

Pageant, Concert, 2 Skits Featured

The music department of the O'Neill public school presented a grade school program Tuesday evening to a large crowd at the school auditorium. Featured on the program were two musical skits, "The Ugly Duckling," by the first grade, and "Sleeping Beauty," by the second grade, a pageant, "Spring Joys," which was based on songs written by the upper grades as class projects, and a short concert by the O'Neill grade school band.

The program opened with the pageant, "Spring Joys." The songs were presented by the various grades which wrote them. Third grade sang "A Spring Parade" and "The Bird Song." Fourth grade did "Springtime Games" and "My Kite." Fifth grade presented "Spring Gardening" and "Spring Flowers." The sixth grade closed this part of the program with "April Fool's Day" and "May Day." As the songs were sung, a giant book opened on the stage which contained living pictures to illustrate the songs. Personnel taking part in the living pictures were: Pages—Jim Sullivan and LaVerne Alton; bluebird—Ann Louise Sanders; Springtime games—Donna Asher, Harry Belin, Dennis Cork, Bobby Eby, Beverly Peterson, Ronnie Timm; my kite—Raymond Gamel; spring-gardening—Larry Anderson, Darrel Dexter, George Fuller, Jimmy Larson, Terry Strong; spring flowers—Shirley Babitzke, Betty Rodman, Joan Booth, Sharon Marcelus; April fool's day—Gary Sanders; May day—Freddy Eby, Karen McKim; school room—Konnie Kurtz, teacher, and Larry Godel, Leroy Heiter, Nancy Holgate and Linda Rae Johnson, students.

Scenery for this part of the program was made by the boys and girls of fifth and sixth grades and Jimmie Kilcoin and Carlyse Strong.

The first grade skit, "The Ugly Duckling," included the following children: Ugly Duckling—Terry Kurth; Mother Duck—Kathy Ruebeck; five little ducklings—Richard Porter, Sharon McClellan, Jerry Oetter and Juanita Warner; hen—Ruth Ann Svenson; cow—Beverly Strong; lamb—Wesley Steusse; goose—Gary Brewster; turkey—Sammy Knepper; pig—Jack Nelson; four swans—Stevie Reynoldson, Joe Guern, Albert Sipes and Richard Hill; little old lady—Gretchen Gamel; old cat—James Van Vleck; old hen—Gladys Thornton; farmer—Richard Bazelman; farmer's wife—Janie Hanson; farmer's children—Dickie Marcelus, Earl Reno, Gary Plessel, Orvel Neal, Georgetta Clyde, Sandra Clark, Mary Ann Caenan; Birds—Janet Peterson, Kathryn Perry; Bees—Sally McCage, Barbara Banks.

The second grade skit, "Sleeping Beauty," had the following list of characters: Sleeping beauty—Ruth Ann Walker; king—Curtis Collins; queen—Karen Hansen; prince—Kile Johnson; four good fairies—Ardis Parks, LaVeena Strong, Barbara Whaley and Merna Butterfield; bad fairy—Roland Johnson; children—Terry Conner, Jerry Holgate, Marilyn Plessel, Carol Crook; reader—Lonna Haynes; prince's men—Ralph Metcalf, Raymond Fox, Clarence Hill, Larry Dawes; cooks—Tommy McCage, Larry Walton; Trumpeeters—Jon Cork, Bobby Kramer; rooster—Lonnie McKim; dog—Orin Spry; cat—Patsy Bazelman; horse—Curt Larson and Richard Bellin; rat—Harlan Sawyer; mouse—Joan Pease; bird—Starlyn Robinson.

The grade school band concluded the program by playing the following numbers: "America," by Carey; "March—Cruiser Des Moines," by Watters; "Rosebud Waltz," by Metcalf; "Marines Hymn," arranged for the band by Charles B. Houser; "Magdelin Waltz," by Metcalf; Dot and Phil-March," Metcalf-Filmore.

Personnel of this band includes: Flute—Betty Lou Schultz; Clarinets—Cecilia Arbutnot, Shirley Schultz, Paula Reed, Mary Ryan, Leila Shaw, Virginia Thornton and Leroy Lyons; alto saxophones—Sharon Marcelus, Ellen Kay Lohaus; cornets—Richard Shelhamer, James Reynoldson, Mardel Gaskill, Jude Ryan, Jackie Sullivan, George Fuller, Darrell Dexter, Ted Strong; French horns—Jean McElhanev, Marion Moseman, Dona Lou Turner, Regina Hynes, Lorna Marcelus, Diane Cork; baritone—Dwayne Devall, Pat Gamel; Shirley Babutzke; trombones—Gordon Fox, Donna Asher, Gene Turner; bass—Roger Babutzke, Don Malloy, Jim Bailey; drums—Ivan Kaiser and Carolyn Lindberg.

Mr. Houser is director of instrumental music in the O'Neill schools. James Bastain instructs the vocal music.

The next program to be presented by the grade school will be the annual kindergarten program and graduation which will be given May 2, 8 p.m. This program, under the direction of Mrs. Grace Peterson, kindergarten teacher, is open to the public and all are invited to attend.

Crellin Grandson Dies in West
EWING—Funeral services were held, Friday, April 11, at Rockford, Wash., for Gary Gene, oldest son of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Rickard, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Crellin, of Ewing, and Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Rickard, of Spokane, Wash., formerly of Ewing.

Gary had been ill since shortly after his birth on February 15, 1950, and he died at a Spokane hospital on April 9. Survivors include: parents; brother—Randall Dean; and grandparents.

Wyoming Visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thorin and daughter, Lavonne, spent the weekend in Cheyenne, Wyo., with relatives.

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STUART NEWLYWEDS . . . Miss Mary Ann Mashek and Frank W. Shane, both of Stuart, were recently married.—O'Neill Photo Co.

2 Couples Jointly Mark Anniversaries

EWING—Wedding anniversaries were celebrated on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. George Jefferies, of Ewing, and Mr. and Mrs. Burges Cratty, of Clearwater.

April 24 is the 40th wedding anniversary date for the Jefferies and April 19 was the 41st for the Crattys. The ladies are sisters. The two couples were guests-of-honor for a family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferies.

A 1 o'clock dinner was served cafeteria style. Three anniversary cakes, made by Mrs. Fred Mabel, Mrs. Mark Muff and Mrs. Mark Maben, made attractive table decorations with bouquets of daffodils from Miss Minnie Neiderheide and mixed bouquets of sweet peas and snapdragons. Mr. and Mrs. Jefferies also received a bouquet of red roses from their granddaughter, Miss Barbara Jean Huff, of Washington, D.C., who was unable to be present.

The afternoon was spent informally. Pictures were taken of the honored couples as well as group pictures.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Burges Cratty, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maben, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Maben, Miss Minnie Neiderheide, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Jefferies, Mrs. Homer Stearns and son, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Muff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers, all from Clearwater; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maulding, of Ewing; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Vleck, of Neligh; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Muff and family, of O'Neill.

Other Ewing News
The Norfolk junior college on the 10th annual spring musical tour gave a concert at the Ewing high school on Wednesday, April 16.

During the morning worship hour on Sunday at the Ewing Methodist church, Florence and Iris Van Ostrand, Judy Cloyd, Virginia McDonald, Lila Doepfel and Bobby Tams became members of the Methodist church. They are members of the intermediate youth fellowship, which is under the direction of Mrs. Willis Rockey.

Wednesday, April 16, the annual northeast Nebraska district conference of Methodist churches was held at Plainview. Those attending from Ewing were the following members of the Women's Society of Christian Service: Mrs. William Spence, Mrs. Albert Larson, Mrs. Jessie Angus, Mrs. J. L. Pruden, Mrs. Benjamin Larson, Mrs. Andrew Olson. Other were Rev. C. C. Chappell, Benjamin Larson and Albert Larson. Dinner was served by the members of the WSCS, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Regan on Tuesday evening, April 15, for a 6 o'clock dinner at the Town House in O'Neill. The occasion was in honor of their wedding anniversary.

On Friday, the Eldorado theater presented "Excuse My Dust" featuring Red Skelton in a matinee and evening show. Half of the proceeds went to the band mother's club, of the Ewing public school. Both shows were well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Huffman attended the banker's convention held in Norfolk on Tuesday, April 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Colfax and family spent Monday in O'Neill on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elden Butterfield and family were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grosse and family, of Creighton. Miss Ellen Butterfield entertained Miss Janice Grosse, of Creighton, for the weekend.

Venetian blinds, prompt delivery, made to measure, metal or wood, all colors.—J. M. McDonald Co., O'Neill.

'Thread of Destiny' Senior Play Title

The O'Neill high school senior class will present its play, "Thread of Destiny," next Tuesday evening at the public school auditorium. Miss Viola Haynes is director. Principal Joel Lyman and Marvin Miller are class sponsors.

Gentle ladies in hoop-skirted dresses and dashing gentlemen in Confederate and Union army uniforms will take the spotlight in the play with a Virginia setting. The cast includes: Wilma McKim, Dale Strong, Verle Ralya, Diane McAdams, Joellyn Backhaus, John Bowen, Phyllis Harmon, Gene Seger, Carolyn Hiatt, Marlene Malcom, Eddie Bridges, Hazel Marie Johnson, Helen Young, Clarence Johnson, Clay-Baumeister, Beverly Norman, Jim McKenny, Russell Closson, Barbara Bennett, Ardis Grenier, Don Hagensick, Jay McConnell, Betty Dailey.

WSCS Delegation to Plainview Meeting

Seven members of the Women's Society of Christian Service, of the O'Neill Methodist church, attended a district Methodist conference at Plainview on Wednesday, April 16.

Delegates were Mrs. C. W. Porter, Mrs. Charles Switzer, Mrs. Lloyd Gillespie, Mrs. Clay Johnson, sr., Mrs. LaVerne Jay, Mrs. Louis Reimer and Mrs. Ralph Leidy.

Meanwhile, plans are underway for installation of newly-elected officers of the O'Neill group. The rite will take place Thursday, May 8. Officers to be installed are:

President, Mrs. Ralph Leidy; vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Steussie; secretary, Mrs. C. W. Porter; treasurer, Mrs. Louis Reimer; promotion secretary, Mrs. Claude Bates; spiritual life secretary, Mrs. Ed Wayman; missionary secretary, Mrs. LaVerne Jay; Christian social relations and local church activities secretary, Mrs. Charles Switzer; secretary student work, Mrs. Harold Lindberg; secretary children's work, Mrs. Bennie Hill; secretary status of women, Mrs. Grant Peacock; secretary supplies, Mrs. Ted McElhanev; secretary literature and publications, Mrs. Ray Eby.

CELIA NEWS

Friday, April 18, a party was given at the home of Frickel brothers honoring Cpl. Robert Pease, who leaves Tuesday, April 22, for Camp Carson in Colorado. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pease, while on furlough from Korea. April 18 was also the birthday anniversary of three Celia residents, Herman Frickel, Stanley Johnson (now living in Atkinson), and O. A. Hammerberg, and they shared honors with the guest-of-honor.

Mrs. O. A. Hammerberg, accompanied by Mrs. Lewis Humphrey, Mrs. Wes Gage and Mrs. Fred Dunn, attended the northeast district Woman's Society of Christian Service annual all-day meeting Wednesday, April 16. It was held in the Methodist church in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Scott attended funeral services for Charley Keeler in Butte Monday afternoon, April 14.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hammerberg were O'Neill visitors Thursday afternoon, April 17. Mr. Hammerberg was a delegate to the republican convention in O'Neill that afternoon.

Lawrence Smith helped Terwilligers with the cattle Thursday afternoon, April 17.

Shirley Colfax spent from Friday, April 18, to Sunday forenoon, April 20, with Mr. and Mrs. George Beck in Atkinson.

Sunday, April 20, dinner guests at the Emil Colfax home were Mr. and Mrs. George Beck, Alex Forsythe and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hammerberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hendricks and family were dinner guests

at the Mark Hendricks home on Sunday, April 20. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Focken and family were afternoon guests the same day.

Mrs. Ruth Chaffin and daughters visited the Lawrence Smith home Friday morning, April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck were O'Neill visitors Friday, April 18. Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hammerberg visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pease Thursday evening, April 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Colfax were O'Neill visitors Tuesday, April 15.

A dinner honoring Cpl. Robert Pease was given Monday evening, April 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Spann with Mrs. Albert Spann assisting hostess. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pease, Mr. and Mrs.

Albert Spann and Gail, and Miss Fern Spann.

Mrs. Frank Kilmurry and Mrs. Edward Troshynski were hostesses at a shower given in the KC hall in Atkinson for Rita Troshynski Thursday evening, April 17. Around 25 guests attended the shower and many gifts were presented the bride-to-be, whose wedding to Edwin Rome, of Omaha, was solemnized Saturday morning, April 19, at 9 o'clock, in St. Joseph's Catholic church in Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Frickel flew to Niobrara early Tuesday morning, April 15, and followed the Niobrara river and Missouri river down to Sioux City to set the flood waters and to see what damage was done to buildings, etc. They said it was an "awe-

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some" sight. Holt county looked extra good to them when they returned home before noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton McKathnie and son, Darrell, attended Easter services at Inman and had dinner with her cousin, Miss Mildred Keyes. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rouse and son, Marvin, also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Disterhaupt and daughter were Thursday afternoon, April 10, visitors at the Hans Lauridsen home.

Bill Obermire was a Tuesday morning, April 8, visitor at the Hans Lauridsen home. Bennett Smith and a friend, of Butte, were dinner guests the same day at Lauridsens.

Mark Hendricks and Mr. and Mrs. Omer Poynts were O'Neill visitors Friday, April 11.

Mrs. Connie Frickel spent Easter Sunday caring for her mother, Mrs. Edna Hendricks, while the Mark Hendricks family attended the Easter program and services at Hillside chapel. Mrs. Lawrence Smith is the pastor. A basket dinner with around 50 persons attending followed the services.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Scott and daughter, Mrs. Gene Livingston, went to see the flood waters at Wheeler bridge over the Missouri river when it was at its crest, Saturday, April 12.

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