

48 Students At Bible School

The vacation Bible school of Christ Evangelical Lutheran church of Louisville, Rev. A. Lentz, pastor, closed two week's session, Friday, June 3rd.

"God's Laws" were studied, supplemented by film strips and slides. Handicraft projects were carried out by the classes, also. Forty-eight students were enrolled.

Teachers were Mrs. Fred Wehrbein, superintendent and instructor of intermediate class; Mrs. H. D. Piner, Junior class; Mrs. Forrest Engelkemier, Primary II class; Mrs. Gerald Meisinger, Primary I class; Mrs. LaVerne Meisinger, pre-school and kindergarten class. Mrs. LaVerne Meisinger took Mrs. Arden Fenke's class, who was unable to teach as planned.

Assisting the teachers were June Wagner, Janet Friedrick and Dorothy Stoehr.

Certificates and pins were awarded at the closing program, and the students were treated to ice cream bars by the teachers.

McCaig Reunion Held at Elmwood On Memorial Day

ELMWOOD (Special) — A pleasant gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Linhardt and John on Monday, May 30, following the Memorial Day service here. The occasion was the gathering of the McCaig clan. Those present were descendants of David, John, Joseph and Daniel McCaig. The oldest present were Mrs. Etta McCaig, widow of Joseph McCaig; Mrs. Janey McCaig, widow of Daniel McCaig.

It had been many years since these families had been together and after a dinner the afternoon was spent in visiting and taking pictures. It was voted to hold the reunion again in Elmwood on Memorial Day next year. Those present were: Mrs. Etta McCaig, Mrs. Madge Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mohler, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Maus, Jo and Jerry Mohler, all of Lincoln; Mrs. Janey McCaig, Mr. and Mrs. Earle McCaig, Misses Betty and Viola McCaig, all of New Hampton.

H. T. McCaig, Berlyn, Ill.; Rev. and Mrs. S. L. McCaig, Sandra and Patricia, of Lincoln; Rev. E. Fern McCaig, Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaig, James McCaig, Sidney, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cummings, Brent and Geraldine, Omaha; Mrs. Hazel Cummings, Mrs. Daisy McCaig, Paxton; Mrs. Lettie Bush, New Hampton, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Berle Rogers, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Myrtle Wood, Wabasha; Mrs. Mabel Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Linhardt, John Linhardt, all of Elmwood.

Sharon Ramage Nominee FHA State Office

Miss Sharon Ramage, member of the Plattsmouth Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America, has been nominated from District VIII to serve as a candidate for state secretary. Sharon achieved this honor at the Crete FHA Officers Workshop held at Doane College, June 5-7.



Sharon Ramage

In addition, Miss Ramage was elected secretary of District VIII during the district meeting.

Miss Ramage has earned her Junior Homemaker and Chapter Homemaker Degrees. She is now working toward the highest award in FHA, the State Homemaker Degree. Sharon is 16 years old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Ramage.

As an FHA member, Sharon has been chapter treasurer for two years, and will be vice president for the ensuing year. She has attended one state convention, one district convention, two Crete officer workshops. She has been an outstanding homemaker student, and has received two Homemaker awards on Honors Day at the high school. Besides these activities, Sharon has participated in various committees, the latest being the combined F. A. - F. H. A. "Slow Down and Live" campaign sponsored by the National Safety Council.

3 Cass Countians Make Honors List At Peru Teachers

PERU — A total of 92 Peru State College students achieved an academic record sufficiently high to place them on the Honors list for the second semester of the 1954-55 school year. The list, released Monday by the office of the registrar, shows that, of the total, 21 students maintained an average of above 3.70 for "High Honors." A 4.00 average is perfect.

Students on the "High Honors" list included Gail Martin, Plattsmouth.

"Honor" students, those who maintained an average of 3.20 through 3.69, included Janet Christensen, Weeping Water, and James Fitzpatrick, Weeping Water.

AROUND THE WORLD BIRTHS

Son — Michael Raphael, weight seven pounds and nine ounces, born to Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Toman of Omaha, May 28, 1955 at St. Joseph hospital in Omaha. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John H. Toman of Plattsmouth and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Janek of Omaha.

Daughter — Donna Marie, 6 lbs., 13 oz., to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cook, Ft. Crook. Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clarence, Bellevue, Mo. and Mrs. Will Cook, Louisville. Great grandparent, Mrs. Rachel Fell, Omaha.

Daughter — A daughter, Susan Ruth, weight eight pounds and one-half ounce, born June 3, 1955, at St. Mary's hospital in Nebraska City to Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Bradley of Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaines of Plattsmouth.

Talk of the Town

By Mrs. Sophia Wolever — Phone 241

Miss Naomi Owens fell in her yard Tuesday and suffered a broken arm.

Mrs. Harry Henthon returned Tuesday from Oshkosh, Neb., where she spent a week visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Countryman and family.

House guests at the Victor Plunkett, Jr., home in Nehawka are Mrs. Lonnie Conger and Janice, and Marcia Jennings of Davenport, Iowa.

Janice Schmidtman, and Mrs. Robert Kinsey and baby son Robert Neuman Kinsey of Lincoln, were guests Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidtman.

Mott Frady arrived Tuesday from Spokane, Washington for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Virgie Frady, brother John and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Greeley L. Bell just recently returned from the hospital.

Mrs. Louis G. Meisinger entered the Mercy hospital in Council Bluffs, Ia., Monday for observation.

House guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rogers is their little grandson, Roger Lee Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hays parents of Roger, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hundahl of Omaha are vacationing in Caspar, Wyo. Mrs. Hays is the former Patricia Rogers.

Herman Meisinger, patient at the Methodist hospital, room 416, is reported improved.

Mrs. Edward Donat, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hendricks and Mrs. Aniel Havelka of Wahwea, Neb., attended funeral services Wednesday in Schuyler, Neb., for Mr. Anton Koci, Sr., brother of Mrs. Donat, and uncle of Mrs. Havelka and Mr. Hendricks.

Byron Sweazey and son of Chicago were guests Wednesday at the R. R. Furse home. Mr. Sweazey, cousin of Mr. Furse, left Thursday for Alma, Nebraska.

Guests Thursday at the home of Mrs. Mae Blunt were Mrs. Mildred Tracey, Donna and Janice of Omaha.

Around-the-World Dance Revue Theme

A large group of children, dancing students under the direction of Janice Wiles of Plattsmouth, took a "Sentimental Journey" before a large crowd of parents, friends and relatives at the Plattsmouth high school gymnasium Friday night. Pupils from Plattsmouth, Murray and Louisville were among the performers.

The Thrifty Stitches 4-H Club members were on the program. A special number, a Spanish dance, was performed by Yvette Gardner, who recently moved to Plattsmouth from Puerto Rico. Various dances by pupils worked into the theme "Sentimental Journey" which was a trip around the world, visits to various countries.

Roy Lean Services Held at Elmwood

Funeral services were held Thursday, May 31, for Roy Lean, 68, at the Christian church at Elmwood. Rev. Horn officiated. Music was furnished by Mrs. Sid Moore, Mrs. Vernon Clements and Mrs. Ralph Creamer.

Edward LeRoy Lean, son of John and Mary Lean, was born Nov. 30, 1886, near Weeping Water and died at Norfolk May 27th.

Mr. Lean had lived most of his life near Elmwood with the exception of one year when his parents moved to California. He had lived in Lincoln since 1945 where he was employed at the State Historical Society.

In January he suffered a heart attack from which he never fully recovered.

He is survived by one brother, John, of Seattle, Wash.; five sisters, Mrs. Lottie Oliver of Chadron; Mrs. Nellie Lake and Mrs. Inez Boyd, both of Lincoln; Mrs. Gay Yauney of Hyannis; and Mrs. Lois Cape of Norfolk; two nieces and two nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, mother and two brothers.

Burial was in Elmwood cemetery.

Local Teachers Are Enrolled Omaha U.

OMAHA — Alyce Green, Viola Stewart, Helen Thimigan, Julia March, Plattsmouth teachers, are enrolled at the current University of Omaha Intercession (May 23-June 10). The intercession offers three courses — Human Growth and Development, Elementary Language Arts or Elementary Social Studies.

Guests this week of their nieces, Mrs. Nellie Shea and Miss Ida Kirker, were Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver of Chicago, Ill. The group were visitors Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kirker and family at Hooper, Neb.

Pat Brown, student at the University of Nebraska, will arrive Friday morning from Lincoln. Pat will be a bridesmaid at the Kalasek-Moore wedding, and a member of the reception for the Perry-Spreck wedding.

Mrs. Audrey Biegler of London, England, arrived Saturday to attend funeral services for her father, Howard P. Dow. Mrs. Biegler will remain here for a two weeks visit with her mother, and other relatives.

Darlene Hennings of Denver, Colo., who is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Hennings in Omaha was a luncheon guest Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Valley. Miss Hennings was formerly employed with the Walling abstract company in Plattsmouth.

Guests at the Earl Hunter home Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pinkerton of Quincy, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert William, of Washta, Ia. Mrs. Mary Hunter, who has been visiting at the Hunter home accompanied them to Washta.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Schwendemann of Fort Dodge, Ia., were guests here for a few days with Miss Lynas Schwendemann, Miss Schwendemann, instructor at the Plattsmouth high school, accompanied them on the return trip; and will spend the summer at Lehigh, Ia.

Dick Beverage returned Tuesday from Hamilton, New York, where he attends Colgate University. Dick will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beverage, and be employed in Omaha.

Peggy Lee Wagers has just returned from Dr. Brown's hospital at Nebraska City after having her tonsils removed.

Mrs. Mae Blunt, received a wire this morning "Thursday" from her son S/Sgt. Bill Blunt, stating that he had arrived in England. Bill will be stationed in England with the Air Force.

F. H. A. Group Honor Chapter Award Winner

(Continued from page One) Sharon Ramage led the bulletin board and exhibit discussion. State officers were nominated: Sharon Ramage of Plattsmouth was selected as one of two candidates for F. H. A. state secretary.

District meetings were held to elect the new district officers and nominees from Plattsmouth for District VIII officers were Betty Morris, vice president; Sharon Ramage, secretary and Marilyn Sporer, song leader. Sharon was elected secretary for District VIII for the coming year.

Other officers for District VIII are Charlotte Sorenson, president, Nebraska City; Kay Ward, vice president, Nehawka; Sharon Ramage, secretary, Plattsmouth; Mary Stoneburg, treasurer, Waverly; Phyllis Vollerston, parliamentarian, Eagle; Carol Heuey, publicist, chairman, Auburn; Joyce Brock, song leader, Tecumseh, and Mary Tynor, recreation chairman, Peru.

Crafts, swimming and other recreation were enjoyed by F. H. A. members along with the above activities.

Property Sales Are Announced

Steve Davis, local realtor, has announced sale of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Soennichsen's home at 318 Hillcrest to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rhoden. The Soennichsens have moved to their new home in Omaha and Rhodens have taken possession of their purchase.

Steve Davis also has completed sale of 160 acre farm of Robert M. Cox. This farm is located on northeast corner of Cedar Creek and Culver road. The purchasers were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stoehr.

Jack E. Hallstrom Omaha U. Graduate

AVOCA (Special) — Jack E. Hallstrom was among graduates at the Omaha University commencement exercises held at Omaha Monday, June 6.

Attending from Cass county as Jack picked up his master's degree in education degree were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Case, Mrs. A. W. Propst, Mrs. Milton Muncie, all of Plattsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hallstrom and Mrs. Robert Hallstrom of Avoca. A dinner was held at the Jack Hallstrom home following the exercises.

A Classified Ad in The Journal costs as little as 35 cents

Mrs. Sarah Seagrave Marxsen of Portland, Oregon, was a visitor here Saturday. Mrs. Marxsen, former Plattsmouth resident, visited her old friends, Mrs. L. E. Lancaster and Mrs. Albert Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood and daughter left Tuesday for their home in Port Euanene, Calif., after attending funeral services for their brother, Harold Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood, parents of Mr. Wood, accompanied them home for a visit.

Laura Meisinger and Anna Lau are vacationing in Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hendricks and daughter, Marilyn, have been vacationing in the Black Hills, Badlands and Mt. Rushmore. They returned from the trip Monday evening.

Albert Kraeger, farmer west of Myrnard, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia, returned to his home Friday from the Clarkson hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Simmons and family have returned from vacationing in Florida and Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Schaik and children are visiting friends and relatives in Virginia.

Bob Embury, who was a house guest for the past two weeks at the home of Mrs. Ernest Yenney, has returned to Kansas City, Mo., where he is a student at Findley College, school of Engineering.

Guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Lindy Wolever and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Libershal were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Meyer, Mark, Ann and Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stevens and Millie of Talmage, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ottersberg and four sons of Pueblo, Colorado spent a few days at the F. I. Rea home, parents of Mrs. Rea. Mrs. Ottersberg is the former Margaret Rea.

Mrs. Carl Meisinger returned to her home this week after staying at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Engelkemier, helping care for her father.

Constitution Rework Need Growing Daily

By William Metzger State Senator

This past week in the Legislature has demonstrated again the confusion and even muddled thinking that exists concerning revenue for roads and taxes in general.

The Legislature does not have a dominant positive attitude to and as a result, we tend to spin our wheel backwards.

The Legislature, it appears, is rapidly demonstrating that it is unable to solve the problem of agreeing on methods and ways to raise revenue for our state road system as well as the proposed interstate highway. The Federal Government will provide the great bulk of the money—at least 90 percent—but to match the remaining ten percent that the State of Nebraska would have to pay is something that we, as members of the Legislature have been unable to do with any great majority thinking.

The voters of Nebraska gave an overwhelming approval to a constitutional amendment that enables the legislature to exempt household goods from the personal property tax laws. We were unable to agree on this issue and as a result, we stand about in the same position as we formerly did. The problem of railroad and utilities assessment remains the same except that through the efforts of a very few, we were able to give the tax commissioner a sum of money whereby the tax commissioner will at least determine the amount of valuation rather than to leave it as a voluntary act on the part of the railroads.

Senator Liebers and his tax committee have made a brave effort to do something positive about our antiquated tax laws but in the opinion of some, we have only substituted a new term "basic value" for the old term "actual value". The predictions are freely made that we have done nothing except open the door for time-consuming and expensive activities for court interpretation of the meaning of the term "basic value."

Because of politics and what one might call a radical determination to be ultra-conservative, we are afraid to advance or to tune our progress to the needs of a growing population

CALENDAR

Thursday, June 9
Historical society will meet for a noon luncheon Thursday, June 9, at Plattsmouth hotel. Mrs. Earl Horton of Elmwood will present a book review.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9
Golden Rod study club will meet Thursday, June 9, 2:30 p.m. at Consumers Hall on 541 Main St.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9
Navy Mothers will meet with Mrs. Fred Essert, 1108 Ave. A, Thursday, June 9, 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9
Sun Bonnet Garden Club will hold their meeting, Thursday, June 9, at 2 p.m. at the home of Miss Ida Patton.

Friday, June 10
Chapter F. NEO will meet at the home of Mrs. R. B. Hayes, Friday June 10, 2:30 p.m. for a picnic covered dish dinner.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14
Combined meeting of St. Luke's Auxiliary and St. Mary's Guild of St. Luke's church at the home of Miss Barbara Getting, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 14
The WCTU will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Glen Sawin, 217 South 3rd. "Flower Mission and visitation for Shut-ins."

TUESDAY, JUNE 14
Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet Tuesday, June 14, 8 p.m. at the VFW club rooms.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14
Leppert-Wolever Post 2543 Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold their meeting, Tuesday, June 14, 8 p.m. at the VFW club rooms.

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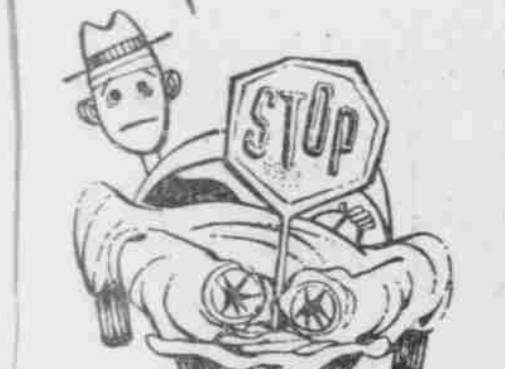
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