

South Ashland Pupils Give Yule Program

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roeber are the parents of an 8 pound, 2 ounce son, born Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1956. This is their fourth son and has been named Lynn Eugene, using the family letter "L", his brothers are Larry, Lester and Leroy.

Mrs. Louis Klansky and her pupils in District 58 presented a very interesting Christmas program to a nice sized crowd at the school house Thursday evening. A lunch was served during the social hour after the program.

The teacher in District 82, Mrs. Frank Hrodsky, and her pupils gave their Christmas program before a Christmas scene, Thursday evening. The school room was beautifully decorated in keeping with the season. The remainder of the evening was spent with visiting and lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Odell and their young folks of Omaha were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Odell. The group went to Lincoln in the afternoon to visit friends.

Members of the Junior Fairlanders Extension Club enjoyed their noontime Christmas dinner and party at the home of Mrs. Delbert Humston Monday. There were 11 members present.

Mrs. Orle Sowards, Mrs. Rob-

ert Maack, Mrs. Clinton Jones and Mrs. Sam Long had charge of the serving. After the business meeting Cootie was played, prizes going to Mrs. Dewey Moore and Mrs. Sam Long.

At the close of the day secret gifts were exchanged and names disclosed and names for the next year were then drawn.

The Friendly Neighbor Extension Club held its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Peter Stander Tuesday evening. There was a short business meeting then the evening was spent playing cootie. There was a gift exchange and Mrs. Stander served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Erickson were hosts at a pre-Christmas dinner at their home Sunday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harm Slote of Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. John Drake and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Slote and Rae Ann all of Lincoln.

Little Miss Merry Sue Roeber was honored at an early birthday dinner Sunday for her sixth birthday which is Christmas day. Her aunt, Mrs. Earl Puls of near Manly, served the dinner to Merry Sue and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roeber and John, also her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reister of Manly, her cousins Frank and Ralph Puls and uncle Earl Puls, and Pastor and Mrs. Lyle Mueller, Jeffrey and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Peterson attended open house for secretary of state and Mrs. Ralph Hill in Lincoln Sunday evening honoring them on their 40th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson also called on Mr. and Mrs. Arlow Wollen in Lincoln that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Borman entertained their children and families at their home Saturday evening, when they held their Christmas gift exchange. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Borman and

daughters of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Miller of Ceresco and Mr. and Mrs. George Borman Jr., and family.

The ladies of the Junior Fairlanders Club served doughnuts, pie and coffee at the Roy Schneider farm sale Tuesday. Those having charge were Mrs. Milton Bochman, Mrs. Clinton Jones, Mrs. Sam Long, Mrs. Jerry Smith, Mrs. Delbert Humston, Mrs. Kenneth Roeber, Mrs. Dewey Moore and Mrs. August Kupke.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Haase served a pre-Christmas dinner Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Probst and Steven of Syracuse, Mrs. Mary Lau, Miss Ella Lau, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lau of Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. William Lau of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weisheit and family of Elmwood, Mrs. Alma Heil of Louisville and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kupke.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gade and Mrs. Oscar Reece were Monday evening guests at the Martin Stenberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wescott and Paul Buckingham were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parrott.

Mrs. Wilma Rogers spent Friday afternoon at the Parrott home.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Borman Jr., and family were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bodstee and family and Mrs. Mabelle Mayer of Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayer and family of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kellogg and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Moore and sons joined a family group at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rueter in Alvo for a pre-Christmas dinner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leikman of Lincoln spent Wednesday evening at the Arthur Laughlin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean returned home from Kansas City Sunday evening after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. W. Sorenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan E. Armstrong visited their brother-in-law, Roy Everman, at the Veterans Hospital in Lincoln, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Everman had undergone a major operation on his left hip. He has been suffering with arthritis for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lexie Nelson and Norma spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lambert and little sons.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parrott of Lincoln visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keller Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Roeber spent last week at the Leonard Roeber home while Mrs. Roeber and infant son, Lynn Eugene were in the hospital.

Mrs. Fred Stickney called on Mrs. Roy Bower Friday forenoon.

Miss Isabelle Stander of Boston, Mass., is at home visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Sander, and other relatives. She and Mrs. Mary Stander, Bill and Lena, also Mr. and Mrs. Norman Leybold of Lincoln were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stander, Sunday evening.

Weeping Water Cubs Celebrate

Mrs. Lewis Baker
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The Weeping Water Cub Scouts met Wednesday evening Dec. 19 at the American Legion Hall with their families for their Christmas party.

Don Rutledge, assistant Scout Master, conducted a short business meeting. Wayne Faris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Faris was welcomed as a new member. Mr. Rutledge presented the following boys with awards: Tommy Wipf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wipf; Gene and Ricky Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Moore; Michael Kearns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kearnes; David Rutledge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rutledge; and Dallas Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wade.

Donnie Elliott son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott received an award for getting a new member.

The cubs and parents were very glad to welcome back their scout master, Sigvald Jensen, who delivered a very short speech.

The large group sang Christmas carols.

A grab bag gift exchange was held among the cubs after which they gave their parents the nice gifts they made for them.

Santa then appeared to pass out sacks of candy to all the children present. At the close of an exciting evening cocoa, coffee and cookies were served. Mrs. Lloyd Lane, and Mrs. Arthur Muske were in charge of the kitchen. The January committee meeting for leaders will be with Mr. and Mrs. Carol Wright.

Opportunity Club

The Opportunity Club met at the home of Mrs. E. J. Boedeker with Mrs. Ralph Binger as assistant hostess for the annual covered dish dinner and Christmas party on Tuesday, Dec. 18.

The Christmas spirit was enhanced not only by the delicious and seasonal food but by the lovely decorations in the home, including the table centerpiece.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. E. K. Bauman, Mrs. Clarence Norris and Mrs. John Jachim and Alice.

Mrs. Harold Blaikie, president opened the business meeting with the reading of the Christmas story, Luke 2, verses 1-20, followed by prayer.

Mrs. S. H. Harmon led the group in singing two Christmas carols.

A discussion of next years work indicated a year of informative and useful topics available for each month's meeting. Mrs. Troy Jewell will be hostess and Mrs. Frank Pace, co-hostess for the Jan. 15 meeting.

Instead of a gift exchange, each member donated to the Hungarian relief fund and to the diabetic camp fund.

Mrs. Walter Anderson and Mrs. Murray Mutter gave out instruction bulletins for ideas in decorating Christmas packages. They told of many clever and attractive things one can make from materials available in every home and had on exhibit many lovely decorations.

Mrs. E. E. Lorensen read a story "The Pennsylvania Dutch Christmas," telling many wonderful customs and traditions.

A couple of games were played to close a well spent afternoon.

M. A. O. Extension Club

The M. A. O. Extension Club members met Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 1 o'clock with Mrs. Lewis Baker for their annual Christmas party and covered dish luncheon.

Following a very delicious meal Mrs. Bill Finley presided over a short business meeting which was opened by the group singing three Christmas carols led by Mrs. Ed Van Horn. The Club Collect was read.

Ten members answered roll call by telling what they like best about Christmas. Mrs. Mrs. Richard Stone, Mrs. Richard Norris and 12 children were guests.

The minutes were read and treasurer's report given. Mrs. Willis Lorensen led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance, following with an article on citizenship.

Mrs. Ed Van Horn, our new president for 1957, named the following as new chairmen. Mrs. Clarence Schmadeke, music; Mrs. Bill Finley, safety; Mrs. Cloyd Baydston, citizenship. The program for the following year was read, revealing many interesting subjects.

Mrs. Richard Stone became a new member. Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Finley will give the January lesson, "Decorative Stitches" and "Mental Health."

Mrs. Charles Knox gave a very interesting lesson on "Christmas Wraps and Trims" Mrs. Don Rutledge also gave a lesson on "State Legislature. Each member drew a little red stocking from the tree, the stocking contained the number

of the gift each member was to receive. Each child received a little red stocking containing a candy cane and chocolate Santa. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Parties For Pupils

Mrs. S. H. Harmon entertained at two Christmas parties for her music students recently. The first one was on Thursday Dec. 13 at 8 p. m. for the senior group. Those present were Bonita Noble, Cathy Callahan, Geraldine Michelsen, Maribelle Elliott, Helen Mather, Susan Wood, Evelyn Wiles, Connie Switzer, Linda Rehmerir, Olive Homan, and Robert Knaup. Several were unable to attend. Piano solos and vocal numbers were presented. Games were played and refreshments were served.

The second party was held Tuesday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p. m. for the junior group. Ann Aallahan, Cheryl Starr, Shirley Upton, Mary Alice Wood, Diane Rector, Mary Lindsey of Nehawka, Margaret Lorensen, Carol Nickels, Dickie Elliott, Tommy Muske, David Anderson, Johnny Severn and David Duane were present to enjoy the evening.

Christmas carols were sung around the Christmas tree. Refreshments were served. Christmas decorations were apparent throughout. Mrs. Harmon presented all the students of both groups with a solo to be played at the spring recital.

Dr. and Mrs. Duane Harmon and three children of Moorehead, Minn., are spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Harmon.

The Weeping Water branch of the L.T.T. company held a Christmas party for its employees Tuesday evening in the office basement. The evening opened with a 6:30 p. m. covered dish dinner. The rest of the evening was spent playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knaup, Rodney and Roberta, had a pre-Christmas dinner at their home Sunday for Mr. Knaup's family. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Knaup of Rulo; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herr, Veryl and Eloise of Humboldt, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Root, Diana and Stanley of Eagle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Engert, Charlotte, and Charles, Jr., of Ashland, and Mr. and Mrs. William Knaup of Murdock.

The Henry Knaup family then spent Christmas day in Elmwood as guests of Mrs. Bertha Fitch and Miss Ahlene Fitch.

The Freeman family dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lawther and family of Union on Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Horn and family, all of Weeping Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Baker and children and Mrs. Vest-Baker were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Peck and family at Blair. They stopped at Louisville on return home and called on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Urwin and Roger and Mrs. Susan Urwin.

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The Busy Butterflies 4-H Club members answered roll call by naming vegetables and identifying them. The meeting was held at the home of Debbie Kalasek on Dec. 13.

A reading on "What Does Creaming Mean" was given by Donna Thomas then an open discussion was had on the subject.

The girls then gathered in the kitchen to watch Donna Thomas and Debbie Kalasek show their talents in making oatmeal cookies. Samples were passed to the eager girls and given their full approval.

Debbie Kalasek was presented with a gift from the girls in honor of her birthday.

The group was lead in singing Christmas carols by Nancy Kiel.

A special meeting was planned for the following Saturday to work on a Christmas project for their mothers.

Refreshments were served and the Butterflies adjourned.

Not So Safe

JONESBORO, Ark.—Two firemen, Robert Nelms and Bill Lakey, underlined the moral of the "you can't be too careful with fire," demonstration recently. Gasoline used in the demonstration fired off-cue, raising painful facial blisters on the firemen. The audience got the message of the exhibit.

The president of the United States Chamber of Commerce has called for a resumption of trade in non-strategic items between this country and Communist China.