

Tractor Savers

The Tractor Savers 4-H Club held its third meeting at the home of Kirby McGill Dec. 4. Next meeting will be at the home of Carl Penke Jan. 8. Seventeen members were present at McGills. New members

are Terry Tilson and Kust Grosshans. County Agent Clarence Schmadeke attended the meeting and passed out books. Mrs. McGill served lunch. — Gene Tschirren, reporter.
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Friendly Farm Ladies Extension Club Meets

WEeping WATER (Special) — The Friendly Farm Ladies Extension Club met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alvin Horn. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Ralph Hyde and Mrs. Fred Holt. There were 16 members who answered roll call. Each member brought a pretty or unusual card that they had received the past Christmas. Several of the cards were from other countries. Mrs. Leo Horn and two children were guests. Mrs. Alvin Groesser presided at the meeting. Mrs. Mary Domingo led in the singing of Christmas carols. Mrs. Hyde gave the lesson on "Christmas Customs." Each member told of a Christmas custom in their family that had been handed down through the years. Mrs. Hyde and Mrs. Victor Plunkett, Jr. were in charge of games. A gift exchange was held. The gifts were found by lines used from "The Night Before Christmas." The hostesses served a tasty lunch on beautifully decorated trays. A Santa Claus nut cup added to the decorations. The January meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Livingston with Mrs. Vincent Reimelr as co-hostess.

Nehawka Girl Scouts

NEHAWKA (Special) — The Nehawka Girl Scouts presented their leaders, Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Mrs. Lonnie Wood, Girl Scout necklaces and bracelets at the annual Christmas party Monday after school at the Auditorium. The girls received photograph books from their leaders. Barbara Mayfield and Catherine Hansen had charge of the entertainment. Marlene Meyer presided, Julia Mitchell read the minutes and called the roll. Julia Mitchell served refreshments. — Catherine Hansen, reporter.

Jr. Auxiliary of VFW Has Party

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Club was the scene of a festive Christmas party Wednesday night when the junior unit of the Ladies Auxiliary met for their regular meeting and party. Gloria Dasher, president, conducted the meeting with a membership of 29 in attendance. Shryn Whipple announced that a bake sale will be held Saturday, Dec. 22, at the Gas Co. Office. Linda Thornton, Donna Porter and Laura Eledge, will assist the chairman Shryn Whipple, with this project. Several reports were given, and suggestions were heard concerning various other activities and projects to be held.

Meeting adjourned with the retiring of the colors, and a social evening was held.

The room was decorated with Christmas glitter and a tree laden with gifts for an exchange by the Junior unit was the center of attraction.

Games were played and prizes awarded to Bonnie, Gloria and Linda Thornton and Arlene Bobemoyer.

Punch and Christmas cookies was served by Laura Eledge, Linda Thornton, Debbie, Mary Lou and Donna Porter.

Corsages were given each member by sponsors Phyllis Barnard, Norma Wilson and Sophia Wolever.

Dancing concluded the party.

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Mrs. Schalk To Fall Conference

Mrs. Russell Schalk, president of the American Legion Auxiliary to Hugh J. Kearns No. 56, attended the fall conference in Grand Island recently. Following are a few highlights of the meeting:

Wedding in Omaha

In the presence of nearly 100 guests Miss Barbara Rowlett became the bride of Mr. Gary Rheingrover of Omaha, Saturday evening in the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at 36th and Burt in Omaha. She was given in marriage by her father Jeremiah Rowlett of Springfield, Neb. The marriage service was conducted by the bride's brother Elder Jerry Rowlett of Norfolk.

Christmas Dinner

NEHAWKA (Special) — Mrs. Eills Lacy was program chairman for a Christmas dinner and party at the Henning Johnson home Thursday afternoon.

She said: C stands for Christmas and gave a list of words beginning with C, which are associated with Christmas, the Christ child, creche, children, cards, candles, cheer and in food, candy, cake and cookies.

Mrs. Clark Balfour received the prize at games. Mrs. Lacy read the answer to the "Christmas letter from Virginia." Mrs. Vina Beatty recited a Christmas poem.

Evelyn Wolph gave devotions. Mrs. Arthur Wolph presided at the business meeting. She announced \$37.75 was realized from the bake sale held Dec. 8 at the hardware store at Nehawka. There was an exchange of gifts and secret pals were revealed. The new year books were distributed.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin of Crab Orchard; Mrs. Allen Madsen, Henry Ross and Henning Johnson. Co-hostesses were Miss Eleanor Easter, Mmes. Ivan Hansen and Gerald Thoms.

Following the banquet a reception was held for all distinguished guests in the Elks Club Lodge Room.

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Boot & Spur Meets

The Boot & Spur 4-H Club met December 8 at the Wayne Meisinger residence. All members were present.

The leader, Marj Meisinger, gave a report on gait, leads and head position.

Richard Haecke and Allen Worthan gave a demonstration on "Age by Teeth."

Lunch was served by Mrs. Russell Spangler and Mrs. Charles Spangler. — Genene Nolte, reporter.

A Poppy Corsage was entered in competition from the Plattsmouth Unit made by Mrs. Helen Woolcott which received an honorable mention. There were 59 entered and three prizes awarded.

Department Commander William Galbraith brought greetings to the Auxiliary during the first session. The Department Chairman brought many things of interest that might benefit each unit.

Special guest, Mrs. Earl (Peg) Wright, National Vice President Northwestern Division, reported "I've Got a Secret."

After her message she told her secret in presenting to the Department President, Mrs. Preston, an illustrated biography of the town of Sheldon, Nebraska, printed in 1890. Her grandfather, Patrick Walsh, founded the town and her father was the first baby born there. The book will be placed in the Department of Nebraska Library for anyone wishing to see it.

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Mary Alice Quail, Nee Frady, Dies

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Lions Mark 23rd Charter Anniversary

LOUISVILLE (Special) — The Louisville Lions Club held their annual Christmas party Thursday evening. They observed the 23rd anniversary of their Charter. Two of the Charter Members Dr. Herbert Worthman of Louisville and Joe Zasera of Plattsmouth were present. A turkey dinner with all the trimmings, a program and caroling were enjoyed by 50 members present.



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The letter was written by a party not a candidate, whose name you should have been entitled to know, in order to judge the credibility of the written material. The personal charges were false in part, gave false inferences and did not reflect the public record.

In leaving, we know that the job we have done in law enforcement was done to the best of our ability and solely in the interest and welfare of those whom we served. By your overwhelming write-in votes, there is no doubt, many of you felt the same way.

I want to personally thank the Citizens of Plattsmouth with whom I have been associated since 1932. Plattsmouth voters give me more write-in votes this election, then they did actual votes the first time I sought the office.

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