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## Merry Workers Club Has All-Day Session Tuesday

Merry Workers Club met Tuesday, December 11, at the home of Mrs. Frank Topf, with Mrs. Vera Hild, co-hostess. An all-day meeting was held. Mrs. Carl Krueger, assisted by Mrs. Bernard Meisinger, put on a candy making demonstration in the morning. Candy recipes were read for members who desired them. Samples of the candy were distributed. A table full of Christmas goodies and gifts were also on display and passed around for all to view. A covered-dish luncheon was served buffet style at noon. The club's business meeting was held after the noon luncheon. Mrs. Bob Valley presided. Mrs. Jack Valley read an appropriate poem and roll call was answered by 22 members. One visitor, Mrs. Neil Snell, and 14 small guests, were also present. In other action, the group approved the secretary's report, and heard a letter of thanks received from the Butter-Nut Christmas Club for labels and tin strips the club had sent in. Almost 300 were sent and another 100 are still to be sent. No treasurer's report was given and the business meeting closed with the flag salute.

The meeting was continued by Mrs. Henry Vinduska and Mrs. Bob Valley, assisted by Mrs. Carl Krueger and Mrs. Bernard Meisinger. They put on a gift and box wrapping demonstration. Beautiful and novel methods of gift wrapping were shown. Christmas sprays and floral decorations were also displayed. A gift exchange followed the demonstrations. Group singing of Christmas carols followed. The next meeting will be held January 8, at the home of Mrs. Albert Krueger. Mrs. Willis Cole will assist.

## Maasens Return From Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Maasens have returned from a 10-day trip to Jefferson City, Mo., where they visited Mrs. Maasens' father, Frank Jaegers, and other relatives.

## Rex Price Here For Short Visit

Rex Price, with the staff of the Northern Natural Gas, is here for a short time assisting with some special work. Rex is to be assigned to Oakland, Iowa, his home for service and expects to be there until called to the armed service. Lee Untke, also of the Natural Gas Company, is here this week to look after some engineering work. He is now located at South Omaha.

## Pfc. Arthur Hull Receives Furlough

Pfc. Arthur D. Hull arrived Saturday from Chantrel Field, Illinois, where he is a member of the air force. He will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hull, and his many friends for the next 17 days on his Christmas furlough.

Mrs. May O. Martin of Portsmouth, Ohio, is visiting friends in Plattsmouth and helping care for Mrs. Frank Cheval who is ill.

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## Naomi Circle Has Seventeen At Thursday Meeting

Naomi Circle of the Methodist church held its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Claire Shellenbarger with Mrs. J. Howard Davis, co-hostess Thursday night. There were 17 members and four guests present.

Presiding at the meeting was Mrs. M. M. Muncie, chairman. A Christmas game was played with Mrs. Harry White receiving the prize. Mrs. Harold V. Mitchell and her mother-in-law, Mrs. E. C. Mitchell, were guests. Other guests were Mrs. Harry White, Mrs. John R. Schreiner and Mrs. J. C. Graves. Mrs. Graves joined the circle.

An exchange of gifts was held. Packages for ten agra, which will be sent to the city mission at Omaha, were brought to the meeting. The group voted to send a cash gift to the Crowell home at Blair. A delicious luncheon was served and enjoyed by all present, who had ventured forth during the snow storm.

## 40 & 8 Has Duck Dinner

Members of Cass county volution of La Societe Des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux met Thursday evening at the lounge of the 40 & 8 club with a very fine attendance of the membership. Albert Olson, chef de gare presided over the session.

Following the business session the members were entertained at a very delicious wild duck and goose dinner that had been prepared by Fred Lugsch, past chef de gare. The dinner was prepared by Mrs. Ralph Petet, housekeeper of the club, serving being in the hands of Don Warg and Taylor Cutrell.

## Annual D.A.R. Christmas Party Held Recently

The annual Christmas party of Fontenelle Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held at the home of Mrs. H. L. Gauer with Miss Jessie Robertson, assistant hostess. Devotions were led by Mrs. Etta Gorder. A Christmas quiz and reading, "The Littlest Angel," were also given by Mrs. Gorder. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

## Cass Sheep Club Names Committees; Party Is Held

The Cass County Sheep Club held its November meeting at the home of Carol and Mary Schmidt. All members were present. Committees were appointed and plans were made for the busy year ahead. Delicious refreshments were served during the social hour. The group held its annual Christmas party December 10 at the home of Nancy Siemoneit. Games were played and gifts exchanged. The group had previously drawn names.

Guests at the Christmas party were Gean and Laurel Ann Stoehr and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoehr. Delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at Weldon Stoehr's home in January. Bill Weiss, news reporter

Henry Oldenburg, picked up here by Sheriff Tom Solomon and turned over to Sheriff Kenneth Wiles of Otoe county, was fined \$10 and costs on an insufficient check charge in Otoe county court last Thursday.

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## CALENDAR

Tuesday, Dec. 18—Ladies Aid Society and W. S. W. S. of Mynard Evangelical United Brethren church will hold a special meeting December 18 at the home of Mrs. C. A. Wetenkamp. Mrs. Herman Meisinger will be assistant hostess. The meeting will start promptly at two o'clock with election of officers.

Thursday, Dec. 20—A gift exchange will be held at the Eagle Auxiliary meeting December 20. The meeting will be held at Eagle Hall.

## BIRTHS

Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brant of Omaha are the parents of a daughter born Friday night, December 14, 1951, at St. Joseph hospital in Omaha. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dieter of Plattsmouth.

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## American Legion And Auxiliary To Have Party Tonight

EAGLE (Special) — The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion house Wednesday evening, December 5 with 17 members present.

A very interesting legislative report was given by the legislative chairman, Mrs. Hallie Stewart.

The Auxiliary placed an order for four hundred poppies to be sold around Memorial day.

Four Tarlton men were sent to the Veterans hospital, also two gifts for the "Yanks Who Gave."

A Christmas party was planned for the Legion and Auxiliary members and their families, to be held at the Legion house Monday night, December 17. Every family is to bring a covered dish, sandwiches, and a dessert, also a gift for the grab bag. Supper will be served at 6:30.

The Cass county convention was held at Greenwood on November 23. Those attending from the Eagle unit were Evelyn Ransford, county chairman; Mildred Trumble, county secretary and treasurer; Florence Trumble, Hallie Stewart, Lerna Doeden and Hazel Porter.

At the close of the meeting the Legion members joined the Auxiliary for a delicious lunch served by the hostesses, Nora Kettelhut and Belle May.

The next meeting will be January 2 with Ida Muench and Hazel Porter as hostesses.

## Californian To Spend Christmas At Plattsmouth

Mrs. J. Bertram Black, formerly Mrs. Margaret McClanahan of Orange, Calif., arrived in Plattsmouth Friday night for a visit with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Alan McClanahan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClanahan and family.

Her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Kling and Jackie of New York City, and son, George McClanahan and family of Denver, Colorado, will arrive later for the Christmas holidays.

## VFW And Auxiliary Enjoy Yuletide Party Here Sunday

The Lepert-Wolever Post and Auxiliary held their Christmas party Sunday evening at the V. F. W. clubrooms. A good crowd was reported despite the cold weather.

A covered dish dinner was served at 6 o'clock. Santa Claus arrived later with gifts and candy for the children. An exchange of gifts was held for the post and Auxiliary members present. Games were played and prizes awarded.

The door prize was won by Lucille Essart McClain. The children were entertained at games and with books. Lucille McClain was in charge of the children's program.

A film of the V. F. W. home for widows and orphans at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, was shown by Edgar Kief. Mildred Hall was chairman of the Christmas party. Assisting were Julia March, Ruth Southworth, Sophia Wolever, Margaret Covert, Maxine Bowman, Margaret Fitch, Shirley Mayab and Lucille McClain.

## Personals

Mrs. Elizabeth Ptacek arrived Sunday from Chicago to visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Yelick and granddaughter, Annie.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Allen and family are Mr. and Mrs. Malden Allen of Moorcroft, Wyoming. Malden Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Allen.

Corporal Raymond Hild, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hild, Sr., arrived here from Las Vegas, Nevada, on a 20-day furlough. He will spend the Christmas holiday season here. He is to report to Washington, D. C., for assignment at the end of his leave.

Mrs. Elsie McClintock left Sunday morning for Alexandria, Virginia, to visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott. She plans to be gone three weeks.

James Yelick, Sr., was admitted to Methodist hospital at Omaha Tuesday for treatment. He is now recuperating at his home here.

Miss Carol Sylvester was another of the Plattsmouth young folk performing at a recent meeting of Eagles Auxiliary. The unit failed to report her name when the complete program was announced.

## Elmwood

Misses Lillie Muenchau and Viola Bornemeier and Ed Bornemeier were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bornemeier.

## Marshall Named National Director

Chas. Marshall was in attendance at the 33rd annual Farm Bureau Federation convention in Chicago this week. While there he was honored by being elected as director of the national organization from the Midwest region. Another Nebraskan, Mrs. Haver Smith of Chappell, was elected regional director of Farm Bureau Associated Women.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders and children, Gene and Jennie, have taken an apartment at the Douglas home. They are from Auburn and he is a construction worker.

Howard A. Pool of Elmwood attended the annual meeting of International Crop Improvement Association held the first week of December in the Hotel President, Kansas City, Mo. Most of the 48 states and Canada were represented.

Mrs. Nettie Mendenhall spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Diller with her daughter, Fern, and family. On Tuesday evening she attended the senior class play in which her grandson, Russell Hewitt had a part.

## P.N.G. Meets Here Thursday

A nice gathering of ladies of the P. N. G. group was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ola Hayes, with Mrs. Lucy Lyle as assistant hostess. The occasion was the annual Christmas party and there was a gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pool, George and Linda, spent the week end at McCook on a combination business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bornemeier are now Elmwood citizens. They recently moved into their recently remodeled home, the former Boyles property.

The members of the Eastern Star Kensington enjoyed a Christmas party and gift exchange at their hall on Wednesday.

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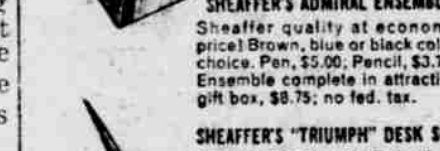
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