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## Thurtle-Nowacek Wedding Held at Lincoln

### Young People Married at St. Mary's Cathedral—Will Locate at Minneapolis.

White peonies and roses with the altar tapers formed the background for the marriage of Miss Mary Lucille Thurtle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thurtle of Lincoln, to Charles G. Nowacek, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nowacek, of Plattsmouth, which was solemnized at 9 o'clock Thursday at St. Mary's cathedral at Lincoln. The Rev. A. J. Kraemer officiated at the service in the presence of one hundred and twenty-five guests.

J. C. Norman Richards, organist, played the Lohengrin bridal music as the processional entered the church, and the Mendelssohn music as the group left the altar. Lyle DeMoss sang "Ave Maria" at the offertory.

### Sister Maid of Honor.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Virginia Thurtle. Her frock of peach marquisette had a flowing skirt over peach taffeta. The tiny ruffling of the bodice outlined the neckline, which was caught by a knot of silk blossoms in pastel tints. With it, Miss Thurtle had a short jacket of the marquisette, with puff sleeves and tied at the waist. Her large hat of Tuscan straw was finished with a peach bow, and she carried Talisman roses.

Miss Florence Nowacek, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Elmer Means, another sister of the bride, were the bridesmaids. Mrs. Means was frocked in aqua blue and Miss Nowacek in pale pink, with matching slippers. Fashioned floor length, in net over taffeta, the frocks were moulded to the knees, where the flare was accentuated by gores of the taffeta and net. The inset net and taffeta were repeated in the short puffs for sleeves and the neckline, close to the throat, was held by two pink rosebuds against the points of the small taffeta collar. Taffeta belts with rhinestone buckles completed the frocks. Mrs. Means and Miss Nowacek wore black silk leaf horsehair picture hats, with a tiny nosegay on the brim and another caught into the long black streamers. Their colonial bouquets of assorted blossoms were tied with black velvet.

### Brother Best Man.

James Nowacek, brother of the bridegroom, was his best man. The ushers were Maurice Erickson, of Lubbock, Tex., and Leonard Hall, of Omaha.

The bride who entered with her father, was gowned in white silk net over bridal white satin. The high neckline was fashioned into a yoke finished with Valenciennes lace and the long tight sleeves, ending in hand points, had the full design at the shoulder. A buck cascade of soft folds, with the Valenciennes edging, fell from the fitted waistline, from where the separate train of net and lace also was draped. Mrs. Nowacek's finger tip veil of silk tulle, with its face covering, was held by a net cap with a narrow roll of satin for its only ornamentation. She carried a shower of white roses and swansonia.

A breakfast for forty relatives followed at Hotel Cornhusker in the assembly room. Snappedragons centered the tables, and the appointments were in pink and white with the bride's cake centering the table.

### Hold Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurtle were host and hostess for the reception at the home, 1459 Plum street, from 4 to 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon, during which hours one hundred and twenty-five called. Pink and green tapers and blossoms in harmonizing tones were used. Mrs. Robert Thurtle presided at the punch bowl the first hour, and assisting in serving were Mesdames Edgar Newman, Leonard Tangney, and Lorain Fisher. They were relieved the second hour by Mrs. Lottie Rugg, who poured, and Misses Leahora Bovey and Rosemary Kane in serving. Miss Mary White was in the gift room.

After June 20, the couple will be

at home in Minneapolis. Mrs. Nowacek is traveling in a California knit suit of Panama rose with schooner blue accessories.

Guests from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thurtle and Robert Joseph, Plainfield, N. J.; Mrs. Anna Cornish Metcalfe, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Cornish and children, Mrs. Lorain Fisher, Judge and Mrs. Ambrose Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White, and Leonard Hall, Omaha; Albert Cornish and Mrs. Alice Cornish, Meadow; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nowacek and Faustine, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hiber and Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vitousek, Mrs. Lillian Freeman, Plattsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Newman, Fremont; John Wurga, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hillf and Laura Margaret, Fairfield; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tangney, Denver; and Mrs. Lottie Goodin, Gordon.

## New Attorney to Locate in the City Shortly

### Walter H. Smith, of Bellwood, Will Locate Here to Enter on Practice of His Profession.

Walter H. Smith, of Bellwood, Nebraska, who was given his bachelor of law degree from the law school of Creighton university, June 3, 1937, and admitted to the bar on June 4, 1937, by Chief Justice Charles A. Goss, is expecting to locate in this city to practice law on or about July 1st when he will open his offices.

Walter H. Smith graduated from a rural high school, Marietta high, of Bellwood in 1931 and received his bachelor of philosophy degree from the Creighton university arts college in 1935.

During his college career at Creighton he was awarded the Creighton University philosophy medal, was appointed a member of Alpha Chi Kappa, honorary arts fraternity and for his scholarship, loyalty and services to the university was awarded membership in Alpha Sigma Nu, national honorary fraternity. As one of major extra-curricular activities he was a member of the Creighton debate squad and of the oratorical society.

Mr. Smith was also a member of the Creighton Knights of Columbus club, the Knights of the Bluejay, the Xavier forum, the Sodality, the Evidence guild and the Omaha Crusade conference. He also acted as prefect of the freshman dormitory for four years.

### RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

Miss Georgia White, deputy registrar of deeds, returned home Thursday evening after a very pleasant visit on the west coast with old friends and enjoying the many places of interest at Los Angeles, Long Beach and San Francisco.

Miss White found the time in southern California busy in meeting of friends and associates who are now residing in that part of the state. She was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Egenberger at Long Beach and reports them as doing fine and enjoying life very much. Among the other old time Plattsmouth friends that she met were Judge and Mrs. Allen J. Beeson of Long Beach, former County Attorney Calvin H. Taylor, Mrs. Myrtle Sander Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wurl and the Misses Florence and Genevieve McElroy who were school day friends. At San Francisco she had the pleasure of a trip over the new Golden Gate bridge, the largest in the world.

### HAS WRIST OPERATION

Carl Chriswiser, owner of the Wimpy Inn here, is recovering from the effect of a minor operation Friday at Omaha, the removal of a bone growth in the wrist which has been giving him some trouble. The wrist was injured while Carl was working in the grounds surrounding his place of business and the bone injury continued to grow worse until its removal was decided on. He is able to be around but will not be able to resume his usual activity for some time.

Phone news items to No. 6.

## William Long, Elmwood Man, Killed Today

### Caught in Shaft at Elmwood Water Plant, Aged Man Battered to Pieces This Morning.

William Long, 67, town marshal of Elmwood and in charge of the water pumping plant of that place, was discovered dead this morning in the engine room of the plant, his mangled body wrapped around a shaft where he had been battered to death. The accident had occurred at 10:15 as the broken watch of the dead man had stopped at that time, it being some time later that parties coming to the plant discovered the tragedy.

It was evident that the foot of Mr. Long had been caught in a rope attached to the pulley and cogs and apparently he had been dragged into the revolving shaft to a terrible death. The bones were crushed and the body pounded terribly.

The body was removed from the shaft and at that time it was discovered that his foot was caught by the rope.

Mr. Long and family have made their home in Elmwood for the past twenty years, he being engaged in the blacksmith business and in late years as the town marshal and looking after the operation of the water plant for the village.

He is survived by the widow and three sons, Merle and Earl of Elmwood, Virgil of Norfolk, and one daughter, Miss Nevada Long, who has been teaching in Central City.

One of the tragedies to the family was that the death came on the birthday anniversary of the twin sons, Earl and Merle.

### TO LOCATE IN CHICAGO

From Friday's Daily—John H. Palacek, who has been engaged in work at the shops of the Burlington Refrigerator Express Co., is leaving Sunday for Chicago where he will enter the services of the Burlington at their passenger yards in that city.

Mr. Palacek has been in the services of the Burlington since 1911 when he entered the shops here as an apprentice and in later years was assistant foreman of the coach shop, but with the removal of the coach work he was transferred to the BREX.

The new position will take him back to his work in the coach department and in caring for the coaches as they come in from their runs and are handled in the yards for any necessary checking. This is a very nice promotion and the many friends of Mr. Palacek will be pleased to learn of his advancement although regretting his having to leave the city.

### AD CLUB TAKES ACTION ON CITY ORDINANCES

Plattsmouth's Ad club took action upon the recommendation of two ordinances at the meeting Wednesday noon. The group went on record as favoring the Green River ordinance for the city of Plattsmouth.

Action was also taken upon the "bill peddling" ordinance. The ordinance, as passed by the city council some time ago, found much disfavor. It was referred back to the Ad club for their suggestions. A recommendation to the city council was made asking the prohibition of distribution in specified sections. No licenses for distribution are to be issued under the recommendation.

R. Foster Patterson was a visitor at the meeting. He gave a short talk following the luncheon.

### CONDITION ABOUT SAME

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Manners were at Lincoln Thursday evening to visit with G. H. Manners, local Spanish-American war veteran, at the U. S. Veterans' hospital. They found that "Harve" was about the same and is still under constant medical care and attention.

### STRANGER IS LOST

Thursday evening the members of the night police force noticed a car bearing a Minnesota license, being driven along the streets and the driver apparently lost as to his directions. The officers stopped the car and were informed that the driver wished to reach Osceola, Iowa, and he was accordingly directed how to reach his destination. The driver however failed to find the route to the Missouri river bridge and later was found driving around and still on the lookout for Osceola. On the advice of the officers he sought refuge at the Hotel Plattsmouth and this morning awoke refreshed and mind cleared and was gone with the wind to the Iowa city.

## Eagles Install New Officers on Thursday Nite

### William M. Barclay, Past State Worthy President Serves as Installing Officer.

Thursday evening Plattsmouth aerie No. 365 of the Fraternal Order of Eagles held their installation of officers and the occasion was very largely attended by the members of this live organization.

William M. Barclay, past grand worthy state president, served as the installing officer and in a most impressive manner charged the various officers with the duties of their offices.

The following officers elected were installed: Worthy President—Franklin Kief. Worthy Vice-President—O. E. Finnybrock. Worthy Chaplain—Harry Chandler.

Secretary—Edward Gabelman. Treasurer—B. G. Wurl. Conductor—Ernest Porter. Inside Guard—Dorman Bowman. Outside Guard—Max Pfitzmayr. Trustee—J. C. Wagon. Physician—Dr. R. V. Westover. Following the installation the members enjoyed the luncheon that had been arranged by the committee in charge.

### LOCAL WOMAN AND STORE MANAGER WIN WATCHES

A valuable Longines diamond wrist watch, offered as a prize on the Woodbury radio program "Follow the Moon," was won by Miss Dorothy Halmes here, for the best answer to a question asked over the air in the contest now being sponsored by the soap company. An identical prize was also awarded to H. M. Soennichsen, of the Black & White where the soap was purchased. Miss Halmes won the watch for her answer to the question "I like Woodbury's soap best for my skin because..." Mr. Soennichsen also won a diamond wristwatch for his cooperation. The contest is unique in that a consumer winner and a dealer cooperate to win awards for themselves.

The contest, which began on April 12th, will continue through June 18th, allowing ample time for additional participants to enter. During this time, 1000 diamond wristwatches will be given away at the rate of 100 a week. Fifty a week will be awarded to consumer participants and a like number to the dealers from whom the purchases are made.

Details of entering the contest may be learned on the afternoon radio program, "Follow the Moon," heard Monday through Friday over the National Broadcasting company. Elsie Hitz and Nick Dawson are stars of the romance-adventure air series.

### TO RESIDE HERE

C. W. Hafke, one of the old residents here, who has for the past three years been making his home with his son, William and family at Omaha, is returning to this city to reside. He is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson, the latter a daughter, and who resides in the Hafke home in the south part of the city. Mr. Hafke has kept his apiary and bees here and will now be able to devote his time to their care, he having been very successful in the past years.

## Rev. and Mrs. V. C. Wright are Home from Trip

### Have Delightful Auto Trip Through the Central West States to Oberlin, Ohio.

Rev. and Mrs. V. C. Wright have returned home from a very pleasant auto trip through the states of Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio, culminating in their attendance at the commencement exercises of Oberlin college at Oberlin, Ohio, where their son, Harry Wright, was among the members of the graduating class.

There were eighty-eight in the class, representing students from eight foreign countries and twenty-nine states of the union. Their son was among the high ranking students of the class. Robert Frost, noted poet and author was the class speaker.

Their son will remain at Oberlin to take some special post graduate work prior to taking up teaching work in the east in the fall, coming here later in the summer for a visit with the parents.

They found the general conditions excellent through the country they passed through and the crops looked very fine in Iowa and Illinois and exceptionally so in Indiana where one of the best crops in years is anticipated. On their return trip they stopped for a short time at Springfield, Illinois, to visit the home of Abraham Lincoln in that city, now a national shrine as well as the last resting place of the great civil war president. The trip covered some 2,000 miles.

### GUESTS FROM EAST

From Saturday's Daily—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner of Red Oak, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. W. M. Curtis and Dr. W. M. Curtis, extension economist, department of agricultural economy at Cornell University of Ithaca, N. Y., and Madam Curtis of Stockton, Ill., were guests at a dinner party at the E. H. Wescott home last evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Curtis are leaving July 15 for Nanking, China, where he will teach in the university in the department of farm management and cooperative marketing. The couple will live in the home of Dr. Buck, who is the former husband of Mrs. Pearl Buck, the writer. They expect to live in the orient two years. They have "round-the-world" tickets and will tour Europe on the trip.

### ONE UNDER PAR

From Thursday's Daily—Frank Horschack, president of the Plattsmouth golf club, last evening playing a threesome with Fred Howland and Roy Olson, made the course in one under par or 32. Frank, who started his career as a small boy adding for the experts such as Andy Moore, Gus Clodt, Jess Wurga, Dr. Westover, James Holmes, has proven one of the best in this section and had the honor of winning the southeastern cup two years ago and the city honors several times. He is evidently not slipping in his form.

The golf club has a new recruit in James Holy, one of the local mail carriers, who is getting the bug and has been out several times to try out the course. He is showing good form and in a short time will give the best of the players some competition.

### VISIT MILLION HOME

Recent visitors at S. J. Million home was Mrs. Dean Jackson, of Glenwood, Iowa, also Mrs. Paul McMahon of Glenwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith, and Miss Agnes Harris of Nebraska City, at present time. L. N. Million and family, of Big Springs, Texas, after a visit with his parents, will go to Flagstaff, Arizona, taking his mother, Mrs. S. J. Million along, there to see a daughter and sister of the family. L. N. Million is wireless operator for air mail at Big Springs, Texas.

### HERE FROM LINCOLN

From Friday's Daily—Hon. T. S. Allen and Mrs. Allen were in the city today from Lincoln. Mr. Allen looking after some legal matters in the county court and also visiting with old friends. Mr. Allen was at Washington several weeks ago as a representative of the state of Nebraska in the presentation of the statues of William Jennings Bryan and J. Sterling Morton to the national statutory hall as Nebraska's gift to the collection of national leaders of the past.

Mrs. Allen is the only sister of the late William Jennings Bryan and of former Governor Charles W. Bryan, and Mr. Allen a member of one of the old Cass county families as the Allan family resided for many years near Wabash.

## Preparing for Work on New River Dock

### A. H. Sorensen of Lincoln Assigned Here as Project Engineer on New Improvement Work Program

The Missouri river dock project at this point is gradually being arranged so that the actual work of construction can be started as soon as the material is on the ground.

A. H. Sorensen, of Lincoln, has been sent here as the project engineer on the job and will assist in the carrying on of the working plans of the dock.

A land driver of the Kansas City Bridge company will be used in the driving of pile for the dock and Friday a motor to be used in the driver arrived and will be installed at once.

The material for the dock construction has been ordered but so far has not arrived and this has checked the actual start of the building of the dock.

The building to be used as an office for those in charge of the engineering work has been erected and is in readiness for use when the project is underway.

### FINE RESPONSE TO MOVIE

A fine response among the children and parents was made to the free moving picture sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary Wednesday afternoon and evening. 130 children attended the matinee. In addition to the story of T. B. prevention, a Mickey Mouse picture was shown. In the evening nearly 100 parents attended the picture. A Zeppelin crash picture was added to the afternoon program.

The picture shown yesterday took up the life of an ordinary family. The young people contracted T. B. The picture showed the discovery of symptoms and the final cure and restoration to normal health. Pictures were shown free of charge by Floyd Marlow, operator of the Marlow Hamburger Shops in Omaha.

Members of the Auxiliary hope to go on with the follow-up program in Plattsmouth. The next step will consist of skin tests for tuberculosis.

### SELECT NEW TEACHERS

From Saturday's Daily—The board of education at their meeting last night selected three teachers for the ensuing year and who will fill the vacancies in the grades created by the resignation of Miss King, Miss Lee and Miss Hall. The new teachers selected are Catherine Kimsey, of Stella, who has been teaching the past year in the Blue Hill schools, Miss Sylvia Korbel of Crete and Mrs. W. G. Kieck of this city, a former member of the city teaching force prior to her marriage.

The elections fill all but the position of music supervisor which was made vacant by the resignation of Lee Knolle as a member of the faculty.

### BREAKS ARM

From Friday's Daily—Troy Cotner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cotner, fell while roller skating last evening and broke his left arm. It has been set and he is apparently getting along very nicely.

## Thirty-Two Local Students Aided by NYA

### \$870 Expended Here During School Year in Work for Students of the School.

National Youth Administration part-time student aid jobs provided earnings totalling \$870 for thirty-two Plattsmouth high school students during the 1936-37 school year, according to Gladys J. Shamp, NYA state director.

This money was paid to the students at a rate not exceeding six dollars per month for each student and was remuneration for actual work performed on student aid projects, which were arranged and supervised by the school faculty. All students did not earn the maximum of six dollars per month, since in some cases the school officials permitted students to earn less than the maximum wage in order to spread the funds to benefit a greater number of students.

The NYA student aid program was carried on in 553 high schools and 23 colleges in Nebraska with an average of 3,866 high school students and 2,327 college students appearing on monthly payrolls.

Regarding the student aid program during the past year, Miss Shamp said: "The primary aim and chief benefit of the NYA student aid program has been its enabling of needy youth to remain in school. It is obviously better for young people to continue in school, where they may better fit themselves for future jobs, than for them to be thrown upon the labor market before they are able to satisfactorily perform work of value to their community.

"The untimely ending of educational careers has been averted by the NYA part-time jobs, which have provided sufficient funds to make the difference between a student's attendance at school and his dropping out because of financial difficulties.

"The NYA student aid program is not to be confused with the NYA program for out-of-school youths, which is also operating in Plattsmouth. The young people employed on the student aid program are not necessarily eligible for employment on the program for out-of-school youths."

### HONOR BRIDE-TO-BE

This noon at the court house Miss Ann Zitka, who has for the past several years served as stenographer in the office of the county attorney, was given a very pleasant surprise by a number of the friends and associates in the offices at the county building.

The girls arranged a very charmingly appointed luncheon in the jury room at the district court. Here the fried chicken dinner was arranged and the guest of honor invited in to enjoy the occasion.

Flowers and the large angel food cake as the centerpiece of the table made a most attractive setting.

In honor of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Zitka she was presented with a handsome gift from the friends and associates who had arranged the dinner party.

Those attending were Miss Helen Warner, Miss Minnie Hild, Miss Rita Libershal, Miss Lillian Sedlak, Miss Mata Schackneis.

### FAMILY REUNION

The McCrory family held their annual reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buell Sunday.

Forty-five were present. An excellent dinner was served buffet style at noon, at which time a large birthday cake honoring the birthdays of Mrs. O. H. Allen and Mr. Frank Buell, was cut.

Those from a distance attending were: Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Allen and daughter, Miss Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dixon of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCrory of Mound City, Mo., Mrs. V. E. Perry of Big Springs, Misses Margaret McGovern, Edith Perry and Mr. Robt. Nelson of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McCrory of Greeley, Nebr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Larson of Bertrand, Nebr.—Elmwood Leader-Echo.