



15-month-old girl dies Tuesday after brief illness

Rebeca Jane Johnson, 15-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 13 at Sumner Community Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Methodist Church with former Pastor, Rev. Clyde Scott of Springville, Iowa, officiating. Interment will be in the Union Mound Municipal Cemetery. Emerson-Milnes Funeral Home is in charge of funeral arrangements.

The infant's father is presently in service with the U.S. Navy and is stationed at the Naval Ammunition Depot at Hawthorne, Nev. He was granted emergency leave.

Besides her parents, Rebecca Jane is survived by her twin sister, Audrey Sue, another sister, Ramona Linn, 2½; a brother, Robert Lawrence, 3½; her grandfather, Harold Traeger of Dyersville, Iowa; and her great aunt, Mrs. Mona Dodd of Sumner.

Mrs. Johnson is the former Judy Traeger of Sumner.



After slow start, swimming pool is busy now

After a slow start due to the cool weather prevailing, the Whitmire Memorial Swimming Pool is operating at full schedule with hundreds of young people and adults using the pool daily and in the evenings.

The warm, humid weather the past week and a half has been particularly conducive to good swimming. A number of young people were sunning on the deck and others were in the water when this picture was taken Thursday afternoon. Best day to date, according to pool manager, Ron Maxson, was Tuesday, June 13, when there were 366 admissions at the pool. Admissions on the other

days on which the pool has been open include: June 2, 159; June 3, 300; June 4, 208; June 6, 220; June 9, 241; June 10, 335; June 11, 253; and June 12, 324.

School custodian retires

Clarence Gersonde leaves the Durant Elementary School Saturday after completing nine years of service as custodian. He is now retired from this position at the local school. Mr. Gersonde began his duties there after the new wing was added to the Durant building in 1958. Supt. Elect Donald Gosch, who has worked with Mr. Gersonde as Principal of

Durant School during all of the custodian's years of service, commended him for his efficiency, conscientious devotion to duty and exceptional ability in all areas of his work. "I couldn't possibly say enough about the good work he has done for us," Supt. Elect Gosch said. "We will surely miss him."

Police receive B-B gun, fireworks complaints

Sumner Police have been receiving numerous complaints on the shooting of firecrackers and similar items as well as beebe guns, within the city limits, according to Chief Edward Anderson.

Meyer Mattia Zurbriggen has warned that anyone caught firing any type of fireworks would be dealt with severely and asked the cooperation of the parents in both the matter of fireworks and the use of beebe guns in the city.

At least one mail box in the country was blown apart by an early fourth of July celebrator and, of course, is a federal offense.

Fireworks are described by Iowa Code: including "any explosive composition, or combination of explosive substances, or article prepared for the purpose of producing a visible audible effect by combustion, explosion, deflagration or detonation, and shall include blank cartridges, toy pistols, toy cannons, toy canes or toy guns in which explosives are used, balloons which require fire underneath to propel the same, firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, roman candles, daygo bombs or other fireworks."

Anyone caught and convicted can receive a fine of not more than \$100 or imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding ninety days, or can receive both the fine and imprisonment.

Permits for firing of fireworks for special occasions may be obtained and anyone interested should obtain information on this from Chief Anderson.

**HELLO
WORLD**

DIERKS, Thomas John, born Dec. 31, 1966, came to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. John Dierks. He arrived in the Dierks home Monday, June 12, 1967.

PALS, Lisa Jane, born June 6, 1967. Weight 6 lbs., 6 oz. Parents are Rev. and Mrs. Daryl W. Pals of Paulina. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pals are the grandparents.

GRUBER, David Dean, born June 11, 1967 at the Sumner Community Hospital. Weight 7 lbs., 7 oz. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gruber.

HAPPEL, Kevin Jon, born June 12, 1967 at the Sumner Community Hospital. Weight 8 lbs., 5½ oz. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Happel of Readlyn.

WAGNER, baby girl, born June 13, 1967 at the Sumner Community Hospital. Weight 10 lbs., 6 oz. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wagner.



Firemen's families enjoy annual picnic

Members of the Summer Volunteer Fire Department clamber off the fire truck after a ride through the City Park Sunday. Assisting the youngsters are Firemen, Milton Robertson, oldest member of the department and Duane Buenow, one of the younger members. At far left is Marilyn Yungum.

wife of fireman, Lyle Yungum. The ride on the fire truck is one of the most looked-forward-to events for the youngsters. Nothing is quite as exciting as a ride on the fire truck. The occasion was the annual Firemen's picnic held in the late afternoon and evening Sunday. Rain fell through the

Jaycees planning Fourth celebration

A total of \$1077.10 was contributed by Sumner residents in the annual American Cancer Crusade recently held here, according to local chairman, Mrs. Jim Landre.

This money will be used in the American Cancer Society's continuing program of Research.

ATTENDS WORKSHOP

Mrs. Verly Murphy, local fifth grade teacher at the Durand Elementary School, returned Saturday after attending Adams State College camp workshop at Alamosa, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Frisch, who also took the course, are continuing their studies there. Mrs. Murphy was accompanied to Sumner by her husband, and sister, Mrs. Carl Hyman.

All area residents are urged

to make plans to enjoy a "safe and sane" Fourth of July at the city park, with the Sumner Jaycees.

It will be a "Community Picnic" featuring a picnic dinner to be served through most of the day, games and sporting events, prize give-aways and other activities.

All area residents are urged

Contract awarded for grading work on County Line

Contract for construction work on the Bremer-Fayette county line road from highway 3 for more than four miles, was let at West Union Tuesday.

Successful bidder was Dale Upham, Inc. of West Union, with a total contract bid of \$48,934.58.

Two other bids were received including \$48,605.23 by Holland Bros. Const., Decorah, and \$53,334.98 by Reilly Const. Co., of Ossian. The Decorah firm's bid was rejected "due to the as per item 4 of Notice to Bidders."

The project, including 4.259 miles from highway 3 north, will include excavating, clearing and grubbing, installation of culverts and grading.

Construction work is to begin June 15 and is scheduled to be completed by Oct. 15, 1967.

FUN-FUND NIGHT

The Luther League Fun Fund Night will be held Sunday evening, June 18 at 8:00 p.m. on the lawn at St. Peter's Lutheran Church at Richfield. A box social will be held for all ages, so ladies and girls bring your boxes of lunch. There will also be entertainment on the lawn weather permitting. Everyone is welcome.

Save in Sumner stores every day of the week for bargains.

City Council fails to grant approval for land transfer

The Sumner City Council, in special session Tuesday night, discussed the proposed Fridley Feed Mill-City property exchange at the corner of First and Pleasant Streets, before going into executive session.

The property exchange would have involved the present city parking lot south across First Street from the Sumner Public Library for a lot presently occupied by an empty building at the corner of First and Pleasant Streets. This building was recently occupied by H & V Antique shop, but is now vacant.

The property exchange had been proposed by Orson Kauffman of Fridley Feed Mill. His firm would like to acquire the present city parking lot on First Street for a proposed expansion of the firm's facilities.

A letter from the Library Board of Trustees was read to the Council and a report of discussion with other interested parties resulted in the Council disapproving this property transfer. Several other plans were discussed, but no decision was reached at Tuesday night's meeting.

Following this discussion, the City Council went into executive session, called for by the public safety committee. Although no indication was given of what the executive session involved, it appeared its purpose was to review police and court policies and procedures.

Next meeting of the City Council will be held Tuesday night, June 20.

Larry Kirchhoff, 21, leaves for Service

Larry Kirchhoff, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirchhoff of Sumner has been inducted into military service through the Chickasaw County Draft Board, New Hampton.

He left this past week end for Fort Campbell, Kentucky where he will receive his basic military training in the U.S. Army.

Kirchhoff was employed as an electronics technician at Colliers Radio, Cedar Rapids for the past year.

RECEIVES DEGREE

Dan Pease, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pease, received his M.A. in English on June 5 at Kansas State College in Pittsburgh, Kans. He will teach English at Ellsworth Junior College in Iowa Falls.

Mrs. Ray. Lang dies Tuesday at Iowa City

Mrs. Raymond Lang, 53, lifetime resident of the Westgate-Maynard area, died Tuesday, June 13 at 10:15 a.m. at the University Hospitals, Iowa City, where she had been a patient for six days. Her death was attributed to a carcinoma. She had been in ill health for approximately three years.

Funeral services will be held Friday, June 16 at 2 p.m. at the Hope Lutheran Church with interim pastor, Rev. Oscar Smith of Waverly, officiating. There will be a prayer service at 1:30 p.m. at the Emerson-Milnes Funeral Home. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Viola Marie Nauholz was born April 18, 1914, the daughter of Henry C. and Mary Timm Nauholz.

She was united in marriage with Raymond Lang at Hope Lutheran Church on Feb. 1, 1938 and the couple have farmed in the Westgate-Maynard area since that time.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond; one son, Dan Ray of Maynard; three daughters, Betty Ann (Mrs. Karl Sanger) of Waterloo, Renee Marie (Mrs. James Diercks) of New Hampton, and Mary Katherine Lang, at home; seven grandchildren; three brothers, Robert Nauholz of Oelwein, John Nauholz of Algona and Herbert Nauholz of Hawkeye; and one sister, Ruth (Mrs. C. C. Rhodes) of Bakersfield, California.

Her parents preceded her in death.

TORNADO WARNING SIGNAL

30 second blast on fire whistle
30 second pause
60 second blast on fire whistle