

LYLE NEWS

By DEANNA SUMNER

May 24 Joyce Sumner and Kathy Van Meter took a carload of goods to the Mexican American Mission in Garden City. They met Kathy's sister Gladys Williams from Cimarron, for lunch.

May 28 Kathy went to WaKeeney for the 100th year celebration for the high school. Larry Stecklin and wife Karla Stovall were the grand marshals for the parade followed by antique cars and horses. Lunch was provided by Larry Stecklin.

May 28 was a work day at Toots Magers' home. Richard and Jane Engelhardt, Mike and Pam Hornunk, Tyler and Brittany Hawk and Judy Easton all worked like "little beavers" cleaning up everywhere, then had lunch.

May 29 the Lebanon American Legion Post held the Memorial Services at Lyle followed by the carry-in lunch at the Community Building. There were 36 guests who attended the lunch.

Surprise visitors Toots Magers said were Merle and Norma Moler and their spouses, from the Denver area. That evening Joy and Hilaria Huff from Denver and Marilyn Otter from Lenora stopped by Toots' home for a visit.

Kathy Van Meter attended Norcatatur Memorial Services. Af-

terwards she met with Jerry and Arlene Knutson, Robby and Becky Knutson and family all from Denver, Dean and Donna Knutson, Council Bluff, Iowa, Mary Knutson and Mary Ann Suits from Lakewood, Colo., for lunch.

June 2 Kathy went to WaKeeney, met her sister and brother-in-law, Gladys and Sam Williams, Cimaron, and they traveled to Kansas City, to Jim and Grace Hartmans for the Hilburn Family Reunion. She thought about 70 or 80 family members attended. There were cousins from Phoenix and all seven of her siblings were there.

While there she received word from her son-in-law that his mother, Dorothy Lovin, Hoxie, had died. Kathy returned home on June 5. That evening she picked up Juanita Eckhart and played in the last pitch tournament before summer at the American Legion in Norton, they got second.

June 6 Toots Magers and Kathy Van Meter played cards with the residents at the Good Samaritan in Oberlin and then visited with Marguerite Fullerton.

June 8 was Liberty Star Club at the home of Angie Wilson in Oberlin. Members present were Carolyn Plotts and granddaughter,

Taylor Bravo, Cathy Anthony, Veda Wood, Toots Magers and Kathy Van Meter.

June 12 Toots and Kathy attended the potluck luncheon in Norcatatur for Kathy Aeillo, who will be the Norcatatur, Almena, Clayton preacher another year and Carol Woodmansee, lay speaker, who will be with Lyle another year.

June 13 Kathy and Toots visited with Marguerite Fullerton at the Good Samaritan, then they were guests of Eileen Laird at her home for pizza.

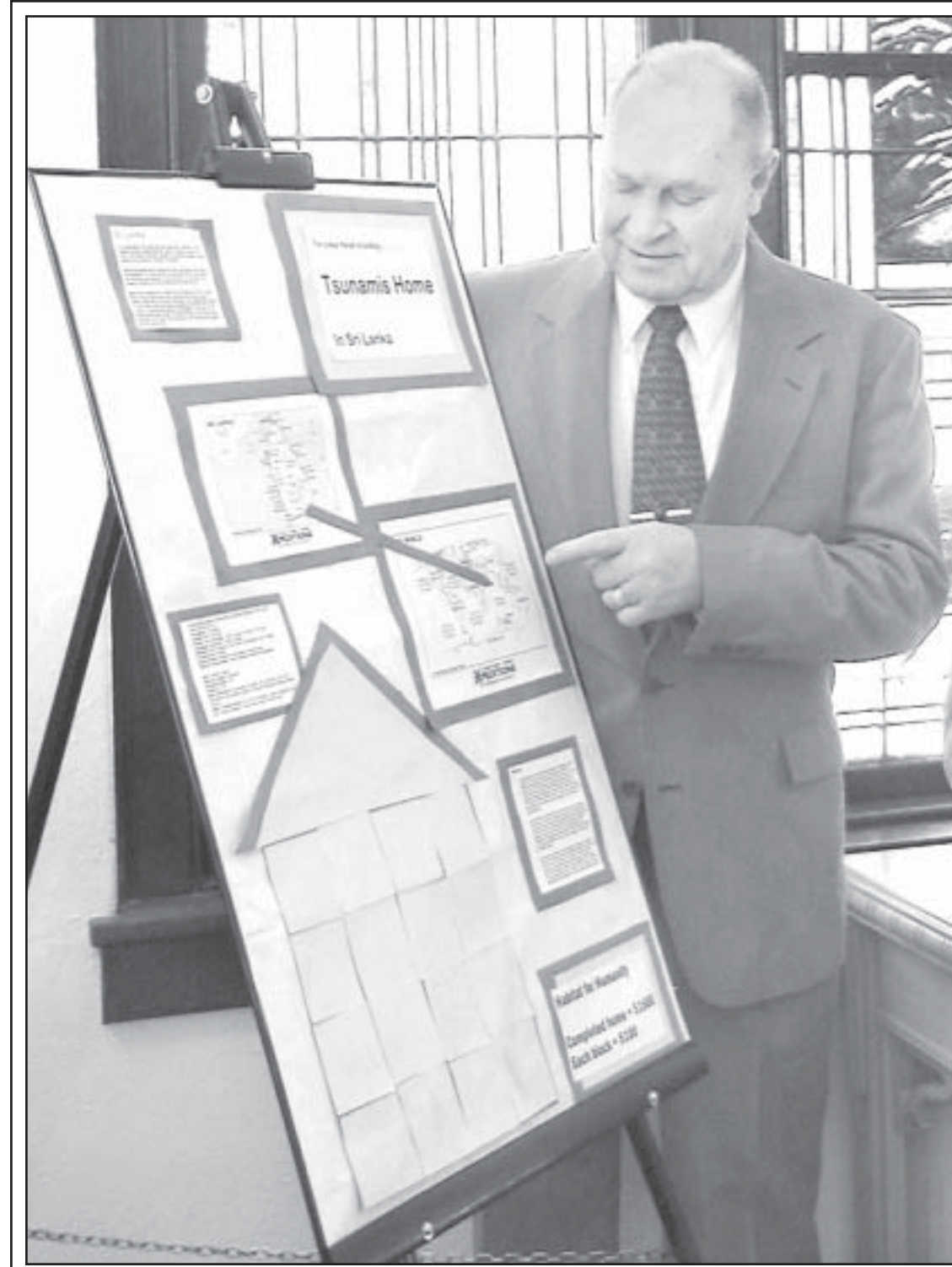
Kathy and Toots took knick knacks to the Bargain Box in Oberlin and in return they had 16 bags of clothing and stuffed animals for them to bring back to Lyle for sorting before taking to Garden City for the Mexican American Mission.

June 14 Toots paid visits to Pat Schwab, Evelyn and Audrey Lyons in the Andbe Home.

June 15 Veda Wood, June Jolly, Kathy and Toots went to Cambridge, Neb., to visit with Helen Helm.

June 17 the Lyle ladies sewed. That evening June Jolly, Toots and Kathy played cards in Norcatatur.

That Sunday Pastor Lew VanDerWege was guest and gave communion.



Jack Kersenbrock, pastor of the United Parish of Lenora, stood with the promotional poster his church used to help raise funds to build two houses in Sri Lanka, after last December's deadly tsunami. Each concrete block house cost \$1,600 and was constructed by Habitat for Humanity volunteers. Mr. Kersenbrock said the houses are simple by American standards, but they are good, sturdy houses by Sri Lankan standards.

— Telegram photo by Carolyn Plotts

NEW ALMELO NEWS

By BETTY OTTER

On May 28, Misty Bates and Timothy Uhrich were married in Hastings, Neb.

Misty is the daughter of Arnold and Gloria Bates, Grand Island, and the granddaughter of the late Paul and Helen Bates.

Family who attended were Gilbert and Jean Simon, Andale; William Simon and Annie, Frank and Rose Simon and family, Colwich; David and Linda Rohlman and boys, Topeka; Denise Childers and Gina, Damascus, Ark.; Rod and Cheryl Bates, Oakley; Jeff and Jerry Bates and family, Beloit; Dan Bates, Lee's Summit; Art and Karen Bates, Edmond, Okla.; Roberta and Renee Bruinekool, Lenora; and Will and Tina Ritter, Allyson and Carson.

House guests of Marion and Marilyn Otter over Memorial weekend were her sisters, Iolene and Francis Lovendofsky, Belleville; Hilaria and Joy Huff, Denver; and their daughter, Emily and Gary Kessler and boys, Lakin. The boys, Robert and Alan will spend some time at their grandparents this summer. Their son, Steve Otter, Wichita, visited on June 5.

Mike Otter, Ulysses, visited at his parents, Alfred and Betty Otter, over Memorial weekend.

On June 4 the family of Jean Nickelson held a public auction, making the town a busy place for

several hours. Jean's sister, Eleanor and Duane Streit, Cheyenne, Wyo., and Adrian Streit and Jo Hessig, Omaha., came especially for the sale.

Funeral Services

Funeral services were held May 31 for Bernadine Diederich, 98, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, New Almelo. The Mass of the Resurrection was con-celebrated by Fr. Vincent Thu Laing, Fr. Roger Meitl, Fr. Dana Clark and assisted by Deacon Stan Chapin.

Grandchildren, Duane and Nancy Meitl, were the song leaders. Casket bearers were grandsons, Randall Diederich, Pat Rome, Dan Diederich, Darren Diederich, Dennis Meitl and Jerry Simoneau.

Survivors include two sons Robert Diederich, Reno, Nev. and Tom Diederich, Lenora; three daughters Loretta Meitl, Colby, Virginia Rome, Lakewood, Colo., and Rose Simoneau, Cody, Wyo.; daughter-in-law Maxine Diederich, Hays; a sister, Clara Schieferecke, Dresden; 34 grandchildren; and 52 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Bernard and four sons, John, Norbert, Jim and Carl; a sister, Dorothy Olson; an infant granddaughter, Linda Ann Meitl; and grandson, Larry Meitl.

Mrs. Diederich kept busy mak-

ing a home for her large family. As her children grew up and time allowed, she enjoyed giving piano lessons, playing the piano, providing music for dances, playing cards, raising flowers, gardening, doing embroidery work, crocheting and quilting.

NORCATATUR NEWS

Father's Day weekend visitors at Bee and Bill Nelson's were their son, Todd Nelson, Wichita, and their daughter, Tara Nelson, Independence, Mo., and her friend, Anita Volsaky. The folks got lots of work out of all of them. Todd left for home on Sunday evening and Tara and Anita left Monday morning for Independence.

There were 24 people in attendance at Senior Citizens, Friday, June 17. Winners were Oran Milner, Leona Schoenrad, and Elden Long. Next meeting will be Friday, July 1.

Luther Morton has donated to the Norcatatur Museum a plaque from J.R. Keener, General Merchandise, of Norcatatur, and "A Book of Wonders" from The Norcatatur Pharmacy, C.E. Brown, Manager. If you have any Norcatatur memorabilia you would like to donate contact Chris Dempewolf at the Norcatatur city

office or send it to Box 89, Norcatatur, Kan., 67653. Museum hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-12 noon.

We learned from Kenneth Price that Pansy Price is doing better than expected and is using her walker to get around some. She is still in the hospital at Norton.

Dorothy Ward and Marguerite Clark visited Pansy Price Monday, June 20, and found her in good spirits. They also stopped to say hello to Arnold Jackson, who was sitting up in a chair looking chipper.

The Monday Bridge Club met with Esther Miller on June 20. Substitutes were Dorothy Cochran, Oberlin, and Venietta Miller, Mission, Texas. Prizes were won by Venietta Miller, Esther Miller, and Carol Shirley, Oberlin. Richard and Venietta Miller were visiting Esther Miller and other relatives and friends, and

have since gone home to Texas. Beverly Morris had dinner with Esther on Sunday.

Guests of Bob and Leona Schoenrad the weekend of June 4 were grandson Bob and Lorena Schoenrad, and great-grandsons, Sean and Nickie Wills, of Aurora, Colo. Sean came to see his grandparents again before leaving for the Navy on June 16.

Ed and Donna Schoenrad, son of Bob and Leona Schoenrad, came the weekend of June 11. They all celebrated Father's Day and Mother's Day. They played

cards most of Friday and Saturday night, then went "flea marketing" on Saturday. Ed took everyone out for dinner Saturday.

Phillene Weets of Rapid City, S.D., wrote in to say how much she and her husband, Jim, enjoyed and appreciated the alumni banquet and Memorial weekend. She said it takes a lot of work from "the ones at home, willing to go the extra mile."

Gail and Jan Rippe, and daughter Allison, McCook, spent Sunday afternoon, June 19, with Marguerite Clark.

The paper you read for the news you need! THE NORTON TELEGRAM

History made at Elmwood Park Speedway

By MIKE HUGHES

Oberlin's David Murray Jr. put this name in the IMCA record book Saturday night at Elmwood Park Speedway.

Murray won the IMCA Modified feature, his 329th IMCA career feature win to break the record set by Ernie Derr in 1971.

Polesitter Brice Riley took the early lead in the 18-lap main event, trailed by Jeff Walters and Mitch Kline. Murray had worked his way up to fifth place from his ninth starting spot on lap 4 when the first caution flag waved. The caution waved again on lap 7 when John Fose spun. Riley led on the restart, followed by Walters, Murray, Kline and Rick Schwab.

But on the restart, Riley spun after contact from Kline, bringing out the caution and putting Kline out to the back of the field. After one lap, debris off Riley's car laid in turn 2 and officials had to bring the yellow back out. Because it was debris from his car, Riley had to go to the back of the line.

Murray had passed Walters, so Murray sat on the point, followed by Walters, Schwab and Brian Calhoun. Murray pulled away to a half-lap lead when the final caution waved on lap 19, bunching up the field, and setting up a green-white-checked finish. But Murray pulled away the final two laps to score his fifth win of the

season at Norton and the record breaking No. 329. Walters finished second, followed by Schwab, Marty Clark and Lonnie Veteto. Riley and Calhoun won the two heat races.

Fifteen cars took the green flag in the IMCA Stock Car feature with Troy Attwood jumping out to an early lead. Attwood continued to lead at the halfway mark of the 18-lap race with Athol's Josh Hudson and Tyler Hahn right behind. Hudson finally made the winning pass on lap 11 and was able to hold off Attwood for his second win of the season at Norton. Hahn finished third, with Jason Rogers edging out Jason Davis for fourth place. Heat race winners were Davis and Attwood.

Brady Schoen of Downs looked to have the IMCA Hobby Stock feature in hand as he led 11 of the 12-lap race. The trouble was he didn't lead the final lap as Wade Wagenblast of Deshler, Neb., passed him in turn 2 on the last lap to score his third win at Elmwood. Brady Schoen, Kelly Karnopp, Dustin McClurg and Barry Schoen rounded out the top five. Karnopp and Wagenblast were victorious in the two heat races.

Joe and Jim Carter of Russell also picked up their third win of the season at Norton by taking the checkers in the 10-lap Cruiser

feature. The Carters chased down leaders Mike Hockemeier and Jim Ellis and made the winning pass on lap 8. Jeff Kleen and Mark Goebel finished third. Heat race winners were Hockemeier and Ellis and Kleen and Goebel.

Racing action returns to the big half-mile oval on Saturday, July 9, with the regular four classes in action. Race time will be 7 p.m.

RESULTS

IMCA Modifieds

Heat 1: 1. Brice Riley, 2. Jeff Walters, 3. Rick Schwab, 4. Tim Watts.

Heat 2: 1. Brian Calhoun, 2. John Fose, 3. Steve Reedy, 4. Marty Clark.

Feature: 1. David Murray, 2. Walters, 3. Schwab, 4. Clark, 5. Lonnie Veteto, 6. Tyson Garrison, 7. Fose, 8. Riley, 9. Mitch Kline, 10. Calhoun, 11. Robby Haines, 12. Watts (DNF), 13. Reedy (DNF).

IMCA Stock Cars

Heat 1: 1. Jason Davis, 2. Bryan LaRiviere, 3. Jason Rogers, 4. Tyler Hahn.

Heat 2: 1. Troy Attwood, 2. Nathan Glendening, 3. Josh Hudson, 4. Pat Bedore.

Feature: 1. Hudson, 2. Attwood, 3. Hahn, 4. Rogers, 5. Davis, 6. J.R. McCreery, 7. LaRiviere, 8. Jason Schoenberger, 9. Wayne Walker, 10. Michael Zajic, 11. Glendening, 12. Kelly Ford

(DNF), 13. Bedore (DNF), 14. John Annon (DNF), 15. Brian Wise (DNF).

IMCA Hobby Stocks

Heat 1: 1. Kelly Karnopp, 2. Brandon Naasz, 3. Gene Sneath, 4. Justin Wagner.

Heat 2: 1. Wade Wagenblast, 2. Brady Schoen, 3. Jared Remus, 4. Barry Schoen.

Feature: 1. Wagenblast, 2. Brady Schoen, 3. Karnopp, 4. Dustin McClurg, 5. Barry Schoen, 6. Wagner, 7. Sneath, 8. Remus, 9. Phil Hinger, 10. Rhona Annon, 11. Laura Hinger, 12. Adam Balthazor (DNF), 13. Naasz (DNF), 14. Ricky Gitchel (DNF).

Cruisers

Heat 1: 1. Jeff Kleen/Mark Goebel, 2. Nick Horn/Tim Horn, 3. Jebb Tally/Gerry Tally, 4. Joe Carter/Jim Carter.

Heat 2: 1. Mike Hockemeier/Jim Ellis, 2. Macy Thomas/Kimberly Thomas, 3. Brian Smith/Heather Wardell, 4. Mike Selbe/Stacy Selbe.

Feature: 1. Carter/Carter, 2. Hockemeier/Ellis, 3. Kleen/Goebel, 4. Tally/Tally, 5. Horn/Horn, 6. Selbe/Selbe, 7. Thomas/Thomas, 8. Jesse Stithem/Jordan Stithem, 9. Bret Marietta/Brent Stallman, 10. Colby Carpenter/Hawk Ellis, 11. Wes Eagleburger/Chuck Eagleburger (DNF), 12. Smith/Wardell (DNF).

SUMMER SALE SPECIALS

2004 CHRYSLER PT CRUISER TOURING EDITION — 4 door, electric blue, auto. trans.

2004 CHRYSLER PACIFICA SPORTS TOURING SEDAN — 4 door, dual air, 6 passenger, butane blue

2005 DODGE DURANGO SLT — 4 door, 4X4, 4.7 V-8's, auto. trans., rear seating, rear air, program cars, flame red

2004 DODGE DURANGO SLT — Black limited, 14,000 miles

2003 DODGE 3/4 TON QUAD CAB — Short box, diesel, 4x4, SLT, blue and silver, auto. transmission

2001 DODGE 3/4 TON QUAD CAB — Long box, diesel, 4x4, SLT, silver color, auto. transmission.

2001 DODGE QUAD CAB 1/2 TON 4X4 SLT — Blue color, 360 V8, auto, 27,000 miles.

2002 DODGE DAKOTA QUAD CAB 4X4 SLT — Blue color, new tires, one owner, 4.7, V-8.

2001 DODGE STRATUS RT COUPE — Indy red, V-6, auto., CD player, 53,000 miles.

2004 CHRYSLER CONCORD LX — 4 door, red color, V-6, air, tilt, cruise, 23,000 miles.

1998 FORD ESCORT ZX2 — 2 door, silver gray color, auto. trans., air, tilt, cruise, 68,000 miles.

(2) NEW 2006 CHRYSLER 300'S — (1) Touring Sedan, satin jade; (1) 300C Sedan, cool vanilla

(2) NEW 2005 DAKOTA QUAD CABS 4X4 SLT — (1) Atlantic blue; (1) Brite Silver

(3) 2005 DODGE RAM 2500 QUAD 4X4 DIESEL — With auto. transmission — (1) Atlantic blue; (1) Silver; (1) Flame red and silver

(1) NEW 2005 DODGE RAM — 350 dually quad cab, diesel, 6 speed, white color

(1) NEW 2005 DODGE GRAN CARAVAN SXT — Butane blue, 3.8 engine, stow and go package.

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