

# Talk of the Town

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson entertained at a birthday dinner Sunday honoring their son, Bernard. Present to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Jackson and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson and Denay Dale of Bellevue, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jackson and two daughters, Suz Pondis, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson.

The marriage of Miss Diana Rose Lushinsky, daughter of Mr. Otto Lushinsky of Omaha, to Dick M. Eller, will be an event of April 5 at the Ralston Community church at Ralston.

Mrs. Flossie Redd left Friday for Lincoln for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, Sharon, and Mrs. Jack Ledgway.

Guests at the Roy Aylor home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Eppley and daughter of Tecumseh, and Mrs. Harm Rademacher of Johnson.

Returning to her home Thursday was Mrs. Ed S. Tutt, who has been visiting with relatives and friends at Kansas City, Mo., for the past two months.

Mrs. Wayne Fitch of Omaha has been a guest of relatives here the past week.

Another first was chalked up this week by Mrs. Clement Woster. Mrs. Woster reported seeing the first fly of 1953 on March 13th.

Mrs. Joseph Libershal left Saturday morning for Downers Grove, Illinois, where she will visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Noble and children.

John Johnson of Minneapolis, Minn., is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson, and with his brother, Elwood.

J. J. Lohnes, who resides at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Womack, became quite ill last Tuesday night and has been bedfast since. He is reportedly slightly improved, however.

Mr. W. H. Lohnes of Cedar Creek and his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Schroder, were in Plattsmouth Friday to visit with his brother, J. J. Lohnes, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Morrison were week end guests of his father, Herbert Morrison, Sr., at Burchard, Nebraska.

Visiting with his father, J. J. Lohnes, who has been ill, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lohnes.

Miss Dorothy Foster, field secretary of National Missions Dept. of Women's work in Presbyterian churches, has been a guest at the V. F. Perry home. Mrs. Foster has had five speaking engagements in this area. She was accompanied by Mrs. Perry. She left Saturday to return to her home.

Guest for the past several days at the E. H. Wescott home was Mrs. Mae S. Morgan of Beatrice.

Mrs. J. W. Tritsch spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kraeger.

Mrs. Fred D. Richardson, who was called here by the illness and death of her father, Miles M. Allen, returned Saturday to her home in Los Angeles, California.

The program department committee of the Presbyterian church were guests at the V. W. Perry home Friday evening where they heard an interesting address by Miss Dorothy Foster, field secretary of the National Missions of Presbyterian churches.

Mrs. Frank Hart, wife of Captain Hart, is a patient at Immanuel hospital. Mrs. Hart underwent surgery today, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thiele were week end guests at the Weldon Switzer home at Nehawka.

Visiting with friends and relatives here Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilman of Nebraska City.

Returning to her home here Sunday after undergoing surgery at a Washington, Iowa, hospital a week ago, was Mrs. Francis Olson.

Mrs. Henry LaMoy of Grand Junction, Colorado, and Mrs. John Welland of Piedmont, S. D., are guests at the W. H. Coffelt home. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Coffelt. They are also visiting at the Clarence Akeson and Roy Clark homes.

Week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Woster were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Coen and Sherrie of Maryville, Mo.

Mrs. Claude Mayabb entered Clarkson hospital Friday for observation and treatment. Mrs. Mayabb is in room 323.

Week end guests in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson at Lincoln was Virginia Demare. Dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reade and Bobby. Mrs. Olson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reade.

Mrs. William Sprandel is ill at her home.

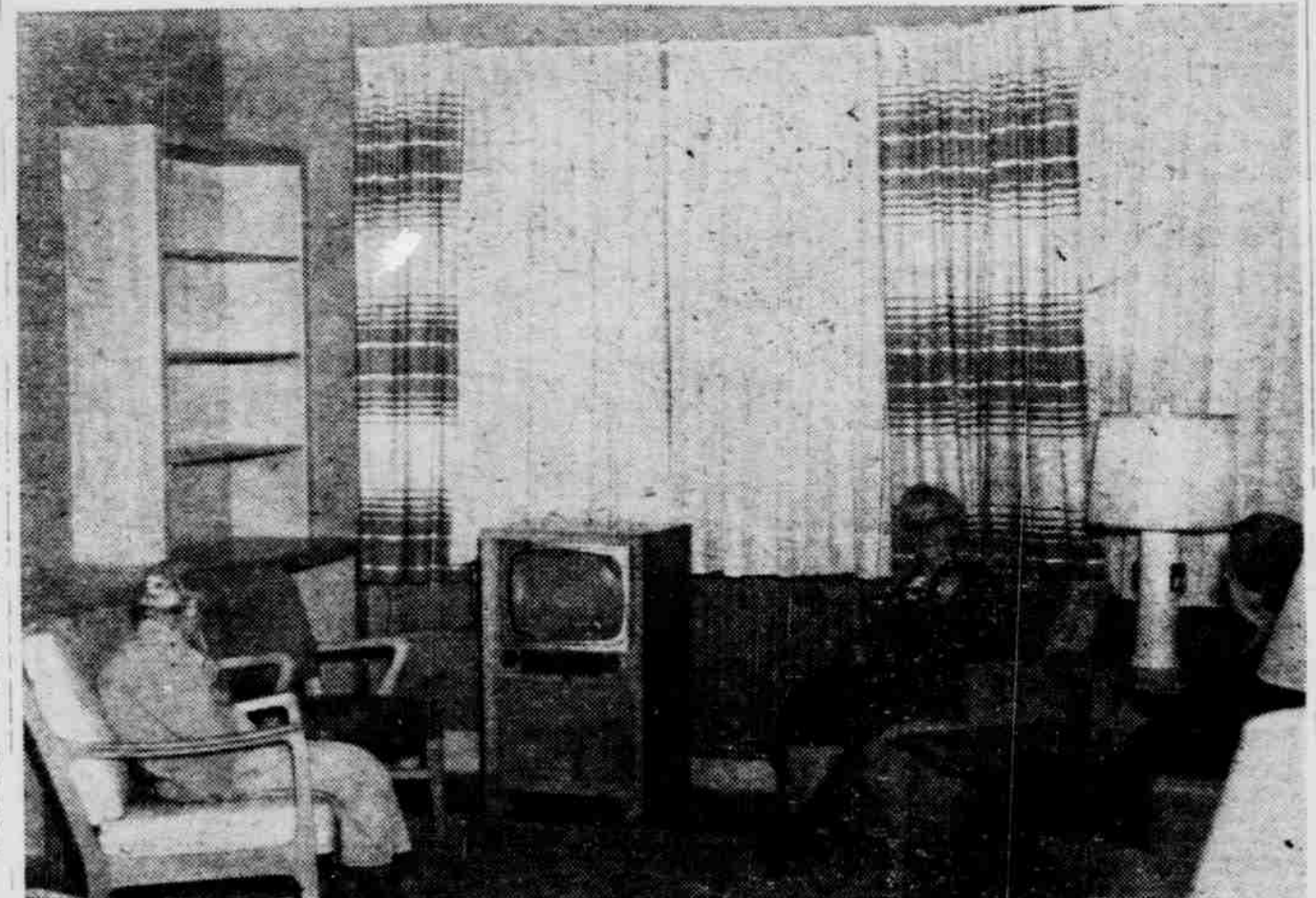
Mrs. C. E. Burbridge of Bellevue was a visitor at the home of Mrs. William Kraeger Thursday.

Dick Huebner, student at the University of Nebraska, was a week end guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Huebner. Dick left today, Monday, with the ROTC band on a week's tour of the western part of the state.

Mrs. LaVetta Baumgart and Judy entertained at a waffle supper Friday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baumgart, Jr. Also present was Miss Thyra Baumgart.

George Downs of Omaha was here Tuesday visiting with friends.

## Activities Varied In Solarium



Three Masonic Home residents enjoy the comforts of the "solarium" in the new wings of the home, even before they officially move in. Here two of the ladies are visiting while another views television. Note the large bookcases and the fine room decorations.—Journal Photo.

### Activities Room In New Building Are Numerous

Reading, viewing television, playing cards, writing, sunbathing or just plain visiting are answers to the recreation problems at the Masonic Home at Plattsmouth.

And with the new addition, chapters of the Order of Eastern Star have provided spacious "solariums" for these recreational activities.

The solariums, furnished in the modern pattern carried out throughout the new addition are located at the extremities of each new wing of the home and on each of the residential floors.

Designed for comfort and relaxation, the large rooms provide facilities for each of the above mentioned activities. Their location with frontage to the south, enable provision of sun rays throughout the day. The rooms are never shut off from sunlight.

Massive built in book cases in natural finish like that of the furnishings, television sets in each wing, provisions for writing and for other recreational activities give Masonic Home residents a variety of activities in which to spend their free hours.

The large rectangular rooms have spacious seating accommodations, good lighting facilities in addition to the direct sunlight, card tables, writing desks and home style comfort carpeted floors and acoustic tile ceilings make it possible for residents to enjoy a variety of activities at one time without disturbing others.

As throughout the home, modern decorations enhance the comfort and pleasure which all residents will enjoy.

### Fay Smalley With First Cavalry Division in Japan

Army Pvt. Fay J. Smalley, son of Oscar F. Smalley, Plattsmouth, has joined the 1st Cavalry Division in Japan.

During rigorous field maneuvers, men in the division are gaining battle knowledge with the help of many veterans of the Korean fighting.

The 1st Cavalry spent 17 months in combat before being rotated out of the line in December, 1951. It is now part of the security force for the Japanese Islands.

Pvt. Smalley, a rifleman with his unit, was formerly assigned to the 7th Armored Division at Camp Roberts, Calif.

He was employed by the Farm Fertilizer Co., Inc. in Omaha before entering the Army last September.

### Easter Seal Sale Will Close in Three More Weeks

The 1953 Easter seal sale of the Nebraska Society for Crippled Children opened Thursday, April 5. The fund raising effort for handicapped little ones is nationwide.

These bright-colored stamps flooding Nebraska homes and offices provided remedial aid to 1,091 stricken children in this state alone, last year.

"This year, we need increased funds to serve a larger number and to extend our effort to new needs," said Oscar D. Mardis of Omaha, state president.

The Easter seal society listed aid in speech, occupational and physical therapy to 132 cases of cerebral palsy; 34 other orthopedic cases and 264 speech defectives. Audiometric tests were made for 650 children who are hard of hearing.

New school facilities for pre-school age children, "slow learners" and those with speech and hearing handicaps whose training should begin at an early age, are crying needs, according to President Mardis.

He cited a survey made by the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, which listed 7,100 crippled young people under 21 and 33,000 speech handicapped in this state alone.

"Nebraska's per capita facilities for these handicapped rank very low, according to several authorities," Mr. Mardis reported.

### Local Musicians To Participate in Bellevue Clinic

Next Thursday night at 8 p. m. the results of the day-long preparations of the Bellevue Music Clinic will be on display. Students from four conference schools will assemble for a strenuous day of rehearsal and fun to be directed by Quinn Lot-splisch, former director of music at Peru State College.

In addition to the chorus numbers on this program, each school has been asked to provide one number from one of its small groups. Plattsmouth will be represented by the boys octet. The entire octet will not be able to appear however as a schedule conflict will not permit some of the chorus members to attend.

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### GLENDALE Mrs. Thomas Tennant Phone 3210 Louisville

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ahl were dinner guests at the Clyde Ahl home Sunday. Other guests were Mr. C. Hotz of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodman of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Steinkamp spent the week end with Mrs. Ed Steinkamp near Weeping Water. They all went to Lincoln to visit Mr. Steinkamp, in the Veterans' hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Meisinger were supper guests at the Harold Ahl home Wednesday. Mrs. Elwood Heilig moved from Omaha to Louisville Wednesday, as Mr. Heilig has been transferred to South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hennings called at the Harold Ahl home Thursday evening. Mrs. Willis Rhoder and children, Kearney, are visiting at the Elmer Johnson home. Mr. and Mrs. Rhoder came to Weeping Water Saturday, to visit at the Virgil Rhoder home. Willis returned to Kearney Sunday.

Miss Daisy Schlater, who has been ill for some time, was taken to the Christenson home in Weeping Water Wednesday.

Mrs. Melvin Reed planned a surprise party honoring her father, Tom Tennant on his birthday Wednesday evening. Pinochle and TV were the entertainment of the evening.

Mrs. Ritter and Mrs. Tennant won high score, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Steinkamp won low.

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### Four Local Groups In Campfire and Bluebirds Active

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Judy Lutz, Patty Konrath, Jane Woodruff, Peggy Moore, Nanette Cognac, Jane Fauquet, Marjorie Brittain, Ruth L. Mann and Barbara Kriz, Chicago Campfire Girls  
Mrs. Verne Hutton, leader, Mrs. Francis Casey, assistant—Marlene Sitzman, Patty Liddick, Janice Hudson, Roberta and Carol Dreamer, Raelen Campbell, Sharon Daniels, Nancy Hinz, Noveta Humiston, Joan Steinbach, Lura Davenport, Margaret England, Sharon Haecke and Kay Casey.

Bluebirds—Mrs. Harold Lancaster, leader—Kay Brittain, Linda Brittain, Carol Dasher, Patty Haley, Nancy Konrath, Judy Lancaster, Suzan Lebens, Linda McGraw, Pamela Muhr, Judy Simon and Martha Winters.

This year the National Birthday project is particularly timely. The project is "Down to Earth" and deals with conservation, a topic well understood at Plattsmouth. The national convention of Campfire Girls will be held in Omaha in April.

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Guest of honor at a birthday Sunday was Mrs. Albert Murray, who was entertained at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Meisinger and family.

Sunday visitors at the Walter Rhodes and Jack Reno homes were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Rhoades and Donna and Laurence Rhodes of Council Bluffs. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rhodes, Mrs. Cora Danielson, Miss Phyllis Rhodes and Charles Maurer of Shenandoah.

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the clinic. On that same day the district speech and dramatic contest is being held in Peru.

Transportation arrangements have not been completed as yet but it is hoped that parents of those participating will be able to provide the necessary number of cars. Any other persons who could possibly take a load of students next Thursday morning at 8:30 please contact Mr. McKenney at the high school. It is hoped that there will be enough parents attending the concert that the transportation problems on the return trip will be taken care of.

Students participating in the Bellevue Music Clinic are:  
Shirley Strough, Barbara Myers, Janet Kalasek, Nancy Painter, Anita Spidell, Bette Speck, Phyllis Reicke, Nancy Land, Eileen Wiyzel, Sharon Kneer, Joann Koubek, Minnie Frazer, Margaret Eiting, Pat Mason, Carolyn Robison, Carolyn Larsen, Deanna Hutton, Beverly Harris, Gail Peterson, Evelyn Henry, Mary McCarthy, Shirley Glaze, Rose Read, Shirley Stov, Joan Egenberger, Jeanine Newton, Brenda Ofe, Sally Quinnett, Margaret To-man, Janet Wiles, Jackie Reno, Joyce Piper, Bette Janacek, Janis Caldwell, Elna Bomberg, Pat Hull, Margaret Gaines, Jo Non Albin, Dick Glaze, Dan Huebner, Stuart Nielsen, Jerome Shellen-

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