of recuperation before he can resume his school work.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO ALL
Happy New Year
1944

HAPPY NEW YEAR

For many years in succession we have been wishing our friends and customers a Happy New Year. It is with the greatest of pleasure that we now renew this custom. Many thanks, and every good wish for you.

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Thomas Porter Bennett, Minister

SUNDAY AT 10:45 A. M.

NEW YEARS SERMON: Have You Included God and the Church in Your New Year's Resolutions?

You will need God perhaps more in 1944 than any other year of your life!

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NOTICE OF HEARING

ESTATE NO. 3737
Estate of Luella Campbell, Deceased.

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska: To all persons interested in said estate creditors and heirs take notice, that Andrew T. Campbell has filed his petition alleging that Luella Campbell died intestate in Cass County, Nebraska on or about November 11, 1935 being a resident and inhabitant of Cass County, Nebraska, and died seized of the following described real estate, to-wit: The SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 28, also the West 71 acres of the East 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 29, except one acre (Lot 3), all in Township 11, North, Range 14 East of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska, leaving as her sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit: Andrew T. Campbell, husband; Oscar Campbell, son; Frances Campbell, daughter; and Daisy Hutchison, daughter.

That no application for administration has been made, and the estate of said decedent has not been administered, in the State of Nebraska.

That the interest of the petitioner in the above described real estate is owner in fee simple title by inheritance and purchase and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Luella Campbell and of her heirs, the degree of kinship and the right of descent of the real property belonging to the said decedent, in the State of Nebraska.

It is ordered that the same stand for hearing on the 7th day of January, 1944, before the County Court of Cass County in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M.

Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 13th day of December A. D. 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge

NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ferdinand Panzer, deceased. No. 3738.

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Walter H. Smith as executor thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 14th day of January, 1944, at 10 A. M.

Dated this 17th day of December 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge
Cass County, Nebraska

In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF IOLA OPE, GUARDIAN OF CARL OPE, JR., A MINOR, FOR LICENSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that under license granted Iola Ope, guardian of Carl Ope, Jr., a minor, by the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, said guardian will sell at Public Auction at the South Front Door of the Court House, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on January 27, 1944, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described real estate, to-wit: an undivided one-fourth interest in Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Block 42; an undivided nine-eighths interest in Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block 42; and an undivided nine-eighths interest in the South Half of Lots 1 and 2 in Block 13, all in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska. Said sale will be held open for one hour. Terms of sale 20% cash at time of sale, balance on confirmation and delivery of deed.

IOLA OPE, GUARDIAN OF CARL OPE, JR., A MINOR.
J. HOWARD DAVIS, ATTORNEY
28w-12-27; 1-3, 10

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of Gem Johnson, deceased. No. 3734: Take notice that the time limit for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is April 24th, 1944; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on April 28th, 1944, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated December 24th, 1943.

Paul E. Fauquet,
County Judge

The present with a future—WAR BONDS for CHRISTMAS. Keep on Backing the Attack.

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