



Alliance lodge No. 961, B. P. O. Elks, held their annual flag day observance on Wednesday evening, at the club house. The chairs were filled with veterans of the world war, in uniform. The following program was given:

Music, "Star Spangled Banner," Scout band and audience.
 Flag day ritual, Exalted ruler and officers.
 Prayer, Chaplain Dodge.
 Music, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean," Scout band and audience.
 Flag record, Brother M. D. Nolan.
 Altar service of the flag, Esquire and officers.
 Song, "Auld Lang Syne," Scout band and audience.
 Elks tribute to the flag, Brother Edwin M. Burr.
 American songs, "My Old Kentucky Home," "Dixie," male quartet, Messrs. Dingey, Welch, Irwin and Schellenberger.
 Solo, "Are You For Me, or Against Me?" Mrs. Ralph Beal.
 Song, "America," Scout band and audience.
 Informal dancing followed the program.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Fletcher, 943 West Third street, gave an announcement party Tuesday evening in honor of their daughter, Katherine, who is to be married to Allen England of Eagle Lake, Tex., Wednesday evening, June 21, at the First Presbyterian church of this city. The house was beautifully decorated in sweet peas and ferns. The evening was spent in playing Monte Carlo whist and hemming tea towels for the bride. At a late hour an elaborate two-course luncheon was served by Frances Fletcher, a sister of the bride-to-be, and Miss Dorothy Deering. The place cards were attractive. They were parts of a slipper tied to a spray of sweet peas and when all the cards were put together gave Dan Cupid's message of the approaching marriage. Covers were laid for nineteen. Those present included: Katherine Fletcher, Lula and Ruth Sturgeon, Nina Nation, Opal Russell, Gladys Wagar, Eleanor Harris, Katharine Schill, Vera Spencer, Madge Graham, Lula Benson, Ethel Clary, Frances Collins, Arline Ford, Billie Schwensen and Mesdames Cecil Jones, Ida Betts, Dan Ford and Kenneth Mohrman.
 Mr. England will arrive Sunday from Texas.

W. D. Fisher, former secretary of the Alliance Chamber of Commerce, the last time in 1918, advises the chamber that he expects to attend the luncheon to be given next Monday noon, June 19th, in response to an invitation issued to him recently. Mr. Fisher is devoting all his time to the Custer Battlefield highway and is spending the summer months in the field, along the route of the highway and on adjoining and intersecting highways. His visit will be looked forward to with much interest, and members of the chamber are urged to attend the luncheon to extend to him the glad hand of fellowship and to help assure him that the people of Alliance and this part of western Nebraska are with him in his efforts to better the roads throughout this portion of the west.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCorkle, their daughter, Mrs. Inice Dunning, son, Mac, and Miss Ruth Stanton left this morning for Denver, where they will stay a few days and visit Norman McCorkle, who is working in Denver. Mrs. Dunning, who is supervisor of music in the Alliance schools, and Miss Stanton will go from Denver to Greeley, where they will attend summer school. Mrs. Dunning will take special work in aesthetic and folk dancing and music supervision, while Miss Stanton will take the regular work in her teachers' course. Miss Stanton plans to remain at the school for the entire quarter, and possibly for the coming year. Mrs. Dunning will remain for half of the quarter.

Mesdames Ida Betts, Pedersen, Bess Pickett and Misses Edna Bullock and Lula Benson will entertain this evening at the home of Mrs. Carrie Bullock at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Katherine Fletcher, whose marriage to Allen England of Eagle Lake, Tex., will take place Wednesday of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eberly and family left Wednesday night on an extended trip through the east. They will visit in New York and will include in their trip a number of places of interest.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cornu and three children left Wednesday for Boulder, Colo., where she will attend summer school before returning to take up her duties as a teacher in the Alliance schools.

Frank Luke, a railroad employe, left Wednesday night for Omaha, where he will have his eyes, which have been troubling him for some time, examined by a specialist.

The potato growers' and farmers' ice cream social, which was to have been held at Fairview Wednesday, has been postponed and will be held this evening instead.

A. H. Harper, who has been in Omaha for the past few days, returned to Alliance Thursday morning.

Harry L. Sims of Thiele's left today for Hyannis, where he will attend the stockmen's convention.

J. S. Adams of the Osage oil fields came to Alliance Sunday to visit his family.

W. B. Hunziker, a railroad employe, has been ill since last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beach entertained the Past Matrons and Patrons club of the Eastern Star Thursday evening at their home. Red, pink, and white peonies were used for decorations. A two-course luncheon was served during the evening. Each guest received a bouquet of peonies to take home. The guests were Judge and Mrs. Ira E. Tash, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Laing, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lucas, Mrs. Martha Putmore, Mrs. A. S. Mote, Mesdames Claudia B. Dole, Bert Bonath, Charles Fuller, Ella Young, Blanche Prettyman, Joe Bogan, and Daisy Adams of Havelock, who is here visiting her sister, Mrs. George Davis. Mrs. Dole and Mrs. Fuller won the prizes at the games which were played.

The East Side Progressive club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Garwood, with Mrs. Perry O'Dell as assistant hostess. A small number was present because of the busy season planting potatoes. Mrs. M. G. Wambaugh gave a paper on "Our Duties as Citizens," and Mrs. L. J. Schill spoke on "The Tax Situation." The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. B. Garrett, with Mrs. William Lawrence and Mrs. Clyde Curry as assistant hostesses.

Mrs. Fred Carlson entertained Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Gail Price, and the Misses Mabel and Izola Worley, who left this morning for Boulder, Colo., where they will attend summer school. The evening was spent in playing Monte Carlo whist, at which Mrs. H. A. Johnson won the first prize, and Miss Doris Goethe of Lincoln, who is in Alliance visiting Mrs. E. R. Harris, the runner-up. A two-course lunch was served during the evening.

Mrs. C. L. Wilson entertained the ladies of the Noble Band club at her home at Fourth and Cheyenne, Thursday afternoon. Miss Bernice Wilson gave a number of piano selections which were greatly enjoyed. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. All present enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

Miss Daisy Adams, sister of Mrs. George Davis, and Miss Jean Davis, her niece, left Thursday for her home at Havelock, after visiting in Alliance for the past few days with Mrs. Davis. The Misses Adams have just arrived from Chadron where they have been attending school.

W. B. Barnett returned Thursday morning from California where he has spent the last few weeks. Mr. Barnett stopped in Denver Wednesday to see Mrs. Barnett, who is visiting there. Mrs. Barnett will return to Alliance Saturday.

At the weekly evening luncheon of the Lions club Thursday, the members voted to hold a club picnic on Sunday, June 25, in the state park near Chadron. W. L. O'Keefe is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Mrs. George Davis' nephew, Archie K. Adams, who has been attending the state university at Laramie, Wyo., was in Alliance visiting Mrs. Davis, before proceeding to his home at Sheridan, Wyo.

The Ecnalla campfire girls will hold a food sale at the Mallery grocery.

Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. There will be baked articles, home-made ice cream cones, etc. Group 3 will be in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Anderson returned Wednesday morning from Paw Paw, Ill., where they have been visiting Mrs. Anderson's parents. They have been gone over two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Laing will entertain Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harris and Miss Doris Goethe of Omaha, who is in Alliance visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harris, at dinner this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bishop returned Thursday from Denver, where they have spent the last few days. They have just returned from a month's vacation in California.

Mrs. L. L. Smith returned Wednesday morning from Rock Falls, Ill., where she has been visiting for the past ten days with Mr. Smith's father, Ross Smith.

Madeline Zediker will leave the first of next week for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Walker of Phillipsburg, Kas., arrived Thursday for a few days' visit with their son, Calvin D. Walker and family.

Meyer to Represent Alliance Elks at the State Convention

Attorney E. L. Meyer, past exalted ruler of Alliance lodge No. 961, B. P. O. Elks, will represent the Alliance Elks at the annual state convention of the fraternity, which will be held at Columbus, June 21 and 22.

Columbus expects to entertain its guests in a manner seldom if ever excelled by any Nebraska lodge in whose home the meetings of this association have been held. Good fellowship will be the watchword from start to finish and not only will there be plenty of work and diversion for the Elks, but ample preparation has been made for making the stay of the ladies a most pleasant one.

In the order of their age the nineteen lodges in as many different cities in Nebraska are as follows: Omaha, Lincoln, Hastings, Fremont, Grand Island, Beatrice, Norfolk, Plattsmouth, Alliance, Falls City, Kearney, North Platte, York, Nebraska City, Columbus and McCook, the latter having been formed just this past year.

A special feature of this meeting of the association, which is attracting much attention from the members throughout the state is the competitive exemplification of the initiatory ritualistic work by the past officers of the North Platte and Lincoln lodges, chosen to represent their respective districts of the state. James G. McFarland of Watertown, S. D., chairman of the grand lodge judiciary committee has presented the association with a large and handsome loving cup which will go to the lodge whose officers best exemplify the work. Mr. McFarland will be present.

Lady Astor says the flapper is all right, thus confirming the information that has been supplied us by the flapper.—New York Tribune.

One thing beyond the power even of this great nation is to effect a peace with Senator Borah.—New York Tribune.

Another strange thing is our dry land extends three miles out into the ocean.—Newspaper Enterprise Association.

Don't criticize the young poet's product. It might be verse.

Annual Convention of Rotary Clubs at Los Angeles

Putting the golden rule to work in business and professional every day life is the way to Rotarianism from every section of the world state the subject of the International Association of Rotary clubs, the annual convention of which brought ten thousand of the leading business men of 1,200 cities and twenty-two countries to Los Angeles the week of June 5 to 10.

The sole business of Rotary is to make the principle of service to the community as well as to the individual the object of all Rotarians. For this purpose each Rotarian has subscribed to what is known as the Rotary Code of Ethics and is striving to put this code into effect in his own business and to bring about the adoption of similar codes in all business associations.

The Rotarian states that his Code of Ethics provides:

- "First: To consider my vocation worthy, and as affording me distinct opportunity to serve society.
- "Second: To improve myself, increase my efficiency and enlarge my service, and by so doing attest my faith in the fundamental principle of Rotary that he profits most who serves best.
- "Third: To realize that I am a business man and ambitious to succeed; but that I am first an ethical man, and with no success that is not founded on the highest justice and morality.
- "Fourth: To hold that the exchange of my goods, my service and my ideas for profit is legitimate and ethical, provided that all parties in the exchange are benefited thereby.
- "Fifth: To use my best endeavors to elevate the standards of the vocation in which I am engaged, and so to conduct my affairs that others in my vocation may find it wise, profitable and conducive to happiness to emulate my example.
- "Sixth: To conduct my business in such a manner that I may give a perfect service equal to or even better than my competitor, and when in doubt to give added service beyond the strict measure of debt or obligation.
- "Seventh: To understand that one of the greatest assets of a professional or of a business man is his friends and that any advantage gained by reason of friendship is eminently ethical and proper.
- "Eighth: To hold that true friends demand nothing of one another and that any abuse of the confidence or friendship for profit is foreign to the spirit of Rotary, and in violation of its code of ethics.
- "Ninth: To consider no personal success legitimate or ethical which is secured by taking unfair advantage of certain opportunities in the social order that are absolutely denied others, nor will I take advantage of opportunities to achieve material success that others will not take because of the questionable morality involved.
- "Tenth: To be not more obligated

to a Brother Rotarian than I am to every other man in human society; because the genius of Rotary is not in its competition but in its co-operation; for provincialism can never have a place in an institution like Rotary, and Rotarians assert that human rights are not confined to Rotary clubs but are deep and as broad as the race itself; and for these high purposes does Rotary exist to educate all men and all institutions.

"Eleventh: Finally believing in the universality of the golden rule, all things whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, do ye even so unto them, we contend that society best holds together when equal opportunity is accorded all men in the natural resources of this planet."

Russia has an idea she is showing her friendliness by expressing her willingness to borrow money.—Public Ledger.

There seems to be some Russians left despite the fact they all starve to death every year.

Organized labor is alright until it progresses to organized loafing.—Columbia Record.

It never occurs to these foreign countries that they could reduce their debts by paying a little.

Germany assures Russia that the two nations are brothers. So were the James boys.—New York Tribune.



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