

Be Careful and Help Prevent Any Accidents

Motor Vehicle Made Changes In Rural Life

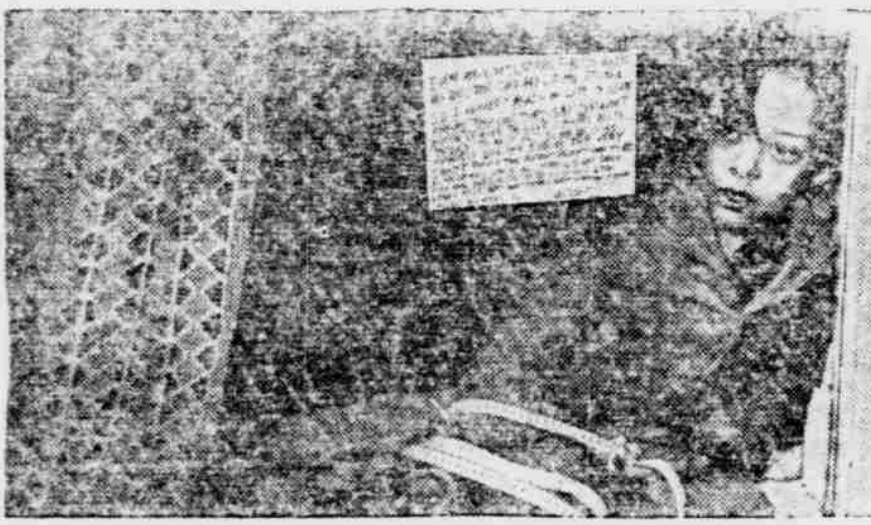
It is quite obvious that the motor vehicle has made a radical change in rural life. Our modern highways have immense economic and social advantages, but transportation on these modern highways are costing far too much in accident losses. The National Safety Council points out that last year thousands of farm residents were killed in automobile accidents. Highway accidents should be viewed with more importance by the people, for such accidents affect highway transportation—so vital to the economy of our nation.

pen so very often right at home. Amateur repairmen can be crushed when cars slip from improvised jacks, or can be suffocated by carbon monoxide gas when motors run in a closed garage. Small children are often seriously injured by backing cars.

The chief danger, however, is the highway. From the moment a car emerges from private land or driveway onto the open road, its operator assumes a public responsibility. He must by all means, respect the rights of others. He must be concerned with the safety of others as well as his own. Thousands of accidents occur every year right at farm entrances due to sudden or careless turns into or out of arterial highways.

Our modern highways are built free from hazards of design or construction. But many farmers must use secondary roads having sharp curves, steep grades, slippery surfaces, high crowns, inadequate lighting, etc. But poor roads do not in themselves cause accidents. A good, capable driver is safe on any kind of a road. Should the road conditions be too bad a safe driver knows better and stays at home or will take the long way around. It is a positive known fact that most automobile accidents result from every day plain recklessness, and the deliberate taking of chances. Very often ignorance and inexperience are to be blamed.

What are the qualifications of a safe driver? A good driver should be able to act quickly and reliably in emergencies, and better still, he should know how to avoid emergencies. He must be sober, even temper and not easily confused by traffic around him. He must know the law. He must not be a gambler when human lives are at stake.



DEATH IS HIS PLAYMATE . . . Eleven-year-old Jesse Coote of Chicago, doomed "blue baby" with but a few months to live, refuses to succumb to his fate without exerting his indomitable will to live. He works, to do . . . So he makes balls and leather articles to sell from the window of his home. A pathetic note pasted to the glass, explaining his plight and purpose, is his silent sales talk.

at the Balfour home and also at the home of Mrs. F. H. Walker in Lincoln. Mrs. Henrietta Kertling of Lincoln was a guest Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Emma Christwiser and Mrs. Clarence Hansen were guests at the wedding of Mr. Christwiser's nephew, George Campbell and Eunice Baumgart at the Presbyterian church at Plattsmouth Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Roy Cook returned to the Veteran's hospital at Lincoln Tuesday for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. John McClurg, Jr. spent the week end with his parents at Omaha.

Dwight Cook and his father, Adam Cook, of Weeping Water, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Boedecker and Mrs. Vivian Boedecker attended funeral services of Mrs. Belle Wenke at Norfolk Tuesday.

Callers at the home of Mrs. Emma Christwiser Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Halter, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and daughter, Shirley, and her friend of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hinrichs of Nebraska City and Mrs. Newton of Paducah, Kentucky, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ost and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Mayfield Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Nutzman and daughter, Mrs. Ned Nutzman, and Mrs. R. P. Anderson attended the American Legion Auxiliary convention in Omaha last Monday.

Mrs. Ned Nutzman entertained at dinner Sunday honoring the birthdays of Ned Nutzman and Mr. Edwin Shomaker. Those present were Mrs. E. A. Nutzman and family, Mrs. C. D. St. John and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shomaker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Thiele of Plattsmouth and Mr. and Mrs. John Barkhurst and Beverly were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shomaker.

Mrs. John Barkhurst and Beverly accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Shomaker to Lincoln Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Balfour called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hobbie at Nebraska City Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Raymond Pollard and daughters, Kathy Rae and Barbara Sue of Schaller, Iowa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Oren Pollard. It was the first time Mr. and Mrs. Oren Pollard saw their new granddaughter, Barbara Sue.

Robert Pollard, who completed his summer course at Ft. Collins A. & M. was home for the week end. He left Sunday evening for Greeley, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seeman were guests Saturday night and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunderlich. Mrs. Seeman's parents joined them Sunday at the Wunderlich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Balfour entertained at dinner Monday evening honoring Mrs. Paul Mullis and children of Rosemeade, Calif. Guests were Mrs. Mullis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Balfour and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Balfour and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ost, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Balfour and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Balfour and family of Union, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Balfour of Nebraska City.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Pollard (Ruth Tyson), a daughter, Monday at Clarkson hospital in Omaha.

Marilyn and Lynn Pollard are staying at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tyson, this week.

Mrs. Minnie Maaske of Klamath Falls, Oregon, Miss Bertha Nutzman and Henry Horstman of Unadilla called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Balfour Friday afternoon. Mrs. Maaske and Miss Nutzman are cousins of Mrs. Balfour.

Patty Tyson was three years old Friday and on Sunday she was honored with a birthday dinner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tyson. Mr. and Mrs. John Tyson were guests.

Overnight guests Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klutman were Mrs. Wm. Milner and Mrs. Esther Neff and children of Lincoln.

Nebraska

By Mrs. F. O. Sand

Funeral services were held for Nels Thoren at the Methodist church at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Harry Hart of Lincoln officiating. Mrs. Harold Dobson sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Saved by Grace" with Mrs. Betto as the accompanist. The pall bearers were J. J. Pollard, V. O. Lundberg, R. C. Pollard, I. A. Warlick, Albert Johnson, Arden Ruhman. Burial was at the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

Miss Evelyn Wolph entertained at dinner Thursday for Mrs. Vilas Sheldon of Glendale, California. Guests were Mrs. M. N. Tucker, Mrs. George Sheldon, Beverly Bonner, Mrs. Hall Pollard, Mrs. Oren Pollard, Mrs. J. J. Pollard, Mrs. R. C. Pollard and Miss Isabel Wilsie of Astoria, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Romans of Lincoln, called at the home of her parents Sunday evening to visit their son, Ricky, who is spending two weeks with his grandparents.

Guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Balfour were Mrs. John Owen and daughter, Jerre, of Kansas City, Mo. Mrs. Owen and daughter came Sunday and visited until Thursday.

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When you follow the suggestions being made during National Farm Safety Week, and start looking for hazards around your farm buildings, consider the safety of your livestock as well as yourself and your family. Broken stanchions, nails that need driving in or pulling out, and various other hazards that can be found around your dairy barn should be removed. A little time and perhaps a bit of lumber will be cheaper, as well as better, than having a valuable cow injured so that her milk production is cut down. Your dairy cows are valuable property—look after the things that will prevent accidents that might cause them injury.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beatty, Mr. Herman Hauptman and Presley Walters were guests for supper Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Saali at Julian Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Berger have received an invitation to the wedding of their niece, Wilona Margaret, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Halbersleben, Boston, Mass., to James Woodward Whitehead of Hartford, Conn. The wedding will take place Saturday, July 30, at 8 o'clock in the evening, at Harvard church, Brookline, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pollard and their guest, Miss Isabel Wilsie of Astoria, Oregon, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sturm Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. McCleery of Alma, Nebraska, were guests for the day Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pollard. They came to attend the funeral of Nels Thoren on Tuesday. Mr. McCleery is Mr. Pollard's brother-in-law.

Lynn Banks, who has finished his course in art at the Omaha Art School, is painting murals on the walls of the First Baptist church at Council Bluffs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Francis Marks of Sand, John Marks was a guest. Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman for lunch and returned to Lincoln and Mrs. Marks for the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Francis day Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Marks.

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- ★ Keep power-takeoffs covered.
- ★ Do not attempt to adjust or lubricate a machine in motion.
- ★ Never start the motor when tractor is in gear.
- ★ Drive carefully when near or crossing ditches, gulleys and steep slopes.
- ★ Use caution when lifting a tractor on jacks.
- ★ When purchasing farm equipment select with regard to safety.

Think!--And Avoid Accidents on the Farm

It's Wise to be CAREFUL. Accidents Cause unnecessary Expense...Doctor Bills, Sorrow, Life-long Regrets, Time Loss, and Perhaps Life itself

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