

Rudy Stoll Named Commander of the Local VFW Post

Tuesday evening the members of Leper-Wolver Post No. 2543 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of this city held their annual election of officers at the club rooms on South Sixth St. A very large number of the members were in attendance.

The meeting was presided over by Harry Porter, commander for the past year under whose regime the post has reached its quota of membership and shown a splendid record of service.

Rudy Stoll, one of the faithful and hard working members of the post was named as commander for the ensuing year. Rudy is a veteran of World War II and has an outstanding record of service in the European Theater of warfare. He was wounded in service on the Italian front. Since his return he has been one of the leaders in local post affairs.

Other officers named were: Fred Bishop, senior vice commander; Lavern Leddick, junior vice commander; Harry Porter, quartermaster; Leonard Lutz, trustee; A. C. McLean, judge advocate; Dr. R. F. Brendel, surgeon; Dale Bowman, chaplain.

The newly elected commander will name the remaining officers of the post and announce them at the Commanders Banquet April 19 at the clubrooms.

Reports on the post Scout activities were given by Lloyd Fitch on the Explorer Troop and Charles Ault on the Cub Scout work of the post.

Mrs. Margaret Fitch, president of the Post Auxiliary, extended greetings from that organization to the Leper-Wolver post of the VFW.

The post voted to carry on the Red Cross drive here from Seventh Street west in this city during the campaign.

\$889.05 Is Donated Here For 'March'

Mrs. John Schultz, March of Dimes Director for Plattsmouth for 1959 has closed her books and gives the final report.

Gifts \$ 43.50
Collections in Schools \$215.40
Mothers March \$447.46
Coin Collectors \$109.69
March of Dimes Mailers \$ 73.00

The total is \$889.05 for 1959. Assisting Mrs. Schultz was Mrs. Don Wurga, assistant director, Mrs. Russell Schalk, Mothers March Director, Mrs. Eugene Vroman was in charge of the Mailers. Members of the American Legion and VFW Auxiliaries assisted with the drive.

Weeping Water Egg Hunt Set

WEeping WATER (Special) The annual Easter Egg Hunt for children up to 12 years of age will be held Saturday in the Weeping Water City Park at 2 p.m.

The event is sponsored by the Weeping Water Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. R. P. Hobson is the chairman of the hunt and is assisted by Mrs. Lynn Rothe, Henrietta Wade, Mrs. Aura Mae Keckler and Mrs. Chester Hopper.

There will be four age classifications this year: pre-school, kindergarten and first grade, second and third grade, fourth grade and up to 12 years of age. Prizes will be given in each group. All children will receive a gift from the Chamber of Commerce.

An Easter Egg Hunt and party were held Saturday afternoon in the Christian Church for the children of the junior department. Mrs. Leon Bond, Mrs. David Baxter, Mrs. Maurice Hammons and Mrs. William Klemm sponsored the party and hunt.

Beer, Liquor Licenses Renewed

Renewal of several beer and liquor licenses was completed by action of the City Council Monday night.

Hearing on others was set for April 9.

Granted licenses were: Harry Albin, George Conis, on and off sale beer licenses; and Ira Johnson, Donald Steppat, Ernest Schultz, Ralph Timm, Albert Peizer, Eagles Lodge and 40 and 8 Club, Class C liquor licenses.



BEST SPELLERS — Before the bar in the District Court room here last Saturday was this group of county youngsters. They were there for a commendable reason, as finalists from individual school districts in the county spelling contest. Winner was Catherine Svoboda of St. John's here, third from right in front. Runner-up was Alice Massoth, Manley, to Miss Svoboda's right. Shown from left are: front — Linda Martin, Murray; Viola Holman, District 28; the runnerup and winner; Donna Bentley, District 47; Kathleen Hartman, Union; back — Roger Wiles, Weeping Water; Stephen Wehrlein, District 42; Sandra Toman, District 45; David Kraeger, District 91; Frances Scott, District 79; Marilyn Hendrix, District 3; Claire Julian, Plattsmouth; and Sharyl Vandeloof, Alvo.

Requests for Street Paving Sent to Council

Two requests for street improvement were received Monday night by the City Council.

A petition by owners of property requesting curb and asphalt surfacing from 4th and 14th north to Hyland Drive and west on Hyland to 15th.

The other request was made on behalf of Ruben Development Co. to blacktop streets in the firm's new addition adjacent to the area covered by the petition.

A check will be made of specifications to be included in an ordinance when one is drawn for the petitioned paving district.

Councilmen said they saw no reason Ruben could not surface streets at his own expense following to the same specifications.

Rotary Sees Jerusalem Scenes

The Rotary Club here Tuesday noon saw color slides of the Holy Land and heard commentary on them by Dr. Lawrence Acker of Omaha.

Dr. Acker, minister at First Lutheran, Omaha, for 40 years before organizing a church in west Omaha, took a tour of the Holy Land with Mrs. Acker. The trip was a gift of the Lutheran Laymen's League in appreciation for his service on the Lutheran Hour, network radio program.

He showed slides of the Garden of Gethsemane, Church of the Nativity, the Tomb of Jesus, Calvary and other places which are now shrines in and around Jerusalem.

Al Huebner was chairman for the special Holy Week Program. The club will have a Rotary Ann (ladies night) meeting next Tuesday at the Methodist Church, dinner at 6:30. A musical program featuring a well-known Omaha "barbershop quartet" has been arranged by Bill Knorr.

Storage Space Lost by City

The city street department soon will lose its storage space in the shops area.

A building leased to a private party and sub-leased in part to the city will be razed by the Burlington Railroad. The city has 60 days to move street supplies and equipment from the building.

Monday night the City Council talked briefly about possibilities for storage but took no action. Most of the city's equipment is now stored in a shed near city hall or on the lot there.

Areas For Red Cross Drive March 30-31 Are Assigned

The Plattsmouth committee for the American Red Cross met at the Hotel Coffee Shop Monday night.

Representatives for the following organizations attended: Ramona Coolbaugh of the Mrs. Jaycees, Wayne Schneider of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Edith Young of the American Legion Auxiliary, Helen Woolcott of the Catholic Daughters, Ed Kohrell and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Willis of the Eagles and its Auxiliary, Jerry Eiting of the Rotary Club and Mrs. Lloyd Fitch of the VFW Auxiliary.

Vern Starr, Cass County chairman of the Red Cross from Weeping Water, spoke in behalf of the Red Cross and its work in this community and throughout Cass County. He reminded the workers of the necessity of funds this year.

The following areas of the city have been assigned: Mrs. Jaycees — 7th street west to highway 75, south to Washington Ave., and north to city limits.

Legion Auxiliary — 5th Ave. west to Chicago Ave., south to city limits and east to Lincoln Ave.

Legion Post No. 56 — All of 1st ward and 1st precinct.

Eagles — Maiden Lane Area.

VFW Post — Main street north to Washington Ave., east to 7th street and west to Masonic Home.

VFW Auxiliary — Oakmont area and Hilcrest to 4th Ave., also area around Thayer street.

Lions — 4th Ave. north to Main street, east to Chicago Ave., west to city limits.

Ed Kohrell — Wintersteen area.

Salvation Army Begins Drive

The annual appeal for the local welfare fund is being made by this committee: Josephine Rys, chairman; Dale M. Bowman, treasurer; Dr. R. F. Brendel, T. I. Friest, W. C. Soemichsen.

All money raised is used locally or within the state.

Town and rural residents are requested to mail or bring their donations to the Plattsmouth State Bank.

Anton Hason To Have Eye Operation

Anton Hason, retired postal employe, departed Tuesday morning for Nebraska City where he entered the St. Mary's hospital. He is expecting to receive treatment and a possible operation on his eyes that have been giving him a great deal of trouble for several years.

Water Main

The Board of Public Works Monday night was given permission by the City Council to extend a six-inch water main 350 feet on Waugh Street from Oak to Locust and install a fire hydrant at the end of the line.

Building makes the extension necessary, the board said. Waugh Street is in northwest Plattsmouth.

Avoca To Have Easter Egg Hunt

AVOCA (Special) — The Women's Club here will have its annual Easter Egg Hunt March 28 at 2:30. Children of all schools surrounding Avoca have been invited to participate. The hunt is for children below 7th grade.

Two Cases Of Dog Bites Are Reported By Police

Within the past few days the city police have received notice of two cases of persons having been bitten by dogs in different parts of the city.

Leo Brink, city mail carrier, was bitten while on his mail route on north Sixth Street.

Ronnie Fees, 7-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fees, 1401 Main Street, was bitten on the cheek by a dog while he was endeavoring to drive off the dog at his home.

Both animals were impounded by the police to see if any indication of rabies develops.

The city has an ordinance requiring that all dogs be kept on the owner's premises and not allowed at large unless leashed and accompanied by a caretaker or the owner.

The police are enforcing this ordinance and dog owners should see their pets are kept at home. The ordinance also requires that all dogs be given shots against rabies and be licensed.

Road District Salaries Topic

Cass County road district employees and the County Board of Commissioners will meet at the courthouse here April 1 at 9:30 a.m. in a specially called meeting to talk about salaries.

The meeting was called Wednesday by County Clerk Chas Land.

District Court

These cases were filed recently in District Court here: Jewel Whipple vs. Harding Cream Company, damage; George Kraft et al vs. Lawrence Erhart et al, mandatory injunction (in boundary line question).

Wesleyan Methodist — Children's program and Easter message at 11 a.m.

Southern Baptist Mission — Service at 11 a.m.

First Lutheran — Worship service at 9 a.m.

First Presbyterian — Communion at 8:30 and 11 a.m.

Holy Rosary Catholic — High mass at 7 a.m. and mass at 9 a.m.

Christian Church — Worship hour at 10:45 a.m.

Louisville Methodist — Annual Fisherman's Easter Breakfast at 6:30 a.m., communion at 6:30 a.m., worship service at 10:30 a.m.

Immanuel Lutheran Louisville — Worship hour at 10:30 a.m.

St. Paul Lutheran, Weeping Water — Worship hour at 8:30 a.m.

Christ Lutheran, Plattsmouth-Louisville Road — Services, communion at 10:30 a.m.

Immanuel Lutheran, Eagle — Worship service at 10 a.m.

Union Methodist — Service at 9:30 a.m.

Elmwood Methodist — Service at 11 a.m.

Nehawka EUB — Worship services at 9:45 a.m.

Mynard EUB — Worship service at 11 a.m.

Murray Presbyterian — Worship hour at 11 a.m.

Cedar Creek Presbyterian — Worship hour at 9:30 a.m.

Murray Christian — Worship hour at 9:30 a.m.

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THE WEATHER

March 23, 24, 25, 1959.

Date Hi. Low Prec.

Monday 72 66 00

Tuesday 74 35 00

Wednesday 70 41 50

Forecast: High near 40; low near 30. Continued cloudy. Sun sets tonight at 6:42; rises Friday at 6:16 a.m.

Egg Hunt Here Starts at 9:30

The Easter Egg Hunt here on Saturday at Garfield Park for children 10 and younger will begin at 9:30 a.m., not 8:30 as incorrectly listed by the Journal Monday.

There'll be age groups for for kids 2 to 4, 5 to 7 and 8 to 10.

If there should be rain, the event will be held at the Lions Building.

Sponsors are the members of the Chamber of Commerce. Al Linder is chairman.

Main St. Use For Teen-Age Rodeo Granted

The Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday night got City Council permission to use Main Street between 3rd and 4th for the JC 3rd annual Teen-Age Rodeo.

President Wayne Schneider and several other Jaycees were at the Council meeting.

The Rodeo will be held April 19. It is a contest among teenage drivers in driving skill and traffic law knowledge, designed to promote safe driving.

Schneider said the Jaycees feel the contest is important and will become more so in calling attention among young drivers to the need for safety practices.

The Jaycees were given permission to block off the block of Main from 6 a.m. until the contest is finished about mid-afternoon.

Last year's countywide competition drew 18 entries. Tom Mincer of Plattsmouth won.

Eligibility for the state contest is part of the local prize.

The Jaycees also asked for use of 5th Street from Avenue A to Main and south of Main to the alley July 9-11 for a carnival. Action was not taken on the request pending further checking by the Jaycees of sentiment toward blocking the street.

Red Cross Appeal Made At Elmwood

ELMWOOD — The Red Cross "roll call" in this community is "running a little short of last year," according to C. Augusta Robb, Elmwood fund drive representative.

"The Red Cross needs your help, please respond with your dollar membership. So far, 58 persons have contributed a dollar or more, along with two organizations and two firms," she said.

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Almighty God, our Father, who are not the God of the dead but of the living, we give Thee joyful thanks for Him who is the Resurrection and the Life.

Grant that we may grow aware of Him, as our eternal Friend and Master, alive forevermore. By the power of His resurrection may we rise out of selfishness and sin into a diviner fellowship with Thyself.

We are glad, O Lord, that we can live in the power of the resurrection and thus we pray Thee to help us live. May we live as those who know Christ as their living Lord.

As Saviour help us to come unto Him daily for the forgiveness of our sins.

As Ideal may we look to Him as the inspirer of our lives.

As Friend may we find Him the comrade and companion of our daily walk.

As Elder Brother may we look forward to sharing with Him all the unsearchable riches of Thy Kingdom.

As Physician may we bring unto Him all our infirmities of body, mind and spirit.

As Teacher may we learn from Him the great lessons of life and the principles which are everlasting.

As Master may we live lives of trustful obedience to Him and be willing to follow whithersoever He would lead us.

May we grow in a knowledge of Him and learn to live as in His very presence. Yea Thanks be to thee, O God, who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

We are happier because hope is eternal in our breasts. May He walk with us today, to bind up all wounds of sorrow, comfort all broken hearts, forgive all sins, heal all diseases, and usher in eternal peace that it might abide within the hearts and lives of all the people throughout the world.

In the Name of Him who is the Resurrection and the Life. Amen.

Union Service Friday at 1:30

Easter Services

Good Friday Union Church services, under the direction of the Plattsmouth Ministerial Association will be held in the First Methodist Church Friday at 1:30 p.m.

The Program

Organ Melodies, Mildred Hall, Hymn, Congregation.

Call to Worship, Rev. Arthur Embree.

Invocation, Rev. G. E. Seybold.

Collect, "A Crown of Thorns," Mrs. Sarah Fischer, Mrs. Earl Carr.

Scripture, Rev. Melvin Shafer. Prayer, Rev. Shafer.

Offertory, Solo, "He Was Despised," Mrs. Hugh Stander Jr.

Sermon, Rev. Keith Delap. Hymn, Congregation.

Benediction, Rev. J. W. Taenzler.

Postlude.

The services are interdenominational. Many businesses will close during the early afternoon for the services. Others will allow employes time off to attend the services.

The following notices of Easter Sunday services are taken from regular church notices submitted to the Journal:

The Plattsmouth Youth Council will sponsor an Easter Sunrise Service at Horning Cemetery beginning at 5:45. If the weather is bad, the service will be held at Murray Christian Church, Junior, senior and college age young people are invited. Breakfast after the service at the Murray Christian Church at 6:30.

St. Luke's Episcopal — Communion at 11 a.m.

St. John's Catholic — Solemn mass of resurrection at 6 a.m., low masses at 8 and 11 a.m., high mass at 10 a.m.

Christian Science Society — Church at 11 a.m.

Plattsmouth Community Church — Morning worship at 11 a.m.

St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed — Service with communion at 10:30 a.m.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints — Service at 11 a.m.

First Methodist — Service at 11 a.m.

First Baptist — Sunrise service at 5:45 a.m., morning worship at 10:50 a.m.

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