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Junior-Senior Banquet Held Here Saturday

Days of the Pirates and the Jolly Roger Form Decorative Plan for Banquet Setting.

In colorful settings recalling the days when the skull and cross bones flew at the mast head of many a boat plying the roaring main, the junior-senior banquet of the Plattsmouth high school was held Saturday evening at the American Legion building.

The young people of the junior class had spent several days in the decorative plan of the hall and deserve much praise for the beautiful effects that they had secured. The red, green and yellow crepe paper formed the walls and ceiling of the banquet hall set in the center of the Legion auditorium, making a great display of color, the lights also being shaded with the vari-colored streamers of paper to add to the pleasing appearance of the hall. Suspended from the ceiling of the banquet hall were the pennants with the skull and cross bones as well as spiders and bats to add to the general atmosphere of the banquet. Several live parrots had been secured and were placed through the hall, where their conversation added to the general plan of the evening.

On the tables there were placed miniature galleons, such as at one time had borne Captain Kidd and other of the noted pirates, while artificial lakes had been arranged and on whose sandy beach there were the treasure chests from the pirate boats. The napkins were also in the bright colors used in the hall decorations.

The place cards were cleverly constructed of peanuts made into parrots and which bore in their beak the name of the guest. The programs of the evening were also very artistic and consisted of hand painted cards in the form of a pirate chief.

The flowers used in the decorations of the banquet were kindly donated by A. L. Tidd and Mrs. Phillip Thieroff.

The attractive water scene that occupied a place on the stage was the work of Miss Agnes Brink, being a delightful and artistic piece of work.

The banquet itself was prepared and served by the ladies of the St. Paul's church and proved a real treat to the members of the banquet party. The menu was also in keeping with the theme of the banquet arrangements:

Pieces of Eight
Hidden Treasures
Sea Foam - Jolly Rogers
Gems - Pirate Gold
Jewels - Cold Steel
Tropic Seas
Green Mold - Pleasure Island
Cargo - Black Poison

The toast list was presided over very cleverly by Miss Mary Ann Rosencrans, the president of the junior class, who welcomed the members of the banquet party and introduced the several speakers.

Dr. F. L. Cummins, who has been president of the board of education during the time that the seniors have been in school, was called upon to respond to "Pursuit," in which he discussed many of the school questions.

For the freshman class, Betty Bulin was heard in "Ideals," expressing the appreciation of the youngest class of the high school.

The sophomore president, William Edwards, was heard in "Romance," a well presented toast and much enjoyed.

The faculty was represented on the speaker's list by Miss Pearl Staats, who gave "Adventure" as her portion of the program of the evening.

The juniors were represented by Helen Gilmour in the toast, "Treasure," in which she expressed the well wishes for the seniors now leaving the school.

The seniors were ably represented by George Adam in "Escape" and in which he expressed the appreciation at the fine time that the juniors had arranged in honor of his classmates, the toll and effort that they had put forth to make it a real success.

Mrs. Etta Gorder, the newly elected president of the board of educa-

tion, responded to the toast, "Ships." Adding to the enjoyment of the banquet program, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Figley were heard in two delightful vocal offerings, "I Never Knew" and "The Rosary," Mrs. L. S. Devoe serving as the accompanist.

During the banquet and following at the dance, a musical program was given by the Rhythm Kings.

The banquet was one of the most pleasing that the school has held and represented much hard work on the part of the young people and who were directed by their class sponsor, Miss Beighley, who has been active in arranging and making the event a real success every way. The committees of the class that made the banquet a real success were:

Program—Lois Bestor, chairman; Dorothy McCarthy, Juanita Weishimer, Jack Vallery.

Hall Decorations—Mary Ann Rosencrans, chairman; Joe Graves, Maynard McCleary, Helen Gilmour, Inga Reichstadt, Alice Hiatt, Edwin Kalina, Miss Lucille Nordholm, Miss Florence Beighley.

Table decorations—Kathryn Hough, chairman; Margaret Yelick, Edward Lorenz, Gertrude Brink.

Orchestra—Gerald Keil, William Jensen, Mary Ann Hadraba, John Kelly.

Invitations—Margaret Taylor, chairman; Anna Margaret McCarty, Marian Fricke, Ellen Kelly.

Menu—Miss Nordholm, Lucille Meisinger, James Robertson, Martha Kaffenberger, Eleanor Black, Dorothy Siemoneit.

Property—Bernard Knofficek, Edward Martin, Oliver Taylor.

School Exhibit to Feature Work of All Lines

Each Grade and Department in the School Will Have Showings in Exhibit.

Friday, May the 19th, is the date set for the annual school exhibit. According to the schedule now arranged the parents are urged to visit Columbian building, Central building, first ward and high school building Friday evening at 7 o'clock, May 19th. They will find on display in the rooms school work that has been done by the pupils during this past year.

Wintersteen and Mercerville schools are bringing their work to one of the vacant rooms in the Central building. Following the visiting of the rooms parents and patrons are invited to a school program to be given in the high school assembly by the music department of the junior high school under the direction of Miss Lillian Garrett and Miss Cora Williams. This program will start at 8:30.

The display in the rooms will be mostly school work that has been accomplished during the school year. There will be some art work to give the room color. The special feature of this year's exhibit will be the open house Sunday afternoon, May 21. The buildings will all be open from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock. It is recommended that they visit all buildings as the work this year has been of an exceptionally high quality. It is the desire of the teachers and children to have this fine work observed. The entire exhibit will be free. No charge will be made at the door.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Robertson of Lincoln are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Lois, to Gerald W. Vallery, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vallery, former Plattsmouth residents. The wedding has been announced for June 4th. The many old friends of the family in this city will be interested to learn of the forthcoming happy event.

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Haney, of Hollywood, California, are in the city for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hoffman, the parents of Mrs. Haney. They have made the trip by auto and report a very pleasant time and many interesting experiences as they made the long trip. They will enjoy a visit here with the relatives and friends in this part of the west.

Pretty Church Wedding Held at St. John's Today

Miss Pearl Gladys Patton Wedded to Mr. Raymond W. Globitz of Avoca, This Morning.

From Monday's Daily
The St. John's Catholic church was the scene of a very charming early morning wedding today when Miss Pearl Gladys Patton was united in the bonds of wedlock to Mr. Raymond W. Globitz, of Avoca.

The wedding was witnessed by a number of the relatives and close friends of the contracting parties.

The nuptial mass of the church was celebrated by Father George Agius, the pastor of the church, joining the lives and hearts of the young people for all time. The school choir assisted in the musical numbers of the wedding.

The contracting parties were attended by Miss Ruth Ann Patton, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid and Mr. Merton G. Scott, as best man.

The bride was attractive in a costume of gray chiffon organdie, with picture hat of white, elbow gloves of white, with shoes and hose in tones of gray. She carried an arm bouquet of the Calla Lilies.

The bridesmaid wore a gown of blue and white plaid organdie, a picture hat of white and white slippers and hose. She carried a bouquet of the pink sweet peas and forget-me-nots.

The groom and best man wore dark blue business suits.

Following the marriage ceremony the bride party motored to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Patton in the south part of the city, where a delightful wedding breakfast was served to the members of the bridal party.

This afternoon at 12:30 a formal reception was held for the newlyweds at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaubitz, near Avoca, which was very largely attended by the friends and relatives in that section of the county. This evening a wedding dance will be held at the Glaubitz home honoring the young people.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patton and was born and reared to womanhood in this community, receiving her education here in the local schools and later studying at Chicago.

The groom is one of the young farmers of southern Cass county, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaubitz, are among the prominent residents of that section of Cass county.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaubitze are expecting to make their home on the farm and in their new home will take the well wishes of a large circle of friends over the county.

FIND CASS COUNTY CAR

A car bearing a Cass county auto license plates was found near Rockport, Missouri, Monday, the car having in it loot taken from a number of the farm houses in Atchison county.

There had been three men in the car when it was first seen and the parties suspected of being those who had engaged in the robbery of a number of residents in that section. In the chase by Sheriff Pitzer of Atchison county, the three men had made their escape but had been forced to abandon the car and the loot where it was recovered by the officers.

Investigation showed that the car had been licensed in Cass county but that the parties who had been using it were living in Iowa. The authorities at Rockport got in touch with Sheriff Sylvester here and secured the name of the party in whose name the license had been issued.

RETURN FROM KANSAS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hartford have returned from Kansas City, Missouri, where they were enjoying the week end visiting at the home of their son, Willis Hartford and wife. Mr. Hartford who was formerly at Fort Dodge, Iowa, has been made the representative of the Jepsom company in the Missouri city and where they are now pleasantly located.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Fred Lugsch, well known dry cleaner and tailor, is home to complete his recuperation from his recent attack of appendicitis. Mr. Lugsch was operated on some ten days ago at a hospital at Omaha and has made wonderful progress, being able to return home Saturday. He is feeling much better and will soon be able to resume his usual activities.

Mother's Day Program at the M. E. Church

Sunday School Has Special Programs and Many of the Mothers Are Present.

Mother's day was observed quite extensively at the First Methodist church Sunday, there being a number of special programs given at the Sunday school hour as well as the sermon at the morning service carrying this message.

The various classes of the Sunday school had arranged for tributes to mother and in the primary and junior departments of the school there were a number of the mothers present to join with the children in the pleasant occasion.

The Philathea class of the church at their meeting also took up the mother day theme and had present as the representative of the mothers of the class, Mrs. John Elliott, mother of Mrs. Zella Trout, class president.

The young men's class had a very large attendance, the room being filled to its capacity and with many of the members having their mothers with them. The class had a special musical program to honor mother arranged and which added to the impressiveness. The class has an annual silent tribute that is offered by the class members, each depositing a red or white flower in the memory of their mothers and which makes a beautiful and touching tribute.

The pastor of the church, Rev. C. O. Troy, took as his subject for the morning sermon, "The Faith That Moves Worlds," a beautiful tribute to the motherhood of the world and the influence that the mothers have had on the lives and destinies of individuals and nations.

SCHOOL HAS PICNIC

The school in district No. 28, north of this city, known as the Stull school, marked the closing of school with a fine picnic Sunday. This school has been taught by Miss Mary Swatek, one of the efficient teachers of the county system, who has had a great success in her work.

The children of the school with the assistance of the teacher, had arranged a circus as a feature of the day, each child representing some of the animals or features of the circus life, making a very colorful and enjoyable feature of the day.

The ladies of the district had arranged picnic dinners and which were served at the noon hour in the pleasant and attractive surroundings of the school, the array of good things to eat being all that anyone could wish.

A number from the city were out to enjoy the events and some 200 took part in the pleasures of the day.

MAKE GOOD SHOWING

The two Plattsmouth high school students, entered in the state track and field meet at the state university, Stuart Porter and Albert Todd, made good showings.

The winner of the carnival was Omaha Technical, title holder, Skinner, the fleet footed colored sprinter, maintaining his school in first place and defeating Lincoln.

The local contestants were in group two of the carnival, the winner of which was the Genoa Indians. The shot put was won by Chase of Wymore with 45 feet, Porter of Plattsmouth, third with forty-three feet, ten inches.

In the javelin throw, Todd of this city, secured the second place, planting the javelin 146 feet eight inches.

There were no other Plattsmouth men entered in the other events of the track carnival.

Patrons' Day in the Public Schools of City

Work of the Students in All Departments Will Be Shown on Friday With Special Programs.

The Plattsmouth school system is presenting a patrons' day Friday evening, May 19th. This is a plan to acquaint the parents with school and work being done by the students. A program will be presented in the high school auditorium on Friday evening and all rooms will be open from 2 to 4 on Sunday.

R. F. Patterson, principal and political science instructor, will have on display American Government papers and various forms used in keeping the high school records.

Miss Nordholm, home economics instructor, will display dresses made by 8-9-10 grades. There will be on exhibit forms of weaving made by the freshman and sophomore girls using a hand loom furnished by Mathilda Soennichsen. This is a new and interesting work and the school promises to have more of such looms constructed that the work may be continued next year. The sophomore class have constructed card files of standard fabrics as a means of studying so that fabrics may be recognized by mere sight.

There will be a food exhibit for the study of minerals and vitamins, the material being furnished by Wurl's store and the Black & White.

The commercial art department directed by Miss Marie Kaufmann will display the fine art work done by the students of this year. This will include painted pencil drawings, and-escaping in show-card colors, landscaping in water colors, and studies in still life and perspective.

Miss Estelle Baird of the language department will exhibit posters and studies of the work in her department.

The mathematics department under Miss Beighley will show posters, designs and factoring problems of beginning algebra, graphs of quadratic equations, solid geometry figures, and blank forms, checks, letters of credit, and bank drafts from the commercial arithmetic department.

Miss Staats of the English and normal training department, will show specimens of students daily work, English literature maps, and reports of practice teaching from normal training students.

The commercial department under Harold Jordan will exhibit examples of typewriting booklets, legal forms, and pictures made by means of typewriter characters.

Superintendent L. S. Devoe will display various school forms in his office.

Mr. Reeder of the science department will show biology and physics note books, term papers from the geography of Nebraska class and a demonstration of a seconds pendulum and atmospheric pressure.

The history department under Mr. Figley will show term papers of the students and a new case which has been recently constructed containing a very interesting collection of Indian and other historical relics furnished by students. This collection contains guns from all phases of American history, one rifle dating back to 1840.

Miss Williams, head of the music department, will show charts of various musical instruments at the high school and written work by the students on theory and appreciation of music at the grade schools.

The manual training department which is headed by Coach Rothert will display the fine work done by the boys in this class.

In the junior high department Miss Lillian Garrett will display in her room water color decorative masks, free hand cutting illustrating the story of Evangeline, Grayson and chalk drawings of the human head, water color studies of perspective, and water color charts illustrating properties of hue, value, and intensity.

Miss Alice Bly will have on display stories and poems from the seventh grade. Penmanship drills, daily English work and sample of newspapers made by students and library book report.

Miss Clara Weyrich will show var-

ious charts and work dealing with mathematics.

Miss Whalen will exhibit in her room various physical, political and geographical maps, artistically drawn in various colors by her students.

The teachers of the Central building will exhibit the daily work of the students.

Mercerville, Wintersteen and First Ward will have their displays in their own buildings, the same as the other wards. Patrons are urged to visit all wards. The pupils have done considerable work and it is hoped that the parents will visit all the wards.

The rooms will be open at 7 o'clock and the program will start promptly at 8:30.

PITCHES A GOOD GAME

Sunday afternoon the Murray Red Sox had a close and interesting contest with the Four Mile Creek team from west of this city. The Sox were the winners by the score of 6 to 4 after trailing the Creekers up into the last innings. The work of Harry Newman, pitcher of the Red Sox, was outstanding as he secured fourteen strikeouts and the only runs made were through the bobbles of his team mates. Several of the regulars of the Sox were unable to play in the game and which served to weaken their hitting strength.

The Murray team will open their regular season at Murray on next Sunday, they playing the Gordon Oils of Omaha, one of the fast teams of the metropolis.

WCTU Holds a Mother's Day Program Monday

Fine Program Presented by Members of the Organization—Miss Olive Gass Honored.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. held on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. J. Giles, was devoted to the theme of "Mother's Day," the program consisting of many fine tributes to the mothers of the nation. The devotionals were in charge of Mrs. C. C. Wescott and who took as her subject the story of Hannah.

Mrs. Charles R. Troop presented a special number entitled "Mother's Day," a most impressive offering. Mrs. Etta Gorder also was heard in "A Tribute to Mother," a beautiful expression of the day set apart to honor motherhood.

Mrs. R. B. Hayes and Mrs. V. T. Arn were heard in an appropriate vocal duet, the accompaniment being played by Mrs. George L. Farley. Mrs. Lois Troop gave two of her always delightful readings "A Mother's Love," and "A Mother's Reply to Rock Me to Sleep," both presented in the impressive manner of this talented lady.

Miss Olive Gass, who has been a member of the W. C. T. U. from its earliest days and is the oldest member of the local union in point of the years of membership, was presented with a token from the members of the union as an expression of their appreciation of her services.

Mrs. Giles and three children, all talented musicians, formed a small orchestra that gave several very delightful numbers and was much enjoyed.

At the close of the afternoon dainty and delicious refreshments were served to add to the pleasure of the occasion.

HAS MANY ENGAGEMENTS

Robert Foster Patterson, principal of the local high school, is to be the commencement day speaker at a number of schools in this part of the west in the next few weeks. Mr. Patterson speaks at the Eagle graduation on Tuesday evening and at Snyder, Nebraska, on Thursday. The next week he will speak at Burchard on Monday and at Summerfield, Kansas, on Tuesday. This is the third year that Mr. Patterson has spoke at Summerfield and the second year at Snyder. The subject of his address will be "The Call of the Wild," which has won much commendation from all who have had the privilege of hearing it.

Phone the news to No. 6.

Platters Win Track Meet with Nebraska City

Locals Make Strong Showing in Field Events While Track Heats Go to Visitors.

The final track meet of the season was staged here Tuesday afternoon at the Athletic field when the Nebraska City team visited here to compete with the Platters, being the locals taking the meet 67 to 55.

The visitors showed well in the track events, their sprinters being able to get away with a larger part of these. King of the visitors and Tom Kastner were the outstanding members of the visitors, while for the Platters Porter, Todd, Adam, Garnett and McCleary showed well in many of the events.

The time in the track events was very good in view of the poor condition of the dirt track.

Participating in his last track event of the high school career, Francis Libershal of the Platter team took the mile to secure his letter for the year, Taylor, who had won this event at other meets was second.

The summary of the various contests is as follows:

60-yard high hurdles—King, Nebraska City, first; Adam, Plattsmouth, second; Garnett, Plattsmouth, third. Time 9.5 sec.

110-yard low hurdles—King, Nebraska City, first; Kastner, Nebraska City, second; Garnett, Plattsmouth, third. Time 13.9 sec.

150-yard dash—King, Nebraska City, first; O. Taylor, Plattsmouth, second; Shepherd, Nebraska City, third. Time 5 min. 30.5 sec.

800-yard run—Cowie, Nebraska City, first; Jensen, Plattsmouth, second; Taylor, Plattsmouth, third. Time 2 min. 29.4 sec.

100-yard dash—King, Nebraska City, first; Kastner, Nebraska City, second; Adams, Plattsmouth, third. Time 11 sec.

220-yd. dash—King, Nebraska City, first; Adams, Plattsmouth, second; Kastner, Nebraska City, third. Time 25.1 sec.

440-yard dash—Adams, Plattsmouth, first; Cowles, Nebraska City, second; Hitz, Plattsmouth, third. Time 68.2 sec.

Pole vault—Garnett, Plattsmouth, McCleary, Plattsmouth, tied for first; Owens, Nebraska City, third. Height 8 ft. 11 in.

High jump—Hiner, Plattsmouth, first; Garnett, Plattsmouth, Kawitsky, Nebraska City, tied for second. Height, 5 ft. 2 in.

Javelin—Todd, Plattsmouth, first; King, Nebraska City, second; Carey, Nebraska City, third. Distance, 138 ft. 8 in.

Broad jump—Carey, Nebraska City, first; Rummel, Plattsmouth, second; Kastner, Nebraska City, third. Distance, 19 ft. 1 in.

880-yard relay—Won by Nebraska City. Time, 1 min. 43.8 sec.

Shot put—Porter, Plattsmouth, first; Todd, Plattsmouth, 2nd; Kastner, Nebraska City, third. Distance, 44 ft. 9 in.

Discus—Porter, Plattsmouth, first; Armstrong, Plattsmouth, second; Todd, Plattsmouth, third. Distance, 105 ft.

WILL GUESS ON ROOSTERS

In front of the business houses which are participating in Rooster Booster days, appears a rooster and which will be the means of some one receiving a prize in the guessing contest. There is no charge for the guessing at any of the stores where the roosters are on display and the public invited to try and make the nearest correct guess. The roosters will be fed until Saturday and on Saturday will not be fed until evening when the committee in charge of the event will count the kernels that the rooster eats. The prizes will be awarded to the ones that come closest to the correct number of kernels. In the event of a tie, the one registering the first will be the winner. If you know your roosters now is the chance to cash in on the knowledge.

VISIT AT WEEPING WATER

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Davis and children, Stephen, Corbin and Elizabeth, with Mrs. Mary M. Davis of Lincoln, mother of Mr. Davis, were at Weeping Water Sunday. The party motored over to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Troy L. Davis and were dinner guests at the hospitable Davis home.