

Plattsmouth Personals

By Mildred Hall Phone 45

Ill in California

Mrs. A. Dove Asch, who makes her home in Los Angeles, California, with her niece, Edith Eaman Purviance, is under treatment in a sanitarium where she has been bedfast for some time. She has received many greetings and letters from Cass county friends and old neighbors which have given her a great deal of pleasure.

Returns from Kansas

Raymond Cook, grand high priest of the Royal Arch Masons of Nebraska, spent several days in Topeka, Kansas, where he attended the grand chapter of the Royal Arch Masons of Kansas.

Assist Farmer

Members of the Friendly Farmers Unit of the Farm Bureau went to the home of Ford V. Heim, who has been ill with pneumonia since January 4, to husk a field of corn last Monday. When the husking was finished, ladies of the group served the men with a hot lunch. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Halmes, Peter Halmes, La Verne Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. John Halmes, Billy Halmes, Art Sprick, Otto Peterit, Marvin Peterit, Earl Selby, Gordon Wilcox, Clyde Meisinger, Mr. and Mrs. August Siemoneit, Mr. and Mrs. John Parkening, Ralph Parkening, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weiss, Mrs. Art Weiss, Emil Schmidt and Fritz Siemoneit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parkening were hosts to eighteen members and two guests of the Friendly Farmers Unit of the Farm Bureau at its regular meeting last Friday. The road situation was discussed and the recent taxpayers meeting at Weeping Water was discussed by the group. Plans were made to husk the remaining corn for one of the members, Ford V. Heim, who has been ill in the hospital with pneumonia for the past five weeks.

Following the business meeting the members of the unit in an

spent playing cards. Refreshments were served by the hosts.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schmidt on March 8 when the topic for discussion will be "Soil Conservation."

Welcoming Party

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lepert, who were recently married, were welcomed to their home by neighbors when friends and neighbors went to their home Wednesday evening for a party. The evening was spent getting acquainted with Mrs. Lepert and treats of candy and cigars were passed by the hosts.

Guests Leave

Mrs. J. J. Smock and her son, Harold, of Downing, Mo., and her daughter, Mrs. Keener Price and her sons, Keener and Kenneth, of Memphis, Mo., left Wednesday for their homes after spending the past week in Plattsmouth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smock and with Mr. and Mrs. William Henriksen of Omaha. Harold Smock will go into the armed forces sometime during this month.

Flower Club Meeting

Mrs. Joe Sikora was hostess to members of the Social Workers Flower club at its regular meeting held at her home on February 13. Mrs. George Mumm assisted in serving the two-course lunch.

Mrs. Sam Gilmore, president of the club, presided at the meeting opened with the group singing America and a prayer. Reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved and a report was heard on the donations made to the Service Center at the Union station in Omaha through the Plattsmouth canteen. All of the members made donations with a total of 38 dozen eggs, three jars of pickles, 1 cake, four dozen cookies and \$1.50 in cash. Three members assisted in making sandwiches. Two dollars were also given to the March of Dimes campaign. Patterns for quilt blocks

were given each member to piece twelve blocks.

Five visitors, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. Jim Goehnen, Mrs. Elmer Hafka, Mrs. Stanley Lepert and Mrs. Dorothy Rumph, and fourteen members were present at the meeting.

Mrs. Jim Lepert will be the hostess at the all-day quilting party at her home when each member will bring a covered dish for the noon meal.

Here for Funeral

Mrs. Ted Akeson was in Plattsmouth to attend the funeral services for Walter Hickey held on Thursday afternoon at the Sattler funeral home.

Arrives Home

Arthur Capper, the son of Mrs. Cleo Capper, arrived home Wednesday afternoon following his discharge from the navy at the Great Lakes separation center earlier in the week.

Receives Discharge

Wayne Gorton arrived home on Tuesday from service with the army. He received his discharge at Fort Logan, Colo.

Breakfast Club

The Credit Women's Breakfast club had its regular meeting at Phil's Cafe Wednesday evening, with eighteen members present. Miss Ann Hassler, president, had charge of the business meeting following the dinner served by the staff at the cafe.

Mrs. Sig Nelson had charge of the lesson and discussed as her subject, "The Part Personality Plays in Business." The next meeting will be held on March 12.

Celebrates Birthday

George Taylor was honored on his 67th birthday Wednesday when his daughters surprised him with a dinner party. The afternoon was spent visiting and playing cards. Present at the party were Mrs. Harry Winscott, Mrs. Sherman Winscott, Mrs. Kenneth Downing and her daughter, Donna Marie, and Mrs. James Churchill and her two daughters, Karen Kay and Janet of Omaha and Mrs. Marion Sneek and her daughter, Bonnie Jean and Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor of Plattsmouth.

UNO Assembly Is Ready to Adjourn

LONDON.—(U.P.)—The United Nations assembly prepared to adjourn sine die Thursday night, ringing down the curtain on five weeks and one day work in London.

UNO officials arrived for a late night session to hear a farewell address by British prime minister Clement R. Attlee. The arrangements were contingent on the assembly completing its work on half a dozen matters before 10 p. m. (4 p. m. est.).

The assembly opened the plenary session and planned to sit until its work was done, reserving the late session for closing formalities.

But all of the UNO work will not be done when the assembly adjourns. The secretary council will sit for two or three days more to consider charges by Syria and Lebanon that the presence of Anglo-French troops there threatening the peace.

Family of Four Dies In Fire Thursday

ZION, Ill.—(U.P.)—A family of four was burned to death early Thursday by a fire which swept the two-story frame building where they lived.

John Korunka, 39, his wife, Laberta, 37, and their children, Diana, 2-1/2 and John, Jr., 11 months, apparently were overcome by smoke and trapped by the blaze.

They were caught in their second-floor apartment when flames roared up the stairway. The family on the first floor escaped without injury.

Firemen, battling the flames in the midst of a blizzard, said the position of the bodies indicated that Mr. and Mrs. Korunka had sacrificed their chance to flee in a vain effort to rescue the children.

Firemen said the blaze apparently was caused by an overheated furnace.

Committee Approves 65 Cent Increase In Minimum Wage

WASHINGTON, (U.P.)—The senate labor committee Thursday approved a bill to raise the minimum wage to 65 cents an hour. It added amendments which would bring between 2,000,000 and 4,000,000 additional workers under the wage law.

The present state minimum wage is 40 cents an hour. Chairman James E. Murray, D., Fla., said the bill probably will be ready for senate action next Monday. In its present form the bill provides for an immediate change in the wages and hour law to put the

Calendar

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.

Thursday, February 14
Women's Auxiliary and St. Mary's Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Cummins, 2:30 p. m.

Goldenrod Study Club at the home of Mrs. Will Minford at Murray, 2:30 p. m.
Catholic Information Course Holy Rosary Parish Hall, 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. Open to the public.
Myriad Farm Bureau Unit, Myriad Community Hall 8 p. m.

Friday, February 15
American Legion Auxiliary, 40 et 8 club, 8 p. m.
Okiki Campfire council fire at Central Building auditorium. Public invited, 8 p. m.

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Lost and Found 4

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Help Wanted 10

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BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN

CERTAIN people tell the truth—uncertain ones are likely not to.

An Ohio man was arrested after robbing 24 homes in one week. Working too hard is sure to get you.

The New York Purchasing Department offered 2500 white mice for sale. Think of the mothers who will jump up on kitchen chairs.

And now the moon has been contacted by radar. Are there any homes for rent?

A Los Angeles man asked divorce because his wife charged him \$5 for each kiss. Is that exactly fair—five smackers for one?

minimum wage at 65 cents per hour for two years. At the end of that time the minimum would rise to 70 cents an hour for the next two years, after which it would go to 75 cents at the beginning of the 10th year following passage.

An amendment introduced by Senator Claude Pepper, D., Fla., extends coverage to include certain type of retail establishments.

Read Journal Want Ads

Lady Detective Gets "Goods" on Wayward Wives

CHICAGO, (U.P.)—"Who was that man I seen you with last night?" Is a question that puts much more than \$64 into the pockets of Mrs. Lillian Thomas. She is a lady detective, and a grandnaw. And good looking.

With the divorce rate booming Mrs. Thomas's income is blooming. Her job is to find out if there's anything tall, dark and handsome in wives' lives.

"There was the Chicago judge whose wife ran away," she recalled, "she wined him from Phoenix, asking for more money."

"I went out there. I had a picture of her and she was a striking type, so I knew her instantly. It wasn't long before we were close friends."

"This wife—she must have been a tramp before she was married—would hang around bars, collecting men. She always paid the bill. But she lived in the rattlest little hotel. I moved over there to keep a line on her. Had to keep the lights on all night, so many vermin crawling around."

Mrs. Thomas explained that she meant cockroaches. "It's a funny thing," she said, "but you get mountains of evidence on some woman, and then the husband doesn't do anything about it. Generally, he takes her back."

The dainty detective could be prejudiced. When she was getting her divorce 12 years ago, she used a detective agency. In her case, when she got the evidence she got a divorce. Then she went to work for the agency.

"It seems wealthy men can't think of any other way to spend their money, so they have their wives shadowed, just to know what they're doing."

"Of course, I felt sorry for one husband. His wife was playing sick. Said she was about to have a nervous breakdown. I was called in as a 'nurse.'"

"What an act she'd put on whenever her husband was in the room. Then the second he'd leave she'd become a changed woman all quiet and nice. She was trying to get his sympathy. Instead, she got his goat."

"I don't carry a gun, but this was one case on which I wished I'd had one."

Oklahoma Tornado Causes Wide Damage

ARDMORE, Okla., (U.P.)—Oklahoma highway patrol officers Thursday estimated at more than \$200,000 damage from a tornado which struck Ardmore early Wednesday, destroying 30 homes and injuring 16 persons.

One of the injured, Frank Bell, 65, was reported in critical condition, but other victims were released from hospitals after emergency treatment.

Ardmore, a town of 20,000 in South Central Oklahoma near the Texas border, was isolated from the rest of the state for several hours yesterday morning when telephone and power lines were disrupted.

Oklahoma highway officials said the storm centered in the southeastern residential district uprooting homes and sidewalks. Thirty homes were demolished and about 150 structures, including several business buildings, were damaged.

The extension service of the University of Illinois reports that shagbark hickory and white oak are among the best fuel woods. Other good fuel woods are black walnut, black locust, osage orange, ash, maple, sycamore and honey locust.

New York Tugboat Crews Return to Work Again Friday

NEW YORK, (U.P.)—Striking tugboat crews returned to work Thursday ending a 16-day walkout that resulted in a critical fuel shortage in New York City and forced a suspension of normal business activity for 18 hours.

Mayor William O'Dwyer announced the end of the strike at 7:15 p. m. Thursday after both sides had agreed to submit the dispute to arbitration by a three-man board.

A few hours later the mayor's emergency fuel committee lifted all restrictions on light fuel all deliveries to homes and apartments, abolished the citywide brownout beginning at 6 p. m. and ordered resumption of heating in subway trains and street cars.

Rationing coal and heavy fuel oil used in industrial and commercial buildings will continue until existing supplies have been increased.

Schools in the city, which had been closed since Friday, reopened Thursday. Decision to reopen the schools was made yesterday afternoon prior to the settlement of the strike.

Army Wants to Keep Atom Bombs

WASHINGTON, (U.P.)—Secretary of State Robert P. Patterson said Thursday that the army wants to hang on to "present stocks" of atomic bombs because they are "a vital and integral" part of army ordinance. Patterson told the senate atomic energy committee that the war department strongly opposes a bill of Chairman Brian McMahon, D., Conn., which would transfer domestic control of atomic energy from the military to a civilian commission.

FBI Investigates "Valentine" Bomb

WICHITA, Kas., (U.P.)—Local and federal authorities Thursday investigated the possibility that a disgruntled landlord might have mailed a handmade bomb, wrapped in valentine trimmings, to OPA Area Rent Adjustment Officer Wayne Lanning, 50.

Lanning, in serious condition at St. Francis hospital, lost part of his right hand and suffered cuts about the face when the bomb exploded.

Hospital attendants said a piece of shrapnel or glass tore into Lanning's right eye and they were not certain whether the vision was affected.

Lanning found the bomb, neatly wrapped and bearing a post office special delivery stamp, when he picked up his mail at his Edgington hotel apartment Wednesday morning. The package bore a return address, "Ruth, Lassen hotel, Wichita."

Live Stock Reports

Omaha
Hogs—Saleable 7,500. Market on hogs standing at ceiling \$14.50.
Cattle—Saleable 6,000. 200 calves. Slaughter classes cattle generally steady. Good and choice steers \$14.75 to \$17.25.
Sheep—Saleable 15,000. Little done as yet on slaughter classes. Early bids around 25c lower. Good and choice fed woolled lambs held above \$14.50.

Kansas City
Hogs—Saleable 500. Market steady at ceiling of \$14.55.
Cattle—Saleable 2,000. 200 calves. All classes cattle generally

steady. Good and choice steers largely long yearlings, and medium grades are selling from \$15.50 to \$16.65.

St. Joseph
Hogs—Saleable 1,700. Market fully steady at ceiling of \$14.55.
Cattle—Saleable 1,250. 200 calves. Slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers steady to strong. Most good and choice steers and yearlings \$15.60 to \$16.50.
Sheep—Saleable 6,000. No early sales. Best fed woolled lambs held about \$14.75.

OUT OUR WAY



ABE MARTIN



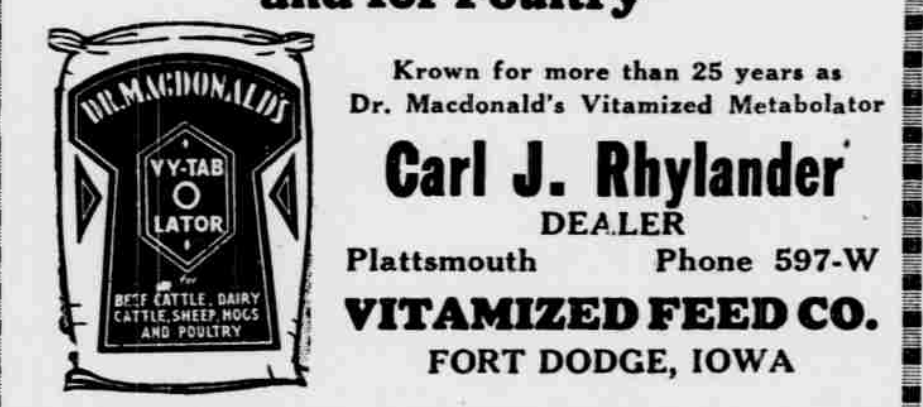
"Next t' a woman's intuition ther hain't nothin' as certain as peas," said Joe Kite as he set down at a little dinner party last night. Look out fer th' clerk that calls you brother.

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