

Party Attended by Ghosts, Witches, Goblins and Cats

Ghosts, Witches, Hobos, Dancing girls, Cats and Goblins, were in attendance Friday night for the meeting and Halloween party of the Junior-American Legion Auxiliary held at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Sonnia Wolaver.

Julie Chovanec, Junior chairman, presided at the business meeting with a large attendance of membership and three guests, Gail Leach, Ann Iverson and Sally O'Donnell, Regie Kellison, a new member was presented to the group.

Colors were advanced by Sgt. at Arms Sharon Dunlap and color bearer Marcia Lagerstrom pledge of allegiance repeated in unison, followed by singing of the National Anthem.

Chaplain Valerie Gorton, gave the prayer, Joyce McClanahan secretary's report and Janice O'Donnell the treasurer's report.

Committee Chairman reports were heard from Carol Schreiner, Peggy Timm and Nancy Hirz.

Indian stories of character and their effect on American history was the lesson given by Joyce McClanahan, Kathy Curtis, Valerie Gorton and Mary Keeley.

Members were told that dues are payable at this time and that the November meeting will be held at the home of Sharon Dunlap. Members are to bring fruit, canned goods for basket, to be distributed to a needy

family at Thanksgiving. Lesson for November will be "The First Thanksgiving."

Meeting adjourned with the group singing America. Mrs. Vera Warga, co-sponsor of the Juniors and Mrs. Agnes Uhlk served as judges in the Halloween costumes prize awards, with Valerie Gorton, as prettiest; Julie Chovanec the ugliest, and Kathy Curtis, most original.

Joyce McClanahan, Sharon Dunlap and Kathy Curtis in charge of entertainment, presented a number of games appropriate for Halloween with prizes given to Janice O'Donnell, Ann Iverson, Julie Chovanec, Barbara Krings and Joyce McClanahan.

Sponsors presented each member with a favor, and hostess Barbara Krings assisted by Mrs. Ruth Krings, Fred Uhlk, Mrs. Alice McClanahan and Mrs. V. J. Chovanec served individual cakes, hot chocolate, candy and nuts. Halloween theme carried out in decorations and refreshments.

Miss Nutzman Tells Of Her Engagement

AVOCA (Special) — Mrs. John Nutzman announces the engagement and coming marriage of her daughter, Elenor to Merle Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Famous Rodgers, Unadilla. The wedding will be Nov. 2 at First Lutheran church, Avoca. Mr. Rodgers has recently come home from Korea where he spent several months and is spending his furlough with his parents at Unadilla and then will be sent to a base in the states.

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Alice Noell Engaged To Stanley Miller



Alice Noell

Orvel Noell announces the engagement of his daughter, Alice, to Stanley Miller, son of Mrs. Harry Stubbendorf, Unadilla, Nebraska.

They are graduates of the Weeping Water high school.

Mr. Miller is a Navy veteran and now farms at Unadilla.

St. Paul's Circles Met Last Week; Coffee Social Planned

Circles of the St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church met at the church parlors Tuesday evening, Oct. 19.

Circle 1 hostesses were Mrs. Verner Meisinger, Mrs. Leon Meisinger, Mrs. Wm. Starkjohn, Mrs. Leonard Born.

The chairman, Mrs. Verner Kaffenberger, conducted the meeting. Devotions were given by Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, her topic taken from the Guild devotional book.

There were 17 members and 3 visitors present. Mrs. Carl Potoschies received the door prize. The November meeting for all circles will be a covered dish supper with thankoffering in-gathering.

Circle 2 hostesses were Mrs. Katie Kentz, Mrs. Herman Graham and Mrs. Wm. Halmes. The chairman, Freda Stibal, had charge of the meeting and also gave the devotional lesson, assisted by Mrs. Ford Heim. Members present 18, visitors 2.

Mrs. Henry Kaffenberger drew the door prize.

Circle 2 will have the coffee social on Thursday, Oct. 28 at the church parlors.

Circle 3 hostesses were Mrs. Wm. Ofc, Mrs. H. E. Holmes, Mrs. Lorine Urish, Mrs. Darrel Nolte, circle chairman, conducted the meeting.

Mrs. Fred Lugsch presented the devotional message with Mrs. Edgar Meisinger reading the scripture.

Mrs. Helen Meisinger received the door prize. Fourteen members and 3 visitors were present.

Preceding the individual circle meetings a report on the Central Region of the Nebraska Synod meeting was held at St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church in Council Bluffs was given by Mrs. Fritz Kaffenberger, Mrs. Fred Lugsch and Rev. Seybold.

At the conclusion of the business sessions of the circle meetings all joined in the social hour and then participated in enjoying the delicious refreshments which were served by the hostesses.

Spanglers To Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Spangler, Omaha, Nebraska, former residents of this vicinity are driving to Washington, D. C., where Mrs. Spangler will attend the annual Country Woman's Council of U. S. A. meeting, and the National Home Demonstration Council. She and Mr. Spangler will visit the Ivan DeLes Denier home at Findlay, Ohio. Their daughter, Mrs. William Cummings, and granddaughter, Ellen of Severna Park, Maryland, will accompany the Spanglers on the return trip.

Mrs. Bill Diekman Honored Sunday On Anniversary

Mrs. Bill Diekman was pleasantly surprised Sunday when relatives arrived with well-filled baskets, to observe her birthday anniversary.

The dinner was served at noon and remainder of day spent visiting. Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lau of Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Powle, and Charlotte Powle of Lincoln, Miss Mary Ellen Towle of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diekman and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Diekman of Greenwood, Miss Lena Rieck and Mr. and Mrs. John Box of Elmwood, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Diekman and Marlene and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Diekman.

Ladies Attend Workshop Meeting In Lincoln

The fall workshop of the Evangelical and Reformed Omaha Regional Women's Guild was held at St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church in Lincoln on Wednesday, October 20.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Ralph Holland, Indianapolis, Ind., an officer in the United Church Women's organization.

Attending from this city were Mrs. John Parkening, Mrs. Fred Lugsch, Mrs. Mike Kaffenberger, Mrs. Fritz Kaffenberger, Mrs. Louis Naeve and Mrs. Joe J. Stibal.

Daughter — Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cushing of Boise, Idaho, announce the birth of a daughter, Christie Ann, born September 20, 1954. Mrs. Cushing is the former Ruth Westover, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Westover, and a niece of Mrs. H. L. Gamer and Miss Jessie Robertson.

Son — Boy 6 1/2 pounds, Ransom Lee, Omaha Lutheran hospital, Oct. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard O. Cole. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Cinefelter, Omaha and Mrs. Marjorie Cole, Plattsmouth.

Son — To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Meyer, Oct. 22 in St. Mary's hospital, Nebraska City.

Son — To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schroeder, Oct. 24 in Lincoln.

Miss Todd Pledges Wesleyan Sorority

Marilyn Todd is one of the 82 Nebraska Wesleyan University women who recently pledged one of the four sororities represented on the Wesleyan campus.

Miss Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Todd of Greenwood, has pledged Phi Mu. Miss Todd is a sophomore.

Under the Wesleyan system, pledges cannot become active members of an organized group until the completion of one semester of satisfactory scholastic work.

Smetana Family Pre-Anniversary Dinner

A pre-anniversary family dinner was held at the Alois Smetana home Oct. 16, at 7:00 p. m. Those present to enjoy the occasion were all of the children and their families.

It was the first complete family reunion in 25 years.

Smetanas Celebrate 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Alois Smetana observed their 60th wedding anniversary at open house on Sunday, October 17, at their home on 221 North 14th street.

Mrs. Smetana, the former Marie Lehman, and Mr. Smetana were married October 16, 1894, at Frysava Moravia in Czechoslovakia.

They have seven children, Mrs. Elmer Lohnes, Mrs. Blanche Warner, Miss Helen Smetana, Mrs. A. P. Christensen, Mason City, Iowa, Mrs. Frank Dashner, Glenwood, Iowa, Louis Smetana, St. Louis, Missouri, and Joseph Smetana, Sedalia, Missouri. They also have 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Fall bouquets, gifts of friends and relatives were throughout the home.

Red carnations and red roses, centered the dining table. Assisting with the reception were Mrs. Norman Moyer of Omaha, granddaughter, who poured, Mrs. Fred Lugsch served the ice cream, Mrs. L. W. Egenberger the cake.

Marilee Dashner, granddaughter of Glenwood, Iowa, had charge of the guest book.

One hundred and seventy friends and relatives called during the day to honor the couple. Joe Kvapil, Jr., sent a special air mail greeting from his home in Washington, D. C.

Out of town visitors who called during the day were: Mr. and Mrs. Pete Christensen, Harlan, Iowa; Mrs. Richard Evans, Shelby, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fabian, Harlan, Iowa; Jack Todd, Murray, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howard, Murray, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell, Murray, Neb.; Albert Kresl, Lincoln, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Dashner, Glenwood, Iowa; Mrs. Perk Taylor, Glenwood, Iowa; Miss Glenell Dashner, Glenwood, Iowa; Miss Evelyn Anderson, Brooklyn, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kozacek, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moyer and Carol Lynn, Mrs. Anna Vocasek, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuchs, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kvapil, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Micka, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kofeny, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Divis and Pat, Charles Lukasek, Mrs. Anna Rezac, Mrs. Joe Farrar, Mrs. John Major, Mr. and Mrs. William Swanda, Mr. and Mrs. John Kolacny, Leslie Prokop, Mrs. Josie Tella, Mrs. Charles Janda, Miss Mary Krejci, Severin Krejci, Mr. and Mrs. John Straka, Mrs. Lee Spittler, Mr. and Mrs. James Mirasny, Grant Olson, all of Omaha.

Attend Dedication Sunday At Lincoln

Attending the dedication of the Howell Memorial Theatre at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reade, Mrs. Al Linder and Searl S. Davis.

Mrs. George Abel, the former Hazel Hempel, member of a prominent family of Cass county made the dedicatory address, commemorating H. Alice Howell for her forty years of service to the University of Nebraska. S. T. Laase, former assistant at the department of speech and dramatics was presiding officer at the services.

Presentation of the Howell Memorial Plaque was made by Searl S. Davis, graduate of the University of Nebraska and who had been associated with H. Alice Howell in her work at the University.

CALENDAR

Monday, Oct. 25 — Cass County Salon of the 8 and 40 will meet in the lounge room of the 40 and 8 Club on Monday, October 25, 8 p. m., for their regular meeting and Halloween party. Husbands and friends of partners will be guests. Inflation scheduled for October has been postponed until further notice.

Monday, Oct. 25 — St. John's Guild will meet at St. John's Hall Monday, October 25, 8 p. m.

Wednesday, Oct. 27 — The Plattsmouth bird club will meet in the home of Loris Long at 8 p. m. Wednesday, Oct. 27.

Thursday, Oct. 28 — The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their meeting Thursday, October 28, 8 p. m. at the 40 and 8 club.

Friday, Oct. 29 — Chapter F. PEO. will meet at the home of Mrs. Roy Knorr on Friday, October 29, at 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Nov. 10 — Nebraska Chapter No. 3, RAM past high priest banquet Blue lodge members invited November, 10, 6:30 p. m. at Masonic hall.

A Camp Fire and Blue Bird Training Course

A Camp Fire and Blue Bird training course will be held in Plattsmouth on Wednesday, October 27th at the Methodist church.

Anyone interested in Camp Fire, especially mothers of Camp Fire and Blue Bird girls are invited to attend.

The morning session for Blue Birds will start at 9:30 a. m. Folk dancing, hand craft, community service and program planning are scheduled in the morning. The afternoon session, starting at 12:30 p. m., will include folk dancing, songs and games and a general session when all questions will be answered.

The morning session for Camp Fire, starting at 9:30 a. m. will include folk dancing, program planning, symbolism and Indian lore. The afternoon session, starting at 12:30 p. m. will include folk dancing, camping and a general session for answering questions.

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LOUISVILLE

Mrs. Bessie Core Phone 4377

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Walker of Council Bluffs and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thornton and Mrs. Wm. Graham drove to Arlington, Kansas Tuesday and visited Bob Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Wilcox drove down along the Missouri river Sunday near Nebraska City to enjoy the fall colors of the trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thayer and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thayer of Wolbach, Nebr., came down and spent the week end with Bessie Core and helped Frank Gadaway celebrate his 87th birthday. They brought the birthday cake with them.

Mrs. Robert Brockley and son Bobby of Lincoln were guests at the La Rue Williams home Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Stratton is driving a new Chevrolet which she recently purchased.

Mrs. C. F. Crawford and Mrs. Benton Hutchison were in Omaha on business Friday.

Richard Whitman spent the week end with the flu. He was still down Monday.

Scott Schroeder of Omaha came down Friday night to see Louisville beat Syracuse 12 - 7.

Marc Welton of Omaha was down to see the Syracuse - Louisville football game Friday night.

The concrete slab and wings for the north entrance to the city park on Second St. were poured by members of the Lions club Monday night.

Bill Rosencrans of South Bend was among the spectators at the football game Friday night.

Harry Ahl and Graham Jones attended the Oregon State - Nebraska football game at Lincoln, Saturday.

Mrs. La Rue Williams, Miss Wilma Schoeman and Mrs. Richard Streeter were Lincoln visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Wilduck was in Omaha for a check-up following her recent operation.

Amos Hrabek, Bud, Blair and Bill Ingram Sr. drove to Ravenna Saturday morning to do some pheasant hunting.

Members of the Junior Legion ball team and coaches

Hrabek and Brown and their wives were honored guests at a banquet at the Legion Hall last Wednesday evening. A fried chicken dinner was served by the Legion Auxiliary for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stratton left Thursday for Denver, Colo. where they spent the week end. They enjoyed a tour into the mountains and visited some of the Colo. Mtn. peaks and historic sites. They returned last week.

Jolm Schlater arrived home Tuesday from the Navy for a few days visit with his parents, Jr.

Mesdames Maude Sack, Alice Pankonin and Josephine Ruchart attended a party at the home of Leona Schliefer, Wednesday evening. Each brought a part of the dinner which was served and spent the evening visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Eager and Mrs. Diana spent the week end at Glenvil, Nebr., visiting with Mrs. Eager's sister, Mrs. Meno Murman and family and doing some pheasant hunting.

The Rev. C. M. Phillips of the Free Methodist church has been busy the past several days building a sandstone wall inside the side walk line in front of the parsonage at Second and Walnut streets. When it is finished, the wall will make a nice improvement in the church parsonage property.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stiffler and Jennie and Danny spent the weekend at Craigton as guests of their daughter and sister and her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robeck were among those from here who attended the football game at Lincoln Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Cook of Grand Island have been visiting at the H. E. Gess home Sunday evening Mrs. Gess and Mrs. Cook called on Mrs. Frank Wilduck.

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WHEREAS, Willie Simons, a resident of the City of Plattsmouth, is blind and in need of medical assistance and other aid; and

WHEREAS, there is a chance to restore part of his vision if the people of Plattsmouth do their part in supplying monetary aid; and

WHEREAS, the Simons Fund Committee has declared Tuesday, October 26, 1954, as Willie Simons Day and asked the City of Plattsmouth to observe the same by suitable contributions or attendance at the Willie Simons dance that night;

THEREFORE, I, Leo R. Meisinger, mayor of the City of Plattsmouth, do hereby designate Tuesday, October 26, 1954, as Willie Simons Day.

This, the 25th day of October, 1954.

Mayor Leo R. Meisinger Mayor of Plattsmouth, Nebraska

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