

Birthday Dinner Honors Grandson

Mrs. Norma McCarthy was hostess at a birthday dinner Sunday night honoring her grandson, Billy Berry, on his third birthday.

Other guests were the honoree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Berry, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Berry, all of Omaha. Also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morivac and Debbie of Omaha.

Billy's mother is the former Mary McCarthy of this city.

Mary Susan Stone and Mr. Newby Set Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marion Stone of Lincoln announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Susan, to Glenn Allen Newby, son of Mrs. Thorvald Petersen of Churdon, Iowa.

The bride elect is a graduate of the University of Nebraska and a member of Alpha Xi Delta sorority. Miss Stone is presently employed by the Magnolia school district in Anaheim, California.

Mr. Newby is serving as an aerial navigator in the U. S. Marine Corps and is stationed at El Toro, Santa Ana, California.

An August 21st wedding is planned.

Nehawka Legion Auxiliary Meets

NEHAWKA (Special) — Mildred Nutzman gave a program on Poppy Day Tuesday afternoon when the American Legion Auxiliary met at the auditorium. She told of the origin of Memorial Day and read a poem which commemorated the day.

Mrs. Harold Dodson presented gifts to the Gold Star mothers. Mrs. Frank Linder, Mrs. Walter Wunderlich, Mrs. Oren Pollard and Mrs. Chris Rasmussen and the World War I mother, Mrs. Hilbur Lundberg.

Mrs. James Gilley presented the following music students: Nancy Ehlers, vocal solo; Nancy Ehlers, Bonita Lacy, Cheryl Weik, vocal trio; Nancy Switzer, Julia Johnson, Susan Balfour, Glenda Jones, clarinet quartet.

Mmes. Will Ost, Jake Stapert, and Eugene Fitch presented a memorial service for members deceased the past year. They were Mrs. Marion Tucker and Mrs. Ruth B. Pollard.

Mrs. Jake Stapert presided. Members were to cooperate with the Junior Woman's club Friday to assist with the bloodmobile.

Hostesses were Mmes. Amelia Balfour and Emma Nutzman.

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Snow Wonderland Is Theme of Woman's Civic Club Banquet

The Plattsmouth Women's Civic Club completed a very successful and interesting year with a banquet, held at the 40 & 8 Club rooms, Monday evening.

Snow Wonderland was the theme with eskimo igloo's and clever eskimo nut cups decorating the tables. Bouquets of Spring flowers adorned the tables.

In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Don Wall, Chairman; Mrs. Harold Bentzinger, Mrs. Carl Ofe, Mrs. Gordon Wasson and Miss Vera Solomon.

Mrs. Howard Ruback served the guests. Mrs. Louis Egenberger and Mrs. William Heinrich members of the Plattsmouth Womens Club, Mrs. George Norris of Avoca.

Mrs. George Norris gave a travelogue on "Let's Visit Alaska via colored slides taken when Mrs. Norris and her husband visited Alaska to complete the program and salute our 50th State. Miss Mary Schmidt presented a Hawaiian dance.

Mrs. Hugh Stander Jr. installed the officers for the coming year, the new officers were presented by the present officers. They are president, Mrs. Robert Altenbach; 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. George Sarver; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. Donald Wurga; recording secretary, Mrs. Bill Knorr; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Russell Schaik; treasurer, Mrs. Louis Amato.

Mrs. Ruback presented a gift to Mrs. Norris for her fine program, also gifts to her officers and chairman, who served with her for the year.

Mrs. Hugh Stander presented a gift to Mrs. Ruback from the Club members.

The Presidents pin was given to Mrs. Altenbach to be worn during her term of office.

Guests of Club members attending the banquet were, Mrs. DeForest Perry, Mrs. Perry Dingman and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton.

Camp Creek Club Has Meeting

EAOLE (Special) — The Camp Creek Club members met at Mrs. Louis Cloyd's home Thursday afternoon. Mmes. Wm. Malone and Thomas Mcroft gave a demonstration on covering and decorating hat frames and altering a hat. By steaming the older material on hats as well as flowers can be made attractive by steaming to refresh the appearance.

Mrs. Hardnock conducted the business meeting at which time she reported on the President's Day Out at Lincoln Courtesy of Lincoln Chamber of Commerce.

Couples Attend Reunion, Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Wurga and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Rohan attended a reunion and banquet at the American Legion Country Club in Shenandoah, Ia.

Mrs. Rohan, the former Maybelle Wurga, was a member of the Hawaiian group who flew to Hawaii in 1957.

Colored movies and colored slides and Hawaiian dancers were included in the entertainment.

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Mrs. Edward Knight Heads Eastern Star Of Nebraska

Mrs. Edward Knight of Alliance and Lynn Moomey, formerly of York now of Lincoln, were installed Thursday night at Nebraska's new worthy matron and grand patron of the Order of the Eastern Star at the convention held in Omaha.

Mrs. Herbert Worthman of Louisville was advanced to the position of associate grand matron at the 55th annual session of the grand chapter.

Other elective officers were Merle Haje, Lincoln, associate grand patron; Mrs. Wilma Harms, Omaha, grand secretary; Mrs. George Brook, Lincoln, treasurer; Mrs. Garrett Dudden, Venango, conductress and Mrs. Melvin Breland, McCook, associate conductress.

Raymond Evers, worthy patron of Home Chapter 189 of this city served as assistant grand sentinel at the sessions.

Members of Home chapter honored as fifty year members of the Eastern Star were Miss Clara Weirich and Mrs. Emma Egenberger, members of group of forty-six from various chapters of the state.

Members of Home Chapter attending were Mrs. Barbara Sullivan Rounsberg, Mrs. Nettie Hutchinson, Nellie Hamblen, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Sullivan, Florence Noell, Hazel Humiston, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Ramge, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Jochimsen, Mr. and Mrs. John Janacek, Martha McQuin, Ila Todd, Phyllis Brockhouser, Ruth Brown, Alice Weirich, Sophia Mayfield, Ruth Mann.

Mrs. Strough Celebrates Birthday

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strough and granddaughter, Cathy Jo Born, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Akeson were in Falls City at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richmond where Mrs. Rachel Strough was celebrating her 83rd birthday.

Among those present were 25 children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Dinner was served cafeteria style from a lace covered table. Four decorated birthday cakes appointed the table.

Mrs. Strough received many lovely gifts. She is the mother of Frank Strough and Mrs. Akeson of Plattsmouth and Mrs. Richmond of Falls City.

Golden Rod Study Club Has Meeting

The Golden Rod Study Club met May 12 at Consumers. To open the meeting Mrs. Tom Grosshans read the Extension club creed. Seventeen members and three guests were present.

The treasurer reported \$2 had been sent to the Crippled Children's Fund.

An invitation to the cornerstone laying of the Historical Museum May 29 was received from the Cass Co. Historical Society.

The president, Mrs. Frank Dill, reported her attendance at the annual May Tea, also an all-day meeting April 27 planned by the Women's Division of the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce to honor Extension club presidents of several counties.

After the business meeting, Vera Wurga and Margaret Knorr gave demonstration on making hats.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wm. Gilmour, Mrs. Everett Spangler, Mrs. Howard Wiles and Mrs. Sam Gilmour.

ELMWOOD ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shreves received a call from Maj. and Mrs. H. E. Reynolds, Susan and Rebecca, announcing his being made Major. Also, they had moved to new address. Mrs. Reynolds is the daughter of the Shreves.

Guests at the J. E. Shreves home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schoenberg and two sons from Caracas, Venezuela. They are in this country on four months vacation. Mr. Schoenberg is an accountant for a tobacco company. They continued on to Medford, Oregon, on Sunday to visit his folks. Mr. Schoenberg is a nephew of Mrs. Shreves.

Joe Wheeler Not Injured as Reported

Plattsmouth friends of Joe Wheeler, patient at Hill Top nursing home at Weeping Water, were disturbed by a report Sunday that he had been injured in a fire. The report was untrue as there was no fire at the home and he was not injured. Joe has been at the home for the past year and is doing as well as possible although he is bedfast at the home.

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QUEEN — Karen Eidenmiller was named Queen of the Weeping Water High Prom. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Eidenmiller. Her attendants were Helen Mather and Roberta Rathe.



KING — Joe Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward, was chosen King of the Weeping Water High Prom. Attendants to the king were Alan Spangler and Joe Bergmann.

Garden Club Meets At Clark Home

Mrs. Earl Payton and Mrs. Roy Clark were hostesses Thursday to eleven members of the Sunbonnet Garden Club when they met at the Clark home.

Roll call was answered with Mother's Day poems.

Members signed a card to be sent to Mrs. Max Bowman who is ill.

Mrs. Earl Shanholtz gave the history of the club which was organized in 1942. Mrs. Clark spoke about the planting of summer bulbs.

A social hour followed with members playing games. Prizes were won by Mrs. Shanholtz, Mrs. Stella Coffelt and Mrs. Clarence Akeson.

At the next meeting members of the club are to wear hats made from garden flowers.

Dancing Recital Here Tuesday

Dancing students of Miss Antholee Rizzi will present their annual recital Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the High School auditorium. The recital is centered around the theme "Fantasia".

Miss Rizzi will be leaving this summer for a three year residence in Spain with her family, Chief M-Sgt. and Mrs. Anthony Rizzi and Joe.

The Rizzi's have been residents of this community for twelve years, both children being students at the local high school. Antholee has been an assistant dancing instructor for two years and a teacher for one.

BIRTHS

Son — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frazier of this city are parents of a son born Thursday, May 12 at St. Mary's hospital, Nebraska City. Mrs. Frazier is the former Shirley Aldrich. He has been named Rolland Scott. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Aldrich of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Frazier, Sr., of Roseland, Neb.

Son — Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchison of this city are parents of a son born Friday, May 13 at St. Mary's Hospital, Nebraska City. He weighed six pounds at birth and has been named Randy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hutchison of this city and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lahman of Waverly.

Daughter — Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Freeberg of this city are parents of a daughter born Sunday noon at Doctors hospital at Omaha, weight seven pounds and eleven ounces. This is the fourth girl in the family. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Freeberg of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Bill White of Omaha. She has not been named at this time.

Daughter — Mr. and Mrs. Larry Valley are parents of a 7 lbs. 1 oz. daughter, Diane Elizabeth, born May 14 at Clarkson Hospital in Omaha. This is the couple's first child. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Ramge and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Valley. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Valley and Alvin Ramge.

WCS Meets at Louisville Church

LOUISVILLE (Special) — The WCS held their regular meeting in the Methodist church parlors. Annual reports were given by Mesdames Amelang, as courtesy chairman, Edna Salberg, chairman of fellowship committee, and Anna Stiffler, treasury report.

The date set for the father-son banquet is June 3. The next meeting will be the installation service for the members elected at this meeting. Mrs. Helen Doermann was chairman of the nominating committee. The program committee, Mrs. Anna Stiffler and Miss Laura Schoeman presented the program.

The Pledge Service followed. An altar had been arranged with one lighted candle flanked by two lilac bouquets. Several members took part in a candle-lighting service. Mrs. Graham Jones acted as narrator for the program.

Mesdames Gertrude Ackles and Helen Doermann contributed to the birthday club.

Hostesses were Freda Aschbacher and Buelah Brunson.

Next meeting will be May 19, with Gertrude Ackles and Bernice Pankonin as hostesses.

Parties Honor Nuptial Couple

Sunday afternoon, May 8, fifty friends and relatives honored Miss Janet Baumgart at a miscellaneous bridal shower.

The bride's table was decorated with an umbrella; the gift table with a bride doll.

Prizes for the contests were awarded to Mrs. Clyde Meisinger, Miss Betty Kay Meisinger and Mrs. Edgar Meisinger.

Miss Martha Haase and Miss Irene Meisinger assisted Miss Baumgart in opening her lovely gifts.

Miss Betty Dolezal, Miss Karen Starkjohm and Miss Janet Friederich presided at the tea table.

An after wedding rehearsal supper party honored Miss Baumgart and Mr. Charles Konler Saturday night given by the bride's mother, Mrs. Katherine Baumgart.

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Manley School Pupils Take Omaha Tour

LOUISVILLE (Special) — Mrs. Straub and the pupils of the upper room in the Manley schools went to Omaha on a tour.

In the morning the group visited the Merchant's Biscuit Company, Coco Cola Bottling Company, and the Union Pacific Museum.

At noon they had lunch at the Virginian Cafe. After lunch, they went to see the movie, Ben Hur.

Cars were furnished by Mrs. Earl Puls, Mrs. Straub and Mrs. Leonard Stohmann. Other sponsors were Mrs. Herman Schlieffert, Mrs. William Sheehan, Jr., and Mrs. John Sheehan of Manley. — Ralph Puls, reporter.

Janet Wright Tapped For 'Cardinal Key'

LOUISVILLE (Special) — Janet L. Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Wright and a student at Wesleyan University, was among 12 students tapped for membership in the chapter of the Cardinal Keys Friday.

Janet is affiliated with Delta Zeta sorority and is majoring in social studies. She was a Washington semester student this year and is active in Student National Education Association, and Yellers of the Brown. She is a member of the Campus Center Governing Board and Pahnellenic Council.

CALENDAR

Monday, May 16
Bud of Promise of Rebekah Lodge will meet at the IOOF Hall at 8 p.m.

Tuesday, May 17
VFW Auxiliary at 8 p.m. Bring white elephant articles and stuffed toys for Cancer Fund.

Thursday, May 19
Plattsmouth lodge No. AF — AM, work in MM degree 7:30 p.m. Masonic hall.

Thursday, May 19
The Auxiliary Women of St. Luke's Episcopal Church will meet with Miss Barbara Gering at 2:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 19
Gleaners Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Cecil McKnight at 8 p.m.

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Many Attend The Junior Hi Review

A large crowd attended the junior high review Friday night at the high school auditorium. Joe Shown was master of ceremonies for the 7th and 8th grade production.

Those attending watched pantomimes, the Blue Devil Square dancers, comedy acts, songsters, original plays, a silhouette act, twirlers, a saxophone solo, dance reviews, a piano duet and the Can Can Boys.

The last number on the program was two selections by the eighth grade choir under the direction of Miss Beverly George.

Mynard EUB Works On Church Farm

Members of Mynard EUB Church Saturday worked at preparing ground for planting in a church farming project.

Men of the church plowed and disked on an 80-acre plot obtained from Myron Wiles three and one-half miles west and a mile north of Murray.

Women of the church prepared dinner for the stewardship workers.

Flower Show Planned at Nehawka

NEHAWKA (Special) — The Nehawka Flower Club has made plans for a Flower show Wednesday, June 8, at the Methodist church from 2 to 5:30 p.m.

Mrs. F. O. Sand, president, appointed Mmes. Guy Murdoch, Elmer Stoll and Oren Pollard to plan the show and appoint committees. Entries from nearby towns will be welcome.

Mrs. Lewis Royal presented a program on flower boxes. She planted a flower box, which she contributed to the club. Mrs. Gus Neumeister had the lucky number and received the box. The roll call was, "My favorite flower box plant."

Members will plant the large planters in front of the school and also place blooming plants on the graves of Mrs. Marion Tucker, Mrs. George Sheldon and Mrs. Fern Knabe.

Mrs. Emma Nutzman was hostess. Guests were Mrs. Esther Cherry and Mrs. Maude Philpot.

Mrs. Ernest Reher left Saturday for Denver. She had visited her sister, Mrs. Helen Lanum, and friends here and relatives in Weeping Water, Omaha and Council Bluffs.

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