

# Plattsmouth Personals

By Mildred Hall

### Presbyterian Circles

Circles two, three and four of the Presbyterian Federation held their regular monthly business meetings Wednesday afternoon after postponement last week.

Circle two, under the direction of the chairman, Miss Helen Hunter, met at the home of Mrs. Glen Vallery with twenty-five members present.

Mrs. John Gorder had charge of the lesson, using a Christmas story as one feature and a lesson, Christmas Meditation, from the regular missionary lesson book, "Women and Missions," used by the federation.

Assisting Mrs. Vallery were Mrs. Leslie Neil, Mrs. John Bauer and Mrs. C. A. Johnson.

Circle three met at the home of Mrs. Luke Wiles under the direction of Mrs. Guy Wiles, chairman, with fifteen members and five guests present.

After the routine business meeting, Mrs. T. I. Friest led the devotionals and gave the lesson, using Thanksgiving and Christmas as her theme.

Assistant hostesses were Mrs. D. S. Sumner, Mrs. John Rutherford, Mrs. Fred Rutherford and Mrs. T. E. Olson.

Circle four held its regular evening meeting at the home of Mrs. Wayne Gorton with Mrs. Gerald Kiel, Mrs. Bernice Smith, Miss Naomi Owen and Mrs. William Schmidmann as assisting hostesses. Nineteen members were present.

The meeting was under the direction of Miss Helen Farley and Miss Pearl Staats had charge of the missionary lesson for the meeting.

### Aid Society Meets

The Christian church Aid Society held its regular monthly social meeting in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon with a large crowd of members and guests present.

The program was under the

direction of Mrs. Clovis Day, who used Thanksgiving as the theme. Two games were played in which Mrs. C. O. Carlberg and Mrs. C. J. White held the high score. Mrs. Jess Hodge sang "Tis Jesus" with Mrs. C. J. White serving as her accompanist and Mrs. J. R. Stine gave the reading, "Just a Husband."

Hostesses for the afternoon included Mrs. C. J. Minniear, chairman, Mrs. W. Wasley, Mrs. C. F. Zimmerman, Mrs. Blanche Rhoden and Mrs. Carl Senf.

### Taken to Hospital

R. D. Stiles was taken to the University hospital Thursday morning in the Sattler ambulance. He expects to undergo a series of treatments.

### Receives Discharge

Kenneth Armstrong, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Armstrong, received his discharge from the army air corps at Sioux City, Ia., last Sunday. He is now at the home of his parents.

The Armstrongs have received a letter from their other son, William, stating that he is now on his way home from India where he has been serving with the air corps. He left there on November 14 and expects to arrive in New York December 2.

### Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Hillard Grassman underwent a minor operation Wednesday at the Methodist hospital in Omaha. She returned home Thursday and is getting along as well as can be expected.

### Has Short Leave

Robert Grassman is at home on a short leave and will return Friday to his studies in the NROTC at Lawrence, Kansas.

### Catholic Daughters

The monthly social meeting of the Catholic Daughters was held at the home of Mrs. Hermia Svoboda with Miss Josephine Rys and Miss Antonia Vanek assisting.

Plans were completed for the Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. William Woolcott on December 12. Entertainment for the evening consisted of bridge and pinocle games with Mrs. Agnes Walling having the high score in bridge and Mrs. Marie Kanoutek being the winner in pinocle.

Clothing was brought to be sent to St. Thomas orphanage at Lincoln. The members responded well to this request and a large collection was made.

### Here on Business

Mr. and Mrs. Will Homan and Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Homan of Weeping Water were in Plattsmouth Wednesday afternoon taking care of business.

### Visits Parents

Mrs. Paul Vandervoort arrived Wednesday evening from her home in California and will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bullin, for two or three weeks. This was a great surprise to the Bullin family since they did not know of their daughter's plans to make this visit.

### Okishi Campfire

Okishi campfire group held its regular meeting Tuesday evening in the library auditorium. After their regular business meeting plans were made to spend Saturday afternoon at the home of Margaret Gaines weaving holders to sell.

### Entertain for Friend

Five girls of St. John's school entertained Wednesday evening in the form of a theater party for Peggy Kriskey who is moving away from town. The party comprised Mary Cullen, Sally Gaines, Phyllis Troop, Patty Hadraha and Kathleen Feldhausen. Following the show they went down town for refreshments.

## First Witness Called at Trial

**NURENBERG, (AP)—**The No. 2 man in Nazi secret service, Maj. Gen. Erin Lahouser, has been summoned as the first witness in the war crimes trial, presumably to give an inside picture of Nazi plots and secret dealings, it was learned Thursday.

Lahouser's testimony, it was reported, may be the most sensational yet presented in the trial of the 20 top Nazi leaders.

Lahouser was chief assistant of Admiral Wilhelm Canaris, chief of Nazi intelligence service. Canaris is believed to have been executed by the Gestapo last April a few days before the Nazi collapse when Adolf Hitler received information indicating Canaris was plotting against him.

Lahouser held the No. 2 post in the intelligence set up from 1938 to 1943 and was hospitalized in 1944 after the July 20th attempt to assassinate Hitler. He was one of those who was in the room when the plotters' bomb exploded.

Testimony submitted Thursday disclosed that Germany was preparing a two front war in Europe as early as 1937 and that the Nazi high command thought Russia was fully prepared for such a conflict.

## Thomas Mann Says Trials Are Just

**PACIFIC PALISADES, Calif., Nov. 29 (AP)—**Thomas Mann, expatriate German philosopher, said Thursday in a statement exclusive to United Press that the Nazi war criminal trials were based on the universal "law of peace."

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# Calendar

### Thursday, November 29

Guild of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church. Social and entertainment meeting 2:30 p. m.  
Presbyterian church family covered dish supper given by Circle 3 in church parlors at 6 p. m.

### Friday, November 30

Navy Mother's club at home of Mrs. Emma Chovanek, 2:30 p. m.  
Chapter F, P. E. O. at the home of Mrs. Luke Wiles, 2:30 p. m.  
Myard Community Club, election of officers, Community Hall, 8 p. m.

### Sunday, December 2

Covered Dish supper in parlors of St. Paul's Evangelical church, 6 p. m. Sponsored by Guild.

### Monday, December 3

Women's Club annual Christmas party at the home of Miss Barbara Gering, 8 p. m. Social committee assisting hostesses.  
Blue Lodge, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.  
Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8 p. m.

### Tuesday, December 4

Rotary Club luncheon, Hotel Plattsmouth.  
I. O. O. F. Lodge meeting at hall, 8 p. m.  
Eastern Star, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.

### Wednesday, December 5

Campfire Girls Chorus, Central auditorium, 7 p. m.  
Holy Rosary Altar Society at home of Mrs. Hermia Svoboda, 7:30 p. m.  
Aid Society First Christian church, in church parlors. Business meeting, 2:30 p. m.  
Presbyterian Federation in church parlors, 2:30 p. m.  
St. John's Altar Society, St. John's hall, 2:30 p. m.

### Thursday, December 6

Women's Society of Christian Service, Methodist Church parlors, 2:30 p. m.  
St. Luke's Women's Auxiliary, Church parlors, 2:30 p. m.

If your club or organization is having a meeting or party you would like included in the Calendar, please call the Journal at 6 or 45. We'll be glad to have it.

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was later cleared by a Federal grand jury.

In the house, Rep. Albert D. Gore, D., Tenn., and Rep. Christian A. Herter, R., Mass., teamed up to introduce a resolution calling for a special seven-member committee to investigate the recruitment and training of foreign service personnel, and the administration and application of foreign policy to occupied areas formerly held by the enemy.

Herter, who in a recent tour of Europe found "the whole foreign service system demoralized," said that since the army plans to transfer control of occupied territories next year to civilian administrators, he wants to know how these civilians will be selected and trained.

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estimated that more than seven million dollars worth of advertising was affected.

2. Striking Ford of Canada workers at Windsor, Ont., just across the river from Detroit, were to vote today on whether to accept a formula by Canadian labor minister Humphrey Mitchell designed to end the 11-week strike affecting 20,000 workers. The nature of the formula was not disclosed.

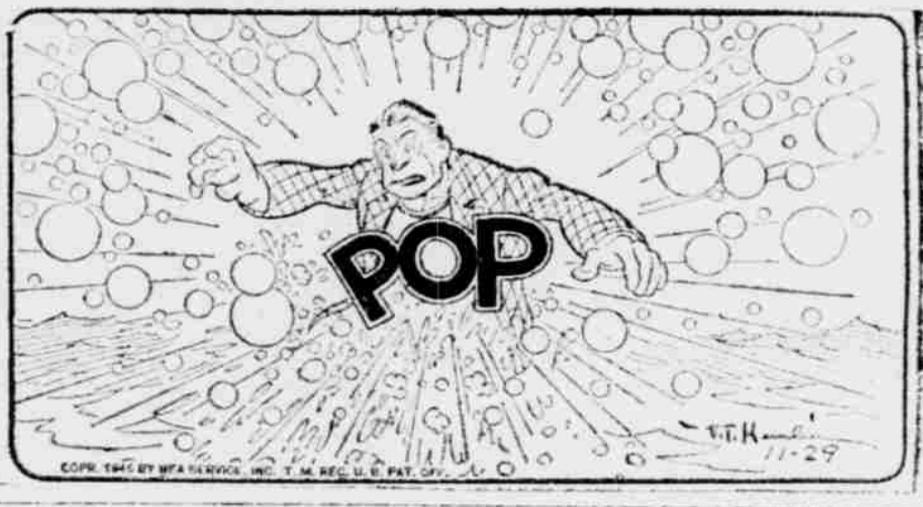
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**NEW YORK, N. Y. —** The American people have a rich opportunity to raise their average length of life to 70 years in the near future, say the statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. The average life-time in this country, they note, has already been increased by one third in the last half century, and is now 65 years.

"Already plans are under way in many areas of the country," say the statisticians, "for the expansion of health facilities and services, and for broadening and intensifying medical research. Even during the war period extensive benefits were being derived from the use of sulfa drugs, penicillin, blood plasma, blood albumen, and other recent discoveries. The more widespread application of these effective medical weapons and of developments in the science of nutrition will undoubtedly reduce still further the toll of preventable death."

The prevention of accidents, the conquest of cancer, and greater attention to diseases of the heart and arteries will go far toward bringing the average length of life to 70 years.

"Accidents," the statisticians report, "overshadow by a wide margin every other cause of death throughout the greater part of life among white males. In the broad age range 1 to 44 years, accidents constitute almost one third of the deaths from all causes among these men; in the decade of life from 15 to 24 years, the proportion is as much as one half. Even among girls and young women the loss of life from accidents is large. It is clearly urgent that in the extensive building and reconversion program now getting

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retained and an effort made to secure a thorough farmer control and administration and to coordinate activities of all government agencies of like nature.

4. Favored state legislation appropriating funds to take up the bonds on the state fair grounds and buildings so that the fairboard no longer will need revenue from the midway and will be able to "clean it up."

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to the fact that parties now in dispute held their grievances in check during the war. New strikes, since August, he said, totalled about 1500, involving about 1,500,000 workers.

He said that time lost through work stoppages since August was estimated at .76 of one percent of the total working time available.

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Andrei A. Gromyko, in committee debate at the UNO preparatory commission conference went unanswered by any of the six mandatory powers represented.

The problem was considered of a plan to establish a temporary trusteeship committee to function until some territories are placed under the trusteeship system when a permanent trusteeship council is formed. The problem cannot be solved until some trusteeships are created, since it is to be composed of half trust and half non-trust nations.

## Censors Hide News About Cyclotron

**TOKYO, Nov. 29, (AP)—**Allied civil censors Thursday announced that a statement of U. S. atom scientists denouncing the destruction of a Japanese cyclotron by occupation authorities had been banned for publication in the newspaper Mainichi.

A statement from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters said, meanwhile, that destruction of the Japanese cyclotrons last week

had been "specifically ordered by higher authority."

Wrecking of the machines was denounced by scientists at the Oak Ridge, Tenn., atomic bomb project as "a crime against humanity—as irreparable and ill-considered an act as would be burning of Japanese libraries or of smashing of printing presses."

This statement was banned because it "discredited occupation authorities in the eyes of the Japanese people."

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