

Weeping Water Churches Plan Union Vacation Bible Schools

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A Bible School meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Lynn Rothe Tuesday, Mrs. Stanley Schroeder, Mrs. David Baxter, Rev. E. K. Baumer and Rev. Victor Schwarz attending.

Four churches will form a co-operative Bible School, using the interdenominational theme, churches co-operating are Congregational, United Missionary, Methodist and Christian.

Rev. Schwarz was acting superintendent. Mrs. Rothe was elected general superintendent of the Bible School. Each department will have a superintendent and an assistant with at least four helpers. The dates for the school will be May 27 through June 7 with the final program being Friday evening, June 7.

Last year the Congregational Church chose the place for the children's offering to be sent. This year the Christian Church will make the choice.

Mrs. David Baxter was appointed as secretary and will

complete all notes and records to be kept from year to year.

Expenses will be divided among the churches according to the number of pupils attending. Another meeting will be held some time during this week to make further plans.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Parson are the parents of a 6 pound, 12 1/2 ounce son, born at 12:10 a. m. Sunday, April 7 in St. Mary's Hospital at Nebraska City. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parson and Mrs. Bill Baker of Weeping Water. The other Parson children are staying at friends' homes.

Garden Club

Mr. and Mrs. Don Rutledge entertained members of the Weeping Water Garden Club Friday night at their home.

The president, Mrs. S. H. Harmon conducted the business meeting. Due to the absence of Mrs. Lloyd Wolcott, Mrs. Sigvald Jensen gave the topic on "Flowers From The Holy Land." She opened the subject with a prayer. Mrs. Jensen also had charge of the regular monthly feature, "Now Is The Time," telling of the things to do in your yard and garden during the month of April.

Miss Margaret Ranny read a poem "A Crocus."

The hostess refreshments. The next meeting will be May 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hanlon.

Interesting Meeting

In spite of the varied types of weather there was a large attendance at the meeting of the Weeping Water Woman's Club, Tuesday, April 2.

Mrs. E. J. Bender was hostess to the group. The theme of the meeting was "He Who Guards His Way Preserves His Life."

Mrs. Arnold Dettmer reviewed on her subject "Fifty Golden Years," which dealt with the pure food and drug laws. She also told of some of her experiences in the district Mrs. America contest, in which she was selected as alternate to the first place winner.

Mrs. Henry Knaup reviewed the book, "Edge of Time" by Loula Grace Erdman. Mrs. Knaup told this story of pioneer days in Texas in a most interesting manner.

Mrs. S. H. Harmon, music chairman presented two students from high school, Susan Wood

and guests. Mrs. Ora Vayles and Mrs. Kunz answered roll call. Mrs. Vayles became a new member.

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played on her saxophone. "Premier Solo D. E. Concours," and Roberta Knaup sang "A Heart That's Free" and "If My Soul Had Wings." Both girls were accompanied by Mrs. Harmon.

During the business meeting Mrs. H. C. Wilkinson was elected journalist for the coming year.

The president, Mrs. George B. Smith, announced that the next meeting of the year would be on May 7. It will be a breakfast at 10 a. m. at the Methodist Church. Mrs. E. J. Boedeker and Mrs. L. R. Lane were named on the committee to take reservations for this affair, which will also be guest day.

State convention reports will be given and Mrs. Ralph Binger will talk on "Your Manners Are Showing." There will also be special music under supervision of Mrs. Harmon. Miss Ester Tefft will install the officers for 1957-58.

C. W. F. Groups Meet
Thursday, April 4, the Senior Christian Women's Fellowship met at the home of Mrs. Charles Freeman.

Mrs. Henry Knaup presided in the absence of Mrs. Leo Christensen. She read the scripture Romans 15:1-7 and chose as the theme for devotions "My Neighbor." This was closed with sentence prayers.

Mrs. Ralph Lindsey led the group as they sang "Count Your Many Blessings."

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Three-Day Visit
Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman and Jimmy of Kansas City, Kansas arrived in Weeping Water for a three-day visit with relatives.

They were supper guests that evening of Mrs. Ed Freeman and later drove to Avoca where they spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freeman. They ate dinner with Mrs. Ed Freeman Wednesday noon and called on Mrs. Ed Van Horn and family in the afternoon. That evening was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeman, also of whom they were over-night guests.

Game Night
Sunday evening about 30 members and guests of the Christian Endeavor enjoyed a party following their business meeting. Rev. Victor Schwarz, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ehlers and Elmer Terry were also on hand to enjoy the evening. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Baker, Sandy and Randy and Mrs. Vesta Baker visited all day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Peck and family in Blair. In the evening, upon their return home, they stopped in Louisville where they were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Urwin and Roger and Mrs. Susie Urwin.

Rev. Victor Schwarz was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Baxter and family.

Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Horn and family were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rothe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lorenson and family.

Girls Attend FHA Convention
Myrna Van Horn and Juanita Nichols, delegates from Weeping Water, who attended the Nebraska State Future Homemakers of America Convention in Lincoln, March 30 at University High School reported the following resume of a very interesting day.

Approximately 550 delegates as well as homemaking teachers, chapter mothers, and a few superintendents attended the 10th annual convention.

The past state president, Marilyn Hofferber of McCook, presided at the morning business session. At noon the group recessed to the Student Union ballroom for a luncheon and the afternoon program.

Guests were presented by Judy Pertsch of University High, Mrs. Nebraska of 1956, Mrs. Lloyd Schmadeke of Lincoln was the luncheon speaker.

One of the highlights of the convention was the presentation of state honorary memberships state homemaking degrees and honor chapter awards.

The climax of the afternoon was the announcement of the state honorary memberships, results of the election of state officers for 1957-58.

This day was very interesting to all and a wonderful experience.

Friendly Farm Ladies
The Friendly Farm Ladies met Thursday April 4, with Mrs. Glen Taylor.

Thirteen members answered roll call by modeling Easter hats they designed themselves. They were voted on. Mrs. Edna Fleishman of Elmwood was first place, with Mrs. Harlon Stock and Mrs. Edna Taylor tying for second.

Following a short business meeting, the hostess served refreshments. The May 2 meeting will be with Mrs. T. A. Wiles.

Roll call will be answered by each member bringing a start from a house plant or a flower bulb in a May basket.

Visitors present to enjoy the afternoon were Mrs. Roger Richards and Tereza of Plattsmouth, and Mrs. Walter Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Enno Ahrens of Plattsmouth were Sunday afternoon and evening luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schroeder and family.

Honors Birthday
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Stock. Miss Dorothy Colbut was a Saturday overnight guest of Sharon Stock.

On Sunday, dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stock, Sharon and Marie and Mrs. Dora Albin, were Miss Colbert, Robert Miller of Lincoln, and Mr. and Mrs. William Reibald and Pat of Omaha.

Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Albin and Betty Lou of Louisville. The dinner was held in honor of Mrs. Dora Albin's 84th birthday.

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Following the services a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs.

dinner, the program committee consisting of Yvonne Domingo, Jean Domingo, Dorothy Colbert and Sharon Stock took charge. They presented their program from station ORG with Yvonne as announcer and Jean as applause girl. Their first introduction was Maribelle Elliott playing a piano solo. She was followed by Susan Wood playing a saxophone solo, and Roberta Knaup singing a solo. The latter two girls were accompanied by Mrs. S. H. Harmon at the piano. Jolene Spohn topped the evening by telling of their experiences of housing 76 people during the recent snow storm.

The dinner tables held decorations in holding of Easter. The Nehawka Girls were in charge of the decorations, centering the speakers table with a foam plastic cross and pink candles. The other tables featured pastel Easter bunnies, chicks, candies and nut cups.

On Sunday April 7, 40 of the Rainbow Girls attended the Christian Church morning services. They attend church each year on the Sunday closest to April 6, which was the founding date of the Rainbow girls.

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Grade School Program
The children of the Weeping Water grade school under the direction of their teachers, will present a program for their parents and friends on Tuesday evening, April 16.

THE DRIVER'S SEAT



People seem to be in pretty much of a hurry these days. Pedestrians, waiting for the light to change, toe the curb like so many dash men toeing the mark. Drivers stop at signals and angrily gun their motors in impatience; other drivers slip through stop signs without stopping at all.

Despite the current psychiatric battle to resolve the problems of the "problem driver," people hurry as much as before. Backed by statistics, those psychiatrists in the battle against hurry and impatience have again and again issued warnings about speed, particularly at night when traffic fatalities are triple, per mile driven.

They point out that even with the four-lamp system, which won't be on cars in any number within the next five years, motorists can drive safely only at speeds approximating 55 miles per hour.

But the problem driver isn't a fellow who seems to be able to talk his problems out—on or off the couch. Dr. A. R. Lauer director of Iowa State College's Driver Research Laboratory, feels that since we can't convince drivers they can't see in the dark, we must do something to make automobiles more visible under night driving conditions.

Earl M. Larimer, vice-president and safety counselor for a large insurance company and former safety director of Minnesota, agrees with Dr. Lauer. In a recent address at the Highway Research Board in Washington, Larimer advocated the use of reflective license plates as the first step in making automobiles more visible at night.

Reflective plates respond to headlight beams long before the light ordinarily would reveal an automobile. They reflect safety warnings to drivers of oncoming vehicles as far as 2,000 feet away.

Larimer feels that the plates would serve as full-time auxiliary markings when taillights are defective, as markers for parked or stalled cars that normally have no lights at all and, in addition, as an aid in more clearly defining approaching "one-eyed" vehicles.

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BUT NOW-WOW!
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HOSSFACE HANK
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BAM!
SHE THINKS HE PLUGGED A CIGARETTE IN MID-AIR - BUT IT WAS A FIRECRACKER!
-AND HE NEVER EVEN PULLED THE TRIGGER

By FRANK THOMAS

RURAL DELIVERY
THEN HOW MUCH IS TWO AND TWO?
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