

Celia News

Mrs. Mark Hendricks

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Anderson were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wells, Bristow, Thursday.

The Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society held their Christmas meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Hendricks with 16 members attending. Mrs. Elmore Blain, society president, conducted the meeting. Mrs. Robert Slaymaker presented the lesson on "Sacrifice". Mrs. Leonard Chaffin reported on the progress noted in YWMB activities.

Meeting places and roll call assignments for the new year were named. Contributions to the American Bible Society were with held until January meeting.

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Items to be sent to the Brainard Indian Mission School were made ready for packing.

The group voted in favor of sponsoring a project to purchase a rug and song books for the church. The project is to extend to all members of the congregation.

Following the business session a Christmas party with gift exchange was held. Mystery Sister partners were revealed and new names drawn. Christmas carols were sung, accompanied by Mrs. Vivian Baughn at the piano.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Slaymaker.

Wesleyan Methodist Prayer meeting was held at the Merrill Anderson home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Robert Hendricks visited Mrs. Mark Hendricks in the hospital Monday evening, while Miss Becky Lynn Hendricks was taking her music lesson.

Robert, Arlin and Mark Hendricks sawed wood Saturday afternoon.

The Christmas spirit was shown last week as one lady came to the party wearing shoes that were not mated. When someone pointed them out, she was really quite surprised, but she explained that the Christmas elves must have

played a trick on her and mixed them up.

Mrs. Mark Hendricks returned home from the hospital Thursday. She wishes to say a great big Thank You to all the visitors and cards she received while in the hospital. She had over 90 visitors and 80-100 cards while in the hospital and she has received many cards since returning home. She also wished to thank Mrs. Robert Hendricks for coming in every day to help with the house work and cooking.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendricks and family were Thursday evening supper guests at the Mark Hendricks home.

Miss Sharon Heiser spent Thursday afternoon at the Duane Beck home while her parents loaded babes.

Miss Dorothy Scott was a dinner guest at the Victor Frickle home Saturday.

Mrs. Alex Frickle and her daughter, Joan, were glad to report that they got the casts all taken off this past week. We hope they have any more broken bones right away.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lauridsen and family and Mr. Jim Lauridsen were supper guests at the Hans Lauridsen home Sunday.

Glenn Frickle spent Wednesday night with Gary Hoffman.

Mr. Ed Hoffman and Mrs. Iva Deseive were Sunday evening supper guests at the LeRoy Hoffman home.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hoffman and family went to the basketball game Saturday evening.

Mrs. Byrl Beck will leave for Omaha Wednesday where she will possibly have to have surgery on her arm. She has had an acute case of bursitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Natchel Rzeszotarski took a car load of St. Joe pep club girls to the basketball game at Royal Friday evening.

Mr. Duane Beck called at the Natchel Rzeszotarski home Friday afternoon.

The Celia Homenekers will conduct their Christmas party Friday, Dec. 14, with a covered

dish dinner at the home of Mrs. Leonard Chaffin. The husbands are invited to attend. Each member is to bring table service for her family. Mystery sister gifts will be exchanged and new names drawn. There will also be a 50 grab bag gift for both men and ladies.

An array of Christmas novelties featured interest when the Celia homemakers extension club met Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 28, at the home of Mrs. John Sicheneder. The items displayed were among the ones exhibited at the Christmas Fair held recently at O'Neill.

Mrs. Hans Lauridsen, handicraft chairman and Mrs. Robert Hendricks club, president, arranged the display.

The club was credited with two books presented at a memorial to the Atkinson Township Library. Presented were, "Beyond Ourselves" by Catherine Marshall, in memory of Jeanne Livingston and "Love Song of the Plains" by Mari Sandoz, in memory of Paul Johnson.

Shut-ins chosen were club members, Mrs. Mark Hendricks and Mrs. Byrl Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Natchel Rzeszotarski and family and Mrs. Bertha Gonderinger, visited with the Gaines Rzeszotarski family at Emmet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sicheneder were Sunday dinner guests at the Frank Sicheneder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goldfuss visited at the Jim Sicheneder home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Meyer sr were in Wayne Dec. 2 where they visited with their daughters, Mrs. Harry Neiman and family and Beverly Meyer and their son, Rev. Ivan Meyer and family. They also visited with Mrs. Tillie Anderson of Laurel and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Meyer of Orchard.

Miss Beverly Meyer and Miss Bonnie Ratzlaff of Wayne spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Meyer sr.

pastor of the Methodist church a few years ago.

Eli Walter and son, Arnold Walter, Boyd, Minn. came to attend the funeral of John Walter sr. Sunday. They were guests in the home of the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walter. They spent some time Friday and Saturday calling on old friends and former neighbors, having lived at one time north and west of Chambers.

Gene Van Gerpen, Fremont, came Sunday to get his wife and daughter, Jennifer, who had spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar DeHart.

Mrs. Ola Ermer returned home Wednesday from Washington, D. C. where she had spent the past two months with her daughter, Miss Lela Ermer.

Attending the Purebred Short-horn sale at Columbus Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Glead, Gerald Grimes, LaMont Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Carpenter.

Mrs. Anna Albers left Sunday for Grand Island to spend a few days with her son, Mr. and Mrs. John Albers and family before leaving Thursday for Springfield, Ore. to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford and son, Arlo, were in Sioux City Thursday where Arlo had a check up on his arm which was broken late in the summer.

Cheryl Damme entertained a group of friends at a party at her home Saturday in honor of her eighth birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Taggart and son, Thomas, Danneburg, came Sunday to attend the funeral of John Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Goff and

family, Ord, called at the Melvin Bell home Sunday.

Seventeen members of the American Legion and two children were present Friday evening at the W. H. Crawford home for a short business meeting and annual Christmas party. The president, Donald Green, presided at the business session. The songs, "Star Spangled Banner" and "Silent Night" were sung. Games were played followed by a gift exchange. Lunch was served by Mrs. T. E. Alderson, Mrs. Raymond Walter and Mrs. Earl David.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ekley, Ne-ligh, were in Chambers Sunday to attend the funeral of John Walter sr.

Mrs. Bernard Rickard and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Tom Papke home, the occasion being Linda Papke's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Nachtmann and children visited Mrs. Hazel Blair and Mrs. Whidden Sunday afternoon.

The Valley Center Extension plan to hold their Christmas party Friday, Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs. Alfred Maas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coolidge returned recently from Washington where they had spent over six weeks at the home of their daughter at Renton, Wash. They at-

tended the World's Fair and visited friends and relatives at Ferndale and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jarman and Doug were overnight guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ganser and boys Tuesday. The men attended a sale at Bassett.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wilkinson accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Hazel Boatman, O'Neill, drove to Albion last Thursday to attend the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. Herman Moore. They were accompanied home by his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson, Phillipsburg, Kan., who spent the night, leaving Friday for home.

Several friends and neighbors went to the Walter Haake home Friday evening to help Mrs. Haake celebrate her birthday.

Keller club met Wednesday, Dec. 5 at the home of Mrs. Bernard Grimes with Mrs. Richard Grimes co-hostess. Fifteen members, two guests and three children were present. It was voted to elect officers at the next meet-

ing. The gift exchange with a limit of 50c will also be held at the next meeting December 19 which will be a pot luck and husbands invited. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Sunday evening visitors in the Eric Retzlaff home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jutte, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haake, and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wilkinson.

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By Mrs. E. R. Carpenter
Friends at Chambers have learned that the Rev. Duane Hutchinson who has served as associate minister director of the Wesley foundation has been chosen to fill the place of Dr. William B. Gould, director of the foundation, for the past 3 1/2 years and who is leaving to accept a position in Alabama. The Rev. Hutchinson is well known at Chambers where he served as

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