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Couple Celebrates Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

WEeping WATER (Special).— Fifty friends called on Mr. and Mrs. Peter Olsen Sunday afternoon to help them celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

A large, beautiful bouquet of flowers was given to the Olsens from the Danish Ladies Aid and this was used as the centerpiece. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Akeson gave them a beautiful bouquet of yellow jonquils and this was placed on the table with the guest book. White candles with yellow bows were placed on each side of the centerpiece. Virginia Lauritzen was in charge of the guest book.

White cake with gold icing, ice cream, yellow and white mints and coffee were served to the guests.

Miss Evelyn Lauritzen greeted the guests at the door and invited them to the dining room. Mrs. Richard Harmon of Lincoln was in charge of the dining room.

Mrs. Fred Klepser, niece of Mr. Olsen, served the cake and Hannah Smith, niece of Mrs. Olsen, served the coffee. Mrs. Rasmus Lauritzen, Sr., and Mrs. Richard Lauritzen each baked a cake for this happy couple.

Mrs. Ben Olive, Mrs. Gladys Akeson and Mrs. Rasmus Lauritzen, Sr., helped in the kitchen.

Mrs. Rasmus Lauritzen, Jr. is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olsen. Mr. and Mrs. Olsen have five grandchildren and one great-grandchild, David Lauritzen.

Mr. and Mrs. Olsen were married in Omaha March 6, 1903. They came to Weeping Water the same day and began farming on the farm now occupied by Paul and Rosie Gerard.

Pictures were taken of the four generations and other pictures were taken of the happy couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Friest Are Surprised On Silver Anniversary

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Friest, members of the Plattsmouth public schools faculty club and the board of education and their wives, held a surprise anniversary celebration Sunday in observance of the Friests' 25th wedding anniversary, which they observed a week earlier.

A lace covered table centered with pink and silver carnations was the setting for refreshments from which Mrs. A. W. Huebner and Mrs. William Floyd served. Cookies, pink, yellow and green mints, nuts, coffee and tea were served.

The surprise celebration was conducted from 2 to 4 p. m. on Sunday afternoon.

Arrangements were made by the faculty club.

A Classified Ad in the Journal costs as little as 35 cents.

Engagement Of Margaret Gaines Is Announced



Miss Margaret Gaines

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaines announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret, to John D. Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Bradley of Murray, Iowa.

Mrs. Newton Sullivan, supervisor of District No. 5, Order of Eastern Star, left Tuesday for Wymore, Burchard, Liberty and Barneston, where she will supervise schools of instruction.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Back on Sunday was Miss Bernice Elliott of Omaha, sister of Mrs. Back.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shellenbarger and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biegener were guests at the Bernard Dow home in Lincoln on Sunday.

Dinner guests at the John O'Hare home Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bell of Omaha.

The Henry Royer family which has moved to Talmage, was honored before leaving by the Cottonwood school district at a farewell party. The Royers were presented a gift by their friends.

Mrs. James Bulin is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schaffer and children at Ames, Iowa.

Visiting in Cook, Nebraska, on Sunday were Mrs. John Alexen, Andy Alexen, Mrs. Betty Seeba and son, Terry.

Mrs. Joe Benegar of Otoe, a sister; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fisher of Omaha, grandchild; and Mrs. Albert Bruns of Murray, a daughter of Ira Parker, have been here to visit Mr. Parker who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nickels, Ronald and Joy Ann, Mr. Francis Olson and two sons, returned home Tuesday night from Washington, Iowa, where they had gone to see Mr. Olson, who is a hospital patient there.

Mrs. I. N. Rex, mother of Mrs. James Begley, has returned to her home in Columbus after spending a few days at the Begley home.

Newcomers to Plattsmouth are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Friedrichsen of Lincoln. Mr. Friedrichsen is now affiliated with the Allied Chemical & Dye company. He was formerly employed by a Lincoln bank and Mrs. Friedrichsen was employed by the Lincoln Telephone company. They are residing in the Herold apartments.

Mrs. T. E. Olson, who has been sick for several weeks, is able to be up part time now.

Talk of the Town

Charles Spangler, polo player with the air force in Columbus, Indiana, is enjoying a 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutz, Sr., and with other relatives and friends.

Guest of her brother, Earl Amick, and with Mrs. Frank Hunt at Weeping Water on Saturday was Mrs. Minerva Coolman.

Returning home Tuesday from a two-week vacation trip through the South, which included stops at New Orleans, Pensacola, Natchez and other points of interest were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peck and Ricky.

George Smith returned home Saturday night from a business trip to Kansas City and Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Krings and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wurga were Omaha visitors Saturday evening.

Mrs. Charles Jancek, state president of the Eagles Auxiliary, returned home Wednesday evening on the Eagle from Kansas City, Mo., where she attended to business in connection with the State Eagle Auxiliary.

In Newman Grove on business Tuesday was F. I. Rea, manager of the Consumers Public Power District office at Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carr and Johnnie and Mrs. James Yelick, Sr., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr and family in Omaha Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Seybold attended the all-day meeting of ministers and their wives from Ogoe, Cass and Nemaha counties at the Rev. Brueggemann home in Nebraska City Tuesday.

Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ossenkop of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jancek attended a meeting of the Eagles Auxiliary at Lexington on Saturday.

Second Lieutenant Fred W. Howland, Jr., who has been at Pusan, Korea, for a ten-day leave, and other assignments, has returned to his base. His new address is Lt. Howland, 0-210 3203, PW Service Unit No. 7, 8163 Rd AU, APO 59, care of PM, San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. Zulemma Dye departed Sunday for Jackson and McCombe, Mississippi, where she is visiting with her mother, Mrs. H. T. Cardwell and with other relatives. En route she stopped at Murphysboro, Ill., where she visited at the home of a brother, H. T. Cardwell and family.

George Forbes and family of Costa, Mesa, California, have returned to Plattsmouth and will remain here indefinitely.

Mrs. Lucille Horn Gaines and Mrs. LaVetta Baumgart and Judy were in Fremont on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutz, Sr., entertained at a dinner Sunday, honoring their son, Henry, and Arthur Hull and John Beins, all of whom are home on leave from the service.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Doty and children of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lutz and Marilyn; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kinicki of Omaha, John Baburek, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutz and family.

Couples Honored Sunday At Louis Wagner Home

Honoring newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Baumgart, and to observe the 17th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner entertained at their home Sunday.

Present besides the honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baumgart and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and family of Plattsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. August Brethore and family of Syracuse; Mrs. LaVetta Baumgart and Judy and Miss Thyra Baumgart.

Arrangements of pink and white gladioli, snapdragons, fernery and tapers of seven branched candelabra decorated the altar of the Trinity Lutheran church of Murdock as Miss Amanda Ahrensmeier of Murdock became the bride of Lloyd Jones, son of Mrs. W. A. Jones and the late William A. Jones of Ashland, Nebraska.

Rev. Philip Ulmer, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church read the lines of the double ring ceremony at 8 p. m., February 22nd in the presence of a large group of relatives and friends.

Soft nuptial music was provided by Mrs. Raymond Mathis who presided at the organ. Miss Pearl Bishop of Lincoln sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Because". Candle lighters were Miss Marilyn Scoville of Lincoln and Miss Darlene Timm of Ashland, both were robed in white. Miss Ruth Ahrensmeier, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Her gown was of pink nylon net over taffeta. The dress was a strapless fitted bodice, a nylon net stole and frills of nylon net fashioned the neckline set off with a corsage of pink roses. The skirt was gathered full with frills forming scallops set off with pink roses. She wore a coronet of pink nylon trimmed with rhinestones. She carried a bouquet of pink roses with green ribbon.

Bridesmaids were Miss Mary Ann Gakemeier of Murdock and Miss Charlotte Mumm of Omaha. They wore green gowns and coronets identical to the maid of honor and carried bouquets of pink roses with pink ribbon.

Kathy Lee Bornmann, niece of the groom, gowned identical as the bridesmaids, was flower girl and carried a white satin basket and pink rose petals.

Gary Bornmeier was ring bearer. He wore a white linen jacket and dark trousers.

Given in marriage by Mr. August Gakemeier, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin, featuring a fitted bodice and long pointed sleeves closed with tiny satin buttons. The full skirt formed a fan shaped panel outlined in Chantilly lace that extended into a cathedral train. The circular veil of nylon fell from a tara of seed pearls. The bride wore a two strand pearl necklace, a gift of the groom and carried a bouquet of red roses.

Glyde Jones served his brother as best man. Ushers were Clinton and John Jones, brothers of the groom.

Mrs. W. A. Jones, mother of the groom, wore a tan suit and

Called here by the serious illness of Fred Spangler are his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spangler and daughter of Fremont.

Calling on friends in Louisville Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hilfiker.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meisinger Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Meisinger of Weeping Water.

Ira Parker is reported somewhat improved after suffering a stroke Monday morning at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smoak.

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Election Of Officers, Style Show And Banquet Feature Women's Club Meeting

Election of officers, discussion of the spring banquet, reports of committees and an art exhibit program were features of the Junior Woman's Club meeting held Monday night at the home of Mrs. Carl Christwiser.

New officers are Mrs. Howard Ruback, president; Mrs. Orville Julian, vice president; Mrs. George Mayabb, secretary; and Mrs. Ralph Cognac, treasurer.

The club extended its thanks to outgoing president, Mrs. John O'Hare, who presided at the session.

Mrs. O'Hare opened the meeting by reading a poem, "You Tell On Yourself" and the club collect was repeated in unison. Roll call was answered by each member naming her hobby.

Special guest at the meeting was First District President, Mrs. L. B. Dalton. Mrs. Dalton spoke briefly and commended the Juniors on their club work.

Discussion of the annual banquet was held, however, final plans were postponed until the April meeting. Reports by Mrs. Margaret Weaver, Mrs. Dorothy Hutton and Mrs. Faye Ruback were given.

Mrs. Ruback thanked all members for their cooperation and help with the smorgasbord and Mrs. O'Hare extended her thanks to the group for assistance in the March of Dimes drive. Club members voted to send a donation to the Nursing fund and the music fund.

Tentative plans for the style show to be sponsored by the club were outlined by Mrs. Don



Elected to head the Plattsmouth Junior Woman's Club during the coming year is Mrs. Howard Ruback, center. On her right is Mrs. Geo. Mayabb, secretary; and on her left, Mrs. Orville Julian, vice president. At far left is Mrs. Orville Nielsen, district Junior Woman's Club chairman; while at the extreme right is Mrs. L. B. Dalton, 1st district president of Woman's Club.—Christwiser Photo.

Warga, style show chairman. A graduate of California school of fine arts, Mr. Bell also attended the University of Maternity in New Zealand.

He outlined the traveling art exhibit that is at the present time in possession of the Plattsmouth Junior Woman's Club. He gave a brief history of the author, background and his own version of each picture. Mrs. Bell was also a guest of the club.

Hostesses were Mrs. Don Cotner, Mrs. Don Wall, Mrs. Orville Nielsen, Mrs. Leland McNulty and Mrs. Alden Nelson.

Thomas Carneal has been sick for the past week at his home here.

Local Women At Association Meet At Lincoln Church

Ten members of the Woman's Association of the Presbyterian church attended a luncheon of the Woman's Association of the Second Presbyterian church in Lincoln Wednesday.

Miss Dorothy Foster, guest speaker, is a field secretary of the department of women's work of the board of National Mission of the Presbyterian church and a graduate of Mission School and College. She spoke on the needs and accomplishments of such enterprises.

Mrs. W. V. Pery of Plattsmouth will accompany Miss Foster, who is scheduled to speak to several Women's groups of the Nebraska City Presbyterian Society.

In addition to the luncheon at Lincoln, she is scheduled to speak at the Lincoln Fourth Presbyterian church and also at Fairbury, Beatrice and Auburn.

Cullom Merry Maidens Meet

Cullom Merry Maidens 4-H club met at the home of Patty Todd on February 23 with all members present.

Club members tried on their dresses and leaders helped them fit them. Leaders also gave members pointers and helped them to correct their mistakes. They also assisted the girls in filling out record books.

After the meeting, a song fest was held and delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Todd and Patty.

Merna Peteret, news reporter.

Institute for Church School Teachers Planned

An institute for training persons who will conduct Vacation Church Schools during the summer will be held at Louisville Methodist church on March 20. It will be one of 20 such institutes which will be held during the week by 10 Protestant denominations. Sixteen leaders in Christian education from eight different denominations will compose teams which will tour the state and conduct the meetings.

Sessions will begin at 9 a. m. and close at 4 p. m. The program will include discussions of

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