Northwest School Staff Honors Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nylund

Members of the staff of the Northwest School and Station welcomed Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nylund with a reception on April 17 at the home of Superintendent and Mrs. T. M. McCall. The marriage of R. E. Nylund to Miss Catherine E. Wynn of Redwood Falls was solemnized at the home of the bride on Sunday, April 7.

The reception was in the nature of a surprise to the newlyweds. Entertainment was provided by a marriage club quiz with A. M. Foker as master of ceremonies. Superintendent T. M. McCall presented Mr. and Mrs. Nylund with an appropriate gift from the Northwest School staff families.

Committees in charge of general arrangements for the reception included: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Christgau, chairman; Mr. and Mrs. Juel Torvi, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Foker, Superintendent and Mrs. McCall, and J. W. Mlinar.

The Nylund, a horticulturist at the Northwest School and Station since July 1, 1939, has held the position formerly occupied by A. C. Vogele. Mrs. Nylund has been the county 4-H club leader in Washington county for the past three summers with headquarters at Stillwater. High school students will live in the Farm House apartment formerly occupied by the Vogele family.

4-H Club Week, June 10-15

The twenty-ninth annual 4-H club week at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, is scheduled for June 10-15. Minot Thorbeck, district leader of 4-H clubs, announces that county contests for the selection of county winners in the 4-H one-act play and music events are now in progress. Advance figures on enrollment indicate that more than one thousand boys and girls from thirteen Red River Valley counties will be in attendance with approximately five-hundred present in each of the two groups. Special training courses are to be offered county and local 4-H club leaders which arrangement permits leaders in each county to accompany their club groups to the camp. The county group which makes June 10-12 includes East and West Polk, Mahnomen, Norman, Becker, Clay, East and West Ottertail. County group number two which meets June 13-15 includes the counties of Marshall, Red Lake, Pennington, Clearwater, Kittson, Roseau, and Lake of the Woods.

High Enrollment in Project Work

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 2) beef, 3; beekeeping, 1; building construction, 1; carpentry, 3; corn, 12; dairy production, 6; farm account, 4; fertilizer, 27; gardening, 9; home beautification, 10; horse labor, 5; insects, 14; Minn., 1; poultry, 1; pork, 1; pottery, 17; poultry house construction, 4; plant identification, 11; pure seed, 34; potatoes, 20; rocks and minerals, 12; sheep, 1; tractor, 24; weed, 7; windbreak, 7; weather, 51.

Advanced Class

Won Field Meet

The Advanced class, with a score of 165%, won the annual interclass field meet which was held on Saturday, March 23. The Seniors ranked second with 125 points, followed in order by the Juniors with 124% and freshmen 59. The Junior boys ranked first in swimming and in the girls' field meet the freshmen took top honors.

Several new records were made in athletic events. In girls' swimming, Camilla Ecklund, Hollock, established a new record of 1.66 seconds in the 100 yard relay. Ilia Grove, Roosevelt, and Annabelle Jeffrey, East Grand Forks, made a new record of 23.8 seconds in the tandem backstroke.

In the boys' field meet, Harris Floan of Melvin set the new school record of 1.188/10 for the indoor quarter mile. The Junior relay swimming team composed of William Patuck, Stephen, Sergus Amundson, Whitefish, Montana, and Maurice Dufault of Argyle, set the new mark of 1:50.20 in the 100 yard relay.

Sunrise Service Held

On Easter Sunday

An impressive "sunrise" Easter service was held at the Northwest School on March 24. A joint meeting of the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Association. Easter Sunday has occurred during the school year only twice in the entire history of the school and will not occur again during the regular school year until 1961. Easter was observed on March 29 in the year of 1913.

The auditorium was attractively decorated with large numbers of Easter ililies and other potted plants. The Easter message was delivered by Superintendent T. M. McCall who spoke on the theme "The New Day." The prelude was played by Mary Nelson at the organ with violin obbligato by Harris Floan. The school choir chanted The Lord's Prayer, and two special selections, Katherine Ann Viker read the Easter story and Edith Clow read the closing prayer.

STUDENTS RECEIVE AWARDS AT COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 1) winners were Clara Syverson, McIntosh, freshman girl; Henry Hoff, Ernest Odegard, Ferdinand Falls, freshman boy; Elmer Warnekrog, senior boy; Telford Slettvedt, Oklee, senior boy. The Northwest School Alumni Scholarship of twenty-five dollars, awarded annually to a boy or girl from the Freshman and Junior classes who excel in scholarship and make the greatest contribution to the school and class, was won by Clarence Sargent of Crookston, Junior, and Philip Hayes of Pencer, a Freshman. The O. W. Peterson Memorial Award to the student making the greatest progress in voice was won by

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Senior Day Observed

The members of the 1940 graduating class at the Northwest School celebrated their Senior Day on March 21 in the traditional manner by changing classes, staging programs at the school assembly and at dinner in the school dining hall.

The Seniors in their gay purple and gold caps and gowns made a colorful spectacle at the school assembly when they presented a pageant of class progress through the three years in school. Owen Wiekowski, of Hazel, acted as master of ceremonies for the assembly program with John Brown of Gary as narrator. The class advisers Misses Grace Warne and R. S. Dunham furnished the two-piano musical background for the pageant. At the conclusion of the pageant, Edward McMillan, editor-in-chief of the 1940 Red River Aggie paid tribute to the faculty for their helpful cooperation and dedicated the yearbook to them. Mr. McMillan paid special tribute to J. W. Milinar and Miss Martha Manning, faculty supervisors of the yearbook, for their help and guidance in publishing the 1940 Aggie. Complimentary copies of the Aggie were presented by the editor-in-chief to Superintendent T. M. McCall, J. W. Milinar, Martha Manning, R. S. Dunham, and Grace Warne, Miss Carol Meyer, class adviser during the Freshman and Junior years, and the editor-in-chief of the 1941 Aggie, Clarence Sargent. Miss Elsie Mae Kingston, instructor in sewing and domestic art, who supervised the making of the Senior day capes was presented with a Senior cape and a 1940 Aggie. The "Aggies" were distributed during the afternoon and the day's festivities closed with the 6:00 P.M. dinner program in the school dining hall. Harvey Pederson, president of the Senior class, acted as toastmaster for the dinner program. Music was provided by Leroy Hanson and Donald Nelson, who sang a duet, and Superintendent T. M. McCall, of Gary, who spoke on the subject "What is a School Tradition." The program was concluded with selections from Stephen Foster melodies by a group of ten boys, the Senior Hall Smoothies.

Ed Widseth Addresses Honors Banquet

The annual Honors Banquet of the Northwest School was held in the Aggie Inn at the school on the evening of March 20. A total of sixty-six students, winners of the coveted honor A in subcollegiate competition, together with ten coaches and guests were present at the banquet. Ed Widseth, All-American tackle and alumnus of the Northwest School was the main speaker of the program. A. M. Foker, chairman of the athletic committee, was toastmaster at the banquet, and called on the captains of the subcollegiate athletes to be member from each of the judging and debate squads to speak on the past season. The new yearbook publication, The Aggie, was presented to the graduating seniors and newly elected students of the Northwest School by Superintendent T. M. McCall spoke on ideals and traditions in subcollegiate

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