

IN CASE OF POLIO

With polio on the increase in 38 of the 48 states, the Spartanburg County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has announced procedure to be followed when a case of polio appears in the county.

The attending physician or the family should notify Lore S. Brown in Spartanburg, who is chairman of the county chapter. The chairman will see that some representative of the chapter calls upon the family to offer sympathy, advice and assistance.

Usually the physician arranges for admission of the patient to one of the hospitals which has been designated as a polio treatment center. Only hospitals accepted by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals are used. In some lighter cases of polio, treatment may be given in the home, the medical service division of the National Foundation advises.

Financial aid is given by NFIP chapters whenever families cannot

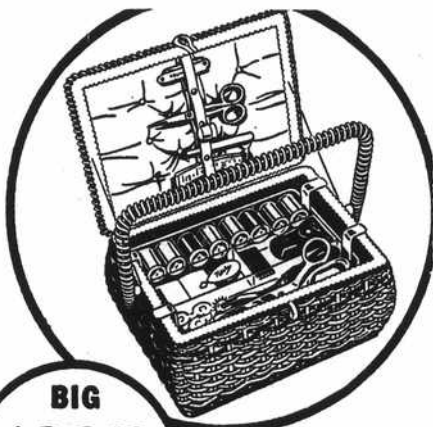
bear the full cost, the local chapter announced. Aid is given from March of Dimes funds raised in this county each January, without regard to race, creed or color.

The National Foundation states: "Families that can pay all or part of the cost of care, or that have polio insurance or hospital insurance coverage, are expected to utilize these resources, but no family is expected to impoverish itself to meet medical or hospital expenses of polio." The Foundation stands ready to help all who need help, the chapter chairman added.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Kenneth Cursman and daughters, Judy and Jane, of Cincinnati, O., are visiting Mrs. Cursman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Robert G. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Knoop have returned from a visit with members of their family in Evanston, Ill., Holland, Mich., and Essex Fells, N. J.

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