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Hundreds Join in Holy Rosary Picnic Sunday

Over 650 Fed at Noonday Chicken Dinner; Many Join in Afternoon, Evening Program.

One of the largest picnics and outings of the summer-season was staged Sunday at the delightful "20 Club" park north of the Platte river when the members of the Holy Rosary parish of this city entertained at a chicken dinner.

The serving was started at 12:30 and long before that time the park was being filled with cars from this city bringing the hundreds out to enjoy the dinner that had been arranged for them. A real feast of home fried chicken and all of the necessary trimmings had been arranged and over 650 were served in the noonday rush while others arriving later were provided with the fine meal.

The tables scattered over the shade of the park were soon filled with the groups of family parties and friends and where with the cooling southern breeze it made a most pleasant setting for the occasion.

The attendance was estimated at the peak at some 1,200 persons and who took the fullest advantage of the occasion to join in the fine program of sports that was offered and the opportunity of visiting with the friends to whom the picnic made an ideal meeting place.

A large group of Omaha residents, formerly of this city, were also here to join in the fine get-together picnic party.

The sports in the afternoon consisted of races of various kinds and which were under the direction of Frank J. Koubek and Louis Swoboda.

With the coming of evening, sandwiches and other refreshments were provided for those who decided to make a day of the picnic and remain for the dancing in the evening. The Sparta orchestra of Omaha played for the dance in the popular numbers as well as the well known Bohemian dance melodies that made a decided hit with the enthusiastic audience.

The Very Rev. Adolph M. Mosler and the members of the parish are to be congratulated on the success of the event and the fine outing that it afforded the residents of the community.

YOUNG MAN PASSES AWAY

Saturday at the family home west of Murray, Howard Engelkemeier, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engelkemeier, passed away. The young man had been an invalid for his lifetime and patiently bore the burden of life until he was called to the last rest.

The body was brought to this city to the Sattler funeral home and the funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Eight Mile Grove Lutheran church in which faith the young man had been received in his childhood.

The body will be taken from the funeral home here Tuesday morning to the late home near Murray where it will lay in state until time for the services at the church.

ATTEND VACATION CAMP

Mrs. Tony Kilnam of near this city and Mrs. Will Cook, of Union, have returned from a short time spent at the summer vacation camp at Camp Brewster, which was attended by a group of the ladies from the eastern portion of the state. The camp membership this year was smaller than usual and the Cass county ladies themselves only enjoyed one day stay at the camp instead of the former week stay.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

From Monday's Daily: William Barker, a resident of this community for a great many years, was taken this afternoon to Lincoln where he was placed in the hospital for treatment. He has been ill since Saturday and it is hoped can be greatly helped by the course of treatment.

TRANSFERRED TO WYOMING

Attorney and Mrs. W. A. Robertson of this city have received word from their son, James Robertson, II, that he had been transferred for his return home from Europe to the U. S. S. Wyoming. Mr. Robertson, with a party of the midshipmen from the Annapolis naval academy, were on shore leave at Paris when the Oklahoma, on which they made the trip to Europe was ordered sent to Spain. They were transferred and ordered to report on the Wyoming for the return trip as the Oklahoma will remain European waters during the Spanish troubles and look after the care of the Americans who are being evacuated from the war zone.

Cemetery Board Adopts By-Laws at Monday Meet

Adoption of By-Laws to Be Followed by Rules and Regulations and Fees to Be Charged.

The newly created cemetery board met Monday evening with Chairman W. F. Evers presiding and took up the matter of the adoption of the by-laws of the new body and which will cover their scope of activities.

Aside from the routine regulations as to the business of the board, the new by-laws provided for the creation of the position of superintendent of the cemetery who shall look after the planting and care of the grounds of the cemetery and shall have the general charge of the cemetery under the direction of the cemetery board.

The rules and regulations that will be taken up later after a more extensive study, will provide the rate of fees to be charged for lots as well as other fees that may be paid into the cemetery fund and which is one of the chief objects of the board to place the cemetery management on a strictly business basis.

The board after the adoption of the rules and regulations will also decide on the matter of the superintendent and other details of the management of the cemetery.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Sunday afternoon the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Born was the scene of a very pleasant gathering of the members of the family, the occasion being the first birthday anniversary of Phyllis Louise Schiessl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schiessl and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Born. A large array of very fine gifts were received by the little guest of honor. The members of the family came with well laden baskets of good things to eat and which formed the basis of a delightful feast and with a handsome birthday cake, sponsored by her little cousin, Norma May Bartek. The afternoon was spent in visiting and taking pictures of the family group.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Born, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartek and children, Marie, Norma and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bartek and son, Billie Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spreck and daughter, Donna Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schiessl and the guest of honor, Phyllis Louise.

ENJOY CAMP WEEK

Many of the 4-H club girls from this city enjoyed a very pleasant half week at Camp Brewster.

Among the 4-H girls from this city were Willa Sylvester, Mary Alice Ault, Margaret Fricke, Miriam Fricke, Wilma Swatek, Opal Byers, Shirley Peterson, Dorothea Duxbury, Ellen Cloidt, Elizabeth Ann Wiles, Betty McKissick, Rose Brink, Catherine Brink and Ruth Gaines.

The many camp activities included handcraft, tennis, ping pong, archery, horse shoe pitching and swimming.

The winner of the girls 20-yd. free style swimming tournament was Willa Sylvester. On amateur night Wilma Swatek won first place with her reading, "Polly at the Movies."

The Chamber of Commerce of Omaha sent three large busses out to the camp to take all the 4-Hers to the Ak-Sar-Ben den show. It was 4-H and army night at the show. All of the children enjoyed the fine treat. A 4-H CAMPER.

Young People Wedded Sunday at Murray

Miss Mae Christina Wilson Married to Robt. E. Sedlak at Home of Rev. and Mrs. C. Loyd Shubert.

On Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. Loyd Shubert, of the Christian church of Murray, occurred the marriage of Miss Mae Christina Wilson of that place and Mr. Robert E. Sedlak of this city.

The wedding was very quiet and attended by only the bridal couple and their attendants, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shrader of this city serving as best man and matron of honor.

The bride wore a gown of blue chiffon with picture hat to match and accessories in the matching shades of blue. She wore a corsage of the Talisman roses.

Mrs. Shrader also wore a costume of the blue chiffon with white accessories and a corsage of the roses.

Following the wedding ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the bride's parents where a very delightful wedding dinner had been arranged by Mrs. F. T. Wilson, mother of the bride and which was enjoyed by a number of the immediate families of the young people.

The bridal party later were guests at a very attractively arranged wedding supper at the Jacobs cafe in this city which had been arranged by Mrs. Jacobs in honor of the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Sedlak are starting housekeeping at once in an apartment on South 9th street where they will be at home to their friends in the future.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Wilson, prominent residents of Murray and where she spent her girlhood days, receiving her education in the Plattsmouth schools and from which she was graduated in the class of 1931. She has made her home here since that time as she has been engaged in several of the business houses of the city.

The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Sedlak, and was born and reared in this city where he received his education. He is at the present time engaged at the tavern of Emil Ptak.

The many friends will join in extending to the young people their heartfelt well wishes for their future happiness and success.

PICTURE WINS PRIZE

The rotogravure section of the World-Herald of Sunday contained a prize photograph which had been submitted by Mrs. John Hiber, Jr., of Hastings, Nebraska, a daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Hiber of this city. This was of two children standing by the bucket of an old time well. The picture has added interest as the tots pictured there are Robert Bestor of this city and Richard Hiber of Hastings. The picture was taken some twenty years ago at the Hiber home in the west part of the city by Frank M. Bestor and has been kept among the keepsakes of the family until sent in for the contest. Both of the subjects are now grown to manhood.

DEPART FOR MINNESOTA

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Soennichsen and daughter, Phyllis, with Miss Mary Rosencrans, sister of Mrs. Soennichsen, departed Sunday evening for an outing trip in northern Minnesota. They have enjoyed their outings in the past few years along the shores of Lake Superior and the Canadian border and will again visit that section of the lake country to recuperate from the extreme heat of the central west.

ATTEND FUNERAL AT WESTON

Among those from here who attended the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Samek at Weston Sunday afternoon, were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Capwell, the latter a daughter of the deceased, Miss Virginia Samek, another daughter, Joe Hendrix, a grandson; Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and daughter, Dorothy Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tritsch.

WILL BUILD NEW HOME

Charles D. Palmer, councilman from the Fourth ward, has started the erection of a new residence on the lot he recently purchased at the corner of Eighth and Locust streets. The contract for the excavation and the construction of the cellar of the house has been let to William Kief who with his workmen are now engaged in the first steps of the construction. The site is a very fine one with paving on the east side of the lot, and is but a short distance from the main business section of the city. The work will be rushed as Mr. Palmer is to vacate his present home in the first part of September, the property that he now lives in being sold to Harry Rainey.

Rotary Club Has Dist. President as Guest

Interesting Talks Given by Guests That Make Meeting of More Than Ordinary Interest.

The weekly luncheon of the Rotary club today found a number of distinguished Rotarians and guests gathered around the luncheon board and to share the fellowship of the meeting.

President Frank A. Cloidt presided over the deliberations with L. O. Minor, bronzed from an outing in Colorado, as acting secretary and George Jaeger on the job to lead the singing in the absence of Dr. Westover, vacationing in the north.

The club had an unexpected guest, the new district president, Roy Phelan, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, who has been attending a conference at Council Bluffs and stopped in on the local members to receive a most enthusiastic greeting. With the district president was President Fred Haas of the Omaha club and John Sterling, also of the Omaha Rotary.

Ralph Holmes, of Camden, New Jersey, with his father, J. W. Holmes, were also guests and Mr. Holmes, who is connected with the research department of the R. C. A. in the television department, gave a very interesting talk on the steps that are being taken in this great development of the modern age.

R. Foster Patterson of Tarkio, Missouri, was present and received a warm reception from the old friends and to which he responded in his usual clever manner.

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Dorothea Fulton, one of the popular young ladies of the community was taken to the Methodist hospital at Omaha last week where she suffered the removal of her tonsils. The operation was quite serious as the tonsils were so deeply embedded, but the patient rallied nicely and was able to return to her home on last Friday.

Miss Fulton has not been in the best of health for some time and it is hoped that she will soon recover her former good health.

SUFFERS AN INFECTION

Mrs. H. G. McClusky, who has been spending the vacation period at Inlet, New York, is reported as suffering from a toe infection that may delay the return of the family. Dr. McClusky is expected to return to this city Saturday to resume his work as pastor of the First Presbyterian church, but the condition of the wife may delay the return, but it is possible they expect to reach home by the week end.

DRAWS DOWN FINE

From Monday's Daily: Roy Garrens, of Union, was a visitor at the county court today to answer to the charge of being intoxicated. He was arrested Sunday and entered a plea of guilty to the charge and the court accordingly gave a fine of \$10 and costs which he settled and was sent on his way rejoicing.

VISIT AT COUNTRY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chalfant were guests at the home of Mr. Chalfant's sister, Mrs. H. F. Hendricks Sunday.

Prepare for Opening of the City Schools

Date Set for Tuesday, September 8th Select Two Teachers for the Coming Year.

The board of education held their regular meeting on Monday evening at the high school to arrange the details of the opening of the city schools for the coming term, the date of the opening of school being set for Tuesday, September 8th.

The board of education had to take up the matter of filling two vacancies in the teaching force for the year, the position in the commercial department made vacant by resignation of L. L. Starrett being one of these. For teacher in the commercial department Miss Catherine Lune, of Lincoln was selected to fill the vacancy. Miss Luke is a graduate of Doane and Nebraska Universities and has several years teaching, her last school having been at Napanee, Nebraska, where she was very successful in her work.

The position in the grades, teaching at the Wintersteen Hill school was filled by the naming of Miss Garnette Louise Claire, of Stuart, Nebraska, who is also a Nebraska graduate and has had some six years of teaching experience at Chester and Ulysses, Nebraska.

The board also decided on making a few improvements at the Wintersteen hill school this summer before the opening of school to add to the betterment of the condition of the building and the safety of the students.

The teaching force is now well arranged for the opening of school and in the next week the final arrangements of plans will be made by the superintendent and teachers for the coming nine months of school.

OMAHA PARTIES WEDDED

From Tuesday's Daily: This morning at 9 o'clock Miss Elizabeth Zielenski and Mr. Landis S. Dozier, both of Omaha, were united in marriage at the Holy Rosary church on west Pearl street. The bridal couple was attended by Miss Genevieve Hindera of Omaha as bridesmaid and Mr. August Houppka of St. Mary's as the best man.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by the Very Rev. Adolph M. Mosler, pastor of the church, the choir under the leadership of Miss Mildred Knofleek assisting in the mass.

The bridal party returned to Omaha following the ceremony where they were to be tendered a reception by their friends there.

FILES WILL IN COURT

Petition for probate of the will of Emeline S. Strode, wife of former Congressman Jesse Strode, deceased, was filed in the Lancaster county court Monday. Her will left \$500 to Mrs. Virginia Gohde, Lincoln, a great niece, and \$500 to Nellie Smith, a sister-in-law of Plattsmouth, since deceased, and provided that the residue should go to the First Christian church of Lincoln and the Nebraska Christian Board of Education for the use of Cotner college, in equal shares. It is asked that Carl Sanden be made executor.

TO WINTER IN THE WEST

Mrs. H. F. Gansemer of west of Mynard, departed Sunday for a trip to the west coast and where she expects to spend some time and possibly the winter. Her son, Leslie A. Gansemer, is located at Milwaukie, Oregon, and she expects to spend the greater part of the time there as well as visiting many of the leading places of interest in the Pacific northwest.

HERE TO VISIT OLD FRIENDS

Wood Rainey, who has been making his home at Elk Point, South Dakota, and other points in that state and North Dakota, arrived in the city Monday evening to visit here with the relatives and old friends. While en route here he stopped for a short time at Greenwood, the old home of the family and where the parents are buried.

LOCAL TEACHER HONORED

Miss Jessie Whelan, one of the efficient members of the faculty of the city schools, has been selected as one of the persons to be on the program of the meeting of the Nebraska Teachers association in October at Omaha.

Miss Whelan will present to the state meeting her unit of international correspondence that she has built up in her teaching work in the local schools and in which her students have been in correspondence with the young people in various other nations, forming a very valuable interchange of ideas and the various customs of the different countries.

Cass County Added to Drouth Area of State

Approval of Designation of Cass County Made at Washington as Well as Otoe County.

In dealing with the matter of drouth relief Tuesday at Washington the federal government designated Cass county as one of the fourteen in Nebraska to be one of the counties to receive relief. Otoe county was also included in the group that represented Nebraska.

The application for the drouth relief for the farmers of Cass county was made the past week by the board of county commissioners and the county agent, setting out the condition of the crop situation and the need of the residents for relief in the immediate future.

The listing of all of the road machinery in the hands of the county will be prepared for the use of the relief agencies in providing work for the farmers of the county when the WPA program is prepared for the drouth relief.

Other counties in the state to be added to the drouth district were Boyd, Kearney, Adams, Brown, Keya Paha, Pawnee, Keith, Dixon, Cherry, Rock, Thayer, Clay.

OFF ON VACATION

From Tuesday's Daily: Judge C. L. Graves, police magistrate of the city, departed this afternoon for Lincoln, his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graves, driving down for him this morning. The judge is to throw away the cares of the law for a week or ten days and enjoy the time visiting the children and their families as well as old friends over the state.

During the absence of Judge Graves the police court work will be handled in the court of County Judge A. H. Duxbury.

CHANGE PENSION PAYMENTS

Old age pensioners in Nebraska in the future will receive their checks on the last of each month instead of on the first, Irl D. Tolen, state assistance director, said Saturday.

Beginning this month, Tolen said, checks will be paid a week later each month until they come regularly on the last day. By about November pensioners will receive November checks the last of the month and so on. He said the new plan would effect better bookkeeping and bring about a saving in administrative costs.

VISITS FRIENDS HERE

From Tuesday's Daily: R. Foster Patterson, member of the faculty of Tarkio college and former principal of the Plattsmouth high school, was here today for a few hours visiting with the old time friends. Mr. Patterson has been attending the summer school of the University of Colorado at Boulder, where he has been on the teaching staff and also working on his master's degree. While here he was a guest at the Rotary meeting.

ARRIVAL OF LITTLE DAUGHTER

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sykora in the south part of the city, was made very happy on Sunday by the arrival of a fine eight and a half pound daughter, who with the mother is doing nicely. The occasion has brought the greatest of happiness to the members of the family circle.

Bette Bulin is Chosen as Miss Plattsmouth

Cass Theatre Is Filled to Witness Parade of the Handsome Young Women of Community.

The Cass theatre was filled to its capacity Tuesday evening by the residents of the community to witness the selection of "Miss Plattsmouth," selected from a group of some ninety-two young ladies. The winner of the event will represent this city in the state beauty contest at the state fair in September, at which time the judges will pick "Miss Nebraska."

The program opened with the introduction by Mayor George Lushinsky, of W. A. Herrington, of Lincoln, as the official master of ceremonies, who in a very clever manner presented and announced the ladies and the slogans of the various firms that sponsored them.

The stage was very attractively arranged and before the parade of the contestants for the "Miss Plattsmouth" honors, a large group of the little girls from two to six years of age were presented, their childish charm and dainty costumes making a charming picture as they formed on the stage. In the award, Bonnie Barrows was acclaimed as "Miss Plattsmouth Jr."

The contestants for the main honor had gathered at the Hotel Plattsmouth and where the lobby was the scene of attractiveness with the large group of the girls and their attractive costumes as they awaited the time to participate in the contest at the theatre.

The presentation was given a musical setting by the Rhythm Kings orchestra which played throughout the evening and which added to the enjoyment of the large audience.

Mrs. Robert G. Reed, one of the talented pianists of the city, served as the accompanist for the production and the presentation of the young ladies.

The ladies were presented in their numbered order and so large was the number that they were divided into three separate groups to be paraded before the judges and the audience. Each of the groups seemed to present even more loveliness and the task of the judges was made difficult with the large number of attractive candidates.

To fully determine the choice, each group was presented twice and from each one a certain number was picked by the judges as the most outstanding and in the finale these were cut to a group of twenty, then to ten and finally to five and from these the last three were selected.

It was breathless as the three last contenders were withdrawn and the hour of the choice was at hand for the judges. The first to be announced was the winner of second place, Miss Frances Gambin, sponsored by the Lugsch Cleaners, and then the name of Miss Bette Bulin, sponsored by the Cohn New Way Lunch, was acclaimed as "Miss Plattsmouth," while Miss Genevieve Bloom was awarded third place honors. The two runners up will take the place of "Miss Plattsmouth" in case the first place winner is unable to make the trip to the state fair to compete for "Miss Nebraska."

The judges were from Omaha and were unacquainted with the ladies participating or any of the firms that were sponsoring them.

Following the pageant at the theatre the members of the pageant were honored at the grand ball given at the American Legion building and where the many friends joined in the pleasant close of the delightful evening of beauty and charm.

The "King Korn Klub" of this city was the local sponsor and their fine and effective committee is entitled to a great deal of praise for the manner in which it was staged and assisted in promoting the interest that brought out one of the largest gatherings in several months in this city. The committee was composed of C. C. Wescott, E. H. Schulhof and Mrs. James G. Mauzy and who gave a lot of hard work to make the event a great success.

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