

### Mrs. Helen Vroman Elected Chapeau to 8 & 40 Salon

Election of officers, plus electing delegates to the pouvoir meeting at Omaha marked the business meeting of the 8 & 40 Salon Marche held Monday night at the 40 & 8 club.

Mrs. Helen Vroman was elected la Petit chapeau succeeding Mrs. Vera Wurga, who conducted the business meeting.

Other new officers are Mrs. Minnie Schiber, le demi petit chapeau; Mrs. Marguerite Feldhausen, le demi petit chapeau; Mrs. Alpha Muncie, la petite secrétaire-cassiere; Mrs. Mary Gobelman, l'archiviste; Mrs. Mary Nelson, l'aumonier; Mrs. Ethel Zastera, la concierge; Miss Mildred Hall, la surintendante.

Delegates elected to attend the pouvoir to be held in Omaha on July 31 are Mrs. Helen Vroman, Mrs. Alpha Muncie, Mrs. Sophia Wolever, Mrs. Mary Gobelman and Mrs. Vera Wurga. Alternates are Mrs. Minnie Schiber, Mrs. Ethel Zastera, Mrs. Marguerite Feldhausen and Mrs. Mary Nelson.

Installation of the new officers will be held at the July meeting with Mrs. Sophia Wolever as installing officer. Mrs. Marguerite Feldhausen and Mrs. Helen Vroman were named to

the entertainment committee for July.

Reports were given on the bloodmobile unit visit here recently in which members assisted. Plans and discussions for the year were disclosed with committees to be appointed.

Retiring of colors adjourned the meeting and refreshments were served by Mrs. Muncie.

### Family Picnic Is Held Honoring Two On Birthdays

A family picnic was held at Riverview Park at Nebraska City Sunday honoring the birthdays of Mrs. E. A. Cadwell and Delbert Cadwell.

Attending the picnic were Mrs. E. A. Cadwell and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wurga, Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Perry, Mrs. Clara Sutton, all of Plattsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cadwell and family of Bellevue; Mr. and Mrs. Robert James, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby James and two children, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eaton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Scharp and family of Nebraska City.

### Junior Women Plan Picnic

Executive members of the Plattsmouth Junior Woman's Club met Wednesday evening for a short business meeting at the home of Mrs. Marge Amato, president.

Plans were completed for a family picnic to be held at Merritt's Beach on August 5, and a discussion on activities for the year were considered. Committees will be appointed by Mrs. Amato at a later date.

No meetings are held during the summer months by the club, which will reopen regular meetings at a membership tea in September.

### Cherub Choir Honors Two

Cherub Choir of the Methodist church met Wednesday evening for their regular rehearsal, which was followed by a picnic at the park honoring Michael Becker and Carol Conner, who are leaving the city in the near future.

Games were played and a sack lunch enjoyed. Miss Carol Dev is directed the choir and Mrs. Grant is sponsor of the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Darl B. Ashbaugh entertained at supper Sunday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lohnes and family of St. Louis. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Arn and sons.

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### Mrs. Hitt Has Many Recent House Guests

Mrs. E. A. Hitt has been very busy the past few weeks entertaining guests in her home. Her grandsons, Corporal Donald Grassman and Mrs. Grassman were here from Phoenix, Arizona, and were followed by Mrs. Hitt's son, Charles F. Hitt and family from Lucasville, Ohio. A daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Gambien of Berkeley, Calif., arrived to spend the summer while the son was yet here.

Tuesday morning, the Reverend Richard D. Hitt arrived to spend a few days with his grandmother. He had been ordained as a Presbyterian minister at Lincoln Sunday evening and will be pastor of the Presbyterian church in Corona, New Mexico starting July 1.

Mrs. Hitt and daughter are leaving Saturday for Fort Worth, Texas to visit the Howard McGrath family. Mrs. McGrath is the former Frances Gambien.

### Masonic Home News

Mrs. Geneva Reichenbach, Mrs. Mabel Tipton, Mrs. Dora Kiser of Nebraska City, Neb., visited Mrs. Mary Person on Sunday and toured the Home.

Miss Jessie Royce returned from Omaha where she visited her nieces, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Mallory.

Mrs. Wm. Small and son-in-law, Kenneth Burch, of Merna, Neb., were calling on Mrs. Della Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Lowther and daughter of Waseca, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huetig and Blanche Lowther of Belden, Neb., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lowther recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Conklin of Oswego, Illinois, were here to visit Mrs. Maude Calvert and took her out for a car ride and dinner.

Miss Verna Leonard, Librarian, was at the Home with her usual good reading material and books for the residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hedges of Fairbury, Neb., called on James Haverfield and visited the Home on Monday.

Mrs. Bess Stephens returned from Indianola, Iowa, where she spent a few days at the home of her son, Steward Stephens.

Miss Christine Erickson of Lincoln, Neb., called on Mrs. Blanche Strickler Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hannah, Miss Christine Erickson of Lincoln, Neb., came down Tuesday to help Mrs. Morton's father, A. E. McNeil, celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Elvira Savage was a passenger to Omaha Wednesday. Birthdays the past week were Mrs. Libbie Menary, 89; A. E. McNeil, 86.

### Convention Delegates Are Elected by Legion Auxiliary

Yearly reports were given by all committees of the American Legion Auxiliary Thursday night as the unit closed its year's activity at its monthly meeting.

Minutes later new officers of the unit were installed and will head the organization during the coming twelve months.

Mrs. Sophia Wolever, past president, conducted the Thursday evening meeting at the 40 & 8 club, at which a report of an audit was given by Mrs. Wm. Wolecott and Miss Mildred Hall.

Miss Mildred Hall and Mrs. Joe Zastera reported that 119 points of blood were received during the bloodmobile visit here. It was the second largest donation from Plattsmouth. Thanks were extended to unit members and individuals for their participation.

Announcement was made that Carol Robinson, girl stater, will give a report of her week at Girls State during the July meeting, and also that a publishing company is renewing subscriptions here from which percentage goes to the American Legion Auxiliary.

Unit members were asked to send cards to Lillian Livingston, who is hospitalized, and a book, "The Book of Costume," has been presented to the public library.

Delegates and alternates were elected to attend the 34th annual convention in Omaha, August 1-3.

Delegates are Miss Ida Fation, Mrs. Vera Wurga, Mrs. Sophia Wolever, Mrs. Helen Wolecott, Mrs. Ruth Krings, Mrs. Betty Jo Nielsen and Miss Mildred Hall. Alternates are Mrs. Emma McClure, Mrs. Margaret Fitch, Mrs. Mae Favors, Mrs. Minnie Schiber, Mrs. Verna Perry, Mrs. Dorothy McMillan and Mrs. Catherine Sikora.

Installation of new officers was conducted by Mrs. Harry Gobelman, county president. New officers are Ida Patton, president; Emma McClure, vice president; Vera Wurga, secretary; Wilma Hennings, treasurer; Margaret Coyert, chaplain; Ruth Krings, sergeant at arms; Betty Morehead, color bearer; Hettie Larson, historian; Sophia Wolever, Helen Vroman and Verna Perry, executive committee.

A beautiful corsage was presented to Mrs. Gobelman from the unit by Mrs. Wolever, who also presented gifts to all her officers.

At a social period, refreshments were served from a white linen covered table centered with a bowl of pink roses flanked by tall pastel green tapers in pink candelabra. Melon balls, fruit, sherbet, wafers and coffee were served by Hostesses Mrs. Mary Nelson, Mrs. Ann Cane, Mrs. Margaret Fitch, Mrs. Mary Rea and Mrs. Wm. Evers.

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### BIRTHS

Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pratt of Elmwood are the parents of a daughter, Joan Alison, born in Lincoln hospital on Friday, June 25. They have two other children, Janet and Bruce. The mother is the former Frances Arnold.

Son—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Petet of Avoca are the parents of a son born Sunday at St. Mary's hospital at Nebraska City. Mrs. Petet is the former Norma Krull.

Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Appling of Weeping Water are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday, June 29, at St. Mary's hospital at Nebraska City. Mrs. Appling is the former Helen Falk.

Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. Conant Wiles of Murray are the parents of a daughter born Monday, June 28, at the Clarkson hospital in Omaha. Mrs. Wiles is the former Leota Quinnett. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiles of Weeping Water and Mrs. Stella Quinnett of Plattsmouth.

Son—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grell of Louisville are the parents of a 8 pound 12 1/2 ounce son, Larry Lee, born June 23, at an Omaha hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Grell of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck of Louisville.

Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. David Alfrey of Beatrice are the parents of a daughter, Judith Ann, born June 22. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Alfrey of Louisville.

Daughter—Mr. and Mrs. Max Amelang of Louisville are the parents of a daughter born Thursday, June 22. She weighed seven pounds, six ounces and has been named Karen Suzanne.

CHURCHILL'S VISIT  
President Eisenhower has announced that the purpose of Prime Minister Winston Churchill's visit to the White House was to examine relations between the United States and Britain, to maintain the strong link between the two nations and to dispel rumors of a rift.

## WEEPING WATER

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt returned home Tuesday night, June 22, from a two week vacation trip to Dayton, Ohio. On their way out they visit a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Pollard, Jr., at Seymour, Iowa. From there they drove on to Dayton, where they stayed at their son's home. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Hunt and family. They drove around and saw a number of places of interest while in Dayton. On their return trip home they spent another day with their daughter in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wilkinson and daughter, Mary, of Detroit, Michigan, arrived Friday evening to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Wilkinson. Mrs. Wilkinson will keep her granddaughter, while her son and his wife go on to Colorado for a few days. On Sunday, they were all dinner guests of Mrs. Ben Olive and son, Ben.

Donald Ray Ahrens, son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Ahrens, celebrated his fifth birthday on Monday, June 28. Those helping him celebrate were Mrs. Virginia Zalaudek, Betty Lou and Margie, Mrs. Maxine Ahrens, Robin Kay, Penny and Jimmy, David Anderson and Mrs. Earl Murdock. Mrs. Ahrens served ice cream, cake and sandwiches.

Monday, June 21, the Rev. and Mrs. Fred Gardner drove their daughters to Newport, where they will spend the summer with Mr. Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardner. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hebard in Bassett. From there they went on to Grand Island, where Mrs. Gardner took a train to Scottsbluff, where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heimbegner, for a few weeks.

Girl Injured;  
Twin Has Measles

Ann Salestrom, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Salestrom, who was injured last week-end while her father was mowing the lawn, returned home Sunday from Lincoln General hospital, where she has been for the past week. X-rays report no metallic particles in the eye. Mrs. Salestrom reported Monday that she is feeling fine, but must be kept quiet. Ann's twin sister has also had the measles during the past week.

### 34th Annual Rueter Family Reunion Held; 91 Attend

The 34th annual Rueter family reunion was held at Antelope park in Lincoln, Sunday, June 27th. The group was comprised of the two Bornemeier, Rueter, Kunz and Oehlerking families and had 91 in attendance for the 34th reunion.

Families of the four original Rueter sisters, whose marriages added the other names, and the Peter Rueter family formed the gathering.

Though all of the first generation have passed on, many of the second generation were still able to take part in the Sunday reunion, and many served on committees, but major activity in preparing for the event fell onto the third generation.

Committee workers for the event included Renos Kunz, Jerry Bornemeier, Chas. Backemeier, Walter Oehlerking, Jr., Myron Oehlerking, Howard and Mark Bornemeier.

Two marriages during the past two months, Beverly Stolz to Larry Lannin on May 1, and Jerry Bornemeier to Lois Wilson on June 4, were recognized in the family. Three deaths, Berdena Rueter Weiler on August 2, 1953, Emil Bornemeier, Feb. 2, and Mrs. Henry Aehlerking, October 1.

Births noted during the year were a daughter, Jeanne Marie to Joan and Richard Mohler of Maxwell, Ia., in January; a son, Jeffrey, to Velma and Earl Polzin of Syracuse, New York, last December; a daughter to Bernice and Jack Branon on January 4; a son to Merle and Twila Bornemeier last September 24; a daughter, Jane, to Eleanor and Dale Fleischman on August 23; and a son, Harvey, to Willard and Edna Bornemeier last December.

Other special events noted in the family during the year were

the 25th wedding anniversary of George and Alice Bornemeier on June 5.

At the annual reunion, the family elected Lorie Kunz Spohn as chairman for the 1955 gathering. Lester Rosenow was named secretary-treasurer. Wally Richert, Willard Bornemeier and Clarence Rueter were named to the committee. Mrs. Charles Marshall, secretary of the current year discloses.

Early members of the family resided near Murdock, except the Kunz family, while many of the second generation lived near Elmwood, until now the trend has been more toward Elmwood and away from Murdock, however, many of the third generation resided in other parts of the state, while fourth generation members are well scattered throughout the United States. Most still reside in Cass county, however.

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