

A Strip of Paint Might Help

An Avoca man who doesn't see too well and who walks with difficulty suggests walking in towns could be made easier for people with sight or walking handicaps quite simply.

He suggests steps which protrude onto sidewalks be marked with an edging of black paint. This would help prevent stumbling onto them and also assist persons in walking down them, he says.

Why Aircraft Crash

The Federal government recently published the results of a Congress department study, by two experts in the Civil Aeronautics Administration. The study has been intended to discover reasons for the alarming number of passenger airliner crashes in recent months and years.

The study covered fifty accident reports, and thorough investigations concerning collisions occurring from 1949 through 1954.

One of the interesting results of the study is the conclusion that a lack of visibility is primarily responsible for most of our air tragedies. It was found that cockpit visibility is good only for a sighting of approaching aircraft straight ahead. And only eight percent of the colliding planes met in this manner.

In other words, more than ninety percent of the collisions have occurred when planes flew together going in the same direction, or ascending or descending in the same direction, or on a slightly angulated course.

The natural result of this study seems to be that pilots will have to be given better visibility, or airport control towers will have to devise a system of control of planes within the vicinity of the airport concerned. The study showed that twenty-five percent of the accidents investigated happened directly over airports and that another large percentage of them occurred within five miles of the airports.

Therefore, if some form of control of planes in the vicinity of airports is exercised by the control tower, with improved radar facilities or other facilities, the possibility of collisions would be reduced by about fifty percent. In the long run, of course, better control will have to be exercised over passenger airliners in all areas, at all times, during flight.

Your troubles do not interest other people.

High taxes check both inflation and elation.

Each spring is the most beautiful of all.

20 YEARS AGO

The curtain was raised on the soft ball season of 1938 when the CYC team defeated the Independents 4 to 1. Harry Rohlf pitched for the CYO and Dasher for the Independents. The CYO team comprised: Svoboda, 2b; Kiskey, c; O'Donnell, 1b; Chovanec, 3b; Recek, roving short; Gradoville, ss; Kalasek, lf; Wiater, rf; Duda, cf; Rohlf, p. The Independent lineup was as follows: McClannahan, roving short; Clark, ss; Smith, c; Brittain, cf; B. Brittain, 3b; Porter, rf; D. Brittain, 1b; Seitz, 2b; Wall, lf; Smith, 3b; Dasher, p. Miss Eleanor Hiber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hiber, was married at St. John's rectory to Mr. Rudolph Iverson by Rev. Robert Salmon. Both were active on the business life of the community, the bride being an employee of the Plattsmouth State band and the groom associated with the Cass County Motor Co. — Neil Lancaster, graduate of the class of 1938 had one of the best attendance records of the class, he had a perfect attendance in high school and had not missed but one day in attendance since he entered the fourth grade. He was the fourth highest ranking student in the class of '38 — Charles Dow has left for Chillicothe, Mo., to enter the Business College at that place. He graduated from the high school here in 1936 — Mr. and Mrs. John Speck and two sons and Carl Speck of Casper, Wyoming, arrived here for a visit at the Ben Speck and Everett Gooding homes — A party of leading officials of the Burlington Refrigerator Express Co., were here to visit the local shops and inspect the work carried out under the efficient superintendency of George Jaeger. The visitors were E. J. Rauth, general manager; E. A. Sweeley, mechanical superintendent; H. A. Bangham, general agent and E. G. Luth, assistant mechanical superintendent.

30 YEARS AGO

The city council heard a statement from Postmaster J. W. Holmes relative to city mail delivery, stating an inspector of the department wished a better numbering of the streets and their designations, the present system was only partially observed, as many streets and their designations served, as many of the streets were designated by their original names, instead of the plan adopted in 1913 of changing the streets to avenues — Miss Carlyne Thomas was given a surprise on the passin of her fifteenth birthday at her home on west Elm street. Guests were Roland Thomas, Omaha; James Wilcoxon of Kansas City; Irma Mayfield, Laura Skalak, Alice Hutton, Lucille Pace, Edith Galloway, Janet Snyder, Katherine and Dorothy Hinz, Loa Dow, Alice and Delta Taylor, Gilbert Hinz, Leonard Stoehr, William Mrasek; Bernard and John Galloway, Newton Sullivan.



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NEWS FROM EAGLE

Mrs. John Fischer — Phone 7304

Miss Martha Dettmer of Havelock, Misses A. H. Slekmann and Jesse Westlake, tripped to Nebraska City and Auburn Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan McCurdy of Havelock and "Bud" Groves of Lincoln, called at the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson Sr., on Saturday afternoon.

Jerry Trumble of Chicago, was an overnight visitor at his aunt and uncle's, Joe Rudolph, recently, enroute to Seattle to visit his mother, sister of Mrs. Rudolph.

Talmadge Norris of Friend, visited his brother Wm. Norris Thursday and helped celebrate Mr. Norris' 94th birthday.

Mrs. Minnie Johnson of Alvo and her daughter, Helen, Mrs. Earl Bright of Alliance called at the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson Sr., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence May of Bennet, called at the Carl Johnson Sr. home, Saturday afternoon, enroute to Alvo, to attend the Alumni banquet, Saturday evening.

Mr. Elmer Frohlich of Denver, Colo., attended the Eagle Alumni banquet with the class of 1923, 35th anniversary. The Frohlich's moved to Colorado, March 1.

Eagle friends are sharing the sorrow with the George Winkler family. His death occurred early Saturday morning. His health has been failing for several years and more noticeably since the death of Mrs. Winkler a few years ago. He was born in Muscatine, Iowa, and died on May 24th, 1938 at the age of 87 years.

He came to Nebraska when 19, and had lived near Elmwood several years, later moving to Eagle and a farm northeast of town and several years ago, moved to their property in town. He was a member of the Farmer's Union and the Trinity Lutheran Church. He also belonged to the Woodmen of World for 55 years.

Survivors are sons, Edward, of Kearney, Elson of Lincoln. (Raymond preceded him in death during World War II); daughters, Misses, Edna Fleishman, Palmyra; Bertha Crandell, Lincoln; Clara Krecklow of Mandel; Wilma Gerhart, Eagle. Brother William, Lincoln; sisters, Mrs. Lulu Kunz, Elmwood; Kate Penterman, Rockwell City, Ia.; Minnie Reiter, Elm Creek, 10 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Eagle Methodist church. Pallbearers were grandsons, Carl Winkler, Dale Fleishman, Duane Fleishman, Danny Reiter and Dale McCoy. Ushers Carl Oberle, Herman Kirchhoff and Henry Wulf.

Robert Westlake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westfall suffered a severe accident caused by a fall when crossing a fence at the baseball game at Elmwood, Sunday evening. He was taken to his home and in a short time, taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition. His parents remained at his bedside during the night and his condition was some improved Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Winkler of Kearney arrived at Eagle on Monday morning for the funeral service of his father, George Winkler.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kirchhoff attended a family gathering and a surprise birthday dinner for her brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Minderman at Unadilla Sunday.

Mrs. John Fischer received word that her niece, Kaye Jeanne Frisbe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Frisbe, of Bothell, Wash. former Elmwood resident, was married on May 14 and will reside in Bothell, Wash. Her husband will graduate from the University of Washington, next June.

The Eagle Methodist Vacation Bible School is being held at the church 9:11:30 a. m. each morning, during this week and also next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wulf and daughter of Ralston were overnight visitors at his fathers home, Henry Wulf, Friday evening attending the Eagle Alumni banquet, Friday evening.

The W.S.C.S. officers attended the training meeting at St. James Church at Lincoln Monday. Mrs. Harold Wall has organized an elementary remedial reading class, for the summer for the elementary students.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weyers have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Joan, to Robert D. Neeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldo Nieman, Lincoln. Miss Weyers is a 1938 graduate of Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rockenbach and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Umland of Lincoln called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Umland on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Doran and family of Hardy, were overnight visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scutergood and attended the alumni banquet Friday evening. The pastor was one of the speakers on the toast list for the program.

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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

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Board of Equalization met pursuant to law. Present H. L. Bornemeier, Melvin R. Todd and W. F. Nolte.

Motion made by Nolte and seconded by Todd that H. L. Bornemeier be made Chairman of the Equalization Board for the year of 1938. Motion carried. The clerk for the Board, Chas. Land, was instructed to make appointments for those having complaints on file.

The Board adjourned to meet at the call of the Chairman. Attest: Clerk for Board Equalization Board

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Minutes of the last session approved and the following business was transacted in regular form: The Board asked the County Clerk to contact the City of Plattsmouth about placing a street light behind the Court House.

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Table listing various items and their prices, including construction materials, supplies, and services. Items include Thomas Construction Co., Verna Perry, Valara Meisinger, Lincoln Tel & Tel Serv., Plattsmouth Journal Supp., SURVEYOR, Wm. P. Coakley, Lois E. Coakley, W. H. Worthan, Wm. P. Coakley, Lincoln Tel & Tel Serv., Plattsmouth Lmbr. Co., Lath, ELECTION, Pay Roll, Judges, clerks, rent, John Beckman, Erect booths, truck, Homer Fleeman, Erect booths, Chas. Land, Mil. deliver ballots, Margaret Beckman, Ct Elmwood Sch., Elec. ballots, Davis Staffed, Ct Elmwood Sch., Augustine Co., 25 sets of supplies, Plattsmouth Journal Print ballots, Plattsmouth Journal on engineering plans and cost estimate on the road between Cass and Oteo Counties, Section 31, Township 10, Range 13. Motion carried.

LOUISVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Ralph Wildrick — Phone 2511

Country Extension Club

The Country Extension Club met at the home of Josephine Helm, May 16.

The club picnic was set June 22 at 6 p. m. at the Louisville Park. Everyone is to bring a basket lunch and a beverage for their family. If any club members and family can't attend, they will please notify one of the following, Viola Ragoss, Eileen Sprick or Doris Albert.

The lesson "Growing Old", presented by Eileen Sprick, was both interesting and amusing with members adding their bit as to what each intended to do about growing old. Next regular meeting will be in September with Ruth Zeorian.

Junior Woman's Club

The regular meeting of the Junior Woman's Club was held May 14 at the home of Kay Metzger with Shirley Gabel and Helen Wagoner as co-hostesses.

The following officers were installed: president, Irene Johnson, vice president, Annette Fitzpatrick; rec. sec., Donna Neuman, Corresponding secretary Marjorie McClun; treasurer Bonnie Renner.

Woman's Club

The last meeting of the Woman's Club before the summer vacation was held May 15 at the home of Mrs. Suzanne Pankonin with Mrs. Clara Stogren as co-hostess. Mrs. Ruth Huffman was program chairman for a program on National Parks.

Meetings will be resumed in the early fall.

Thursday evening callers at the Henry Davis home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and daughter of Plattsmouth.

Guests the past few days at the Eldon Raacos home were Clarence Wendt and Mrs. Roscoe Royal, both of Crawford. Weekend guests at the Ralph Wildrick home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wildrick of Weeping Water. Additional Sunday dinner guests were Misses Carol Fisher and Roberta Dreamer of Plattsmouth and Robert and LeRoy Swaink of Carson, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schaefer and children of Spokane, Wash., arrived Saturday to spend their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schaefer

of Murdock and other relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keckler and daughters were Tuesday evening callers at the home of Mrs. Tressa Keckler in Manley.

Tom Boardman of Hutchinson, Kans., spent the first part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boardman. Sunday guests at the Charles Slyter home in Manley were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anson of Bellevue and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thoms and Mrs. Mary Thoms all of Weeping Water.

Week-end guests at the Ernest Engelkemeter home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Panetz and sons of Red Oak, Iowa.

There was a large attendance at the annual school picnic in Manley May 18. Mrs. Mary Group spent Sunday in Omaha with her daughter, Mrs. Grover Brammel and Mr. Brammel.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Towell and Cindy were Tuesday evening callers at the Edward Grell home near Springfield.

Mrs. Iru Gerdes and John and Mrs. Joe Habel and Jeffery Joe were callers Friday afternoon at the Harold Payton home in Plattsmouth.

Thursday callers at the Ernest Beck home were Mrs. Edward Grell and sons of near Springfield and Eli Beck of Weeping Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Messenbrink and Nancy of Omaha were Sunday evening callers at the Iru Gerdes home.

Guests Sunday at the Ruby Dennis home were Mr. and Mrs. George Wildrick and Freddie of Omaha.

Tuesday evening callers at the George Bauers home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schaefer and children of Spokane, Wash., Harry Schaefer of Murdock, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wildrick and Agnes.

Supper guests Wednesday evening at the Frank Wildrick home were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Murray, Mrs. Joe West, and Mrs. Mary Tigner all of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Alfrey returned home last week from a week's vacation spent visiting with their daughter and son-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Jerry Ford in Hinsdale, Ill.

Mrs. Emma Stratton, who has been in the hospital for the past 10 days, returned home Tuesday. She is much improved.

Overnight guests Monday night of Terry Meyer in Manley were Roger and Gary Buck of Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hauschild and family of Manley spent Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Ziegenbein in Ashland and help them celebrate their wedding anniversary.

A miscellaneous shower was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Rubin Hermanson who became the bride of Ronald Revell Saturday. Hostesses were aunts of the bride-to-be.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stovall, Marion and Jimmy, of Riverton, Iowa were Sunday evening supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Habel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephy Heard and family will spend Memorial Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Uphaw in Mountain Grove, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Habel were Thursday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stubbendeck and family in Unadilla.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bauers were Mr. and Mrs. William Kunz and family of Weeping Water.

In The Service

SAN DIEGO, CALIF. — James W. Burks, son of Mrs. Ruth N. Burks of Eagle, Nebr., and William A. Hunting, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hunting, Plattsmouth, Nebr., graduated from recruit training May 9 at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The graduation exercises, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp", included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

In nine weeks of instruction, the "raw recruit" is developed into a Navy Bluejacket, ready for duty with the fleet.

Peace — The period during which the linked nation prepares to get even. — Buffalo News.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wulf