

BEAMAN

MRS. IRA SANDERSON

Beaman Co-Op Annual Meeting

12-22-49

The Beaman Coop. Co. held its annual meeting and election of officers in the Legion Hall Wednesday evening with a large crowd in attendance. Following the business meeting the guests were entertained by a magician from Marshalltown, after which lunch was served by the W.S.C.S.

Officers whose terms had expired but who were re-elected were: Russell Glass, president; C. O. Myers, secretary; Ted Boss, board member.

Mrs. Trena Kaput Dies

Trena Von Deese Kaput, the daughter of John and Trena Von Deese, was born in Germany Nov. 15, 1851, and died at the home of her son, Reent Kaput, London, Minn., Dec. 13, 1949, at the age of 98 years and 28 days.

She was united in marriage to John R. Kaput, March 30, 1873, at Wymer, Germany. Mr. Kaput died March 1st, 1924, at Beaman. She is survived by 6 children, Reent Kaput, London, Minn.; Mrs. Trena Klinkenhagen, Germany; John Kaput, Beaman; Mrs. Henry Byl, Mason City; Harm Kaput, Conrad; and Kurt Kaput, Gladbrook. One son died in infancy. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Ennis Koch, Conrad, and Mrs. John Winterbore, Germany; 19 grandchildren and 26 great grandchildren. There are also nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Mrs. Kaput was a life long member of the Evangelical Reformed church and had the early teaching and training which that church affords the young and which expressed itself in her life, for she was one of high integrity, thrift, and neighborliness which won her many friends.

GEORGE HITCHCOCK IN FLORIDA FOR WINTER

George A. Hitchcock writes from Palmetto, Florida, that he is there for the winter and asks that the Grundy Register be sent to him so that he can keep in-

formed on what is going on among the folks at home while he is away.

Little Jerry Sanderson spent a few days at Wellsburg in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindaman.

Mrs. H. L. Hertema and Sharon of Grundy Center were Wednesday evening callers in the Ira Sanderson home.

A large crowd attended the covered dish supper and pageant, held in the Methodist church on Sunday night.

The W.S.C.S. held their regular meeting Wednesday in the church parlors. Mrs. Hamer Neff led the devotions and Mrs. Jane McMartin presented the lesson. A Christmas number was sung by a trio, composed of Mesdames Jack Rattray, R. L. Oglesby and Ira Sanderson. Rev. Kenderdine pleased with a solo and Mrs. Hamer Neff read several poems, after which lunch was served by Lulu Myers, Ethel Vint, Julia Kitzman and Myrtle Arends.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Sharp and son spent Saturday and Sunday at Sumner at the home of Mrs. Sharp's sister. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Sharp's mother who will visit here indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sanderson were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hertema.

Lynn Oglesby, who attends school at Iowa City, is spending his Christmas vacation at the home of his parents, the R. L. Oglesbys.

Guests in the B. H. Rowe home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nagle, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Rowe and Stephanie of Waterloo and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ludemann and Jane and Ann of Cedar Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas of Green Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Thomas and Glenda of Grundy Center and Mr. and Mrs. Orin Soules of Marshalltown were Sunday evening callers in the C. U. Thomas, Sr., home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rowe spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harm Hertema.

Mrs. C. U. Thomas, Sr., is on the sick list.

Robert L. Groesbeck and Delene Coffman Married

Miss Delene Coffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Coffman of Liscomb, became the bride of Robert Lyle Groesbeck, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Groesbeck of Beaman, in a double ring ceremony at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the parsonage of the Central Church of Christ in Marshalltown, Rev. P. G. Dennis officiating. Their only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Groesbeck of Beaman, brother and sister-in-law of the groom.

The bride wore a poudre blue gabardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds and her attendant wore a brown suit with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow pompons. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a Bulova wrist watch.

They have been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Groesbeck but left Monday to spend a week at the home of the former's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold LeMay of Hartley.

Mrs. Groesbeck graduated from the Liscomb high school in 1943 and Mr. Groesbeck graduated from the Beaman high school in 1935. He has been in the army since November, 1940, when he left Marshalltown with Co. H of the National Guard and served 38 months overseas, receiving his discharge from the army at Fitzsimons General hospital in Denver, Colo., on October 18, 1945. He served as a transportation corporal while overseas and is entitled to wear the Good Conduct ribbon, the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon, the European Theatre ribbon with six battle stars, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Presidential Unit Citation and the French Croix de Guerre.

Thomas Store Sold To J. J. Rattray

J. J. Rattray purchased the Thomas Store last week, and will take possession the first of the year. Mr. Rattray has managed the Thomas store for the past 8 years. Mr. Clayton Thomas Sr. has been in the store business in Beaman for nineteen years, moving here with his family from Clearwater, Florida, in 1926. He will still continue to operate the Thomas Implement in partnership with his son, Clayton Thomas Jr.

Last Friday, Lynn Oglesby gave a very interesting report on "Television" and how we will soon be using it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Henningson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Martin Myers and Mr. and Mrs. John Zink entertained twenty guests at a Halloween party Wednesday evening in the Legion Hall. The evening was spent in playing cards, games and contests and refreshments.