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Second District Bar Meeting and Banquet Held

Members Enjoy Royal Repast at Hotel Plattsmouth; Ralph Nickerson of Papillion, New President.

From Thursday's Daily
The bar association of the second judicial district met in this city last evening to enjoy the fine banquet that had been prepared for them and the excellent program which the committee had arranged.

The banquet was held at the dining room of the Hotel Plattsmouth, the ladies of the St. Luke's church serving the repast and which was all that the most exacting taste could demand and daintily served.

The dining room was arranged in a bower of floral beauty, the tables having bouquets of the bright colored tulips, Japanese quince and other flowers, while huge masses of the purple and white lilacs were placed on the buffet and in the windows of the room. The burning tapers also added their touch to the charm of the table arrangements, which with the cut glass and sparkling silver, made the scene one of the greatest beauty.

The following was the menu:
Bouillon
Toasted Bread Sticks
Hors D'Oeuvres
Fresh Vegetable Salad
Spring Veal Birds
Frozen Punch
New Browned Potatoes
Asparagus
with
Hollandaise Sauce
Hot Poppy Horns
Dessert
Blamango Filled Bisque
Coffee

The address to the visiting members of the bar and guests was given by Attorney D. O. Dwyer of this city, a past president of the association.

Following the dinner the meeting was called to order by W. A. Robertson, of this city, president of the association and the members took up the matters that were demanding their attention. In the selection of officers the following were named:
President—Ralph Nickerson, Papillion.
Vice-President—J. A. Capwell, Plattsmouth.
Secretary-Treasurer—Marshall Pitzer, Nebraska City.

The members of the association enjoyed an unusual feature as the entertainment portion of the program in the debate between David A. Fitch, well known attorney and Judge Jesse L. Root, both of Omaha. The subject was that of "The Incorporation of the Bar of Nebraska." Mr. Fitch taking the affirmative while Judge Root presented the arguments against the proposition. The speakers covered the subject in a fine way that brought out all of the points for and against the establishing of the bar as an incorporated society in the state and was thoroughly appreciated by all of the members.

The members of the Cass county bar with their ladies were practically all in attendance, the out of town members here being Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Ganz, Alvo; Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Clements, Elmwood; while from the adjoining counties were Judge W. W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Woodbury, reporter, W. H. and Marshall Pitzer, of Nebraska City; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Nickerson, Joseph Strawn, Herman Haerberlein, clerk of the district court at Papillion.

Judge D. W. Livingston is not in the best of health and was unable to join the members of the bar at the banquet as he is still confined to his home.

The flour for the delicious rolls was donated by the Omar company of Omaha and which was much appreciated by the ladies.

HOLD FINE DANCE

From Thursday's Daily
Last evening a very large crowd of the dancing public enjoyed a very fine social time at the American Legion hall, the occasion being the ball given by the Holy Rosary parish. The music was furnished by the Jim Hovorka orchestra of Omaha and Jim and the boys were at their best and kept the dancers stepping to the program of popular and Bohemian and German numbers.

INJURED LAD DOING WELL

The condition of Robert Krejci, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krejci of this city, who was severely injured Wednesday afternoon in an auto accident, was reported as being as well as possible under the circumstances. The injured boy was taken to the Covenant hospital at Omaha Wednesday afternoon and where the injured ankle was treated and the patient made as comfortable as possible. The ankle suffered a compound fracture and was badly lacerated, there being twenty-nine stitches required to close the wound.

Plattsmouth People Attend Deanery Meeting

Session of the Auburn Deanery of the Catholic Church Held Wednesday at Manley Church

The meeting of the Auburn deanery of the National Council of Catholic Women, was held on Wednesday afternoon at the St. Patrick's church at Manley, a group of some 125 of the ladies from the southeastern portion of the state gathering for their annual meeting.

Practically all of the churches of the deanery were represented and the two Plattsmouth parishes were featured on the program of the afternoon. Miss Mildred Knoflicek of the Holy Rosary parish giving a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Beatrice Knoflicek at the piano, while Miss Edna Mae Petersen of the St. John's parish gave one of her charming readings.

There were many very fine talks and discussions enjoyed on the work of the church in this section of the state and a large group of the clergy of the deanery were in attendance to add to their part of the program.

The diocesan meeting will be held at Lincoln on May 8th, and a large number of the ladies are expected to be in attendance at the gathering.

The Manley ladies had prepared and served a dainty and delicious luncheon to close the pleasant and profitable meeting.

Those who attended from this city were Mrs. A. C. Bach, Mrs. John Bergmann, Mrs. F. I. Rea and Misses Knoflicek and Petersen.

WOMEN PALLBEARERS

Six women served as pallbearers Wednesday afternoon at the funeral of Mrs. Emma Peltz, 37, a rare occurrence in the history of Omaha funerals.

Services were held at 2:30 p. m. at Peters-Carlson mortuary, in Omaha, with the Rev. Charles Durden of the First Baptist church officiating.

Pallbearers were Bernice Nelson, Ione Jones, Mrs. Mable Damon, Lavon Godie, Bonita Boustain, co-workers at the Ambassador, and Mrs. Margaret Prouse.

Omaha morticians said Wednesday women seldom serve as pallbearers for funerals except in cases when an organization or lodge takes charge.

Besides the pallbearers, 25 women, including other waitresses at the cafe and several friends, sat in a body at the mortuary. Following the service, the 25 women divided into an open rank through which the pallbearers carried the body to the waiting hearse.

The pallbearers headed the funeral to Hillcrest Memorial park where burial took place. Likewise at the cemetery they opened ranks through which the coffin was carried to the grave.

Fritz Al Carlson provided the music during the service.

Mrs. Peltz, the mother of three children, was killed Sunday in an auto collision one-half mile north of Plattsmouth on highway No. 75.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

The friends of Mrs. Frances Meisinger will be very glad to know that she is home from the hospital and doing very nicely. Mrs. Meisinger was operated on at an Omaha hospital and has so far recovered that she will be able to spend the remainder of her recuperation here at home.

Legionnaires Hear of Work of Re-Employment

W. H. Andresen, Veteran Placement Officer for State, Makes Interesting Talk Last Night

From Friday's Daily
A good attendance was present at last night's monthly meeting of Hugh J. Kearns post, American Legion, to hear the address by W. H. Andresen, veterans' placement officer for the state of Nebraska, under the National Re-employment service. Mr. Andresen was accompanied here from Lincoln by R. C. Patterson, editor of the Nebraska Legionnaire. Also present at the meeting was "Alf" Edgerton, manager of the Cass county office of National Re-employment service.

At the conclusion of routine business, Mr. Patterson was introduced and spoke briefly on the policies of the Legion, including pending legislation for payment of the adjusted service certificates now before congress. He particularly stressed the importance of securing passage of the universal draft law that would conscript capital as well as manpower in event of future wars, thereby taking the profit out of war, which he said would be a most effective way of stopping war. The Legion has been behind this proposal for a number of years, but this year, for the first time, the passage of such a law is being considered by congress with the chances of its carrying reported increasing daily.

Thinks New Regulation Best
Mr. Patterson's talk was followed by a most enlightening review of the employment laws as relate to veterans by Mr. Andresen, who is well versed in the matter and was able to answer numerous questions asked by different service men, both during and after the meeting. The veterans' preference clause was described by Mr. Andresen as acting somewhat as a boomerang by engendering ill feeling among non-veteran co-workers and foremen, often causing more veterans to lose jobs than it aided them in securing positions, and he felt that the new law applicable to the latest work relief program of the administration will prove more satisfactory than it has worked out the other way. Under this law, all needy men with dependents will be placed in the same classification, regardless of whether they are service men or not.

He spoke in detail of numerous difficulties affecting both the non-service and service groups that have been ironed out in past months by the Re-employment service, almost always to the advantage of the men of a home community, who were being deprived of some of their rights.

Rigid rules against migratory labor became necessary to police certain public works projects. The rule is that on local town or village jobs, the men of that immediate vicinity shall come first in order, on county highway and similar work, the registered men of the county, and on river work, the men of adjoining counties in states bordering the river. In all cases, the men are discouraged from making long drives to work short hours, and effort made to place them on jobs nearer home.

The "Forgotten Man"
One of the overlooked classifications so far, has been the so-called white collar workers—men skilled in book-keeping, clerical positions, etc., and present a card index of such registrants is being compiled in the state Re-employment office at Lincoln, to try and secure placements for this "forgotten man" class.

Mr. Edgerton presented some interesting figures on the number of placements of veteran registrants through the local office, which Andresen declared is rated high among the various re-employment offices over the state.

Following the meeting, a luncheon of coffee and rolls was served.

VISIT AT NOLTE HOME

Gustav Berg and Pete Rezek drove over from Wahoo Saturday for a visit at the home of W. F. Nolte near Mynard. Mr. Rezek is a student at Luther college while Mr. Berg is teaching school near Wahoo.

"DOC" BACK HOME

From Thursday's Daily
Last evening Dr. G. L. Taylor, who for the past year has been engaged in government work in the states of Colorado, Utah and Wyoming, arrived in the city to visit with the old time friends. Dr. Taylor was at Fort Collins, Colorado, and learning that a dance was to be held here last evening he decided to drop in and greet the friends. The occasion was one of the greatest pleasure to all of the many friends of the genial veterinarian and they will be happy to know that he will be here for a few days at least.

Plattsmouth Girl Wedded to an Omaha Man

Miss Janet Snyder Married to Mr. Benjamin Kavalec of Omaha, at Rockport, Mo., Thursday.

A very quiet wedding, lovely in its simplicity, took place in Rockport, Missouri, Thursday, when Miss Janet Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder of this city, became the bride of Benjamin L. Kavalec, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kavalec of Omaha.

The ceremony was performed at eleven o'clock by Rev. L. S. Goings of the First Baptist church. Mrs. Laura Stovall was the bride's only attendant and George Stovall was best man.

The bride wore a trim, navy blue suit with matching accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias. Her attendant wore a dark green suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink roses and sweetpeas. Both the groom and best man were dressed in the conventional attire.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was enjoyed by the members of the bridal party.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder. She is well known in this vicinity as she has a large circle of friends and graduated with the class of 1929. Since that time she has been employed with the Woodman Circle Life Insurance company of Omaha.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kavalec of Omaha. He attended Technical high school and is now employed with the Miller Cereal Mills.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home at 2620 Woolworth avenue, Omaha, Nebraska.

FUNERAL OF MR. SYDEBOTHAM

The funeral services of the late Charles P. Sydebotham was held on Wednesday afternoon at the First Christian church where the departed and the members of his family had been worshippers.

There were a large number of the old friends and neighbors in attendance at the last rites to pay their tributes to the memory of this excellent gentleman who has been called from his activities of life.

The services were conducted by Rev. O. B. Chastain, of Omaha, who paid a tribute to the life of the departed and to those who were left to mourn his passing he brought the comforting thoughts of the scripture.

During the service Mrs. Hal Garnett and Frank A. Clodt gave three of the old hymns that had been favorites of the deceased, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," "Going Down the Valley One by One" and "Sometime We'll Understand." The accompaniment was played by Mrs. O. C. Hudson.

The interment was at Oak Hill cemetery.

DEATH OF ONE TIME RESIDENT

The information has reached this city of the death on April 20th at Los Angeles, California, of Richard C. Cushing, a member of one of the old families of this city in the late seventies and early eighties. The family later moves to Omaha where Richard C. Cushing, Sr., the father, was elected as mayor of Omaha and served from 1890 to 1892. For the past twenty years Mr. Cushing has been engaged in the real estate business at Los Angeles.

There is surviving three sisters, Lura, Blanche and Mrs. Lucille Smith, and a brother, Harry, all of Los Angeles.

Achievement Day Program for Club Women

Four Hundred Attend Meeting at Weeping Water—Interesting, Varied Program Given.

Four hundred women from over Cass county assembled at the Congregational church in Weeping Water on Wednesday afternoon of this week, for the annual county-wide Achievement Day program. A very interesting and varied program was given, as a final culmination of the year's work, under the direction of very efficient leaders and co-operative members of some 40 clubs over the county.

The meeting was presided over by Miss Evelyn Wolph of Nehawka, county chairman. The program was opened with community singing, led by Mrs. John Fischer of Eagle, and accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Milo Frisbee of Elmwood.

During the program, Mrs. Ray Norris, county president of the Federated Women's Clubs of Cass county, extended an invitation to the group to attend the meeting of the county clubs at Union in September.

John B. Kaffenberger, president of the Cass county farm board, was then presented and he made a short talk, expressing his pleasure for the work that had been accomplished by the ladies during the winter. County Agent D. D. Wainscott then was introduced, and he made the main address of the afternoon. He stressed the point that the Rural Homemaker will have a very vital part in the readjustment program of the future on the American farm.

A very impressive candle-lighting service was held, at which time the old officers of the county clubs were replaced by the new officers, which will take over their duties for the coming year. Miss Jessie Baldwin, Home Extension Agent, was in charge of this part of the program, assisted by Mrs. D. D. Wainscott and Miss Helen Norton, with Miss Alice Leone Amblor at the pipe organ.

While tea was being served in the dining room, a special musical program was rendered in the auditorium by the different project groups. This program included a rhythm band from the Louisville group, an original skit and song, "The Good Ship Pleasant Hour," Weeping Water group, vocal sextette, Elmwood group, with violin and piano accompaniment.

Flute solo and quartette, Murray group; pantomime, "The Seven Stages of Womanhood," Murdock group.

The appointments in the dining room were yellow and green. The tables were graced with centerpieces of Golden Gleam nasturtium and green tapers. Mrs. G. R. Eveland of Elmwood, group chairman, presided as hostess, and was assisted at the tea tables by Mrs. Everett Spangler of Murray, Mrs. George Sheldon, Nehawka, Mrs. Oscar Zink of Murdock, Mrs. Orill Allen of Eagle, and Mrs. Arthur Schoeman of Louisville. Those who helped serve included the Misses Frances Meier, Lova Patterson, Violet Wall, Hazel Olsen, and Alice Leone Amblor. Refreshments consisted of mint, ice, and almond wafers. Favors were very pretty Jonquil and mints.

Those who had charge of the planning of the event are to be praised for their efforts, as this was one of the finest meetings ever held and all are looking forward to a bigger and better meeting next year.—Weeping Water Republican.

GOES TO CRAIG

From Friday's Daily
This morning Dr. H. G. McClusky departed by auto for Craig, Nebraska, where Mrs. McClusky has been visiting for the past two weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Herman Friedlund. Dr. McClusky will visit there until Saturday when he and Mrs. McClusky will return home to be here for the regular services Sunday.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

From Saturday's Daily:
Dr. O. C. Hudson was operated on this morning at the Nicholas Senn hospital at Omaha, for appendicitis. The patient stood the operation in fine shape and is resting easily.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME

From Friday's Daily
Last evening the frame residence on the Louisville road in the south part of the city, occupied by O. E. Billeter and family was destroyed by fire. The fire was caused by a defective flu and the blaze fanned by the stiff breeze made it impossible to save the structure and it was burned to the ground, the building being several blocks from the nearest fire hydrant. The family and neighbors were able to get out the larger portion of the household effects, however, but some of it was damaged. The building was owned by L. B. Egenberger of this city.

Union People Receive Reward for Rakes, Lau

Detective Association Pays Reward for the Apprehension of Robbers at Union.

A \$25.00 reward has been paid by The Household Anti-Crime Association for the arrest and conviction of Gallant Rakes and Clyde Lau, who stole groceries from a store operated by Mrs. C. E. Morris, Union, Nebraska. Each of the thieves was given a one to three-year sentence in the state reformatory at Lincoln, Nebraska. The reward has been divided between Anti-Crime Association Member Mrs. Morris and Ira Clark, Union, who rendered valuable assistance in the arrest and conviction.

The Household Anti-Crime Association has been in effect only a few months, but already several thieves and burglars have been convicted through the co-operation of its members and local peace officers. It is believed the offering of these rewards will stimulate the action of all law-abiding citizens and that the publicity given through this agency to the war on crime will have a favorable effect generally.

MANY ENJOY BOXING

From Friday's Daily
The weekly boxing contest was held last evening at Camp Plattsmouth and a very large number of the residents of the city took advantage of the occasion to enjoy the program prepared by the young men of the camp.

In the opening bout M. Moore and J. Erwin of the camp fought a good three round bout for a draw. W. Wells of the camp and Russell Arnold of this city had a short bout as Russell won on a technical knockout in the second round of the three round go.

J. Burke of the camp, one of the best of the camp boxers, was given the decision over Frank Nelson of this city in a nice fast contest.

In the semi-final J. Reno of the camp was awarded a decision over Erny Newton of this city in one of the good events of the evening card.

The scheduled main event of the evening proved a short and snappy affair as C. Casey with a fast right to the nose in the first few seconds of the opening round lulled W. Allen of the camp to dreamland and was awarded the knockout.

Owing to the weather the bouts were held in the recreation hall but it is hoped that it will be possible to hold the next exhibition in the open arena where a large number can be accommodated.

MANY JOIN C. OF C.

Seventy-one members have joined the Chamber of Commerce this year, was the report given to the regular meeting of the directors yesterday. This is an excellent showing and is an evidence of the interest of the community in the program of the Chamber of Commerce.

Along with the transaction of routine matters of business the directors expressed their interest in the coming flower show and made a substantial contribution to its financial needs. A nice tribute was paid to Mr. A. L. Tidd for his untiring personal efforts in making the flower show possible.

The Chamber of Commerce also offered their assistance to the local order of Eagles who will sponsor the state convention of the Eagles here in June.

Mrs. Creamer Honor Guest at Afternoon Tea

Mrs. A. H. Duxbury and Edgar L. Creamer Entertain in Honor of Mother Yesterday.

At the home of Mrs. A. H. Duxbury Friday afternoon, Mrs. Duxbury and Mrs. Edgar Creamer honored their mother, Mrs. Mae N. Creamer, who has been spending the winter here and is leaving to visit her sons, Joseph LeRoy and William in Pennsylvania, before returning to her home at San Jose, California.

The cozy home of the Duxburys had added charm in the profuse use of the lilacs and the spring tulips throughout the rooms, while the serving table had two very handsome bouquets of the lilacs and orchid tapers to add to the beauty of the scene.

Mrs. Creamer with her sister, Mrs. C. E. Metzger, of Omaha, presided at the ten urn.

During the afternoon a delightful treat was afforded in the one act play, "Say It with Flowers," cleverly presented by Miss Peggy Johnson, dramatic and dancing instructor. In the program, Peggy Wiles and Dorothea Duxbury were heard in charming piano offerings and Elizabeth Ann Wiles in a very delightfully presented reading.

Those in attendance were relatives, former neighbors and old friends who enjoyed very much the opportunity of visiting with Mrs. Creamer.

The invited guests were: Mrs. Josephine Cecil, Mrs. David Rutherford, Mrs. Harley Cecil of Denver, Colorado, Mrs. Clifford Cecil of Sheldahl, Iowa, Mrs. C. L. Martin, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. Harley Wiles, Mrs. Ed Kelly, Mrs. Edward Egenberger, Mrs. Chas. Manners, Mrs. Myra McDonald, of Murray, Mrs. Robert Patterson, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Albert Wheeler, Mrs. Percy Wheeler, Mrs. Sue Strickland, Mrs. K. Blatner, Mrs. Harry Hinton, Mrs. William Oliver, Mrs. Alvin Range, Mrs. Guy White, Mrs. Mike Kaffenberger, Mrs. Louis Reinacke, Mrs. Ed Thrall, Mrs. Elizabeth Spangler, Mrs. J. E. Wiles, Mrs. Stephen Wiles, Mrs. Luke Wiles, Mrs. Mattie Wiles, Mrs. J. B. Meisinger of Lincoln, Mrs. Georgia Creamer, Mrs. Floyd Dysart of Eagle, Mrs. Tony Klumm, Mrs. C. A. Rawls, Mrs. Fred Lugsch, Mrs. Margaret Brendel of Lincoln, Miss Peggy Johnson of Omaha, Mrs. C. E. Metzger of Omaha and the two hostesses, Mrs. Edgar Creamer and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury.

OMAHA PARTIES WEDDED

From Thursday's Daily
Last evening at the home of Judge A. H. Duxbury occurred the marriage of Miss Ruth Sylvia Toy and Mr. Joseph Anthony Ortmann, both of Omaha, the marriage lines were read by the Judge in his accustomed impressive manner and the ceremony witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Piechato, also of Omaha.

Judge C. L. Graves last evening at the home of Mrs. Dora Mark was called upon to join in the bonds of wedlock, Miss Lorraine M. Ebert and Mr. Edmund M. Gillen, both of Omaha, who had motored here to have Judge Graves perform the ceremony. The wedding was witnessed by Mrs. Mark and Mrs. J. D. Ware of this city.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to take this opportunity of extending to the many kind friends and neighbors our deepest appreciation of the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us at the time of the illness and death of our loved husband and father. Also we wish to express our heartfelt appreciation of those who assisted at the last services, Mr. Clodt, Mrs. Garnett, Mrs. Hudson, the pall bearers and the friends who sent the beautiful floral remembrances.—Mrs. C. P. Sydebotham, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stine.

From Friday's Daily
W. G. Boedeker, the Murray banker and O. A. Davis, one of the prominent residents of that community, were here today to look after some matters of business.