

Noted Speaker Urges Retention of Dry Laws

W. E. "Pussyfoot" Johnson Spoke Sunday Evening on Behalf of Nebraska Amendment.

Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian church was held a union meeting in the support of the dry amendment to the Nebraska state constitution which is to be voted on at the election in the fall of 1934.

The meeting brought here one of the most outstanding figures in the world of lectures and travel in the person of William E. or as he is known over the world, "Pussyfoot" Johnson, whose life has been devoted to the cause of temperance and who is now engaged in a tour of Nebraska.

The meeting was participated in by the congregations of both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches.

The speakers were introduced by Dr. H. G. McClusky and both Mr. Johnson and F. H. Hutton, president of the state Anti-Saloon league who also spoke, were followed with the greatest of interest by the audience during the entirety of their remarks.

Mr. Johnson conceded the fact that the repeal of national prohibition was at hand as the result of the elections held in the various states and he devoted a great deal of his time to the discussion of the various methods of handling the traffic. In discussing this phase of the case Mr. Johnson said:

"The various proposals for the reform of the drink traffic put out under the patronage of Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr. have been tried out again and again in various countries of the world. In nearly every case, they have been sponsored by the breweries themselves. And in every case, the results for sobriety have been more unsuccessful than the old time saloon itself." That is what Mr. Johnson stated and he quoted a whole pile of facts and statistics to prove it.

"South Carolina tried it for twenty-five years under the efforts of Senator Tillman and the results were so rotten that he turned upon it and helped put it out of commission. Russia tried it under the efforts of Prime Minister Count Sergius Witte. The results were so disastrous that Witte himself denounced the project as a 'streetwalker' and helped terminate it.

"Sweden tried out the systems and the result is that arrests for drunkenness in Stockholm, in proportion to populations, run ten times what they do in New York City, the rottenest old dump that we have in America.

"Canada tried out the same old game and the results are that the arrests for drunkenness and the consumption of liquor during the past ten years has increased faster than in any other country on earth, save Russia and Turkey, which have the same system.

"England has been trying it out in the Carlisle area ever since early in the great war. The result is that the arrests for drunkenness in Carlisle are greater than in two-thirds of the British cities of the same class.

"This program of government monopoly of the booze business has been chiefly proposed and urged by the brewers themselves for the last 75 years. This thing of peddling booze for the benefit of the people and for the glory of God produces far worse results than the old time saloon system."

Mr. Hutton discussed the matter of the repeal of the Nebraska dry law that will be submitted to the voters of the state next fall and urged the rallying of the supporters of the prohibition movement to the cause and to be on the fringe line to see that the amendment is not repealed and that the state law be kept intact despite the action on the national prohibition laws.

ENJOY HUNTING PARTY

Saturday evening Fred Lugsch, George Jaeger, Henry Ote, Jr., and Richard Elliott, departed on a hunting trip and to take advantage of the last days of the pleasant season. The party did their hunting near Spaulding and secured a nice bag of game as the result of their marksmanship.

ATTENDS FOOTBALL GAME

Rev. Father Patrick Harte, pastor of the St. Patrick's church at Manley, was a visitor in the city on Sunday, motoring over to enjoy the football game between the Louisville C. C. C. boys and the Plattsmouth Town team. The result was a 6 to 0 victory for the boys from the camp. Father Harte has shown a great interest in the work of the camp and has assisted the young men in many ways during the time that they were located at Louisville.

Junior Class to Present Mystery Play December 8

Decide on This Play Instead of "The Solid South" Which was First Chosen.

Having decided ten days ago to present "The Solid South" as their annual play, the Junior class have since discovered an outstanding mystery play which they like much better and which gives opportunity for more of the class to take part. So "Spooks" will be given as the Junior class play. Likewise the date has been changed from the usual date, Tuesday before Thanksgiving, to the night of December 8th. So, following the original announcement relative to the Junior class play, final plans are now to present "Spooks" at the high school on Friday evening, December 8th.

The play will be directed by Mr. Figley, coach of debate and declamation, assisted by Miss Helene Perry and Mr. L. L. Starrett, co-sponsor of the class. Tryouts for the places in the cast were held last week and the following have been chosen: Elliott Butterfield, Frederick Fricke, Laurette Payne, Velma Wells, Marion Blackwell, Mildred Cary, Douglas Blackwell, Earle Johnson, Silas Willoby, Donald Cotner, Judy, Jessie Carey, Sam, William Slayman, Miss Brown, Mary Lindeman, Inspector, Ernest Richter, Messenger Boy, John Nottelmann, Officer, Wm. Starkjohn.

The play has an unusual setting calling for weird and ghostly lighting effects and in some instances the characters come to the stage from the audience. "Spooks" is a most appropriate name for this spooky play, a murder mystery which is not solved until the last breath taking minutes of the third act. The inclusion of two dark characters in the play in the person of Judy and Sam, gives additional interest to the play. "Spooks" is one of Samuel French's plays and will doubtless prove to be a happy selection by the class.

Rehearsals will begin this week.

HOLD HALLOWE'EN PARTY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Turner was the scene of a very delightful gathering on Saturday evening, the occasion being a Halloween party given by Miss Dorothy Jean Turner to a number of the young school friends.

The home was arranged in the many fanciful designs of the Halloween season and noise producing devices added to the enjoyment of the jolly party. Amid the scenes of the Halloween season the young folks enjoyed many games, Miss Helen Farley assisting in the games and amusements.

The refreshments were in keeping with the spirit of the Halloween season and each of the guests presented with a favor in the form of a tiny clown and which was filled with candy.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Dorothea Mae Duxbury, Shirley Mason, Helen Hiatt, Harriet Goos, Dorothy Ann Will, Shirley Walling, Jean Taylor, Elizabeth Ann Wiles, June Griffin, Peggy Wiles, Rosalyn Mark, Ruth Westover, Betty Vallery, Helen Barkus, Betty McKissick, Willa Sylvester, Margaret Sylvester, Dorothy Jean Turner.

HAVE A NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gopen, Jr., are rejoicing over the addition of a fine son to the family circle and the occasion has brought much joy to the happy parents as well as the grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gopen, Sr. The little one has been christened Richard Oscar.

Jas. Terryberry, Old Time Resident of County Dies

End Comes Peacefully While Aged Man Is Asleep at Farm Home West of This City.

James Terryberry, 71, one of the best known residents of Cass county and one of the wealthy and extensive land owners of this section, passed away at his home west of this city sometime Saturday night.

The passing of Mr. Terryberry was discovered Sunday morning when his daughter, Mrs. Howard Fullerton had gone to the room of the father to call him to breakfast. Mr. Terryberry was usually up quite early but the family considered that he had probably decided to sleep longer, it being Sunday and his absence was not the occasion of alarm.

Mr. Terryberry had been in the city Saturday afternoon and appeared in his usual health, altho he had in recent months suffered a great deal from heart trouble and which brought a peaceful and sudden termination of his life.

The deceased came to Nebraska when a boy of nineteen years and had since made his home in Cass county and by his diligence and thrift acquired a great deal of the choice farming land near Cedar Creek and Louisville. He was a great lover of the outdoors and one of the leading sportsmen of the county, enjoying hunting and fishing a great deal.

Mr. Terryberry is survived by six sons and two daughters, the wife having preceded him in death some years ago. The children are Dan, Fred, Jess, Earl, John, and Glenn, all living near Cedar Creek; Mrs. Otto Schafer of Murray, and Mrs. Howard Fullerton who has been making her home with the father.

Mr. and Mrs. Fullerton were planning on moving into this city in a short time and the father was to have accompanied them to reside here and leave the cares of the farm.

CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

The passing of the sixty-seventh birthday anniversary of George A. Kaffenberger, one of the well known citizens of the community, was observed at the family home on high school hill Sunday. The event was in the nature of a dinner party and in which a number of the neighbors were invited in to join the members of the family in their congratulations and well wishes to the guest of honor.

The dinner was arranged by the daughters and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lester Foxwell, Mrs. Adrain Edgar and Mrs. John B. Kaffenberger and was a most delightful occasion and was followed by the social evening and visiting among the members of the party.

The centerpiece of the birthday dinner at the noon hour was a fine birthday cake that had been prepared by the members of the family circle.

In the afternoon the friends came in to give the guest of honor a most delightful surprise and to remain over for the evening. A buffet supper was served at 6 o'clock for the members of the group.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Mrs. Lester Foxwell and son, Leo, Mrs. Adrain Edgar and sons, George and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Knorr and Jean and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Gobelman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Cloyd and daughter, Frances, Mrs. Laura Brinkman.

HOLD INTERESTING MEETING

The members of the St. John's school Parent-Teacher's association held a very interesting meeting on Friday evening at the school and which was attended by a large number of the membership. The program of the evening was in the nature of a "Halloween event and which was furnished by the pupils of the eighth grade of the school, some very clever numbers being presented by the talented young people of the school.

The business session was largely devoted to the discussion of the constitution and by-laws of the organization.

At an appropriate hour refreshments in keeping with the Halloween season were served and which added to the enjoyment of all of the members of the group.

FORESTERS TO REPORT

The local board that will have charge of the selection of the fifteen young men who will represent Cass county's quota for the conservation camps, have received the official notice that the young men who are notified are to appear at the court house here on Wednesday, November 8th at 8 a. m. for examination and if accepted will at once be taken into service.

The examination and enlistment will be in charge of Major A. C. Wallington at this city.

C. C. C. Boys in West Camps are Ready for Winter

Local Group at Camp Tye, Roseburg, Oregon, to Have Winter Quarters Ready.

The Plattsmouth young men belonging to the Civilian Conservation Corps, who are located at Camp Tye, Roseburg, Oregon, are engaged with all members of the camp force in preparing for winter weather and the necessity for warmer quarters.

Walter Eledge, one of the members of the camp writes that the winter barracks are now under way and fast nearing completion and will be ready for the shelter of the company by the time the change in weather occurs.

The members of the camp force that desired were enabled to make the trip to Portland, Oregon to enjoy the U. of Oregon and Southern California football game.

Walter has been able to put his river knowledge to good use as he is in charge of the ferry that plies on the small river near the camp and serves to transport the men and trucks to and from over the river. He is assisted by Johnnie Richardson, grandson of John Richardson, who for many years operated the ferry here. The boat that they use is equipped with a motor and which aids the navigators very much.

A new detachment of young men has arrived at Camp Tye, they being largely from St. Louis, Missouri.

FUNERAL OF JAS. TERRYBERRY

From Tuesday's Daily
The funeral services of the late James Terryberry were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Glendale church west of this city and near the family home. The services were largely attended, there being a large number from all sections of the county present to pay their last tributes to the memory of this splendid citizen who had so suddenly gone from the scene of his earthly activity.

The services were in charge of Dr. H. G. McClusky, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, who brought to the family circle and the old friends a message of comfort in the words of the scriptures.

Frank A. Cloyd gave a solo number, "The City Four Square," while the Masonic quartet composed of Frank A. Cloyd, Raymond C. Cook, H. G. McClusky and R. W. Knorr gave the beautiful old hymn, "Going Down the Valley."

The interment was at the Glendale cemetery near the church where the body was laid to rest beside that of the wife.

COMPLETE TESTS

Boy Scout leaders and scoutmasters from several points in southeastern Nebraska gathered at Plattsmouth on Sunday where they attended the completion of the second class examination.

The work, under the direction of B. B. Dawson and L. Harbottle, executives of the Cornhusker area, was instruction in the regular second class degree in Scouting. The meeting was the last of a series of six held for the leaders there.

The leaders were divided into two patrols of nine for the taking of the tests. In the evening dinner was cooked over open fires without the use of cooking utensils—one of the requirements.

Tracking, and woodcraft, as well as pacing and fire building were other requirements studied.

Those from this city to complete the work included Scoutmaster Ray Larson as well as Aulton Rolland and Francis Libershal.

State to Call for Bids on Paving and Viaduct Here

Last Steps to Complete Gap in Highway No. 75 North of This City Is Now Undertaken.

The prospects of the completion of the last remaining unpaved section of highway No. 75 between this city and Omaha, will soon be completed as the call for the bids on the work has been issued from the office of the department of roads and irrigation.

The job will require a great deal of grading and filling as the new highway is to be constructed across a part of the Stull farm as well as the land of the Merritt sand and gravel company, making a new and straight section of roadway from the end of the present paving to the Platte river bridge and which will eliminate the present curve at the Nord corner.

The state has completed condemnation proceedings for the land according to law and the damages assessed by the appraisers and the work will be undertaken as soon as the contracts can be let. The owners of the land are to carry an appeal of the damages to the district court, but the state will go on with the road regardless of the court action.

It is hoped that with favorable weather that the road can be completed by the middle of the winter season and provide the much needed highway improvement and eliminating the rough stretch that has for several years marred the fine stretch of paving through eastern Nebraska.

The call for bids also calls for a viaduct over the Burlington tracks at Oreapolis 280 feet long; 1 concrete slab bridge 16 feet long; 1 12 foot concrete slab bridge and 1 80 ft concrete slab bridge.

The building of the viaduct at Oreapolis will eliminate all of the railroad crossings between here and Omaha as there are viaducts over the tracks at La Platte and Fort Crook.

HAVE TEMPERANCE PROGRAMS

The committee of the W. C. T. U. which has in charge the preparation and presentation of the programs in the Sunday schools of the city, gave several of these on Sunday at the various churches.

In the Methodist Sunday school Mrs. E. H. Wescott distributed leaflets in the boys and girls classes, also in the young men's class of the school. Stuart Porter gave a most interesting and instructive talk to all. The temperance program was presented 100 per cent in the Methodist church.

At the Christian church in the department of Mrs. O. C. Hudson, there was given a very fine talk by the minister, Rev. Chastain that added to the observance of the occasion.

The Presbyterian church had a special program with Mr. C. A. Rawls giving a fine instructive talk. This department at the Presbyterian church is under the direction of Mrs. George L. Farley.

MOTOR TO MISSOURI

From Tuesday's Daily
Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Briggs of this city with Mr. and Mrs. Chester B. Briggs and daughter, Beverly Belle, of Winner, South Dakota, and George Amos of Lynch, Nebraska, returned home this morning from an auto trip to the Ozark section of Missouri.

The party motored to Stoutland, where the Briggs family have land interests and also visited at the Lake of the Ozarks at Bagnall, one of the largest artificial lakes in the country. They had a very fine trip and one that took them over a great deal of country.

MOVING TO THIS CITY

From Tuesday's Daily
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cappell and family, who have been making their home at Wahoo, are moving today to this city where they will make their home in the old home of Mrs. Cappell, the Wolfarth residence on North 4th street and which they have purchased.

The many old time friends will be pleased to learn that they are returning to this city and will be able to enjoy the associations of the past.

SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Mrs. Homer Sylvester, wife of the county sheriff, is now showing a rapid improvement at the St. Joseph hospital at Omaha where she has been since last Thursday night. Mrs. Sylvester was very critically ill for some time but was able to rally and is now apparently well on the way to recovery. This will be most pleasant news to the friends over Cass county and they trust that she may continue to rally until able to return home.

Ted Hadraba is Given Fellowship at Prague Uni.

Selected by Northwestern University for High Honor—Only Fellowship Granted in U. S.

From Wednesday's Daily
Theodore Hadraba, son of Joseph F. Hadraba of this city, a former graduate of the Plattsmouth high school and Northwestern university, has been awarded a fellowship in the University of Prague, Czechoslovakia. The award was made by Northwestern university on the basis of the outstanding record that he had made as a student and teacher at the American university.

The fellowship award will cover a nine month stay at the Prague university, one of the best known and highest ranking schools in Europe. It includes room, board, medical and hospital care and the salary of 300 crowns per month during his stay at the Czech school.

Mr. Hadraba was a graduate of the local high school in the class of 1928, spending his first year at the University of Nebraska and completing his last three years at Northwestern, where he was graduated as one of the highest ranking students of the great school. He took a vacation of some two years on account of his health, later returning to Northwestern where he has been an instructor in the College of Business Administration and Finance.

Mr. Hadraba was recently given his master's degree in the college of business and finance and will on his return from the University of Prague resume his teaching work in his alma mater at Chicago. In the award of his master's degree he received one of the highest ratings of any student, having perfect record in all of the tests.

During the past summer Mr. Hadraba has been in charge of the retail department of the Czechoslovakia building at the Century of Progress exposition and will remain there until November 24th to assist in the closing of the affairs of the exhibit.

He expects to be home for a few days visit with the father, brother and sisters, before leaving for New York where he is to sail about the first of December. He is to report at the University of Prague December 15th to enter on his work.

Mr. Hadraba was an outstanding student from his high school days and a young man of exceptional force of character and personality and his splendid recognition for scholastic work brings a real pleasure to the many old time friends in his home community.

ENTERTAIN QUARTET

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Cook was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Monday, the occasion being a pheasant dinner which was served to the members of the Masonic quartet and their ladies. The event was one that all of the party will long appreciate and remember with pleasure.

Those enjoying the event were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Knorr, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. McClusky, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Cloyd, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cook, Miss Nell Dreamer and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Cook.

RETURN FROM CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mauzy, who have for the past three weeks been enjoying a visit at Chicago, have returned home after a most delightful outing. While at Chicago they were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Verdon Vroman and family and also enjoyed the many sights of the Century of Progress exposition which is now being in the last weeks.

Hallowe'en is Extensively Observed Here

Mummers Parade as Well as Dance for Social Features; Much Activity by Merry-makers.

From Wednesday's Daily
The Hallowe'en season was generally observed here and the event was more actively participated in by the residents of the city than for many years, the celebration usually being confined to the youngsters, but last evening the older people entered into the observance in true Mardi-Gras spirit.

The parade that had been arranged as the chief feature of the evening, was one that was enjoyed very much by the crowds that lined the walks in the business section. There were many attractive costumes shown, largely of the Hallowe'en characters, in which there were several clever characters as witches, black cats, ghosts and goblins. The group of merry minstrels in Spanish costume was one of the most elaborate that has been seen in any of the parades and were headed by the trio of musicians that dispersed music along the line of march.

The parade was headed by the junior drum and bugle corps and the "Little German Band," of years ago found a place in the line of march to assist in the success of the parade.

This is the first year for this occasion and it is the intention of the Retail Section and the American Legion to repeat this festival in the future.

While it was not possible to get the names of all who won prizes the following are a few of the names: Ella Rhoden, Barbara Rhoden, Clara Toman, Anna Altschaffl, Mary Altschaffl, Clyde Graves, Catherine Shellenbarger, Ruth Ann Hatt, Kathryn Kaffenberger, Mary Ann Wainseott, Betty Busch, Eleanor Giles, Sylvia Moore, Harold Moore, Robert Marshall, Fern Stivers, Ruth Ferrie, Ruth Rottler, Marjorie Devoe, Annie Lee White, Betty Mae Schubeck, Helen Messermith, Frances Lillie, Harriet Goos, Mildred Engelkemier, Dorothy Duxbury, Margaret Rea, Jimmy Mauzy, Jesse Hoffman, Donald Gorder, Junior Devoe, Emmet Mullen, Mrs. M. D. Brown, Ruth Thomas, Dorothy Ann Wills, Alice Rea, Ralph Hill, Mary Rishel, Mary Jean Hatt, Kathryn Conis, Jarella Farnham, Louise Jolley, Elizabeth Ann Wiles, Betty Jean Dodds, Raymond Harold, Marium Fricke, Margaret Fricke, Robert Cook, Leonard Baxter, Vesta Covert, Donald Busch, Edward Bashus and Raymond Kiel.

The committee in charge of the event was Fred Busch, chairman; L. S. Devoe, Bruce Rosencrans, Hill Martin, L. W. Egenberger and E. L. McKissick.

The Hallowe'en ball at the American Legion building was largely attended by the merry-makers and who had a very fine time in the dancing and in the general spirit of carnival times that prevailed and the dance continued until a late hour.

The youngsters of the city and some of the older merry-makers, were out with the usual line of mischief and windows of business houses, cars and dwellings were liberally smeared with soap and wax, sheds and other buildings overturned in different parts of the city. At the tourist park some ambitious group took the tables and benches that have been located in the tourist section of the park and piled them on the baseball diamond in the park.

VISITING AT OLD HOME

From Wednesday's Daily
Frank E. Schlater, of Denver, former resident of Louisville and Plattsmouth, is at Louisville for a visit with relatives, being called there to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, William Ossenkop. Mr. Schlater was for many years prominent in the business and political life of Cass county, being a deputy sheriff as well as county treasurer for several terms. He removed to Denver some ten years ago and has since made his home there. While regretting the mission that brought him to Nebraska, the old friends at Louisville were delighted to have the opportunity of seeing him again.