

Jane Dietl To Girls State For Nehawka

Mrs. F. O. Sand
Jane Dietl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dietl was chosen by the Nehawka American Legion Auxiliary to represent it at Girls State.

Jane is a junior at Nehawka High School, vice-president of her class, cheer leader for three years, treasurer of the Future Homemakers of America, has been parliamentarian of the same organization, a 4-H member for four years, and held an office each year.

She is now taking cooking, sewing and livestock in 4-H. She is an active member of Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Marleen Meyer, daughter of Mrs. Howard Meyer and Robin Stoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoll were crowned king and queen at the annual Future Homemakers and Future Farmers of America banquet Tuesday evening at the school.

Attendees were Carol Reys, Jane Dietl, Ted Brannon and Leonard Thorne. Crown bearers were Teena Weston and Lyle Pollard. Superintendent Mehrens placed the crowns.

Honorary Chapter Farmer Degree was conferred upon Delbert Lindsey and he received a plaque. Mrs. Lindsey was also honored and her son Fred pinned a corsage on his mother.

Fred was selected as State Farmer last year. He now attends ag college.

Guest speaker was Cecil Stanley, Nebraska director of vocational education. Mrs. Stanley was also a guest.

The invocation was by Elmer Stoll, group singing was led by Sue Johnson accompanied by Miss Sue Kirkman. Ted Brannon presided at the F. P. A. ceremonies and Darlene Murdoch at the F. H. A. ceremony.

The welcome was given by Roger Dodson and the response by his mother, Mrs. Harold Dodson.

son, Cheryl Weik sang two solos. Edward Jansen played a trombone solo. Jerry Harshman gave the F. P. A. Creed.

One hundred fifty attended and members of the W. S. C. S. served the banquet.

Mrs. Dale Reckard presented a program on Americanism to members of the American Legion Auxiliary at their meeting Tuesday at the auditorium. She passed out folders on "Our Capitol" and "Our Flag", giving points on how to respect the flag and how to display it.

Hostesses were Mesdames Elmer Fitch, Arthur Johnson and Frank Linder who took their guests to Gus and Ann's cafe for refreshments.

Mrs. Floyd Joerger, new president, presided at the Nehawka Flower Club meeting Wednesday evening at the church. Mrs. Gus Neumeister was hostess.

Members voted to take orders for Eutim red floribunda roses to beautify the community and Nehawka. Miss Evelyn Wolph displayed a beautiful amaryllis plant. Mrs. Elmer Stoll, Mrs. Delbert Lindsey and Mrs. Floyd Joerger will meet with Mrs. Helen Friedl, sponsor of the F. H. A. girls to plan a project to beautify Nehawka. Mrs. Marion Tucker and Mrs. F. O. Sand were appointed to protect the bulbs planted along the parking in Nehawka.

Members made corsages and Mrs. Oren Pollard received the most votes on hers and was presented with a vase. Mrs. Tucker, Neumeister and Sand had charge of the program.

The Nehawka Swine Club met and Jim and David Johnson on March 5. There were 10 members and 10 visitors present. Sandra Stapert presided. For roll call each named a breed of hogs. Each member introduced himself and told the kind of animal he had. The club welcomed a new member, Bryce Hansen.

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Correction
A story appearing in Thursday's edition of the Journal regarding the dissolution of partnership in the Plattsmouth Motor Co., was in error. Cliff Girard, although on duty in Greece with an United States agricultural mission, has retained his interest in the company.

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Bill Heinrich has been ill at his home at 1207 Main Street.

Orville Nielsen spent the weekend at home with his family and attended the Knight Templar Banquet.

Clarence Cuthrell arrived home from his BEE assignment in Renton, Wash. Mrs. Cuthrell met her husband at the train early Saturday evening.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Don Leffler and daughter visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thiele Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Anderson, Mrs. Charlotte Niday, Mrs. George Pollard and Mrs. Annie Hansen were visitors at the Henry Thiele home Friday.

Mrs. Charlotte Johnson entered Riverview Rest Home Monday evening.

Sunday callers at the Everett Newton home were Mrs. Maude Newton, Mrs. Ruby Pope and Mrs. Tom Bahir all of Omaha.

Zella Traudt is at the Methodist Hospital in Omaha.

Mrs. Freda Rhylander was taken to the Methodist Hospital Sunday.

Legion Post In Louisville Pays Off Debt

Friday evening Henry A. Newman post of the American Legion of Louisville, held observance of the burning of the mortgage on their building and dedication of the structure for use of the American Legion and the advancement of its ideals.

It has been the story of much service and work on the parts of the members of Henry Newman post, to finally reach this goal of outright ownership of their building, a very happy event for the members of the organization that have served so faithfully and well to attain their goal.

Henry Newman, in whose honor the Louisville post has been named, was one of the early day members of the American Legion being a member of the Plattsmouth post when it was established in 1919, later transferring to Louisville when that post was chartered.

Dale Steinkamp, Louisville commander, presided and presented the various speakers on the interesting program.

At the opening of the session the colors were advanced by the color guard squad and followed by the invocation by the chaplain, D. W. Webb.

Commander Steinkamp gave the address of welcome to the guests, numbering veterans from over the county, and residents of Louisville and vicinity.

Greetings were extended by the American Legion Auxiliary and congratulations to the post.

Joe Zastera, long time member of the post, and outstanding worker, was presented and gave a history of the post from the first days down to the present, interspersed with many incidents of early day trials and tribulations until attainment of the goal of a home for the Legion.

Henry Davis gave a history of community service by the Legion, carrying out the theme that any service organization must justify its existence by its work. One of the aims had been the junior baseball program, first started in 1936 with Bud Blair as first manager and coach, prior to this time Alfrey had the task of training the boys for a three year period.

The post has sponsored a Boys State entry since the beginning of the program, had presented American citizenship award each year to a boy and girl, had sponsored Boy Scout troop for several years, sponsored Easter egg hunt, built new available to various organizations for meetings and banquets, conducts Memorial day services each year, had turned the club rooms over to the youth of the community for a teen age center.

Mr. Davis stated the Legion would continue the present activities. Keep alive the main purpose of the organization carrying for widows and orphans of deceased members.

The post was honored by the presence of John Cooper, of Humboldt, state commander R. C. Patterson, state adjutant, Bud Willys, state sergeant-at-arms, Ray Altman, arms, Ray Altman, twelfth district commander, Harry R. Ball, past commander, Lincoln post, who gave short remarks.

Attending the observance from Plattsmouth were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zastera, Mrs. Alpha Muncie, Mr. and Mrs. Don Warga, and Art Warga.

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Fred Feldhausen, local Pharmacist, attended the Nebraska Pharmaceutical Association Sunday held at the Cornhusker Hotel in Lincoln. Mrs. Feldhausen accompanied her husband, returning this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fulton and son, Jerry, Mrs. Jessie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Roberts and son, Roger were in Fremont Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grassmann and daughter, Joyce.

Maynard Gescke, of Weeping Water, son of Mr. and Mrs. Art Gescke is at the U. S. Veterans Hospital where he will be under treatment for ten days to two weeks. His room number is 339.

Attorney Dwight Clements of Elmwood was a visitor in Plattsmouth Friday to look after business at the courthouse.

Clarence Cotner submitted to surgery at the St. Joseph Hospital in Omaha Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Long of Colbran, Colo., are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Peter Campbell and with other friends and relatives in this area.

Mrs. Lois Carr of Plattsmouth is in Jennie Edmundson Hospital in Council Bluffs, Ia., as a result of a car accident Friday evening. She is in room 226.

Ex-County Resident Dies In Arkansas

Troy Z. Shrader, member of one of the pioneer families of Cass county, passed away Feb. 26, at a Harrison, Ark., hospital at the age of 69 years and 29 days, the result of a stroke suffered at his home in Bellefonte, Ark.

Troy Z. Shrader was born Jan. 28, 1888, near Nehawka, the youngest son of the late Zachariah and Rachel Murray Shrader, long time residents of Cass county.

He was educated in the Cass county rural schools and attended high school and the Weeping Water academy.

He farmed in the Nehawka community until in the 1930's, after which he spent some time in Idaho, Wisconsin, Iowa and Illinois. Some eight years ago he moved to Harrison, Ark., where he bought a farm, and only a short time before his passing had moved to an acreage near Bellefonte, where he engaged in dairy and chicken farming.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Gladys Shrader of Bellefonte, a son, by a former marriage, Gerald Shrader of Nehawka, brother, Roy W. Schrader of Lyco, Sask., Canada, and a niece and several nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Feb. 28, at the Methodist Church in Bellefonte. Rev. Walter Abee, officiating. Burial was at the Maple Wood Cemetery, high on a hill overlooking Harrison.

Gerald Shrader accompanied by Lester Wunderlich of Murray, left for Arkansas to be with the father immediately on receiving word of his illness and was with him at the time of death, remaining for the funeral.

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