



ANNIVERSARY DINNER—Members of the 8 & 40 who celebrated their 15th anniversary dinner last week are shown: seated at the table, left to right—Vera Wurga, child welfare chairman; Edna Mekota, Crete, Departmental Chapeau; Mary Nelson, Chapeau; Sophia Wolaver, Secretaire; Elsie Schutz, Chapeau;

Violet Attebery, Union, First Demi-Chapeau; standing, left to right—Emille Gonzales, Abbie Wiseman, Weeping Water; Helen Sumner, and Ethel Strabel, Elmwood; Lue 11a Zimmerman, Plattsmouth; Marguerite Streeter, Louisville; Helen Woolcott, Plattsmouth; Helen Gayer, Papillion; Helen Vroman, and

Minnie Schiber (holding cake), Plattsmouth; Mata Amick, and Dorothy Smith, both of Weeping Water, Mollie C. Gobelman, Betty Ault, Ethel Zastera, Nettie Ruse, all of Plattsmouth, Annette Fitzpatrick, Louisville and Alpha Muncie, Plattsmouth.

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Mrs. Long Honored On 76th Birthday

Mrs. Marietta Long was honored Sunday with a birthday party at her home. Her children brought covered dishes and two birthday cakes to mark her 76th birthday.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long, Pacific Junction, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Walt Long and Jerry, Judy and Gene, Plattsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith, Millard; Mrs. Nora Larson and granddaughter Debbie Trustos, Louisville; and Nina Tyndall, Plattsmouth.

BYE BYE BIRDIES

A new Blue Bird group was organized the past week at the home of Mrs. Oscar Newson. They chose the name "Bye Bye Birdies."

There are 14 members. Officers were elected.

The group was to meet today at Mrs. Ralph Hild's to work on Easter things.

Birthday Luncheon at Christian Church

WEeping WATER (Special)—The birthday luncheon was held Thursday noon in the Christian Church parlors by the members of the Christian Women's Fellowship. The Junior Circle was in charge of the luncheon. The tables were covered with white and Easter decorations.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. V. Hubbell of Lincoln were guests.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. Ralph Hyde, president, presided at the business meeting. She opened with the thought, "Gardening Thoughts for the Day." The members sang "He Lives" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Maurice Hammons. Mrs. Victor Plunkett gave the secretary's report and Mrs. William Klemme the treasurer's report.

The Senior Circle will meet at the Hubbell home in May and the Junior Circle will meet at the Hubbell home in June.

Mrs. John Rieke, Mrs. John Van Horn and Mrs. Hammons discussed the service projects. Mrs. Leon Bond led the worship.

The group sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and the 23rd Chapter of Luke was read. This was followed by the Easter Story and prayer.

Mrs. Hubbell held a quiz on the Easter season.

Mrs. Henry Knap, Mrs. Maurice Hammons and Mrs. Cyrus Livingston were appointed on the nominating committee for the election of officers.

The meeting closed with the fellowship benediction.

Fred Campbell of Murray is in the Methodist Hospital, room 364, Omaha for observation and surgery.

March Birthdays Are Celebrated

MURRAY (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Spangler and family of Murray had a family dinner at their home Sunday honoring the March birthdays of which the oldest was Mr. Burbee being 82 Monday.

Guests were W. O. Burbee, Louis Burbee and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Christwiser, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burbee and Rex, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burbee all of Weeping Water.

Also Mr. and Mrs. James Christwiser, Irene and Ronnie, Ray Christwiser, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Christwiser, Wayne and Beverly, Nehawka; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Burbee, Bobby and Debbie, Bellevue; Mrs. Mable Wolfe, Tom and Edwin, Union; Mrs. Bill Crawford, Collier, Bruce, Kristy.

And Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kriefield, Tim and Kevin of Nebraska City and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Phillips and Susan of Omaha.

61st Anniversary

LOUISVILLE (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fitzpatrick and daughters entertained at a dinner Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Nicholson on their 61st wedding anniversary which occurred March 19.

Present were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Buskirk and Gary of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fleming of Omaha, Mr and Mrs Earl Harding and Tim Nicholson of Ralston and Mr and Mrs. John Schlatter of Louisville. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Linvale Meyer and family of Louisville. Mrs. Meyer is their granddaughter.

CALENDAR

Monday, April 1
Bud of Promise will meet Monday, April 1, at 8 p. m. in the IOOF Hall.
Plattsmouth Women's Club will meet Monday, April 1 at 2 p. m. with Mrs. G. G. Griffen. Program "A High School Senior's Impressions of New Zealand" by Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Lincoln.

Tuesday, April 2:
Odd Fellows will meet in the IOOF Hall at 8 p. m. Tuesday, April 2. Degree Work.
Tuesday, April 2:
Regular meeting OES 6 o'clock dinner for past patrons and matrons Tuesday, April 2. 8 p. m. is the regular meeting.
Thursday, April 4:
Country Club Womens Thursday morning coffees starting April 4. Business meeting April 15 at the Club House, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, April 5:
The Plattsmouth Promenaders will hold open square dance at the Lions Club at 8 p. m. Round dance lesson at 7:30. Caller, Wm. McCormick.
Friday, April 5:
Chapter F. PEO, will meet with Mrs. John Schreiner Friday at 2 p. m.
Friday, April 5:
Navy Mothers meeting at Consumers Friday, April 5 at 2 p. m. Election of officers.

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40 & 8 Club Rooms Scene of 8 & 40's 15th Anniversary

The 40 & 8 club rooms was the scene of a birthday dinner Monday night when partners of Cass County Salon 8 & 40 assembled to observe the 15th anniversary of their salon, with a 6 o'clock dinner, served by the American Legion Auxiliary. The tables were arranged in the Easter theme with a red and white birthday cake centering the officer's table. Miniature Easter baskets were presented each partner. Mrs. John Mekota, departmental chaplain of Crete, was an honored guest.

Mrs. Alpha Muncie and Mrs. Myrtle Grosshans were chairman of the dinner party, and Mrs. Mary Nelson presented the cake for the party.

Following the dinner the business session was called to order by Mrs. Nelson, Chapeau of the local group. Announcement was made of the annual luncheon, bazaar, and program that is scheduled for April 16 by the American Legion Auxiliary at Union.

The group voted to contribute \$10 to the departmental bed fund. The funds are used to purchase beds for the hospitals of Tuberculosis patients, that is a project of the 8 & 40.

Vera Wurga, Child Welfare chairman, announced that Easter baskets and candy would be sent to the children at the TB hospital in Kearney.

Ethel Zastera, courtesy chairman, reported sending cards to ill members, and to partner Elva Inman of Louisville in the loss of her mother Mrs. C. A. Johnson.

Mrs. Mekota gave a most enlightening talk on Cystic Fibrosis. There are about 30 cystic Fibrosis Research Centers in the United States, and they are hopeful of finding some help to control this illness Mrs. Mekota explained.

The effects of Cystic Fibrosis on the glands that produce the sweat, tears and other vital fluids within the body.

The thick sticky mass effects the pancreas, the lungs and other parts of the body; and the breathing and digestion of the children are seriously affected every day. Both parents must be carriers of the disease to have it develop in the child. It has only been recently that Cystic Fibrosis was recognized as a disease in itself. It is known as a Chronic heredity disease. Mrs. Mekota gave many facts regarding what is being done in Cystic Fibrosis research to find the cause, and treatment and other information.

Mrs. Mekota announced that the Marche Departmental would be held in North Platte in July, following the American Legion Auxiliary Convention, since that is the Mandate from Nationale.

In behalf of the Cass County Salon, a corsage was presented Mrs. Mekota by Chapeau Mary Nelson.

Meeting adjourned, with the retiring of the colors, and a social hour followed.

Mrs. Muncie assisted by Helen Vroman entertained the group with bingo. Prizes were awarded to Helen Sumner, Vera Wurga, Mata Amick, Abbie Wiseman.

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Dorothy Smith, Edna Mekota, Elsie Schutz, Nettie Ruse, Minnie Schiber, Mollie Gobelman, Emily Gonzales, and Marguerite Streeter.

Sherbet and the birthday cake were served by Mary Nelson.

Mrs. Louella Zimmerman and Mrs. John Mekota were guests.

Miss Prohaska Receives Honors

The Plattsmouth Education Association at its recent dinner meeting at Winterset Inn honored Rose Prohaska, for 46 years a teacher in Plattsmouth schools until her retirement after last school year.

Miss Prohaska taught a total of 48 years.

Eighty members of the PEA and their spouses were present to honor Miss Prohaska.

Also present were members of the Board of Education, A. W. Huebner as representative of the City Council, Co. Supt. of Schools Neil Lancaster and Conrad Good, representative of the Nebraska State Education Association, Lincoln.

BIRTHS

Daughter
S-Sgt. and Mrs. Donald Syverson of Plattsmouth are parents of a daughter born March 30 at Offutt AFB Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces and has been named Julie Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Linhart of Plattsmouth and Mr. and Mrs. Orning Syverson of Marshall, Minn. The couple has two other children, Mary Lynn and Michael.

Cardamom is the principal export crop of Sikkim, the tiny Himalayan kingdom. Seeds from the forest plant of the ginger family flavor cookies, bread, curry powder, and coffee.

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DAR Chapter Plans 50th Anniversary

Fontenelle Chapter, DAR held their March meeting at the home of Mrs. Pearl Mann with eight members present.

The meeting was opened by the Regent, Mrs. Guy Wiles. She read the poem "March's House-keeper" by Catherine Scott.

Mrs. Dale Philpot gave the devotions. Her topic was spring. She read verses from the Bible, each verse beginning with the letters of SPRING.

All joined in repeating the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the American Creed. The final plans were made for the 50th Anniversary meeting next month.

Mrs. H. A. Johnston reported as the local chairman of National Defense. Her main thought was "The price of Liberty in eternal vigilances is—that all America must be alerted to the defense of our country by air."

Mrs. Fred Vincent gave the program, taken from an article "How Old Glory Got Its Name." By Matt Mueller, William Driver left home at the age of thirteen and found himself on the high seas as a cabin boy. He never returned home until he was twenty-one.

His mother met him at the dock with a package. When he opened it he found a flag made from fine wool contributed by his friends. Every stitch had been worked by his mother. The young man exclaimed, "Why its the most glorious flag I've ever seen!" And that's what I'll call her, "Old Glory."

This "Old Glory" sailed with Driver around the world. It was hoisted by him to the top of the Tennessee Capitol when the Union troops marched victoriously into Nashville Feb. 25, 1862.

Before he died in 1886, he gave the flag to a daughter and today Capt. Driver's Old Glory is preserved in the Smithsonian Institute—a fitting companion for other historical and priceless memories of our nation.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour followed.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoschar of Murray announce the engagement of their daughter, Dana Faye, to Charles F. Sayers, son of Mr and Mrs. Harold Sayers of Murray. Miss Hoschar is a senior at Plattsmouth High School. Mr. Sayers is in the navy aboard the U.S.S. Jason. A late summer wedding is planned.

Bridal Shower
LOUISVILLE (Special) — A miscellaneous shower was held March 21 at the Legion Hall honoring Miss Janet Sue Heard. Pink and white color schemes were carried out in the decorations. Miss Heard sat at a table set with white pink candles in crystal holders and a white wedding bell, to open her gifts.

Mrs. Bill Riley presided at the gift table and Mrs. Tom Boardman of Elkhorn had charge of the guest book. Games were played. After the gifts were opened, refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

Hostesses were the Mesdames Jim Monohon, William Riley and Miss Cheryl Baker. Mrs. Janelle Elstridge, another hostess, was unable to attend.

Miss Heard became the bride of Gene Zych of Omaha March 23 at St. Agnes Catholic Church in Omaha.

Janet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Heard of Louisville and is a graduate of Louisville High School. She is employed as a doctor's receptionist in the Medical Arts Building. The couple will live in Omaha.

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