

EDITORIALS

The Threat of Drowning

During the summer drowning is a greater threat to children than polio, pneumonia, heart disease, tuberculosis, and influenza combined. Approximately 7,000 people in the United States die each year by drowning.

Of those who die by drowning, it has been estimated by government officials that 90 1/2 per cent of them die needlessly. A great many of these are children who have not been taught to swim, or who have not been taught to respect water.

Among the boys going in the service in World War II, it was discovered that only one out of ten was a skillful swimmer. Five of the ten possessed only elementary skill, and four of the ten couldn't swim a stroke. Among the general public the number of competent swimmers is, of course, even smaller than the ratio in the service.

Parents cannot emphasize too often to their children the need for safety while swimming. Here are some rules that may save a life: avoid deep water, never swim alone, never swim in unfamiliar water, don't be a show-off, stay on land when overheated or chilled, and try to keep calm when in trouble.

Down Memory Lane

30 YEARS AGO

Complete changes were made in the American Exchange bank of Elmwood, John F. Cobb, veteran banker and Mrs. Bess Streeter Aldrich disposing of their interest in the financial institution. In 1909 Mr. Cobb purchased the bank together with his brother-in-law, Captain Aldrich. Mr. Cobb served as president for some thirty years. The new officers of the bank are: Guy L. Clements, president; Emily Gonzales, cashier; Aletha McCarty, secretary; Frank Schulz, Fred Schulz, Emily Gonzales, directors — David Fow-

ler, Jr., of Fremont, has been selected as head of the music department of the Plattsmouth high school to succeed Lee Myers in that post. The new instructor comes very highly recommended — John Cloidt, Jr., and John Brink, are enjoying a camping trip through the west. They visited at Wood River, Denver, Estes Park and Cheyenne — Sheriff Homer Sylvester and Deputy Cass Sylvester visited Union and in wake of their visit there were no more "one armed bandits" operating. The machines were taken and brought to Plattsmouth to await disposal of them — Miss Lucille Case and Mr. Harold Chandler were married at the residence of Rev. Robert Salmon — Miss Alice Eaton, pioneer resident of Plattsmouth, died at an Omaha hospital where she had been following a stroke. She was a lifelong member of the Episcopal church — Louis Burbee and family, Earl Wolfe and son, Robert, departed from Union for the Pacific coast to look for employment or new location in that part of the world.

20 YEARS AGO

Lightning struck the Mike Bajek residence at 13th and Main streets. The bolt struck a tree on the east side of the house and followed a wire clothes line into the basement, shattering the window casing and damaging the plastering in several rooms — Chamber of Commerce committee on securing a hospital here, is still working on the proposal to secure the location of the new Veterans hospital for this city, J. A. Capwell, Judge James Tegley and Elmer Webb are on the committee looking after the matter — The Citizens Military Training Camp was opening at Fort Crook, Chris Bulin, George Thacker and Donald Pittman are the Plattsmouth boys enrolled. There are six hundred from Nebraska and Iowa registered at the camp. They will live in tents, made to accommodate eight, but only six will be assigned to a tent. They are arranged along company streets. Each company has 150 members and a regular army officer commands each company — Eugene Frye, Lincoln man that escaped from Sheriff Ryder at Nebraska City, is still at large. Last reports was that he was seen near Havelock.

"He Robbed the Rich . . ."



Eagle Items

Mrs. John Fischer
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Elwood Umland graduated from the University of Nebraska Ag College Friday evening. He is the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Umland of Eagle. He is married and they reside in Lincoln.

Junior Beach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beach fell and broke a leg bone above the ankle and below the knee. He was at the Sherman Henriksen farm at the time, waiting to work with bales of hay as were two other young fellows. He crawled up on to a tractor, slipped and fell. An hour's surgery was required to set the fractures.

His parents had taken the Jim Root family (brother of Mrs. Beach) to Colorado where they will live and Mr. Beach had just returned home that afternoon. Junior will be a freshman at the high school this fall.

The Eagle Community was shocked to hear of the death of Fred Spahnle, 77, early Thursday morning. Mr. Spahnle's health had not been up to par following a leg injury a couple of years ago.

Survivors are his wife, Mar-

tha, Eagle; son Howard, Lincoln; daughter, Mrs. Mildred Trumble, Eagle; brothers Charles and Max and a sister, Beitha, residing in California.

Eagle friends of the Clarence Dowdings of Palmyra are sharing the grief with Mr. Dowding and family in the death of Mrs. Dowding, 50, last Saturday.

Survivors are husband Clarence, two sons Orin and Rollin at home; parents Mr. and

Mrs. Wm. Kemper of Walton; brother Ernest Kemper of Bennett.

Services were Tuesday at the Trinity Lutheran Church, located north of Bennett. Rev. E. H. Prange of Eagle officiating. Burial was at Palmyra cemetery. Mrs. Laura West was ill and remained at the Orris Lanning home (neighbors) Wednesday. She is recovering satisfactorily and able to make a call to the doctor's office at Elmwood Thursday.

The afternoon tea for the W.S. CS members at Mrs. Jesse Westlake's home was attended by Meses, Pearl Adams Louise Vickers, Delta Rodaway, Olive and Lucille Westlake. The majority of members could not be present.

The Frank Frohlichs are making the preparations of moving into their new house on their farm which was recently built. The old house will be moved to Eagle.

Several of the Eagle teachers for this fall are making plans to reside in Eagle. The coach and family have rented the Laverne Weyers property. The music and English instructor and family have rented the Clyde Wenzel property recently vacated by the Nolan family. Two of the instructors will reside in the Norris duplex on the east side of town. We welcome all the new residents to our community.

Mrs. A. H. Slekman visited in Ashland Thursday of last week. Mrs. Fred Trunkenbolz entertained the Ralph Lee family visiting from California at a breakfast Thursday. Mrs. Lee is a for-

mer Eagle resident and graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNeill, two sons and two daughters of Topeka, Kan., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rockenbach last weekend. They are former Eagle residents.

Sharon and Gail Rockenbach, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rockenbach of Lincoln, have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rockenbach during their father's National Guard training at a camp in Mississippi for a few weeks.

Several ladies of the "O St. Homemakers" project club Meses Olive, Lucille and Ula Westlake and Mrs. Orris Lanning attended a council meeting at Weeping Water last Monday afternoon. The Evening Eagle Extension club was represented by Mrs. Ronald Halvorsen.

Mrs. Robert Bowne and two sons who have been enrolled in a swimming class at Municipal

Park in Lincoln will complete their special training this week. Ricky and Ronnie Anderson of Lincoln sons of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson are enjoying a visit at the grandparents' Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Anderson at Eagle during their father's stay camp. Mrs. Anderson and the two daughters are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Henriksen part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kirchoff spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kirchoff for dinner and during the afternoon visited at the Geo. Kirchoff home and also visited the mother, Mrs. Etta Kirchoff at the latter's home.

Mrs. Ruth Burks is undergoing x-ray treatments on her sinus, every morning at Lincoln and results is improving her condition, and it is hoped she will soon be recovered.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Blotzer spent last week vacationing in Alma, at the Harlan County Dam, also at the Pioneer Village in Minden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brubacher visited last weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kugler and sons in Creston.

Mrs. Lawrence Earl entered St. Mary's Hospital in Nebraska City last Monday. She is feeling much better at this time.

Callers at the Harley Cottingham home on Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoeschar and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzpatrick and family. The evening was spent viewing pictures slides and enjoying home made ice cream.

Mrs. Bill Van Aekern and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker of Omaha will leave on Wednesday for Los Angeles, Calif., for a 3 weeks vacation to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Hansen attended the funeral of Eva Dyke at Watson, Mo., last Tuesday. Mrs. Dyke was a great aunt of Mrs. Hansen's.

John Blotzer, Jr. returned on Saturday from a fishing trip into Canada. He brought quite a few fish back so it must have been the right time for fishing.

Saturday morning at 6:30 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hurst met Mr. and Mrs. Miller Hurst and girls of New Orleans, Louisiana at the train depot in Union and all enjoyed breakfast at the Harlan Hurst home in Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adkins and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Guss, Iowa were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brown in Union on Sunday. The occasion was to celebrate Wilbur Brown's birthday.

Mrs. Walter Sharp, Jr. W. L. and Susan of Nebraska City were dinner guests on Saturday in the Rollin Hansen home.

Bonnie and Wade Dillow of Baltimore, Maryland are spending their vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lewis. Bonnie and Wade plan to fly to their home the last of August.

Guests of Mrs. C. D. Spangler on Saturday were her brothers and sister, Mrs. Will Cook of Elmwood and Mr. Verner Perry of Big Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry of Lincoln.

Mrs. Clara Myer of Princeton, Ill., arrived on Saturday to visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spangler.

The Lewis reunion will be held on Sunday, August 10 at Mound City, Mo.

The following enjoyed a picnic dinner and boating on the river last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hoosetter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crook and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and Donna, Dale Coates and Miss Claudia Williamson of Lincoln.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Everett Spangler of Omaha and Mr. and Mrs. William Cummings, Ellen and Janis, who had just flown in from Severna Park, suburb of Baltimore, Maryland, called at the Charles Spangler home. Mr. and Mrs. Cummings plan to visit friends and relatives in this area and in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Opie Morris, Johnny and Joyce spent the weekend at Albion, Nebr., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don Morris and boys.

Patty Fitzpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fitzpatrick of Glenwood has been visiting this week at the Frank Fitzpatrick home.

Linda Howard was an over night guest of Mary Lois Comstock in Bellevue. While Linda was away David Morris visited over night with Roger Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Mahoney and family of Council Bluffs, Mrs. Florence Bonner, Rhonda and Nina Lynn and Jr. Radtke and girls visited in the Harold Radtke home on Sunday. The group enjoyed home made ice cream in the evening.

Over night guests at the John Stones home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burton and son of Grand Island. The Burton's are on their way to Lake Okoboji.

Betty Morris was hostess to a Miss. Shower on Sunday for Mrs. Luane Flint, the former Donna Cooper of Glenwood, Iowa.

Weekend guests at the Harold Radtke home were Royce Bonner and John Martin from Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Mrs. John W. Stone of Plattsmouth is confined to her bed and under the doctors care.

Mac Heitzhausen arrived on Friday at the Charles Spangler home. Mac, who is a senior at the Oregon State College is spending part of his vacation with his cousin and will be joined by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heitzhausen and Bud and together they will return to their home in Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. Curtis Farris and Kay, Mrs. Don Farris and Mrs. Bob Farris were hostess on Sunday to a baby shower in honor of Mrs. Darrell Kreglo at the George Reike home.

4-H News

The Ak-Sar-Ben Feeders 4-H Club enjoyed a picnic at the Harold Rice home on Sunday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nolte and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hobscheidt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Todd and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Worthan and sons.

The Master Swine Breeders were invited to a 4-H skating party at Elmwood Saturday night.

There is only one point in the current economic situation concerning which all of the economists seem to agree: Money saved for a rainy day buys a much smaller umbrella than it used to. —Davenport Times.

LOUISVILLE

Mrs. Ralph Wildrick
Phone 2511

A-1/c Ronald Embury was home last week on leave from Air Force Base at Amarillo, Texas to visit with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Embury and brother Gerald. He also visited with relatives in Lincoln and Plattsmouth.

Jimmy Hutchinson invited 14 of his little friends in Monday to help him celebrate his sixth birthday. The afternoon was spent playing games with prizes being awarded to the winners. Jimmy then opened his many gifts after which refreshments of ice cream, cold drink and birthday cake were served.

James Workman, who has been in the Methodist Hospital for several weeks and underwent surgery on his heart, returned home Sunday. He is still weak but is much improved.

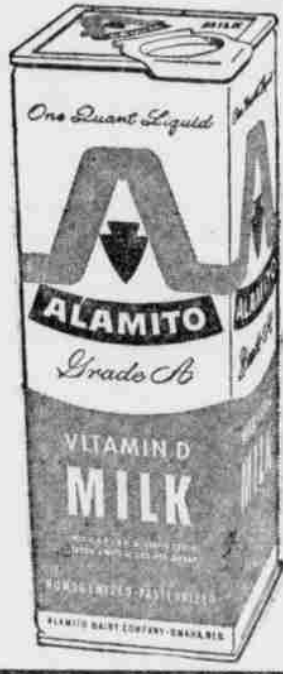
Sunday guests of Mrs. Zelma Sutton, Bill and Bob, were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sutton and Gavin of Omaha. Kenneth had brought his home movies that he had taken on their trip to Indiana and Niagara Falls, and they were enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Katherine Welte of Lincoln spent the weekend with her son Ralph and family near Weeping Water and with other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Iru Gerdes and Kathryn and Mrs. Ray Fabion and Jackie were in Omaha Monday.

The Rev. Homer Dickerson of Columbus preached at the Methodist Church Sunday. He had been pastor here several years ago and he and Mrs. Dickerson thoroughly enjoyed a visit with their many old friends here. Their daughter, Ruth Ann, will be a senior at Wesleyan University this fall and will do part time teaching in the Lincoln schools.

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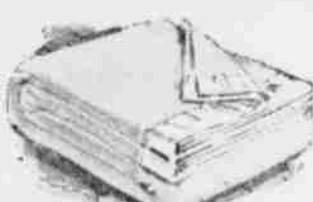
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