

Francis E. White, Prominent Plattsmouth Pioneer, Dies

Francis E. White, pioneer of Plattsmouth and prominently known among Masonic circles of the state and the nation, died Monday at Los Angeles, Calif., at the age of 97.

He began his masonic work at Plattsmouth Lodge No. 6 in March 1869; became a Royal Arch mason on May 9, 1871 in Nebraska chapter No. 3; and joined the



Knights Templar, Mt Zion Commandery No. 5, in 1873. At the time of his death he held the longest record in service as a thirty-three degree mason, was the oldest past grand priest of the Royal Arch masons in the United States and was oldest past grand commander of the Knights Templar in Nebraska and the United States.

White was instrumental in locating the Nebraska Home for Aged in Plattsmouth and his homestead was the original site for the home in 1903. The building is now used as the office of the superintendent and as parlors of the Home. He served as secretary from 1903 to 1926.

The White family came to the United States from England in the early fifties and settled first in Utah territory. In 1857 the family started east to return to England but stopped at Plattsmouth where the father engaged in merchandising.

White served in the Legislature of the state from 1886 through 1892. In 1893 he was appointed United States Marshal for Nebraska and served four years. He moved to Los Angeles in 1925 when he began his retirement.

Surviving are three nieces in Plattsmouth, Mrs. J. A. Donelan, Miss Mable White and Miss Vera Leonard; also two sons, Robert White of Schneckady, N. Y., and Valley of Los Angeles and two daughters, Mrs. Louise Halter and Miss Bertha White, both of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Sprandel Heads Lutheran Aid Group

Mrs. Gus Sprandel was elected president of the newly formed First Lutheran Aid at a meeting of the women of the church following the regular Sunday service.

The organization is sponsored by the First Lutheran church. Mrs. Al Huebner was chosen to serve as vice-president and the new secretary treasurer will be Mrs. Richard McKissick.

The group will hold its meetings the first and third Thursday of each month. The first meeting will be at 8 p. m. June 21 at Mrs. Huebner's home.

ATTEND CONFERENCE

A group of young people are attending a conference for Presbyterian church youth at Dana College at Blair. They plan to return Sunday.

Those attending are: Carol Lou Bernhardt, Elizabeth Perry, Janet Tiekotter, Margaret Heineman and Leslie Neil. Cars were taken by Mrs. E. H. Bernhardt and Mrs. Herman Tiekotter.

WALTER SMITH'S MOVE

The Walter Smith family is moving into the house formerly occupied by Mrs. W. A. Robertson Wednesday.

Mrs. Robertson will remain in town until the end of the month, when she plans to leave for the west coast.

Plattsmouth Personals

Mrs. Harold Murphey left Tuesday evening with her two children, Vesta Lee and Tommy, for Phoenix, Ariz., where her husband is now located. She has been visiting here with Mrs. W. A. Robertson the past two months, while awaiting her husband's definite location.

Mrs. Charles Cooper and son, Gary Lee, arrived Monday evening from Marysville, Cal., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haffke.

Mrs. R. W. Logsdon attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Walter N. Anderson in Omaha Wednesday afternoon.

Richard Soenichsen left Thursday for Glendale, Cal., where he will attend summer school. He plans to return about August 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Goodhart are spending their vacation at Humboldt, their home, this week. They will return Sunday evening.

Mrs. Donald Busch and daughter, Mary Virginia, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Busch. Donald is in Germany.

Lois Giles returned home Sunday from Ann Arbor, Mich., to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Giles. She has been employed as a nursery school teacher at the University Elementary School.

Frank J. Davis of Broken Bow is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Searl Davis.

Mary and Allan Burdick left Friday morning for Norfolk to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Burdick.

Mrs. Eugene Burdick left Friday for New York to visit with her husband who is in the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wantach and daughter, Charlotte, are leaving town within a week for Wisconsin, where they plan to make their home.

Mrs. Frank Schiele entertained at the Inklers Bridge Club at her home Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served after the games.

Mrs. Henry Starkjohn received the high prize, and Miss Marie Horn placed second.

Mrs. Roy Knorr entertained at bridge at her home Thursday evening. First, second, and third prizes were won by Mrs. Fred Lugsch, Mrs. Emma Egenberger, and Miss Laura Meisinger in that order. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Word has been received here by the relatives of Jean Johnson that she became the bride of Pfc. Kenneth E. Sharp of the Convalescent Hospital at Camp Carson, Colo., on May 27.

Jean moved to Denver about a year ago with her father, C. R. Johnson.

Bernice Halmes returned home Sunday to spend the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Halmes. She has been attending the Omaha University. Betty Halmes is leaving Saturday for Iowa State University where she will attend summer school.

Mrs. Walter Speece and daughter, Walta Jean, formerly of Chester, arrived here Saturday to visit with Mrs. Flora Ann.

Mrs. Leonard Brothers arrived home Monday from Salina, Kans. where she has been visiting her husband who is in the army.

Mrs. Sam Arn arrived home Wednesday from Fayette, Mo., where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sells.

Pfc. George Jacobs and Eloise Cole left Friday morning for Marysville, Mo., to spend the day with Pfc. Vern Hillman, formerly of Plattsmouth, and Mary Ellen Tewov.

Mildred Hutton and Mrs. Hugh Hutton, of Lincoln, were visiting the Jacobs family in their way to Indiana Friday morning.

Mrs. Inez Baylor who has been visiting friends here, has returned to Akron, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hyde, who have been here the past few weeks, have gone on west and into the south to help with the wheat harvest.

Mrs. Charles Howard returned home Monday night. She had been visiting her mother in California.

Cpl. Charles Tupy of Waucoma, Iowa, visited with Father Edward C. Tucheck three days last week. The two were classmates in high school. Cpl. Tupy was captured shortly after Pearl Harbor by the Japanese and was their prisoner until liberated last January. He was in four different prison camps on the Philippines Islands.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson at the St. Catherine's hospital in Omaha Tuesday morning.

F. Plummer Martin, Grand Principal So-journer of Royal Arch Masons in Nebraska was present for inspection of the local chapter Monday evening. The inspection was not held, however, due to the absence of several officers. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Logsdon spent the week end visiting Mr. Logsdon's parents in Omaha.

The regular annual meeting of the Cass County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis will be held at Hotel Plattsmouth on Monday, June 18. A chicken dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m. an dthe business meeting will follow at 8:00 p. m. The dinner and meeting will be held in the Main Dining Room at Hotel Plattsmouth. All members are urged to attend.

Judge Thomas Dunbar and daughter were in Plattsmouth Monday afternoon on their way to Papillion.

Miss Hazel Dovey of Canton, Ohio has arrived in Plattsmouth to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Dovey. Miss Dovey is in charge of the commercial department at Canton High School.

Mrs. L. D. Hiatt and daughter Alice, departed Monday evening for a trip to Denver, Col. Enroute they plan to visit at Akron, with the Robert Heinrich family. Mr. Heinrich is a brother of Mrs. Hiatt. They will be gone a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Searl Davis and daughter, Elizabeth, visited Sunday in Weeping Water with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Davis.

Former county treasurer, John E. Turner and daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Sorrell, of Lincoln were in Plattsmouth for the wedding of Miss Renee Brown to Ensign Allan White.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Royal of Lincoln were visiting here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Doody left Tuesday afternoon for her home in the Black Hills after a visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallinger and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willis and children, Gwendolyn Kaye and Eugene Clarence, were in Plattsmouth Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Becker. Mrs. Becker and Mrs. Wallinger are sisters.

Mrs. Beverly Sutton and daughter, Mrs. Beverly Hiltz, are visiting in Ames, Iowa. They plan to stay two weeks.

Attending a flower show and a lecture on flower arrangement at the Omaha Y. W. C. A. Tuesday afternoon, were Mrs. Lillian Freeman, Mrs. Luke Wiles, Miss Marie Bookmeyer, Mrs. Henry Frey and Mrs. L. W. Egenberger.

Joe Newland and wife of Decatur, Ill. are visiting at the C. J. Rhylander home.

Karl Roessler has arrived here from Chicago to join his wife who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Antone Svoboda.

Pharmacist Mate First Class Robert Hall returned to duty Monday morning after a weeks leave. He will return to Seattle where his ship is being repaired.

Mrs. Frank Clويد has returned from Lincoln where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Ray Wooster and family.

Betty Meisinger Joins Journal Staff

Miss Betty Meisinger, graduate with the class of 1945 from the Plattsmouth high school, has joined the news staff of the Plattsmouth Daily Journal. She will serve as society reporter and general local news reporter. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Meisinger.

While in high school she served as co-editor of the Platts, or business manager of the annual, and did honor work acholastically. In her junior year she received an excellent rating in the music contest, served as president of the G. S. C. C., and was active in dramatics.

Rosborough To Head Eagles

Clyde Rosborough was installed as worthy president Thursday night of the Fraternal order of Eagles, Aerie No. 365, Plattsmouth. He succeeds Bill O'Donald, immediate past worthy president.

Other members who took office Thursday are Ed Kerell, worthy vice-president; Bill Wolcott, treasurer; Marvin Deaver, worthy chaplain; Bernard Ward, secretary; Ivan Geisert, worthy conductor; Marion Barnard, inside guard; Harold Garrett, outside guard; Tony LaHoda, Tom Sattler and George Monroe, trustees.

The following committees were named for this term of office by Rosborough: Delinquency and Lapsation: Walter Elodes, Richard Goehonour; Sterring: Doran Buman, Marvin Winters, Eledree Finance; Jack Harris, Frank Gunzley; Auditing: C. H. Cathell, Lester Gaylord; Entertainment: Charles Janacek, O'Donald, H. Donat; Memorial: William Keif, Marvin Deaver, Ed Kohrell; Resolution: B. G. Ward, William Woolcott and Grievance: Deaver, Monroe.

Old Age Pension: O. E. Finetock; By-laws: Woolcott, Ward, R. C. Shellenberger; Investigating: Clem Woster, John Sattler, Jr., Donat; Flowers: Wurd; and Visiting: Deaver, LaHoda, Keif.

Standing committees of the lodge include patron: Janacek; Security: Richardson; Memorial Foundation: Wolcott, Ward, Kohrell; and Publicity: Jerry McCord.

Leiner Services Held At Sattler Funeral Home

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Louis Leiner at two o'clock Monday afternoon at the Sattler Funeral Home. Frank Clويد sang "City Four Square" and "Peace, Peace, Gift of God's Love." He was accompanied by E. H. Westcott.

Pallbearers were Mike Vetonek, Earl Hes, Ed Lutz, George McFarland, Leslie Sprague, and Philip Rihn. Burial was at the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Petet Spending Leave With Parents

Sgt. Robert Petet arrived Monday evening to spend a leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Petet. He has been in service in the Pacific.

Draft Office Clerk Speaks At Rotary

Miss Wilhelmina Hendricksen, chief clerk at the Cass county draft office, was the main speaker Tuesday noon at the Rotary club meeting. She told Rotarians that Cass county so far in World War II had been 3,550 registrants. Accent is on Youth, stated Miss Hendricksen.

Miss Eileen Aylor, draft office clerk, was a guest at the luncheon. Frank Clويد sang two numbers accompanied by Hilt Westcott.

Friest, Behrends Attend Conference

City Superintendent of schools T. I. Friest and County Superintendent L. A. Behrends spent Wednesday at Peru State Teachers College, attending a sectional conference of the Nebraska Educational Association and seeking teachers for Plattsmouth and Cass County.

Both took part in the panel topic: "Methods of Establishing Better Relation Between the Schools and the Public."

Clara Weyrich Becomes State JD Guardian

Miss Clara Weyrich, Plattsmouth, will be installed as the Grand Guardian of the Order of Job's Daughters, State of Nebraska at the final meeting of the Grand Council Wednesday evening. This two day session is being held at the Masonic Temple in Omaha, and representatives of all bethehs in the state are expected to be present. Several members of the Plattsmouth betheh attended the Tuesday sessions, and a larger group plan to attend Wednesday evening.

Miss Weyrich has served as guardian of the local betheh for several years, and has more recently become active in the state work.

Delores Ruse is the present Honored Queen of the Plattsmouth betheh. Honored queen elect is Millie Kozacek. Members of the guardian council are: Miss Weyrich, guardian; Mrs. Pearl Evers, guardian secretary; Miss Helen Warner, guardian treasurer; Miss Naomi Owens, director of music; and Howard Wiles, associate guardian.

Girls planning to attend the installation ceremony Wednesday evening are: Dorothy Cappell, Mary Margaret Cole, Mildred Ann Meisinger, Delores Smith, Mariou Warner, Phyllis Tenzler, Marliou Becker, Lindell Speck, Jean Lloyd, Maxine Eckles, Catherine Kaffenberger, Marilyn Lutz, Sharon Hill, Bonnie Walters, Delores Ruse, Beverly Brubacher, Margaret Smith, Betty Meisinger, Eloise Cole, Marianne Wetenkamp, Eileen Aylor, Millie Kozacek, and Barbara Kimball.

South Bend

MRS. WILLIAM BLUM, Correspondent

Mrs. R. L. Hudson and son, Larry, of Lincoln were guests at the Charles Fosberg home Thursday.

Mrs. Glen Thiesen and Mrs. Otto Peterson called on Mrs. J. L. Carrick Monday afternoon.

A group of indie surprised Mrs. Hazel McGinness Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent playing pinball. Prizes were won by Mrs. Amy Thiesen, first; Mrs. Olive Dill, second; Mrs. Charles Fosberg, low. A lovely lunch was served later in the afternoon. A gift of a lunch cloth was presented to Mrs. McGinness.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Nannan of Davey were callers Saturday at the McGinness home.

Mrs. Fannie Christensen of Taylor has returned to her home. Pfc. Kenneth Livers has been transferred from a base in Montana to Homestead, Fla.

Dick Haswell passed his army examination and will leave for camp in 21 days.

Thorwald Hansen and family visited at the Fosberg home Sunday.

Mrs. Dale Bradley and family visited from Saturday until Wednesday with Mrs. McGinness.

Bob Lackey of Lincoln was a Sunday caller at Glen Thiesen's home.

Mary Lou Holmes of Omaha was a Sunday dinner guest at the Tyler Nunn home.

Jack Long, who is in the Navy, and his grandfather, Harry Long, were guests Sunday at the Glen Thiesen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGinness were Friday callers at McGinness home.

Wallace Barney and Jean Thiesen called at the Thiesen home Sunday afternoon.

Jack Long who has been stationed in Illinois at a naval air base leaves for Pensacola, Florida to complete his training.

Norman Yardley, Mary Ann Yardley and Dorothy McCrory called on friends in town Sunday morning.

School election Monday evening resulted in electing Jesse D. Fidler as director and Vyril Livers as moderator.

Group Recommends Memorial Park; To Call Mass Meeting

A memorial park and historical society building under the direction of the Cass County Historical Society and in memory of the boys of the county who have given their lives for our country and our way of life in World War II was the major recommendation Tuesday night at a meeting held in Weeping Water. About twenty representatives from the county precincts attended the meeting.

Second recommendation of the group was that a mass meeting of the citizens of the county be called for further consideration of the project and to receive their recommendations. This mass meeting will be called in a few days by Dr. G. H. Gilmore, Murray, and Judge Paul Fauquet of Plattsmouth who called the Tuesday meeting.

The park and building under discussion is the former Tom Parmelee estate, west of Plattsmouth which includes 18 acres of ground and the Parmelee home. The Historical Society filed articles of incorporation in Lincoln last week with the above program in mind.

Representing Plattsmouth Tuesday night were Judge Fauquet, A. L. Tidd, Mrs. Frank Clويد, Mrs. E. H. Westcott, George Farley and Rex Young. Mrs. H. G. Kiser represented the Plattsmouth precinct.

Piano Students Of Mrs. Roberts Present Recital Thursday

Forty-one young artists of Plattsmouth were heard in a piano recital at the home of Mrs. J. M. Roberts Thursday. An afternoon program, featuring twenty-two soloists, began at three o'clock. An evening program was presented at eight o'clock. The pupils of Mrs. Roberts did well, showing credit and progress made during the past year. The program follows:

"Making Music", Jane Thimpen; "Ding Dong Bell", Catherine Ann Deaver; "Follow the Leader", Merle Schall; "The Scissors Grinder", Carol Jenn Pule; "Waltz of the Toys", Jeanine Newton; "Cat Tails", Janet Reeder; "A Rag Doll's Lullaby", Katherine Simon; "Swans on the Lake", Denny Prak; "The Cellist", James Reeder; "Betty and Bill", and "Selection from 'Surprise Symphony'", Etta Lu Heilig; "The Cuckoo", Margie Keif; "The Fairies' Harp", Ina Mae Finnefrock; "Song of the Bell", Shirley Glaze; "Sunny Sambo Plucks His Banjo", Perry Simon; "The Elfman", Evelyn Henry; "Little Lady", Sandra Cline; "Game for Two", Phoebe White; "Pop Corn", Carol Davis; "Butterflies Wink Their Primrose Wings", Janice Caldwell; "Wisteria", Beverly Brock; "Pales Goodnight Song", Florence Reed; "Evening Bells", and "Soldiers on Parade", Billy Hatcher; Duet, "Song of the Marines", Wendell Friest and Ronald Schneider; "Dance of the Puppets", Beverly Meisinger; "March to Victory", Ronald Ofc; "On Wings of Song", Carlyne Meisinger; "Sparklets", Betty Hild; "The Froggies", Wendell Friest; "Trumpet Flowers", Francis Clinkenbeard; "Berceuse from 'Jeslyn'", Lella Clark; "The Avallanche", Ronald Schneider; "Waltz, 2d", Patricia Rogers; "Hovering Butterflies", Janice Long; "A Curious Story" and "An Important Event", Manfred Moritz; "Nocturne, E flat", Kathleen Feldhausen; "The Butterfly", Joan Cecil; "The Swan", Clementine Woster; "Military Polonaise", Virgie Clark; "Rustle of Spring", Marianne Wetenkamp; "Marche Militaire", Buddie White; "Waltz, A flat", Eloise Cole; "Rhapsodie Hongroise, No. 2", Billy Cecil; Duet, "Spanish Dance", Clementine Woster and Kathleen Feldhausen.

Following the programs the salute to the flag was given. At the close of the presentations, America was sung, Janice and Janet Reeder serving as accompanists in the afternoon and Eloise Cole, in the evening.

Robert Cole, president of the local Christian Endeavor, had charge of the rally.

Miss Olive Giese daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Burris of this city and First Lt. Noel J. Fischer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Fischer, of Eagle, Neb. were united in marriage on June 1, at 7 o'clock in the evening at the Dodge City army air base, Dodge City, Kansas.

The double ring ceremony was performed in the chapel on the air base by Chaplain Geo. Rummy in presence of 50 relatives and friends.

The chapel had been beautifully decorated for the occasion with palms, baskets of pink and white carnations. Soft candle light shed a soft glow over the scene from the many candles on seven branch candelabra and placed about altar.

Sgt. A. Davis of A. A. Forces presided at the electric organ and played traditional nuptial music. Mr. G. H. Palamer gave the missionary lesson.

The guests were Mrs. Bishop of Ainsworth, Mrs. Clarence Westlake.

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Schools Receive \$18,311 To Meet School Tax Deficit

Mynard Wins District Rally

As a part of the regular church services held at the United Brethren Church in Mynard Sunday morning, the children and teachers of the Bible School outlined the courses they have pursued during the past two weeks. This served to conclude their two weeks schedule of biblical study.

In the afternoon the District Youth Rally was held and the Mynard Church received sufficient points to win the District Rally. The contest covers a period of time, and the church having the most points is entitled to send one delegate free to the York camp conference this year. The points are issued according to the number of people present and the number who participate in the program.

Marianne Wetenkamp and Raymond Cook were in charge of the afternoon's devotionals. Rev. A. P. Vannice, of York, gave a short address, and Rev. W. P. Watkins, of Omaha, spoke to the young people about the camp conference to be held at York. A quartette from Julian, gave several vocal selections. Young people of the Christian Endeavor were the quiz-masters in a program of biblical questions in which the ministers acted as the contestants.

Out of town ministers present were: Rev. E. J. Moritz and Rev. T. Porter Bennett of Plattsmouth; Rev. W. P. Watkins of Omaha; Rev. L. A. Reger of Julian; and Dr. W. C. Noll of York.

After a 6:30 covered dish luncheon, the local Christian Endeavor presented a play entitled, "Christianity Where You Are." Several numbers were given by a quartette composed by Rev. and Mrs. Huebert, Raymond Cook, and Mrs. Jantz. Dr. Noll, of the Science division of the York college, gave the main address of the evening.

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District One, Monday, filed a request with County Clerk George R. Sales for \$50,000 for general school purposes and \$4,000 for bond sinking fund, the same request as made in 1944. This request showed \$54,000 needed by the schools and with only a 22.00 mills assessment for 1945, only \$44,000 of this request could have been met without federal contribution.

The request for federal funds had been made 60 days ago by the school board when they realized what the assessment would bring.

Plattsmouth school officials were very pleased with the federal grant Wednesday.

Clويد said, "This certainly brightens the school picture and the grant will enable us to keep the schools in A-1 condition. It will also be a great help to the tax payers of Plattsmouth."

He stated that during the summer in addition to general improvements, Columbian Building and Wintersteen School will be stuccoed and will receive a paint-job inside.

Dr. R. P. Westover, president of the Plattsmouth school board, stated, "These funds in addition to improving the school plant will help us to increase the salaries of our teachers. We try to improve the schools right along, but this additional aid will help us without calling on the tax payers."

An increase in the personal valuations would have increased the school district treasury but not enough to meet the \$1,000 deficit.

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