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## Christian Endeavors Hold Rally

Presbyterian Church Scene of Very Delightful Rally and Banquet Sunday Evening.

From Monday's Daily—  
The Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church held their annual banquet last evening in the church Fellowship room, with a large attendance. The four long tables, arranged in an "E," were charming with the fall flowers and leaves, unique place-cards, and miniature light houses for favors. These favors set the keynote for the program which followed the delightful banquet, "L-I-G-H-T."

During the dinner hour the young folks enjoyed pep songs under the leadership of Eleanor Giles, and much merriment was derived from the different tables, vying with one another in songs and cheer.

Later the same earnestness was manifested in the worship hour of songs and talks, during which the pastor, Dr. H. G. McClusky, presided. "Leadership".....Richard Hitt "Inspiration".....Janet Westover "Guidance".....Doris McPherson "Help".....H. G. McClusky "Training".....Donald McPherson

Following these talks, also splendidly given, a beautiful candle-lighting consecration service was used, in which the newly elected officers and sponsors pledged their loyalty to their respective duties, and the society, their loyalty to the leadership of the new officers. The officers are: Richard Hitt, president; Janet Westover, vice-president; Norma Johnson, secretary; John Livingston, treasurer; Janet Westover, chairman prayer meeting committee; Gloria Johnson, chairman of lookout committee; Miss Estelle Baird and Miss Pearl Staats, sponsors; Eleanor Giles, chorister.

The evening closed with a series of sentence prayers, followed by the Christian Endeavor benediction.

The tempting repast had been arranged by a committee composed of the officers and sponsors. The Endeavors very greatly appreciated the help of the mothers who came and served their banquet for them. Mesdames Robert McPherson, E. C. Giles, and Lillian Livingston.

The cheer, enthusiasm and earnestness of this one evening spent together welcomes the new members and launches the new year of work for this splendid society of youth.

## PINOCHE TO START

The Recreation Center is to start the winter season of pinocle this week and the first play will be on Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the Center.

Those in charge of the event have arranged that the playing room will be warm and comfortable and all ready to fittingly open the several months of entertainment that will be offered the players in the next few months.

It is expected that the veterans of the last year season will be on hand and as many as possible of new players be enrolled.

## SENDS GREETINGS

While at Denver in attendance at the Christian church convention, J. H. Graves of this city had the pleasure of meeting A. G. Cole, former county attorney of Cass county, who for the past few years has been located in Denver. Mr. Cole has an office in the Union National bank building and has a very fine legal practice. He sends his greetings to the many old time friends.

## ATTEND MASONIC DINNER-DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Evers and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson were guests at the annual dinner dance of Nebraska Lodge No. 1 held in the Masonic temple in Omaha, Saturday evening.

## VISIT AT ST. EDWARD

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Schneider, who have been visiting at St. Edward, Nebraska, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Burdick and family have returned home.

## DAVIS-FULTON WEDDING

On Monday morning at 9 o'clock at Sidney, Iowa, occurred the marriage of Miss Donna Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Davis of Louisville and Mr. Clarence "Bud" Fulton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fulton, south of this city.

The young couple will make their home in Hamburg, Iowa for the present where the groom has been employed for the past three months. The best wishes of their many friends go with these popular young people to their new home.

## St. Luke's Has Dedication at Sunday Service

New Memorial Doors Are Dedicated and Plaque in Memory of Dr. T. P. Livingston Unveiled.

Sunday morning the St. Luke's Episcopal church was filled with a large congregation for the celebration of the morning prayer and also the dedication of memorials to two of the departed wardens of the church, Henry R. Gering and Dr. T. P. Livingston.

Father George Tyner, of Omaha, who has charge of the supply for the local parish, gave a very impressive sermon and paid tribute to the two departed members who had been long and faithful members of the church during their residence and lifetime here.

During the past summer beautiful new Gothic doors have been placed at the south or main entrance to the church and which were given in memory of Mr. Gering by his sisters, Misses Mia and Barbara Gering while the memorial plaque in memory of Dr. Livingston was given by his children, Dr. Robert Ramsey Livingston and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Father Tyner conducted the dedication and was assisted by Rea F. Patterson, senior warden of the church, Arthur Tyner, son of Father Tyner, served as cross bearer.

## OPPOSE SLOT MACHINES

Motion that the Cass county Sunday school convention, convened in regular session at Mynard, Nebraska on October 18, 1938, go on record as opposed to the proposal to legalize slot machines (skill games) in the state of Nebraska by vote in the November election; and that the secretary of the said Cass county Sunday school convention be instructed to send to each newspaper and other publications of the county notice of this action by the convention with the request that the said newspapers and publications publish the same in their regular issues.

## PURCHASES ACREAGE

Dr. F. W. Klausmire, of Omaha, who has for several years owned the land known as "Speck's Island" southeast of this city, has just completed the deal for the purchase of a tract of land belonging to W. P. Rice. This is located not far from the other land of Dr. Klausmire and will prove a very valuable addition to his holdings. Frank E. Valley of this city handled the transaction.

## ENJOY HUNTING TRIP

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Otto of Auburn motored to this city to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chriswiler in company with them enjoyed a hunting trip. The party were at Shickley, Nebraska, where they had a very successful day in pheasant shooting Sunday.

## CANDIDATE VISITS CITY

Tuesday Fred L. Carsten, candidate for the legislature, was in the city, accompanied by Frank H. Woods and Carl Day of Weeping Water. The party were boosting the candidacy of Mr. Carsten for re-election.

## RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Miss Kathryn Sumner returned to her home here Sunday from Lincoln where she has been receiving treatment in the Bryan Memorial hospital. She is getting along fine.

## Popular Young People Married at Omaha Today

Miss Helen Pavelka of Omaha Married to William C. O'Donnell at St. Peter's Church.

From Tuesday's Daily—  
This morning at St. Peter's church, 27th and Leavenworth streets, Omaha, was celebrated the nuptials of Miss Helen Pavelka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Pavelka, of Niobrara, Nebraska, and Mr. William C. O'Donnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. O'Donnell of this city.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Fisher.

The attendants were Miss Marcine Nosky of Nebraska City and Mr. Leo Sikora of this city.

The bride was charming in a princess effect gown of royal blue crepe silk with accessories of black and wearing a corsage of gardenias.

Miss Nosky wore Burgandy silk crepe and also wore a corsage of gardenias.

The groom wore a dark blue business suit while Mr. Sikora wore a dark brown suit.

Following the wedding the party motored to the Hotel Hill for a charmingly arranged wedding breakfast, later motoring to this city to stop for a short time at the home of the groom's parents and then to Nebraska City.

The party were entertained this afternoon at dinner at the O'Donnell home and this evening a public reception for the young people will be held at the American Legion building, followed by a dancing party.

Mr. O'Donnell was born and has grown up in this city where he has a large circle of friends and is now engaged with the L. B. Egenberger grocery.

## VISITS RECREATION CENTERS

Elmer Sundstrom, Cass county recreational director, was a visitor to two of the Recreation Centers of the nearby counties at Tecumseh and Wahoo, gathering ideas of the manner in which this extensive program is being carried out in these counties.

Mr. Sundstrom and his assistants are planning a number of activities, in the winter months that will help in the entertainment part of the program. They are planning to make courts for shuffle board and for which the floor of the Center has been placed in first class shape. It is also planned to have a ping pong tournament started and to encourage all of the fans in the community.

## VISIT AT STELLA

Last Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tremble and Mrs. W. H. Venner motored to Stella; Nebraska, a distance of some sixty miles, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hall, Mrs. Hall being a granddaughter of Mrs. Tremble.

The weather was pleasant and all enjoyed the exceptionally fine outing. A special feature of the trip was the sumptuous dinner which was awaiting them when they arrived at their destination.

## CHANGES PLEA

John Stump, arrested Monday by game wardens and charged with the possession of a fishing net without the proper license, Monday afternoon, changed his earlier plea of not guilty to that of guilty. He was given a fine of \$10 and costs by Judge Duxbury.

## CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Sunday was the twenty-sixth birthday anniversary of Bronson Timm, one of the well known young men of the city. The anniversary was very quietly observed by the friends who joined in a motor party and luncheon in honor of the event.

## BIRTH OF SON

Tuesday at the Kani hospital at Omaha a six pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. Stoll of this city. The little one is doing very well but the condition of Mrs. Stoll is still very serious.

## WINS HONOR AT KEMPER

Stephen M. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Searl S. Davis, 604 North 5th street, has been appointed to the rank of corporal in Company D at the Kemper Military school, Boonville, Missouri. Davis, a member of the class of '39, is a member of the scholastic honor society, general honor society, Camera club, a re-write man on the Kemper News staff, and participates in forensics. His name appeared on a recently issued list of those achieving scholastic honors for the first month of the first semester.

## P. E. O. Ladies Hold Meeting at Weeping Water

Reciprocity Meeting Very Largely Attended by the Members From This District.

A large group of ladies from Plattsmouth attended the Reciprocity meeting of the P.E.O. held in Weeping Water Saturday. It was an all-day session, most of the time being devoted to becoming better acquainted. A short business meeting was held during the morning and there was some discussion of the preparations to be made for this district's entertaining the state P.E.O. convention in 1945. Mrs. Meade, past junior state president, gave a talk on the new P.E.O. home at Beatrice, a gift to the state P.E.O. by the Roger Elliott family of Beatrice. A collection of \$5.00 was taken for tulip bulbs as the group's contribution.

The Halloween theme was carried out in the luncheon served at noon and throughout the afternoon. Mrs. Ida Day of Weeping Water gave organ and piano selections and a number of very entertaining Halloween stunts were given.

New officers elected were Mrs. Minnie White Thygeson, president; Mrs. Minerva Gorder, vice-president and Mrs. Dollif, secretary. The group will hold its next meeting at Pawnee City in 1939.

## ATTEND SHAYLER RECEPTION

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Attending the farewell for Bishop and Mrs. Ernest Vincent Shayler of the Omaha diocese of the Episcopal church last evening, was Misses Mia and Barbara Gering and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Patterson of this city. The farewell was held at the ballroom of the Elks club in Omaha and Miss Barbara Gering, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the diocese, was among those in the receiving line. Bishop Shayler is retiring from active duty in the bishopric of the church, his resignation having been made to the House of Bishops last spring.

## PRaises LOCAL PLAYER

In the honorary list of the high school football players of the state in the past week, Gregg McBride, dean of the Nebraska sport authorities, gives the nod to Ronald Rebal, captain of the local high school team, for his great game last Friday and his driving work at halfback against Blair.

## LEAVE FOR SYNODICAL

From Tuesday's Daily—  
Mrs. Roy Knorr, Mrs. H. G. McClusky, Mrs. L. O. Minor, Mrs. Virgil Perry, and Mrs. P. T. Heineman left this morning for Hastings, Nebraska where they will spend three days as delegates to the Presbyterian Synodical.

## ACCEPTS POSITION HERE

Margaret Henton, a graduate of the Beau Ideal Beauty School of Cosmetology, at Omaha, has accepted a position of beauty operator in the Powder Puff beauty shop, owned by Mrs. Arnold Lillie.

## VISIT HERE FROM ILLINOIS

J. H. Palacek, Jr., of Berwyn, Illinois spent the week-end here with the John Palaceks, Sr. He also visited with Mrs. John Stander of Manley and Mrs. Andrew Stander of Weeping Water.

## Two Fine Plays are Presented at High School

Students Taking Part Give a Very Fine Rendition of Roles Before a Large Audience.

From Tuesday's Daily—  
There was a fine crowd at the high school auditorium last night for the presentation of two one-act plays by a number of high school students. The proceeds of the plays will be used to pay for the plaque marking the site of the first school building in Plattsmouth.

The plays were very entertaining and thoroughly enjoyed by the large number attending. Students were chosen from all the grades of high school and each was excellent in the rendition of his part.

Those taking part in the two plays were Theodore Libershal, Frances Hadraba, Dale Nearhood, Anna Austin, Clarence Mayabb, Bruo Reichstadt, Mary McCarroll, Aileen Reed, Ruth Ann Hatt, Norma Johnson, Elmore Brink, Margaret Sylvester, Dorthea Fulton, Diana Rose Lushinsky, Betty Ruffner, Edythe Lushinsky, Juanita Wood, Helen Barkus, Emma Reine Topliff, Kathryn Tachiren, Hazel Kelley, Neoma Wood, Diane Webb, Louis Gradoville, Dorothy Jean Cappell, Glen Fisk, Janis Schmidtman, Clementine Woster, Charlotte Cotner, Alice Bennett, James Sandin, Corrine Drucker, Gloria Johnson, Mary Kvapil, John Tidball, John Jacobs.

The stage managers were Phoebe Taylor and Thomas Solomon.

## CO-ED CANDIDATES

In the race for the coveted honor of honorary colonel of the University of Nebraska ROTC and for "Nebraska Sweetheart," several girls well known here are candidates.

In those suggested for honorary colonel is Betty Clements, of Elmwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Clements, unaffiliated.

Candidates for Nebraska Sweetheart include Jean Morgan of Hay Springs, Alpha Phi, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Morgan, former residents of this city, as well as Mary Anna Cackle of Omaha, Delta Delta Delta, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cackle. Mrs. A. L. Cackle was formerly Miss Eda Marquardt, one time county superintendent of schools and member of a prominent Avoca family.

## HEAR ROOSEVELT LECTURE

Mrs. Rea F. Patterson and Miss Christine Soennichsen of this city motored to Omaha Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Walter of Falls City, to attend the lecture given by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, wife of the president. The lecture was in the auditorium and sponsored by the Omaha Delphians.

The lecture was reported as being very fine and Mrs. Roosevelt very impressive in her presentation of the address.

## VISIT AT HASSLER HOME

Mrs. Mathilda Johnson, of Pekin, Illinois, who has been visiting in the western part of the state and the Black Hills for the past two months, came down from Omaha Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hassler and family. Mrs. Johnson will visit here with her sister, Mrs. William Hassler, Sr., and daughter, Miss Anna, before she returns to her home in Illinois.

## RECEIVE PLEASANT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Novatney of this city have received the good news of the birth on Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. James Wooster of Windsor, Missouri, of a fine little daughter. The little one has been christened Mary Ellen. The event has brought a great deal of pleasure to the parents and the four little sisters.

## VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Worley of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Leonard and Mrs. Edward Jackson of Omaha were Sunday guests at the home of Miss Verna Leonard.

## SUFFERS BROKEN WRIST

Sunday afternoon John Aschenbrenner, 14, with several companions was out riding in a car when he fell from the car and sustained a fractured left wrist and many bruises.

The car was driven by Eric Price and three of the boys were in the front seat and John and two others in the rumble. As the car turned a curve near the Clemens Nave farm, John fell from the car and was injured. He was taken to the office of Dr. R. P. Westover where the injured member was treated.

## Cass County 4-H Clubbers Score at AK Show

Grand Champion Fat Barrow of the Show Is Shown by Clyde Althouse of Eagle.

Cass county 4-H club members exhibiting at the Ak-Sar-Ben stock show at Omaha scored heavily in the awards made Tuesday by the judges.

The Cass county pen at the show being awarded first prize and many individual honors awarded for the excellent exhibits.

Clyde Althouse, 20, of Eagle was awarded the grand championship of the show on his 225 pound belted Hampshire barrow, and the champion barrow.

There were many in the swine class as well as in the beef section of the show.

Robert Schneider of Cedar Creek had the reserve champion in the heavy weight division of Hampshires, and his two entries received the highest honors.

Lyman Helmeler of Weeping Water, veteran 4-H worker had the championship Chester Whites in the lightweight and heavyweight divisions.

Merele Kunz, Elmwood, received one second on Hampshires, George Oberle and Cleo Bergman, Manly, two seconds on Chester Whites, Harlan Kunz, second on Spotted Poland-China. James Schafer, Murray and James Mills two seconds on Duross.

Winners on Steers

Myrl Kunz, 8th on Angus steer, 960 to 1,000 pounds; Harlan Kunz 14th on Angus steer, 890 pounds and less; Peter Eveland, eighth on Hereford steer, 1,040 pounds and up; Reginald Jorgensen, 14th on Hereford steer, 1,000 to 1,030 pounds; Inez Althouse, James Schafer 5th and James Mills 14th on Hereford steers, 960 pounds to 990.

## PRETTY HOME WEDDING

Saturday evening the home of Mrs. J. F. Clugy in the north portion of the city was the scene of a very pretty wedding, the bridal party being Miss Alma Marie Stottler, of Denver, a niece of Mrs. Clugy, and Mr. Joseph Scaletta, of Cherokee, Iowa.

The marriage lines were read by Judge Charles L. Graves, an old time friend of the family of the bride, long time residents of the Union community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moore of this city were the attendants of the young people, Mrs. Moore being a sister of the bride.

The ceremony was attended by a number of the relatives and was followed by a very much enjoyed luncheon.

## GUESTS AT ROBERTSON HOME

Major and Mrs. Jesse P. Green, of Lincoln, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson. They were accompanied by their daughter, Patricia, and Miss Rachel Robertson, students at the University of Nebraska. Major Green is instructor in military science in the R.O.T.C. unit at the university.

## BARGE LOAD OF LUMBER

From Monday's Daily—  
The launch "Helen V." piloted by Captain Higgins, of the Waterways Construction company, started yesterday morning to River Sioux, Iowa for a barge of lumber. She returned this morning, with the barge, completing another of the many successful trips made by the "Helen V" up the river.

## Mynard Community Club Holds Meeting

Newton Gaines of Lincoln and County Agent J. M. Quackenbush Speakers.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mynard Community club was held on Tuesday evening, instead of Friday, so that the new county agent could have the opportunity of visiting this club. The president, Glenn Wiles, presided during the business session after which the west side program committee presented an entertaining program.

The school pupils of Miss Mildred Wilson, of Dist. 45, presented a one-act Halloween playlet, which cleverly depicted the spirit of Halloween with the stage arrangement of shocks of corn and the golden pumpkins. J. M. Quackenbush was next introduced to the audience by Reuel Sack, acting chairman of the committee. Mr. Quackenbush, in his usual pleasant manner gave a short talk on the accomplishments of extension work in Cass county, and praised the work of the 4-H clubs. He pledged his willingness to give assistance to the farmers whenever called upon.

His talk was followed by an address by Newton Gaines of the state extension service, of Lincoln. The Mynard Community club feel that they owe a debt of gratitude to Mr. Gaines, who, eleven years ago came to Mynard and organized this club, and the fact that it has become one of the best of its class in Cass county is gratifying to Mr. Gaines, who realized that he was addressing an appreciative audience as was evidenced by the hearty applause given during his discourse.

Mr. Gaines in his effort to point out the need of training our young people to become good citizens, said we could not afford to do away with the 4-H club organizations, as the work that our boys and girls are doing is a means of holding the interests of the family together. He cited many illustrations along this line of endeavor and intermingled with his wit and humor his remarks were touching.

With the small amount of expense contributed toward building citizenship, as compared with the large amount of tax money spent annually in curbing crime and maintaining institutions for the great numbers of criminals, he emphatically urged that we continue with the good work and keep our 4-H clubs and extension clubs, as we have for the past twenty years.

Mr. Gaines was pleased to recognize many whom he had met while here to organize this club.

The club feel that they were indeed fortunate to have had the opportunity of having Mr. Gaines and Mr. Quackenbush appear on this month's program, and those who had the pleasure of attending this meeting feel that the evening was well spent.

## CASS COUNTY AUDITORIUM

The residents of Cass county are very much pleased with the fact that the new auditorium that is to be erected at Weeping Water will in the future be available for the Cass county fair activities.

This building will be erected by the Cass County Agricultural Society and to whom the building belongs as a party of the county organization and not to the city of Weeping Water, altho this pleasant little city as the site of the fair will have the pleasure of having the building erected in their community.

It is to be a structure 118 x 54 feet and when completed will be a real asset to the county.

## HERE FROM LINCOLN

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Mr. and Mrs. George F. Swatek of Lincoln were visitors in the city yesterday. They were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Swatek, parents of George.

## PLATE SUPPER

Friday, October 28 at District 12, Taylor school. Everybody invited. Louise Rishel, teacher. o24-27w