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## Palm Sunday Draws Many to Local Churches

Services Marking Opening of Holy Week Attended by Large Congregations.

Palm Sunday, one of the most impressive observances of the Lenten season was observed by the churches of Plattsmouth yesterday, very large congregations being present in all of the churches and with special services to mark the day, many having special musical numbers.

The St. John's and Holy Rosary churches held their two masses that were largely attended and sermons for the Palm Sunday in addition to the masses for the day. Distribution of the blessed palms was made at the masses.

The St. Luke's Episcopal church held the Palm Sunday services with special sermon for the day by Father Tyrer.

### First Methodist Church

One of the largest congregations to attend for several years was present at the Palm Sunday services, two strong sermons marking the opening of the Holy Week services. There was special musical numbers by the choir in honor of the opening of Holy Week.

At the morning services the sacrament of baptism was given to a number of the children.

### St. Paul's Evangelical Church

The St. Paul's Evangelical church observed the day with a special sermon for Palm Sunday, "Maintaining the Spiritual Glow," by Rev. Paul. The church held the reception of new members, the following being confirmed: Marion Baker, Norman Baker, Wilbur Claus, Marguerite McIntock, Darrell Nolte, Ralph Parkening, Sanford Short, James Short, Mary Jane Tschirren, John and Hillard Speck. Four adults were also received in membership.

### First Presbyterian Church

The morning service at the First Presbyterian church drew a very large congregation to take part in the services. Dr. H. G. McClusky had as his topic, "A Victorious Life," and a special number, "The Palms," was given by Mrs. Everett Pickens and the anthem, "God So Loved the World," by the choir.

### Christian Church

The message of the Palm Sunday that marked Christ's entry into the Holy City, was brought by Rev. J. W. Tenzler in a most forceful manner and followed by the closest interest by the unusually large congregation. The choir gave a musical program appropriate to the day.

### VISIT AT GEO. BATES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Kruger and two daughters, Thelma and Helen Jane, drove to Nehawka last Sunday, where Mr. Kruger's mother, Mrs. Clara Kruger, of Kansas City, has been visiting at the homes of her sons, Lyle and W. H. Kruger.

### FRED GORDER NOT SO WELL

Fred H. Gorder, former county commissioner, is reported as not as well at his home in Weeping Water where he has been the greater part of the time since resigning last fall. Mr. Gorder has been an outstanding figure in Cass county both as mayor of Weeping Water and county commissioner and the fact that he is not so well brings much regret from the hundreds of friends over the county.

### GOES TO OMAHA HOSPITAL

From Tuesday's Daily—Mrs. Ed Todd, who recently returned from California, was taken to the Methodist hospital in Omaha yesterday. While in California Mrs. Todd underwent an operation and had apparently regained her health. She stood the mountain travel better on the return trip than the trip out last fall; her heart had grown stronger. But upon arriving home, complications set in, forcing her removal to the hospital for treatment for water tumor, as far as is now known.

Mr. Todd, after traveling thousands of miles through some of the most dangerous places in the country, was injured at his home here. He was putting wood into the furnace room when a piece of wood struck him on top of the head, necessitating several stitches being taken.

## Death of Jess Terryberry This Morning

Member of Prominent Family Passes  
Way After Illness of Diabetes  
for Some Time.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Jess Terryberry, 41, a member of one of the prominent families of Cass county, died this morning at 11:30 at the farm home west of Plattsmouth.

Mr. Terryberry was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Terryberry, for many years prominent residents of the vicinity of Louisville, where the deceased young man was born and reared to manhood. He was married to Miss Lucille Urish, who with two children, Mary and Donald, survives his passing. He was one of six brothers, five of whom survive, Earl, Fred, Dan, John and Glen Terryberry and two sisters, Mrs. Otto Schafer, all of this community, and Mrs. Howard Fullerton of Omaha.

Mr. Terryberry has been in a coma for the past two days and his condition was such as to give little hope of his recovery.

The Hobson funeral home of Weeping Water will have charge of the funeral and arrangements will be announced later.

### DISTRICT COURT OPENS

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning the jury for the April term of the district court reported for service and Judge Wilson arrived from Nebraska City to start the opening of the term.

The court and jury was to take up the trial of the case of Madge Newton vs. Charles Ayers, an action for damages alleged to have been sustained in an auto collision.

One of the attorneys in the case had thought the case to be called later in the term and accordingly the case was laid over until this afternoon to start the trial.

It is expected that the trial of this case will take the rest of today and all of Wednesday.

Baiff William Atchison of Elmwood will be here bright and early to take up the work of supervising the jury.

Mrs. Glenn Woodbury is serving as the official reporter at this term. Mr. Woodbury, the regular reporter suffering a fractured arm a short time ago that prevents his activity in this line. He however was here today to visit the old friends.

### VISITS RELATIVES HERE

From Monday's Daily—

John Sneed of Sioux City, Iowa was in Plattsmouth today visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances. The older residents of Plattsmouth will remember Mr. Sneed when he was here with the C. B. & Q. some 35 years ago. Mr. Sneed is now with the Burlington working as a conductor on a train out of Sioux City.

### COUNTY COURT DOINGS

From Monday's Daily—

Petition was made today by County Attorney J. A. Capwell in the matter of Irene, Duane, Robert, Darlene, Richard and Rosemary Shropshire, minors, asking that their custody be given to the Home for Dependent Children in the interest of said minors.

## Capture of 'Peeper' Made Last Night

Authorities Take Charles Henry Into  
Custody—Captured at Hillard  
Grassman Home.

Residents of Marble and Granite streets from Tenth to Eleventh were treated to a great deal of excitement last night shortly after 11 o'clock as the police and sheriff and deputy combed the neighborhood for a "peeper" and which resulted in the capture of Charles Henry who was captured as he ran into the waiting arms of Officer Jarvis Lancaster.

Someone had been noticed prowling around the Hillard Grassman residence several times in the past and last evening a man was noticed by Earl Harris, a neighbor and later members of the Grassman family peering into one of the bedroom windows of the house.

The alarm was given and police called and who urged the members of the family to avert any suspicion that the "peeper" had been seen until they might arrive.

Officers Lancaster and Pickrel drove up Granite street and Officer Lancaster got out some distance east to approach the place from that direction while Officer Pickrel drove on and came from the west to the scene. Sheriff Homer Sylvester and Deputy Sheriff Cass Sylvester also arrived and came up Marble street and as members of the posse came down an alley at the north of the place, a man made a dash down the hill east, and refused to halt when called by Sheriff Sylvester and who fired into the air to halt the party. The fugitive then ran around one of the nearby houses and right into Officer Lancaster who grabbed the man and held him.

The young man was later taken to the Grassman home and identified by members of the family as the one that had been seen looking into their windows. He was then brought on down town and placed in the county jail.

This morning the defendant was arraigned in county court on the charge of indecent exposure and to which he made a plea of guilty. The defendant stated to the court that he did not know what caused him to visit the home where he was seen by and regretted the act.

The court gave a sentence of ninety days in the county jail and each alternate day to be on bread and water.

The officers are very appreciative of the aid given by the members of the Grassman family and the neighbors in making it possible to make the capture at the scene of the "peeping." They have been conducting a campaign to round up a number of suspects of this peeping and feel pleased that they have been able to secure one of the suspects.

### ROTARIANS HOLD MEETING

The members of the Rotary club at their luncheon Tuesday noon at the Stewart cafe, had the pleasure of a most interesting talk by L. O. Minor, covering his recent trip to the south and which covered a large part of that portion of the United States. Mr. Minor had a very interesting trip and his details of the many places of interest and the people that he met made a very entertaining feature.

The club also heard the autobiographies of J. Howard Davis and J. R. Reeder, two of the newer members of the club as a part of the program of the day.

The members here are planning on attending the inter-city meeting at Nebraska City which will be held in two weeks and it is hoped to have a one hundred per cent attendance at the meeting.

Guests of the luncheon were Dr. T. B. Lacey and Scott Robinson, of Glenwood, leaders in the club at that place.

### LOOKING AFTER WORK AT COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Irene Anthes, member of the senior class of the high school, who is one of the students of the commercial department, is attending to the work at the office of County Attorney J. A. Capwell while Miss Mary Jane Mark is ill.

### JOB'S DAUGHTERS ENTERTAIN

Bethel No. 24 of Job's Daughters, gave a very beautiful cantata early on Sunday morning that most fittingly opened the impressive Palm Sunday for the residents of the Masonic Home and infirmary, giving selections at both buildings.

The program included the following very artistically given selections: Duet by Shirley Selver and Margaret Ann Valley.

Vocal solo by Joan Hall. Duet by Katherine and Helen Barkus.

A quartet composed of Helen Barkus, Margaret Ann Valley, Shirley Selver and Eleanor Minor gave several very much appreciated numbers.

Ruth Westover served as the accompanist for the numbers.

## Missions and Temperance to Form Program

Given by the W. C. T. U. on Monday  
Afternoon at the Home of Miss  
Elizabeth Spangler.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The W. C. T. U. held their meeting yesterday at the home of Miss Elizabeth Spangler. Mrs. May Farley had the devotionals, after which the group sang the Crusade hymn. After the business meeting the program, of which Miss Olive Gass had charge, was given, taking up temperance and missions.

There were representatives from several different churches who told of the work that is done in their mission departments. Mrs. J. W. Tenzler gave an account of the work being done in the Christian church. The St. Paul's Evangelical church was represented by Mrs. G. A. Pahl, and the Presbyterian church by Mrs. P. T. Heineman. Mrs. V. T. Arn was from the Home Missions department of the Methodist church and Mrs. Ray McMaken from the Foreign Missions.

Mrs. R. B. Hayes, the president, presented the Allied Youth, after which Mrs. Merritt Kerr and Mrs. Hal Garnett sang a beautiful duet, "My Father Knows His Own."

The meeting, which was very largely attended, was closed with the W. C. T. U. benediction, after which delicious refreshments were served by Miss Spangler and Miss Gass, co-hostesses.

### PLATTSMOUTH HILLBILLY!

Rehearsals are now on in full swing for the coming home talent play, "His Ozark Cousin." Almost every evening now you can see groups of young Thespians with their scripts in hands hurrying to and from rehearsals. Perhaps they speak a strange language, as their dialect now is beginning to sound very "mountaineerish." Listening to them, you would think you were living down around Van Buren instead of right here in Plattsmouth. This smart young set are completely transformed and are now Ozark hillbillies, living on corn pone and "lasses." They are really a busy lot, and their activities for the coming week will be feuding, making moonshine liquor and having typical hillbilly weddings. "Reckon they air aimin' to hev a right smart show. Don't you reckon?"

### ATTENDS LODGE MEETING

One of the large gatherings of southeastern Nebraska Masons was held on Monday night at Cook, when some twenty-three lodges of this section of the state were represented at the gathering.

William A. Robertson, grand master of the Nebraska Masons, of this city, with Lute M. Savage, Omaha, grand custodian and Raymond C. Cook of this city, deputy grand custodian, were present.

The event was a school of instruction and inspection of the Cook lodge and an event that was enjoyed by the Masonry of that section of the state.

### HERE FOR VACATION

Miss Helen Farley, who is teaching in the schools of York, Nebraska, is here to enjoy the spring vacation at the home of her parents, County Commissioner and Mrs. George L. Farley.

### VISITS RELATIVES HERE

Mrs. Mary Frady Quail, of Dallas, Texas, is in the city for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Virginia Frady, and other relatives and friends.

## Death of Erwin E. Moore, Jr. at Palmyra

Former Resident of Weeping Water  
and One of Highly Esteem Resi-  
dents of That Community.

Erwin Eugene Moore, Jr., was born April 16, 1908 near Maryville, Missouri and passed away at his home in Palmyra, Nebr., April 11, 1938, aged 29 years, 10 months and 25 days.

He was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moore.

When nine years of age he came with his parents to Nebraska where he grew to manhood. He was always interested in mechanical work, getting his first experience in father's garage at the age of twelve years.

On June 20, 1929 he was married to Miss Ruth C. Morse at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Cora Badgley in Weeping Water. They made their home in Weeping Water for six years where "Gene," as his friends called him, was employed by the Cole Motor Co., a position he held for ten years.

Three years ago he went to Palmyra to work in the Palmyra Auto Co., for C. A. Sweet where he was employed at the time of his death.

He leaves to mourn his passing his loving wife, Ruth; his father and mother; two brothers, Eldon R. and Ermond W.; three sisters, Evelyn E., Marjorie K., both of Weeping Water, and Mrs. Effie Ruth Richards of Yakima, Washington.

He was a devoted husband, son and brother, upright and honest in his business, and leaves a host of friends in both Cass and Otoe counties wherever he was known.

"A precious one from us has gone. A voice we loved is stilled. A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled."

Funeral services were held Wednesday, April 13, at the home at one o'clock and at the M. E. church in Weeping Water at three o'clock, conducted by Rev. G. A. Morey of Utica, Nebraska, assisted by Rev. W. D. Lenker of Weeping Water.

Two beautiful solos were sung at the home by Victor Wallick. Music at Weeping Water was furnished by a mixed quartet composed of Mrs. Mabel Ruhga, Mrs. Ethel Ratnour, Victor Wallick and Alvin Groesser, with Miss Maude Munton at the organ.

Pallbearers were Victor Hesson, Berman Breese, of Palmyra, Ralph Ransford of Eagle, James Kivett, Leslie Hay and Oscar Uffelman of Weeping Water.

Burial was at Oakwood cemetery in Weeping Water, conducted by Richard Hobson.

### ATTEND OMAHA MEETING

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson were at Omaha where Mr. Robertson attended the meeting of John J. Mercer lodge of the A. F. & A. M. of Benson, with other grand lodge officers and masters of the other Omaha lodges.

Mrs. Robertson, with the wives of the masters of the various lodges, was a guest of Mrs. John T. Tillery, the ladies enjoying the evening at cards and later were joined by their husbands. A very much appreciated two course luncheon was served by Mrs. Tillery to the guests of the evening.

### CHRISTIAN BIBLE SCHOOL

A campaign for increase of attendance at the Christian Bible school in which all have manifested a lively interest and all having a mind to work has resulted in a lively interest in the school and church work, for many times on Lord's day during the Easter portions of the year the attendance ran much less than 100. The attendance has grown until on April 10th the attendance was 158, all departments and classes doing excellent. The Bible school extends a cordial invitation to all not attending elsewhere.

### SUFFERS FROM ILLNESS

From Monday's Daily—Mary Jane Mark, stenographer in the office of County Attorney J. A. Capwell, was ill today and unable to be on the job, being taken sick Saturday and was quite ill Sunday but is now showing improvement.

### DISCUSS CONCESSIONS

One of the preliminary meetings of the King Korn Klub was held Monday night at the American Legion building for the purpose of discussing plans for the fall festival this year.

Probably the chief matter was that of locating concessions and the platform for the program of the festival which has been located for the life of the Korn Karnival at Fifth and Main streets. There has been a great deal of sentiment for having the concessions and perhaps the platform located at Fourth and Main streets where there would be less interference with business activities and more space available for the placing of concessions. A survey will be taken of the situation relative to the location of the concessions this fall.

## Plattsmouth Girl is Among Honored Coeds

Lois Giles Among Those Who Receive  
Recognition at the University  
of Nebraska.

LINCOLN, April 12 (UP)—Twenty-one co-eds at the Nebraska college of agriculture today were elected members of Amicron Nu and Phi Upsilon Omicron, honorary home economics societies.

Members of the Omicron Nu were selected from women students who are second semester juniors or above and who rank in the upper 15 per cent of the highest two-fifth of their classes.

They are: Marjorie Louise Epp, Beatrice; Ruth Bander, Glenvil; Lois Giles, Plattsmouth; Ruth Madsen, Nebraska City; Isabel Roscoe, Lyons; Lillian Brehm, Unadilla; Eloise Benjamin, Dorothy Neutzman, Gladys Swift and Phyllis Chamberlain, all of Lincoln.

New members of Phi Upsilon Omicron are second semester sophomores who have attained a scholastic average of at least 80 and rank in the upper two-fifth of their classes.

They are: Peggy Sherburn, Hastings; Lucile Backmeyer, Greenwood; Helen Kilmer, Western; Amelie Svoboda, Weston; Marjorie Louise Epp, Beatrice; Isabel Roscoe, Lyons; Lois Hammond, Jane Brackett, Luella Hunt, Gladys Swift, and Delores Young, all of Lincoln.

### TO LOCATE HERE

Bankers Life Insurance company of Nebraska has announced the appointment of Joseph E. Knoflicek as special representative in Plattsmouth and eastern Cass county.

Mr. Knoflicek was born and reared in Plattsmouth. He is the son of Mrs. Mary Knoflicek. He attended the Plattsmouth schools and graduated from the Plattsmouth high school where he was prominent in athletic and musical activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Knoflicek will make their home here in the future at the Coronado apartments.

He will represent Bankers Life in this territory with Mr. T. M. Patterson who has been connected with the company for the past twenty-seven years. While Mr. Patterson has not severed his connection with Bankers Life, he has asked that he be relieved of active service because of ill health. He will continue as a representative in this territory.

### ENJOY FAMILY GATHERING

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. McMaken has been the scene of a very pleasant family party the past week when Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMaken and son, Carl, and his daughter, Betty Jo, were here from Sheridan, Wyoming and Miss Eva Reese, a sister of Mr. McMaken here from Hugo, Colorado.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. McMaken and family of Omaha came down to join the family group.

The McMaken family departed Sunday for their home in the west and Mrs. Reese will leave today for her home, stopping in North Platte to visit old friends and then on to Hugo where she makes her home with her son, Guy Reese.

### HERE FROM LINCOLN

From Wednesday's Daily—Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Davis of Lincoln were here today to spend a few hours with relatives and friends in this city and as well at Murray, near where they formerly resided. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Troop, Mrs. Davis being a niece of Mrs. Troop.

## Plan Campaign to Rid County of Grasshoppers

Over Eighty Farmers of County Plan  
to Combat the Dangers of  
Pests Coming Summer.

About eighty farmers from all parts of the county attended a planning meeting for the coming grasshopper poisoning campaign last Friday evening at the Farm Bureau office. Dean Eichhoff of the federal department represented O. S. Bare, the state extension entomologist who could not attend on account of illness.

Mr. Eichhoff summed up the outlook for Cass county as one of the gravest in the state due to the second generation hatch of the lesser migratory hoppers last fall that migrated into the county the first week in September after the poisoning campaign was over. "In spite of the fact that Cass county farmers scattered over 400 tons of bait and did a relatively good job of protecting their crops and keeping the hoppers in check, the county is covered with eggs from the late fall migration and an intense campaign will be needed again this year," Mr. Eichhoff said.

Some inquired as to whether or not the last week's storm had affected the eggs of the hoppers. Mr. Eichhoff told of an experiment conducted in Montana where by laboratory tests it took a temperature from 12 to 16 degrees below zero to kill hopper eggs. One day when the temperature was 44 below zero outside, they took the temperature an inch below the ground and found it to be only 6 below zero. According to this experiment it would be almost impossible to get an outside temperature low enough to freeze the eggs in the ground.

D. D. Wainwright gave a detailed accounting of the campaign last year and how it was handled. After considerable discussion, led by J. M. Quackenbush, the new agent, the farmers present thought the plan of handling the campaign as it was done last year and getting the bait out to the farmers was very satisfactory and voted unanimously to continue on the same basis for this year.

Those present expressed themselves that an early campaign would come nearer controlling the hoppers than anything else that could be done. The hoppers will start hatching about two weeks after the ground warms up which will probably be about the last of April. They will continue to stay around the hatching beds if there is any grass or vegetation there at all for about two or three weeks. The eggs that have been laid are probably only on about ten per cent of the land so if any intense campaign is put on in May before the young hoppers leave the hatching beds there will be a small acreage to be covered and the maximum good will be done at this time.

A 100 pound sack of bait spread properly at that time will do more good than a ton after the hoppers have scattered throughout the crop land.

### ENTER ST. LOUIS HOSPITAL

Mrs. Herman L. Thomas, of Nebraska City, former resident here, entered the Missouri Pacific hospital at St. Louis Saturday for a major operation. Mrs. Thomas was operated on several months ago at St. Louis and was able to return home to recuperate and now returns for the second operation which it is hoped will give her relief. The operation is expected to take place Tuesday or Wednesday. The many friends here are hoping that she may soon be able to return home.

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