

SOUTH ASHLAND

Mrs. Ivan Armstrong

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bachman had Sunday dinner with Mrs. L. J. Waldrat.

A no-host dinner was enjoyed at the Sam Long home near Murdock Wednesday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Haase, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roeber and sons gathered there to celebrate Mrs. Long's, Mrs. Roeber's, Freeman Haase's and Bobby Long's birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bornman attended the Shrine Circus with Mr. and Mrs. Darold Miller and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dreamer of Alvo and Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Elaine spent Sunday evening at the Adolph Fedde home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hall and family of Waverly and Ray Andrews of Lincoln were Sunday afternoon and lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Humston and Sara.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and daughters of Omaha and Mrs. W. A. Jones visited at the

Clinton Jones home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Wiles and Terry called on Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wiles Sunday evening. Troy Wiles has been ill again.

Mrs. Raymond Nelson spent Wednesday with Mrs. Harold Richards.

Raymond Buell of Crete spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fox went to Gretna Sunday afternoon to visit the John Snells.

Mrs. Dewey Moore and Dewey W. and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reuter had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reuter in Alvo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones, Evelyn and Marjorie attended the funeral of Mrs. Jones's sister-in-law, Mrs. Maurice McCrory, at St. Mary's Cathedral in Lincoln Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Wiles and Terry, Mrs. Ell Gaudreault and Roger Wepl of Nebraska City were fishing at the South Bend Lake, Sunday afternoon. They had supper at the Gaudreault home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Campbell of South Bend and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rau visited Dave Campbell at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ray Preston and Mr. Preston in Elmwood Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Zeorian and sons of Murdock prepared supper and brought it to the Clinton Jones home Saturday evening to help Mrs. Jones and Richard celebrate their birthdays. Richard was 12 that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stenberg and family of Council Bluffs, Kenneth Stenberg and Jo Ann Nelson were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the Martin Stenberg home.

Mrs. Lyle Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Armstrong were a part of the group of the Ashland Christian Church members who attended the 96th annual State Convention of Christian Churches in East Lincoln Christian Church last week. The minister, Rev. B. F. Parnell, was honored Saturday evening as the rural minister of the year in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rolfs-meyer, Mr. and Mrs. John Abbott and Doris of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Tinnean, Leroy and Larry of Greenwood and Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Bolter and family were late Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mrs. Olive Whitlatch. They were getting acquainted with Beth Alice, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Bolter.

Mrs. John Maack was honored for her birthday Saturday when her son Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maack served a birthday dinner for her.

Mrs. Rex Bower and Jennie Sue of Lincoln spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bower. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Grebe and Russell and Mrs. Gerald Grebe also Rex Fower all came from Lincoln Sunday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bower.

Mrs. Peter Stander, Carol, Kathleen, Mary Ann and Steven drove to Nebraska City Sunday to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Volkmer. Mrs. Volkmer returned home with them to spend a few days.

Mrs. Merlin Reinke of Louisa and Mrs. Max Osburn of Lincoln spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Reinke's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Jones and Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mansfield of Holton, Kan., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mansfield. All were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyndall Watson, Dick and Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trullinger and family were Sunday dinner guests of Hazel Jones at a cafe in Lincoln. The Jones family visited Dave Campbell at the Ray Preston home in Elmwood as they returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arley Ziegenbein spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Fox. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Judis and family of Lincoln spent Friday and Sunday evening at the Fox home.

Edgar Jones returned home for a short time. He was just graduated from the Air Age Institute at Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bower and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Bower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Schrader of South Lincoln.

Harry Allen and grandsons of Lexington called at the Cecil Stander home Saturday.

Iris Gawrick of Lincoln and Tony Vermos of Hickman were Saturday evening TV and lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Applegarth. Iris and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Gawrick were Sunday evening visitors there.

Mrs. Violet Martin, Ruth and Jody of Lincoln and Mrs. Florence Martin spent Sunday afternoon at the Oren Kolb home.

Orville Sandy of Greenwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Nelson and Pam of Lincoln coming for the afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Anderson and Mrs. Oscar Reece were Thursday evening guests at the Martin Stenberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Carey and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arley Barger.

The Jolly Fairlanders extension club will meet with Mrs. Lyle Bailey on Monday May 11 instead of May 5 as had been previously announced.

The Ash Grove Lassie's 4-H club met at the Lloyd Sibert home Friday evening. Karen Sibert and Mary Ann Stander demonstrated making apple pie. The girls also discussed making colors. Lunch was served after the meeting.

The Friendly Neighbor Extension club met with Mrs. Curtis Lemon Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Arthur Laughlin had the lesson on "Watch dog for Consumers".

Plans were made to attend the spring tea at Weeping Water in May. The club will conduct the cancer fund drive. Mrs. Glen Thompson became a member of the club. Mrs. Lemon served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

The Junior Fairlanders extension club met with Mrs. Milton Bachman Tuesday. The lesson "Let's eat fruit," was presented by Mrs. Sam Long and Mrs. Clyde Jones who prepared several of the recipes in the lesson leaflet, these were later served as part of the lunch with Mrs. Bachman's lunch. Plans were made for the ladies to attend the



VACCINATE BEFORE TOO LATE!

spring tea in Weeping Water when all county club members will be guests there. Mrs. Earl Benson of Ashland became a member of the club. The next meeting will be June 16 with Mrs. Gerold Hall near Waverly. Mrs. Ralph Rager and Mrs. Delbert Humston are serving on the spring term of District Court in Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Bachman were hosts at a picnic dinner at the Legion hall for the Ashland Saddle club, Sunday. The teacher of District 34, Mrs. Jerry Koenig, and her pupils and their mothers enjoyed a tour in Lincoln Friday. They visited the capitol and Morrill hall in the forenoon, then had a picnic dinner at a park. Before attending the Shrine circus in the afternoon they visited Roberts dairy.

Mrs. Harry Farmer submitted to an emergency appendectomy at Bryan Memorial hospital Friday night, her family visits her often.

Mrs. Norman Rau visits Mrs. Rau at Bryan Memorial hospital several times a week, she also visits her sister, Mrs. Farmer at the hospital, both patients show improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Critchfield of Baldwin, Kansas, brought their mother, Mrs. Emma Jones back to the A. D. Bachman home Saturday and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bachman. Mr. and Mrs. Verner Bachman were additional supper guests with the Bachmans.

Mrs. E. E. Odell spent Thursday and Friday in Omaha, she and several Omaha ladies were luncheon guests of Mrs. E. H. Brown. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Odell were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vorell of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buell were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snodgrass and their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Snodgrass and family who have returned from California and are with his parents until they find a new location. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hauschild, Billy and Betty of near Manley were also evening visitors at the Snodgrass home.

Mrs. Walter Kerst of Alliance came Monday to visit her brother, Norman Rau at the hospital, she and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Krecklow and Sharon were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rau.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kupke spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Probst and Steven at Syracuse.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Haase and Mr. and Mrs. Edred Thigam had dinner in Lincoln Tuesday evening they visited our State Capitol and went up in the newly opened tower to view the city and its lights, which is a very beautiful sight, later they attended a show.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bornman Jr. and family of Lincoln were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bornman, George Jr., who has been working for the Veterans Administration in Lincoln has been transferred to Des Moines and is working there, the family will move there at the end of the school year. Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bornman.

Mrs. Raymond Nelson and a group of Garden Club ladies of Ashland attended a Flower Show school in Omaha Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stander visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Leybold and Marlin in Lincoln Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Bolter and family and Mrs. Gertrude Bolter attended the Gertrude-Badensleben wedding at the Greenwood Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Jesse Bolter was ring bearer in the service. Some of the

Warning Sounded on Polio

Nebraska communities and local county chapters of the National Foundation were advised Wednesday to "keep their iron lungs and other emergency polio equipment in good working order and ready for use."

Clinton Belknap, Lincoln, East Nebraska Representative for the March of Dimes organization, stated that "if developments in certain southern and coastal states are to be taken as an indicator, the nation may be headed for some real polio trouble in the summer months ahead."

He cited numerous instances of increase in new polio this year as against last as recorded in a recent U. S. Public Health Service report: Texas 42 as against only 24 the same date last year; Louisiana 12 and 6; Arkansas 13 and 6; Mississippi 12 and 3; Florida 37 and 24; West Virginia 12 and 4; California 50 and 42 and Missouri 26 as against only 1 to the same date in 1958.

Increased incidence of polio in an epidemic year have almost always started first in the southern and coastal states," Belknap commented, "and later spread to the central areas of the nation. Polio epidemics in Detroit, New Jersey, Virginia, Montana and Hawaii in 1958 were omens of what can happen across the country this year if people continue to neglect getting their Salk Vaccine." Belknap stated, "It seems incredible," said he, "that four years after Salk Vaccine became available there should be so many still unprotected!"

"To date Nebraska has recorded only 3 new cases of diagnosed polio in 1959," said Belknap, "but we would do well to remember that the state had reported only 27 to June 28 in 1952 and then wound up the year with a total of 2252 and 110 deaths. Hundreds of 1952 victims are still requiring costly care and treatment!"

With the polio season fast approaching, the U. S. Public Health Service estimates that 98 million Americans still have not had a single shot of Salk Vaccine. Two Americans in three continue needlessly to risk their lives because they have not yet obtained the full protection afforded by the Salk shots, Belknap said.

Nationally, the greatest lag seems to be among adults and pre-school children although thousands of school age boys and girls are still completely unprotected.

Belknap stated that the first two shots of Salk Vaccine in the regular three shot series are given about 1 month apart with the third shot following the second by about seven months. "It thus takes about 8 months to complete the series," said Belknap, "and time is a wasting!"

guests, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Richman of Battle Creek, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bolter and Susan of Lincoln visited Mrs. Gertrude Bolter in her home after the wedding. Mrs. Richman is Mrs. Bolter's sister.

Coffee guests of Mrs. Clyde Applegarth this past week were Mrs. Ervin Sawtelle and Lois Wednesday forenoon. Mrs. Richard Porter and Robin in the afternoon. Thursday afternoon guests were Mrs. Jerry Proctor and children and Mrs. Doe Leming and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sibert and family took Mr. Sibert's mother, Mrs. Pearl Sibert, back to her home in Superior Saturday. Mrs. Sibert had spent a week with her son and family.

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Mrs. Henry Maseman

Richard Maseman attended a Grand Lodge encampment of the Order of Odd Fellows at Kansas City over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stubbendiek attended the wedding of their granddaughter Eunice Seelhoff to Glenn Schewepe at Lutheran Memorial church in Syracuse Wednesday evening, April 22. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Seelhoff, Syracuse, and the groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schewepe, Cook, were united in a candlelight ceremony.

Woman's Fellowship of the Congregational Church met on Thursday with Mrs. Albert Carr and Mrs. Earl Freeman. Mrs. Nancy Carsten led the devotions. A memorial was given for Mrs. Christine Salling, a former member by the Missionary Committee. It was voted to have a bake sale May 16.

Extension Club met with Mrs. Elmer Hennings Thursday. Mrs. Robert Hallstrom and Mrs. Ernest Haveman gave the lesson Personality and Charm.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buckholz announce the birth of a daughter at D e Ritter, La. Mrs. Buckholz was Patricia Tritsch.

The Friendly Farmerettes met with Mrs. Richard Wilson. Mrs. Ted Wilson gave a paper on Watchdog for Mrs. Consumer. Plans were made for a farewell party for President Mrs. A. Zeilinger which will be for members and their families on May 8.

Betty Reitsch, a 1958 Avoca High graduate, graduated from Lincoln School of Commerce in a stenographic course last week in a class of 152.

The Neighborhood Club met with Mr. and Mrs. John Emshoff for supper Saturday night. The evening was spent playing cards with prizes to Mrs. E. Rawalt, Mrs. Martha Ruge, Mr. and Mrs. William Dettmer, Lou Stueckrath, Mr. and Mrs. Stueckrath were guests.

Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Stueckrath were his mother, Mrs. Ida Stueckrath and Carol and Dick of Plainview, Mrs. Roger Stueckrath and Rober Stueckrath, Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Maseman and children of Lincoln were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maseman. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Halm and daughters Mr. and Mrs. Myron Schroder and Jody Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hallstrom and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hallstrom and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hallstrom and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Case and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hallstrom at a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Tom Hallstrom.

A birthday dinner was held recently at the Harry Ehmke home honoring Mrs. Ehmke and her sister, Mable Honfeld of Nebraska City.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Mead last week were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miller, Bakersfield, Calif., and Mr. Reeves, Omaha. Mrs. Mead and Mrs. Miller are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baier of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. James Edgman, also of Tulsa, visited at the John Baier Sr. home last week.

Marylynn Hoback and her sister Mrs. Lloyd Vanderville and Susan left Sunday for Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. Vanderville spent the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hoback. Miss Hoback will come back by train.

Lloyd Ganzel, Nebraska City, broke an ankle while at work Tuesday. A tractor tire full of fuel fell on him. He is at Brown Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ehmke and son of Syracuse and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ehmke of Avoca attended Christening services for Gregory Allan, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Vokown at First Lutheran Church in Wilber Sunday. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ehmke and Mr. Otto Vokown, Hallam.

Mrs. Ann Miehle visited her grandson, Bobby Beccard, in Lincoln Wednesday. He had had a tonsilectomy the day before.

The teachers and officers of the Congregational Church Sunday School met Monday evening to make plans for the daily vacation Bible School starting May 25 and lasting through June 5.

The Homemakers 4-H Club met Saturday with Roseann Jacobsen with 11 present. Cathy Norris led roll call. Naming a Vegetable and What we Like Best While Making a Skirt and Blouse. Anna Jean Albers demonstrated how to cook peas and the younger group baked cookies and passed out samples. The older group judged belts and seams on finished skirts. Plans were made for a roller skating party and a picnic at Playland Park.

John Marquardt is building a room onto his residence. Clarence Kammann, a junior, was among the university students honored at convocation exercises Tuesday.

Mrs. Ella Meisbeck and Mrs. Jake Young, Unadilla, visited Mrs. Paul VanAcker Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hallstrom visited her brother and family, Lt. and Mrs. Fredric Hefer at Topeka, and at the William Berger home.

Nita Francis, Beloit, Kan., visited Mrs. J. W. Brendel several days last week.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marquardt were Rev. Francis Snyder and son Paul, Cortland, and Mrs. J. E. Aeschbacher.

Elmer Johnson went to Omaha Friday to return his car which was stolen two weeks ago. It was found by a friend in a car parking lot undamaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. (Ted) Brown, Burbank, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Joan, to Jack A. Swartbaugh. They plan to be married Aug. 29. Miss Brown is a junior at the University of California. Her mother and father are well known here as her mother taught school here.

The primary and grammar rooms attended the Shrine Circus in Lincoln Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hauschild are parents of a daughter at Bryan Hospital, Lincoln April 20. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Berner Sr., Otoe, and maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Dick Kassten, Otoe. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hauschild, Syracuse.

Mrs. John Lingle Jr. is helping at the store in Otoe while her father, Fred Lockman, is hospitalized at St. Mary's, Nebraska City.

Mrs. William Brandt, Mrs. Norris are serving on the District Court jury this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marquardt and Francis Marquardt were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. J. W. Brendel. Thursday, Mrs. Marquardt and Mrs. Brendel were guests of Francis Marquardt at dinner in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hoback entertained at a farewell dinner for their daughter, Mrs. Vanderville and Susan Thursday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and Bonita and Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Ruge and Ricky.

Anna Seegel, Lincoln, visited Sunday with Mrs. Bryan Seegel and Crystal.

The Green Thumber Garden Club and the Sunshine Club went to Omaha Monday by chartered bus and visited the following places: Kitty Clover Co., the airport, Continental Bakery, the Omaha Crockery Co. They had dinner at a cafeteria.

Mrs. E. Rawalt was hostess Sunday to the Pitch Club for dinner.

"A" Club of Avoca High went to see South Pacific in Omaha Sunday.

Albert Bose is a patient at Bryan Hospital, Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Baier and family, Orange, Calif., arrived Tuesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Baier. Dwight left for Texas to train in the Air Force Reserve for two weeks and the family will join him later. They also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young at Beatrice earlier as the Young's leave for Canada in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mueller and daughter, Otoe, visited relatives here Monday night.

Francis Marquardt left Sunday for his home after visiting here. His brother John took him to Omaha from where he left by plane for Los Angeles.

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