

Louisville Alumni Banquet Brings Many Back for Reunion

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LOUISVILLE (Special) — On Tuesday evening the annual alumni banquet of Louisville High School was held in the gymnasium.

Mrs. Evelyn Jackman Franke of Cedar Creek gave the welcome message, followed by the invocation, followed by the president, Mrs. Eleanor Krambeck, Bill Workman, 1956 class president, responded.

Acting as toastmaster, Mr. Gene Ingram, of Lincoln introduced the song leader, Mr. Henry Davis, postmaster of Louisville, who led several songs, accompanied by Mrs. Laura Gess.

The dinner was served to 180 members of the alumni organization and guests by the Rebekah Mayflower Kensington ladies of Louisville.

At the business meeting following the dinner, Mr. W. S. McGrew, Jr., of Louisville was elected to head the group for the coming year.

A quartet of 1956 graduates, August Funke, Jr., Henry Alfrey, Mike Schlatter and Walter Hutchison, accompanied by Miss Marilyn Koop, sang two songs.

Mrs. Alice Wiesmeth read a class prophecy written by her brother, Oliver Jackman, which was very amusing to members of his class present.

Mr. Ivan Thomas of Louisville, celebrating his 50th anniversary as an alumnus, gave a short talk.

Others who had come from a distance to attend, and also talked were:

Almeda Meisinger of California, Norman and June Tyo Masters of Kansas City, Oliver Jackman of New Orleans, Oscar Thomas of Somers, Iowa, Lillian Thomas Holmer of Paton, Iowa, Jessie Dill Richardson of Fruitland, Idaho, and her sister from Fairfield, Ivan and Fern Shelton Burmeister of Lincoln.

Mrs. Lenora Gaebel Ragoss, Mrs. Irene Riester Puls, Mrs. Vera Gaebel Schliefer, and Mrs. Jean Jensen Group, accompanied by Fern Jochim, sang two songs, concluding the program.

Ross Nichols' orchestra furnished music for dancing at the American Legion Hall for a large crowd that stayed.

Happy Home Is Theme of Guild Meet

LOUISVILLE (Special)—Using as their theme "The Happy Home," Mrs. Donna Jones and Mrs. Marguerite Streeter gave two skits illustrating their subject at the Wednesday evening meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild. Mrs. Jones concluded the program with a vocal solo.

The following officers were elected:

President, Marlys Vaughn; vice president, Donna Jones; treasurer, Helen Brunson; recording secretary, Hazel Dolan; secretary of spiritual life, Genevieve Funke; secretary of local church activities, Frances Biggs; secretary of supply, Sue Pankin; secretary of youth, Doris Albert; secretary of promotion, Hazel Hon.

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A Summary Of Louisville Social News

LOUISVILLE (Special) — On May 21 the Triple B 4-H Club met with Frank and Ralph Puls. During the meeting the club decided on a booth for the county fair. Rollin Terryberry will be host to the next meeting on June 18.

Myrna Reichart was hostess to the Louisville Willing Workers 4-H May 21. Each girl is to have her project half done by the next meeting to be held June 5.

Mrs. Maude Johnson had as guests Memorial Day Mrs. Neva Wood of Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Plattsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holmer and family of Paton, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thomas and family of Somers, Iowa, and William Thomas, Omaha, spent Memorial Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Thomas.

Mrs. Nellie Shadbolt, aunt of Mr. Thomas and Miss Blanche Graham of Lincoln, former home economics teacher in the Louisville school of Lincoln, were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hrabik, Jr., are the parents of a baby daughter, Kathleen Jo. Their sons are spending some time with their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Caffrey while their mother is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hrabik, Sr., of Meadow are the paternal grandparents.

Among local people in the hospital are Lawrence F. (Mike) Coelrich and Ole Sjogren, and Jack Ross.

Mrs. Roseann Hackbarth passed away Tuesday, May 29, after a long illness. A complete obituary will be published in a forthcoming issue.

"The Laughing Lassies" 4-H Club was organized at the Elmer Sprick home May 24. Six girls met and chose their projects and officers. Their leaders are Mrs. Boyne Parson and Mrs. Sprick.

Meet Their Son

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Hirsch drove to the Omaha Municipal Airport Sunday afternoon to meet their son, Bruce, who is a student at Princeton University. Bruce will be at home for a few weeks, before returning to school. He is a member of the Princeton Choir, which makes tours over the United States and foreign countries.

Mr. Lynas Hirsch of Greybull, Wyoming, was a visitor in the home of his brother, Cy Hirsch, and Mrs. Hirsch. He came to attend the graduation of his daughter at Hastings College.

Miss Nola Noyes of Omaha and Mrs. Esther Schneider of Cedar Creek left Monday morning for Los Angeles, Calif. They are traveling by car.

Attend GOP Meet

Those attending the GOP county convention at Plattsmouth last week were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Saltmarsh, Mrs. Ervin Albert and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lesan. Paul Eveland of Elmwood was elected the new chairman and Maxine Cloldt of Plattsmouth, the vice-chairman.

Mrs. Margaret McKenna of Panama City, Fla., left for home Monday morning after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. John Inman, and other relatives. Sunday the family enjoyed a picnic dinner in Louisville City Park.

John Worthman, who attends college at Hastings, is at home with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Worthman, for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Urwin attended the baccalaureate services at Kountze Memorial Lutheran Church in Omaha for the graduating class of North High School. Jerry Linder, a nephew of Mrs. Urwin, was a member of the class.

Fishing In Canada

Willard McShane, Paul Doty, Irvin Inman and George Dolan, all of Louisville, returned home Monday from a fishing trip to Canada.

Memorial Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Nichols were Mrs. Charles Ossenkop, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ossenkop, Jr., all of Calloway, Fred Wegener of Dunning and Mrs. H. E. Laymon, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schmader, all of Omaha.

Mrs. Nellie Auxier of Portland, Ore., was a guest last week of her mother, Mrs. Mary Williams, and other relatives.

Mrs. Jim Strong of Mountain View, Mo., returned home Sunday after a visit with her brother, Arch Baker, and Mrs. Baker. It was Mrs. Strong's first visit to Louisville in 10 years.

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Ticklers

By George



"Let's pretend that I'm your minister. Kindly move to the back of the church!"

Mrs. Alfrey Is Installed WSCS Head

LOUISVILLE (Special) — At the final meeting for the conference year, Mrs. Henrietta Alfrey was installed by Rev. Blough as President of the Women's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist Church.

Other officers are:

Mildred Heier, vice president; Aetha Uhley, secretary; and Patti Murray, treasurer. Also installed were secretaries of the departments of work.

The last of the studies on "Introduction to Spiritual Classics" was led by Rev. Blough.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Back of Louisville, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Sack of Bennington, were Saturday evening guests in the Francis Carter home, near the Gretna Fisheries.

Mrs. Walter Blake is at home after spending a few days last week at Clarkson Hospital in Omaha.

Go To Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Nichols attended the wedding in Creston, Iowa, Sunday of Mrs. Nichols' nephew, Donald Scheel.

Vacation Bible school started Monday morning with a good attendance. Teachers are Anna Larson, Mona Heil and Elva Inman for the nursery school; Evelyn Hubble and Mrs. Carpenter for beginners and kindergarten; Phyllis Griffith, Mrs. Glen Pankonin and Jean White in charge of primary and first, second and third grades. The juniors, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades, who meet at the Christian Church, are taught by Mary Amelang, Betty Pennington, Elsie Tennant and Mabel Woolhiser. Mrs. Kenneth Smith is superintendent and Sue Pankonin is in charge of music.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Braack attended commencement exercises in Clay Center, Kans., for the Murray's two grandsons, one of whom was graduating from the eighth grade and the other from high school. Memorial Day guests of the Murrays were Mrs. May Gooding of Plattsmouth and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Speck of California.

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Womens Club Installs Its New Officers

By Mrs. Henry Maseman
Journal Correspondent

AVOCA (Special)—The Avoca Womens Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Paul Strand.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. Fred Marquardt, president. Mrs. Ernest Jensen sang a solo. Mrs. Elmer Hallstrom and Mrs. Martha Ruge each gave a paper on "Mothers".

Mrs. Fred Marquardt installed the new club officers as follows:

Mrs. Ernest Norris, president; Mrs. Charles Marshall, vice-president; Mrs. Nancy Carsten, treasurer; Mrs. John Wolph, secretary.

Plans were made for the club picnic in June with Mrs. Ernest Haveman hostess.

A Roundup of Avoca Briefs

AVOCA (Special) — Ronald Luce just returned from Cedar Grove, New Jersey, where he was an attendant at the wedding of Miss Claire Weber to Robert Emshoff. Luce and friends also visited in New York.

Friends here received an announcement of the graduation from nurses training of Miss Mary Lou Cross, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cross. She graduated from St. Joseph School of Nursing at St. Joseph, Mo.

She is a former Avoca resident.

Mrs. John Weaver and friends of Bird City, Kans., were in town Saturday visiting her nephew, Claude Hollenberger, and brought flowers for Memorial Day.

Visits Wednesday

Bobby Sutton of Louisville visited Wednesday and Thursday with Loren Haveman.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wulf and Mrs. Ella Wulf were in Lincoln Tuesday visiting Mr. Edwin Shoemaker, who recently came home from the hospital.

Donald Straub, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Straub, and Miss Carolyn Lutz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lutz, this week graduated at St. Bernards Academy, Nebraska City.

The Pine Ridge 4-H Club met with its leader, Wayne Pederson, Saturday. It was decided to go to the Sidney Rodeo and take a picnic lunch.

Mrs. Ella Wulf received word of the sudden death of her son-in-law, Harvey Hillman, at Oteo Friday evening while giving a toast at the alumni banquet.

WSCS Meets

The Women's Fellowship met in the church parlors Friday with Mrs. Louis Ruhge and Mrs. Robert Michie. The devotional period was led by Mrs. Henry Smith. Mrs. Paul Lindhardt was a visitor. Reports were given on the proceeds of the alumni banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and Roger were in Omaha visiting Mrs. Stanley Smith Wednesday evening. Mrs. Smith is home from the hospital but the baby daughter Linda Susanne Smith is still at the hospital in the incubator.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruhge left Saturday morning for Palisade where they will attend the wedding of Miss Janice Abuhl, granddaughter of Mrs. Smoots. Mrs. Dena Ruge came home Wednesday after spending several weeks working in Syracuse.

Entertainment Set

The IAH Club met Thursday evening at the church with hostess Mrs. Henry Smith and Roger. Plans were made to entertain the fathers and mothers in the near future.

Miss Evelyn Freudenburg is working at Syracuse Memorial Hospital as a nurse's aide.

Mrs. Will Baier went to Lincoln Wednesday to be with her daughter, Mrs. Jerry McCord, who is at Bryan Memorial following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bergstraesser visited at the Silas Everett home Friday and are on their way to Florida to visit their son, Bill, who is with a baseball team there.

Mrs. Anna Hawley left for her home at Palisade Wednesday after visiting relatives here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aeschbacher left Wednesday for their home in Detroit. He is a reporter on the Detroit Free Press.

Daughter Born

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Koeber a son was born May 31 at St. Marys Hospital, Nebraska City.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Maseman, Lincoln, a daughter, Lynne Marie, was born May 27 at Bryan Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Sidney Burket of Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maseman of Avoca.

Mrs. Elmer Wessel had surgery at St. Marys Hospital Saturday.

Kord Sudman is a patient at Bryan Memorial Hospital in Lincoln.

Mrs. Henry Neumeister entered Bryan Memorial Hospital as a medical patient Friday.

Killed In Crash

Relatives here received word Friday of the death of Timmy Greenrod, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greenrod of Cincinnati, Ohio. Timmy was hurt in a car accident and died on the way to the hospital. Mrs. Fred Ruhge and Mrs. Richard Greenrod left for the funeral Tuesday. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Greenrod of Nebraska City.

Lions Club Meet

Robert Hallstrom and Allen Ehlers, Sr., attended a meeting of the Lions Club at Beatrice Sunday.

80th Birthday

Henry Kammann was 80 years old May 22. Those present to help him celebrate were Mrs. Mary Grafe, Henry and Minnie Grafe, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ludwig, Mrs. Mary Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brockhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Brockhoff, Henry and Tina Oelkers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dodenhoff, Albert Ropers, Sr. Irene Ropers, Lorenz and Harry Ropers and Mrs. Meta Brockhoff.

Robert Marquardt was selected of 280 students to attend All State for high school students for three weeks at University of Nebraska.

Mrs. Harvey Hillman visited her mother, Mrs. Ella Wulf, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marquardt and Robert and Mrs. Bedelia Stander attended graduation exercises at Springfield, Mo. Tom White was a member of the class. He is the grandson of Mrs. Stander.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stubben-dick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carr of Lincoln.

Phillip Maseman of Omaha had dinner Memorial Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maseman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Lingle, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Rippe attended the Joyce Goering and Dale Stuckenholz wedding at the Evangelical Church at Talmadge Sunday evening. The Cemetery Kensington met Friday with Mrs. Elmer Hennings.

Absentee Shower

Mrs. James Jensen gave a pink and blue shower for her sister, Mrs. Jerry Johnson, who is with her husband at Washington, D. C. Mrs. Johnson called by phone during the shower.

Mrs. Harry Ludwig, Mrs. Otto Ludwig, Mrs. Harry Heiser, Mrs. Lenard Carlson, Mrs. Albert Conradi were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower at First Lutheran Church parlors Sunday honoring Miss Darlene Carlson who will be married to Hagel Pitt on June 8 at First Lutheran Church in Avoca. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Henry Ludwig.

Visitation Meet

A church visitation meeting was held Sunday afternoon at the Congregational Church. The meeting was opened by Rev. P. E. Bauman of Weeping Water. Also on the team were Mr. and Mrs. Carter Nielsen, Miss Joan Domingo. A film, "Our Christian World Mission," was presented after a lunch in the church parlors. An informal discussion was led by Mrs. Bauman at the tables. Then Rev. Bauman explained an every member canvass of the church. The film was again presented for those who came in the evening.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Grafe were Mrs. Anna Wiechman of Kansas City, Mrs. Henry Rueter of Lincoln, Mrs. Dena and Martha Ruge of Avoca, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Uhlhorn of Omaha, Miss Marie Grafe, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Grafe of Syracuse and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ebert of Weeping Water.

Bible school closed Friday noon with a picnic at the school grounds. In the evening a program was given at the Congregational Church. It was a review and display of things they made. The mothers served lunch in the church parlors later in the evening. Each child made a waste basket and a pair of earrings for their mothers.

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