

# JUNIOR REVIEW PROVES A REAL RADIO PROGRAM

### PLATTSMOUTH SCHOOL TALENT PROVIDE LISTENERS WITH PLEASING OFFERING

## NUMBERS ALL COME IN STRONG

#### Broadcast from Station WOAW, Omaha—One of Best Community Programs Yet Given.

From Saturday's Daily—  
Plattsmouth was in the air last evening—not over the result of the grand jury investigations—but on the occasion of the Junior Review radio program that was broadcast from Station WOAW at Omaha.

The opening number on the program was by the saxophone quartet, composed of Harlan, Martha and Frederick Gorder and Ruth Tidball, entitled "Golden Sunset," and as well as their later number "Shepherd's Dream" and the encore number "Dreamy Melodies" were played in a manner that won a place in the hearts of the radio fans listening in on their offerings.

The program had two violin solos, "Mist in G," played by August Knoflick of the 10th grade, and "Canzonetta," played by George Caldwell of the 8th grade. Both are high class selections and the two young artists showed an unusual skill and accuracy in their playing that promises a great future for them in their musical work. Both of these lads come from musical families and have a talent well worthy of their training in the technique of the violin.

Miss Fields and Mrs. A. D. Caldwell were the accompanists.

Two piano solos were also given during the evening, the first "Second Mazurka," by Godard, being played by Miss Edith Quinton, one of the talented young pianists of the city and was very pleasing, while the second was the well known and difficult "Prelude in C Sharp Minor," one of the favorite compositions of Rachmaninoff, one of the greatest of

the modern day musicians, which was played by Miss Helen Wescott, who was also heard with the greatest of delight by the fans in a number of accompaniments during the course of the program.

The mixed trio, composed of Helen Wescott, Catherine Schneider, Violet Begley, sopranos; Edith Jelick, Ruth Campbell, Mildred Crom, Edith Quinton, altos; Damian Flynn, Henry Leacock and Clyde Graves, baritone, also offered a very pleasing number, "When de Banjo Plays," that was a most entertaining feature. Miss Helen Wurl was accompanist for this number.

Two of the youngest vocalists of the city were heard in solo numbers that added to the delight of the listeners in. Master James Begley, aged 9, singing "That Old Gang o' Mine" in the usual delightful manner that has made "Jimmie" such a favorite, while Donald Theelen, aged 12, sang "Sunshine," one of the latest offerings of Carole Jacobs Bonn, proving to be a real "find" in the musical talent of the city.

One of the numbers that was full of pep and pleasing melody was the group piano and drum duets, "Harvard" and "Soldiers' Field" played by Miss Helen Wescott and Edgar Wescott, these two artists making the swinging strains of the number full of action and artistic rendition.

Two of the numbers that are deserving of more than usual praise were the soprano solo, "Wonder Why," by Miss Catherine Schneider, the piano accompaniment being by Miss Helen Wescott and the violin obligato by Miss Violet Begley, and the baritone solo, "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise," sang by Damian Flynn and in which Miss Wescott was also accompanist. Both of the young vocalists showed the real beauty of their voices in the selections and won the warm approval of the listeners in.

The number "Wonder Why" was dedicated to Elmer Webb of this city, who has worked so efficiently in the making of this as well as the two preceding Plattsmouth radio programs such a success, and who received a very worthy compliment from Gene Rouse, the irrefragable announcer at Station WOAW.

Superintendent E. DeWolf was heard in a few minutes talk on the Plattsmouth schools and gave a short, clear and concise statement of the schools, their enrollment, the different departments that are training the young people and the ambitions of the school and the instructors to fit their charges for the best class of men and women in the world's citizenship and also touched on the fine physical plant that houses the students in their studies. Mr. DeWolf has a good "radio voice" and those who heard him certainly have a very clear conception of the Plattsmouth school.

Miss Alice Louise Wescott was heard in two of her whistling numbers, "Listen to the Mocking Bird" and the "Serenade" by Schubert, the piano accompaniment being played by her uncle, Mr. E. H. Wescott. This

talented young lady has been heard on a previous program given by the Plattsmouth artists and her second appearance was a delight to the thousands of unseen listeners.

The girls' trio, composed of Catherine Schneider, Helen Wescott, Edith Jelick, Edith Quinton, Ruth Campbell and Mildred Crom, with accompaniment played by Miss Helen Wurl, sang "Esmeralda," which was a very pleasing offering, as was also the school duet, "I Dream I Dwell in Marble Halls," from the Bohemian Girl, played by Walter Johnson and Isabel Hartley, and these two artists proved that they are comers in this line of musical work by the skill and accuracy with which they gave their selection.

The Plattsmouth part of the program closed with a few of the school yells and songs led by Damian Flynn, and the concert was closed with a few offerings by "G R" himself.

It is regrettable that a number of the telegrams sent from this city did not reach the station before the close of the concert, but of course they will be mailed back here along with the hundreds of mail communications that will come in during the next few days and be turned over to the ent for their perusal.

Those in charge of the arrangements feel very grateful to T. H. Pollock for providing free bridge as well as the following car owners who transported the talent and to all from Omaha: J. F. Gorder, John Tidball, Judge Begley, H. A. Schneider, L. B. DeWolf.

Every one of the numbers came in fine and certainly Plattsmouth can feel proud of her young people and appreciative of the services of WOAW in telling the world that we have a real school system filled with young talent for their perusal.

## DEATH OF MRS. PETER VALLERY THIS MORNING

### Passed Away at an Early Hour This Morning at Home of Daughter, Mrs. Alvin Johnson.

From Saturday's Daily—  
While the new day was just springing into being, at 4:30 this morning at the home of her daughter at Havelock, Mrs. Peter J. Vallery answered the summons to the sleep that knows no awakening on this earth and quietly slipped from the circle of her loved ones to her last long rest.

The death of Mrs. Vallery was not unexpected as she has been in very poor health for past few weeks, suffering from heart trouble which has caused her to gradually grow worse until death came to her relief.

The deceased lady has lived the greater part of her lifetime in Cass county and was known as a most loving and kind friend and neighbor and one willing to share and comfort her friends in their sorrows and misfortunes and she will be one greatly missed in the golden circle of friendship.

Eva Schlender was born at Pekin, Illinois, August 13, 1862, and when young girl came to Nebraska with her family, settling in the vicinity of Plattsmouth where she was later united in marriage to Peter J. Vallery who with the three children, Will J. Vallery of Havelock, Mrs. Alvin Johnson of Havelock and Mrs. Warren Durrell of this city are left to mourn her death. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. John Bergman of this city to mourn her passing.

The body of Mrs. Vallery will reach here Sunday evening at 9:30 and will be taken to the home of Mrs. John Bergman, residing to the fact that the Vallery home where the Durrell family resides is under quarantine. The old friends who desire to take a last farewell may do so by calling at the Bergman home any time up to Monday noon.

The funeral services will be held Monday at 2 o'clock from the First Presbyterian church and conducted by Rev. H. G. McClusky.

words of comfort to the bereaved wife and children and the many sorrowing friends. The old favorite hymns of the deceased were sung by the choir of the church during the services, at the close of which the body was laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery.

## DOES ADVERTISING PAY?

That the Journal advertising pays is very conclusively shown by the following letter received at this office which is a very pleasing tribute to the fact that the advertisers get their value and results in their advertising this paper:

Omaha, Neb.  
December 4, 1923.  
Plattsmouth Journal,  
Plattsmouth, Neb.  
Dear Editor:—  
Kindly discontinue the small want ad running in your paper for the rental of my farm near Union. I want to tell you that you need not hesitate in telling the people that your worthy paper gets results. Dozens of letters have arrived here in answer to the ad and I have rented the farm. I most certainly shall again advertise in the Journal when I have need for such.

Very truly yours,  
P. D. MCCORMICK.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. PEARCE

From Saturday's Daily—  
The funeral of the late Mrs. Jack Pearce will be held on Monday afternoon at the home in Lincoln and the body laid to rest in the Wyuka cemetery there, telephone message from the family received here last evening states. In the sorrow that has come to them, Mr. Pearce and the two sons will have the deep sympathy of the many friends here.

## MORE NEW BILLS IN THE HOUSE HOPPER

McLaughlin of Nebraska Would Repeal Interstate Commerce and Transportation Acts.

Washington, Dec. 6.—Numerous bills introduced in the house, among which were the following:

Representative McLaughlin, republican, Nebraska, asked the repeal of the interstate commerce act and the transportation act of 1915.

Liberalization of the immigration laws was asked by Representative Graham, republican, Illinois, to permit the entry into this country on grounds of exemption of children under eighteen years of age, whose parents are citizens of the United States and of wives and husbands of citizens.

Entry by the United States into the international copyright union was proposed by Representative Bloom, democrat, New York, who declares that "millions of dollars are lost annually by pirating of play books, motion pictures and popular American songs because this country is not a member of the union."

Amendments to the national prohibition act to provide for heavier fines and prison terms was advocated in a measure by Representative Stalker, republican, New York. He would have persons convicted of manufacturing or selling intoxicating liquor fined from \$200 to \$1,000 and sentenced to prison for not less than ninety days nor more than one year on first offense and for a subsequent conviction to be fined not less than \$500 or more than \$2,000 and sentenced to prison for not less than six months or more than five years.

## ACTING CHIEF OF POLICE

From Saturday's Daily—  
The position of chief of police of the city is at the present time being filled by Jess Elliott, street commissioner, who is doubling in the two capacities appointed to the office. Jess has been the utility man of the city as he has served very ably as policeman on different occasions and also did some very effective work as street commissioner and seems a good man in any position to which he is called by his duties.

## SAYS DRY ACT IS WINKED AT

William Dudley Foulke Demands a Reform by Repeal or Amendment of Volstead Law

Washington, Dec. 6.—Repeal or amendment of the Volstead act is the most important item in the modification of the present system of appointing enforcement officers, William Dudley Foulke, president of the National Civil Service Reform league, asserted tonight before the third annual convention of the league.

The administration was described by Mr. Foulke as "a frightful yet profitable object lesson of the inherent vices of the spoils system," which he said was resulting in a serious public reaction against the Volstead law. He predicted, however, that attempts to repeal or amend the law during the present session of congress would not be successful.

Cases in which prohibition agents and state directors had been convicted of corruption under both the democratic and the republican administrations were cited by the speaker as "merely samples from the bulk."

"The posts of state director and enforcement agent were the most coveted of the patronage plum," he continued, "because bribery rendered them very profitable. Appointments were made on the behests of senators and representatives who in their turn generally followed the demands of the state, county and local political organizations, and the worst men with the strongest political backing secured the places."

Prohibition Commissioner Haynes and Attorney General Daugherty were accused by Mr. Foulke of pursuing a "policy of concealment" regarding violation of the law by their subordinates, the effect of which had been to lull the friends of law and order into a false sense of security. Now that the real condition is becoming known, he added, public confidence in Commissioner Haynes' official statements has been utterly destroyed.

## WILL VISIT OVER HOLIDAYS

Mrs. Sam Giventer of this city is to enjoy the holiday season visiting with relatives and friends in northern Iowa, and expects to spend some time there. She will first visit at Fort Dodge with her father, Max Sherman and from there will go to Mason City where she will visit with a sister, Mrs. Sam Lipner and family before returning home.

## BIG OYSTER SUPPER AND BAZAAR AT CEDAR CREEK

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid of Cedar Creek will give an oyster supper and bazaar in the hall there on Thursday night, Dec. 13th. Every body invited. 46-25w SO

Kathleen will be here Thursday and Friday. 100 Plattsmouth people in the cast.

## "Down Through the Chimney"

—and what will he have for dad?

Good old dad! He gives unstintingly to make others happy on Christmas, and too often he has to be content with a box of asphyxiating cigars, or some other inappropriate article. Make this a happy Christmas for dad. Give him a real man's gift—something desirable and useful—something he will truly appreciate!

## A Gift Certificate for a Kuppenheimer Suit or Overcoat!

Here are more real gift suggestions for men—

- Gloves, Ties,
- Mittens, Shirts,
- House Coats!

## Your Photograph—the economical Gift, that is always appreciated!

A free calander enclosing your photo with each dozen!

## Werner Studio

COATES BLOCK  
The photographer in your town.

## STATUTE NOT IN OPERATION SAYS SUPREME COURT

A. O. U. W. Will Have to Pay Former Nebraska City Woman Insurance of Husband.

From Saturday's Daily—  
The supreme court Friday held that the A. O. U. W. must pay to Mrs. Christina Wirtele, for many years a resident of Nebraska City, the \$2,000 due on a policy on the life of her husband. He joined the order in 1896 and in 1914 he and his wife went to Stuttgart, Germany, to live, but still retained their American citizenship.

Wirtele died there in 1915, and his widow forwarded proofs of his death. By means of a German submarine or something like it the letter never reached the secretary of the grand lodge, and war breaking out with Germany shortly thereafter the American mails were closed to communications from the fatherland. So it was that it was not until 1921 that the proofs were finally furnished. The order refused to pay on the ground that more than five years had elapsed since the death, and this, under the contract, relieved it of liability.

The supreme court says that under the trading with the enemy act, Mrs. Wirtele came within the class designated therein as "alien enemy," and could not, therefore, so long as the war lasted, resort to the courts of this country as a plaintiff. It also holds that during the war period, the operation of the statute of limitations was suspended in respect of such alien enemy's cause of action against a citizen or corporation of the United States, she having lived there during its duration and retained her American citizenship.

The claim was made that the alien property custodian could have represented her, but the court says that no such powers were conferred by congress upon him. The order will have to pay \$250 attorney fees, these being costs and properly chargeable at an adjourned session of the court. It is not necessary that they be fixed at the time judgment is entered.



## Poultry Wanted!

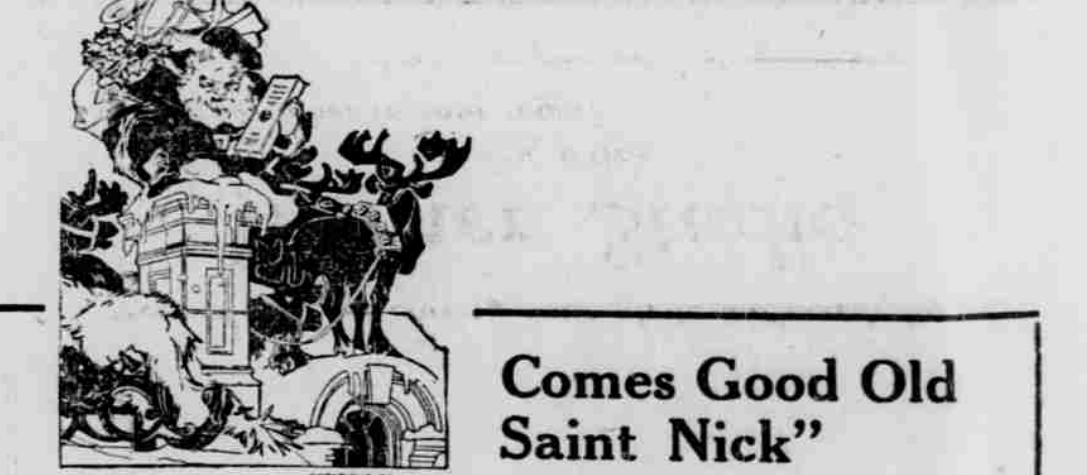
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 12TH  
Plattsmouth, Nebraska

A car load of live poultry wanted to be delivered at poultry car near the Burlington freight house, Plattsmouth WEDNESDAY, Dec. 12th, one day only, for which we will pay the following—

**CASH PRICES**

Springs, per lb.	15c
Hens, per lb.	16c
Old Cox, per lb.	7c
Turkeys, per lb.	22c
Geese, per lb.	13c
Ducks, per lb.	13c
Leghorn Poultry 30 lb. less	

**Farmers, Notice**  
WEDNESDAY is our regular buying day in Plattsmouth and we will positively be there on the date advertised in this ad, prepared to take all poultry that may be offered us at the above prices.  
**W. E. KEENEY.**



## Comes Good Old Saint Nick

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- Mufflers,
- Socks, Belts and
- Fancy Buckles!



# Coats

like these combine warmth with style, and our U. N. C. Chain store buying power enables us to sell them

## \$25 \$30 \$35

## C. E. Wescott's Sons

"ON THE CORNER"  
Make a date with Kathleen on the 13th and 14th

## GIVES OUTLINE OF THE CEMETERY SITUATION

From Saturday's Daily—  
"And there came a certain poor widow and she threw in two mites, which made a farthing."—Mark 12: 42. 'Twas ever thus. This same condition exists in our city.

There are people in Plattsmouth who will ride their cars on the sidewalks, their fine cars over pavement paid for by those who can least afford it. Can it be that you want your neighbor to foot the bill for the conveniences that you use.

For years the cry has been "Our cemetery is a disgrace." The city council has at last started the work of improvement. The Civic committee of the Woman's club has tried to be of assistance. We do not claim superior wisdom. We do claim to have done the best we know how and the best that anyone has done up to this time, our one regret being that lack of funds precludes paving all the roads in the cemetery. However, more paving is contemplated. We are satisfied with the paving thus far laid. We are not satisfied with the way people have responded to the call for money.

No one can be forced to give. It's up to the civic pride of each citizen. Many farmers living near to Plattsmouth have the use of our cemetery and should help with the improvements. You may never own a lot in Oak Hill cemetery, but you are a part of this community and as such should share the burdens as well as the privileges you inherit. If you do own a lot, your duty is obvious. Give your little hammer a rest and pay up. (Signed)

## CIVIC COMMITTEE

## HOLD SUCCESSFUL FAIR

From Saturday's Daily—  
The Q. Z. fair and auxiliary chicken pie supper held in the parlors of the Presbyterian church last evening were the most successful in the history of the church. The parlors were made hospitable and inviting by the care of artistic hands. Both supper tables and needlework booths were gay with a generous background of Christmas greens and brilliant reds, while the candy and popcorn booths were the dainty pink, lavender and yellow tones.

During the supper hour the Holly orchestra graciously entertained the almost 300 participants. Never was music more fitting to the hour or more happily received.

After a most successful sale of needlework, popcorn and candy, the workers departed, feeling well rewarded for their hours of hard work.

## SHOPS HAVE A HOLIDAY

From Saturday's Daily—  
The employees of the Burlington shops are enjoying a holiday today as the result of orders received by the management of the shops and in pursuance of the policy in use over all of the shops of the company to give the men a rest and to curtail the operating expenses toward the close of the year. While the short week is used it will save the necessity of cutting the force and is as a whole more pleasing to all concerned. The railroad leaders of the country are predicting a great revival in their lines the coming year and after the 1st of January there will probably be large increases in the volume of business and the number of men employed.

## FARMERS, ATTENTION

Send 25 cents for a booklet, all about a field crop, that will pay good interest on \$300.00 land. A crop that builds up your soil. Write today. M. A. Larson, Central City, Nebr. 46-31w

## NOTICE, D. A. R.

Fontenelle chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet with Miss Pauline Liston on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members unable to attend will please notify the hostess.

## FUNERAL OF E. L. JAHRIK

From Thursday's Daily—  
The funeral services of the late E. L. Jahrik were held Tuesday afternoon at the S. Paul's church and were very largely attended by many friends of years standing to share with the family the sorrow that had come to them at this time. The pastor of the church, Rev. H. Kottich, conducted the services and brought

Blank books at Journal office.