Nebr. Slate Eistorical Society OF LEAN LIESE Plattemouth The Fournal. VOL. NO. XLIX PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA. MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1933. NO. 94 **High School Tragedy Ends** WILL APPEAL CASE Claim of Matt **Platters Win** WILL UNDERGO OPERATION JURY GOES HOME The state highway department of The members of the petit jury Holds Fine Christ-Alfred Edgerton, constable of the Holiday Visit of from Ashland by Thimgan Denied Nebraska is filing notice of appeal of anel at the conclusion of the case ounty court, who has been suffering ith eve trouble for the past faw of Dwyer vs. P. F. Peterson Baking the recent verdict in the district court mas Program St. Louis Girl by the Courts company, Wednesday evening, were excused from further duty at the term Score of 13 to 7 here of \$10,000 for the Merritt Co., years, is to go to Omaha the first of n a road condomnation matter. The he coming week to undergo an opernotice of appenl will be filed by Paul of court. The members of the jury ation on one of his eyes. Mr. Edger-Annual Gathering Featured by Pres- Cheney, assistant attorney general Supremo Tribunci Says That the pentel were thanked by Judge James Locals Carry Off Victory But Miss ton had one of the eyes operated on Miss Envile Bradway Found Dead ence of Many Members of the and W. G. Kieck, county attorney. 1. Begley for the faithful services some time ago and which proved very in Bed by Her Grandmother Many Shots at the Basket-State Courts Have No Juriz-This is the case involving the apover the period that they have been Alumni to Enjoy Event. beneficial and it is hoped that the op-Early Today. Mext Game with Malvern. diction in the Case. praisal of the land of the sand and In service since th opening of the eration will place the other eye in From Thursday's Dally terms, November 26th, and excuse... From Friday's Daily proper condition. The many friends From Saturday's Daily gravel company north of this city, The action of the district court of This afternoon at the high school through which the extension of high-The Platter basketball quintet took of Mr. Edgerton are trusting that he Tragedy has shadowed the Christ-The termination of the jury term wi Lancaster county in dismissing the the annual Christmas program was way No. 75 will be made. enable the members of the panel to their first win of the season last night may have both eyes restored to their mas season in the home of Mr. and \$50,000 damage suit brought against held to mark the approach of the celebrate the holiday region at home on the Ashland court when they an- former excellent condition and he be Mrs. John Geiser of this city when In the appraisal the land damage forthcoming vacation and the holi- was placed at \$1,600 by the apprais- Murdock, on the ground that the and free from the responsibility of nexed the contest with the high able to resume his activilies in a early this morning Mrs. Gener found day reason. As in the past years a ers, but the jury gave the company school team of that place by the short time her granddaughter, Enythe Bradway, their court work. state had taken his private property. large number of the former students, a verdict of \$10,000. of St. Louis, dead in bed at the house score of 13 to 7. the Covered Wagon design used as a putticularly those of the classes of The locals secured many shots at of the grandmother. rond marker, was sustained by the su-preme court Friday in an opinion Funeral of A. H. **Death Calls One** join with the present day Platters in Presbyterian recent years, were in attendance to The granddaughter, with her faththe basket, but were unable to make them suick for counters, altho acquirer, A. W. Bradway, had arrived here written by Judge Good. The court Engelkemeier is of the Long Time from St. Louis Thursday evening to their excellent program. ing a zafa margin for their victory says that it is a suit for infringement Ladies Enjoy a The program was presided over by visit the grandmother and it was over the Saunders county quintet. of a patent, and that state courts, the intention of Mirs Bradway to re-Miss Mary Anne Rosencrans, presi-In the opening half the Platts-Held Wednesday **Residents Here** have no jurisdiction in cases under main here for the winter at the Geiser dent of the student council in a very mouth five took a lead of eight to Holiday Party the patent laws. nome. Mr. Bradway departed Friday able and graceful manner. ne and held the Ashiand team at Thingan claimed that because the for a visit with relatives in that state The address of the occasion was all stages of the game with Hiner legislature would not waive its im- Services at the Light Mile Grove Mrs. Peter Meisinger Who Passed and to return here later for Christ leading the scoring of the locals with by Rev. C. O. Troy, pastor of the Luther an Church Largely At-Auxiliary Society and Their Friends munity from sult for patent infringe-Away Friday, Member of Two mas at the home of his mother First Methodist church, who gave a two field goals. Jeasen also account-Are Pleasantly Entertained at Fellowship Room. tended-Burial Here. ment he could sue for conversion. of Prominent Families. Last evening when retiring, Mins short and most impressive message ed for a field goal and Armstrong The court says that in other words Bradway had slept on a hed in the of the Christmas season and its meanand McCleary enchannexed a free The funeral services for A. H. In the death of Mrs. Peter Melif the state had granted permission room where a large baseburner wa ing to the men and women of the inger, which occurred on Friday, located and which was closed off from to sue, the action would have been Engelhemeler were hold on Wednes-From Thursday's Daily world of today and of the future there was removed one of the old the rest of the house to keep it warm Yesterday afternoon a very pleas- for infringement, but because it re- day afternoon at the Eight Mile In the second half of the game the fused it is not for infringement, rea- Crove Lutheran church west of this Ashland team were able to break residents of this community and a for the visitor. Years. ing Christmas party was held in the The remainder of the program was Presbyterian church, when Mesdames soning that does not appeal as being city following a short prayer service away for three field goals to outscore representative of two of the promthe Platters six to five for the haif. inent familles of this section of Cass made this morning by the grand-The discovery of the tragedy was given in a fine manner by the young Gorder, George Farley and H. G. Meat the home. sounü. people of the school and their guests, Clusky were hostesses to the Auxil-Judge Good says that the petition There was a very large number in For Pinttemouth, Ronne and Hiner county. mother on arising and came as a ter-

String Ensemble____Alice Hiait, Rachel Robertson, Marjorie Ann Tidball, Wm. Evers, Wallace Terryberry, Lois, Bestor. Miss Garrett,

the alumni.

Accompanist

Annette Hartwell-Isabelle McFarland room, a snow-capped Christmas tree

iary Society and their friends. been transformed into an old fash- the federal courts have jurisdiction, splendid citizen and neighbor, who setting for the play that comprised royalties or on contracts to convey livity.

Mrs. Hartwell_____Ellen Kelly larger room was made very festive tion is clear between this form of ac- Lintz, conducted the services and Iowa. Jean Hartwell____Inga Reichstadt in appearance. In the center of the tion and that in the instant case. Mr. Hartwell_____Oliver Taylor stood ten fest high, radiant with de- was not the author of the design, but from Matthew 21:9, while the Eng-Jack Hartwell_____Wm. Jensen corations and beautiful lights, while this feature of the case was not gone lish was from Genesis 12:1-3, bring- Rhodes, f

Uncle Tom_____ Robert Second around the room had been placed a into by the court because of its hold-ing words of comfort to the members Roome, f ing that it had no jurisdiction to hear of the family circle.

clearly states a course of action for in- atondance at the service to pay their each dropped in a field goal and The smaller Fellowship room had fringement of a patent right. Only last tributes to the memory of this Rhodes made good a free tess. The team will have a rest until ioned living room, which served as a State courts have heard actions for had been called from his earthly ac- January 5th when they entertain the Malvern, Iowa, team here, one of the promising quintets of southeastern

gave an address in both Gorman and The tabulated score of the game The state claimed that Thimgan English, the German text being taken was as follows:

Ed Meisinger and a nephew, Ernest Wagner, f _____ 1

Plattsmouth-

Jensen.

Sutton, c 0

D. Barger, c _____ 0

A. Barger, g _____ 0

It was given Mrs. Meisinger to have rible shock, as a pleasant and happy lived long past the asual span of life time had been planned for the family

and her lifetime covered many of the during the holiday season. greatest years of the nation's life and during which time the nation sustained two of the greatest wars of all ation made as to the cause of death

time and invention and discovery in and it was not determined whather the fields of science had brought civ- the death had been caused by a heart ilization advancement greater than weakness or other causes.

all of the years before. out her life in the family circle that phone and was able to reach this

o George and Elizabeth Meisinger of

She later married Peter Meisinger,

2 sen of Philip and Margaret Mei-

singer, of Pekin.

The father, who had gone to Iowa The deceased lady had quictly lived for a brief visit was reached by tele-

The body was taken to the Sattley

funeral home and medical examin-

Mary Anne Rosencrans. Director

Grandfather_____Wm, Woolcott

countless number of red candles.

A play entitled, "The Day Before and determine the controversy. The German choir of the church Hiner, c _____ 3 Jean Hayes Christmas" was pleasantly rendered While the court opinion indicates sang "Lais Mich Geben." and the Edwards, f _____ 0 Alumni Address___Edward Wehrbein Norgaret Hirz Songs_____Margaret Hirz Xmas Spirits _____Tritsch & Garnett Hirz, and the Misses Helen and Ruth tribunal for the trial of such a case, Take Care of You" and "Asleep in Hendrix, g ______0 Songs _____George Adam Warga, Eleanor Olson, and Anna Thimsan cannot avail himself of that Jesus."

Novelty Number Martha Gorder Margaret McCarty, each one proving opportunity for the reason that the The pall bearers were the two sons, Program Committee: Edwin Ka- an artist in their impersonations. legislature has refused to permit suit the cons-in-law and a nephew of the Ashlandlina, Earl Lamberson, Bessie Carey, Beautiful vocal numbers were offered to be brought for infringement of departed, being Fred and Walter En-Welch, f _____ 1

GREGG CLUB MEETING

by Mrs. John Figley, and Mrs. Gil- patent, and without that permission gelkemeier, Otto E. Lutz, Philip Heil, Olson, f bert Hirz, Mrs. H. F. Goos serving as it cannot be brought into court. accompanist, also a piano solo by Miss Attorney General Good took par- Engelkemeier, Interment was at Oak Schlenger, f _____ 0

The December meeting of the Gregg Harriet Goos. ticular satisfaction in winning the Hill cometery. Club of the commercial department Following the program the guests case. He said that investigation had The pastor of the church gave the took place Tuesday evening at the were given a real surprise when Santa shown that another man had drawn following sketch of the life of the Mullin, g _____ 1 Claus appeared from the fire place the design for Thimgan, that the departed: high school.

A very interesting and educational with his loaded pack. They were still original artist had given the state It hath pleased the Lord of life program had been arranged by the more surprised that he had remem- consent to use the design, that the and deathh to take from this earth bered most of their girlhood names, state design was changed from the unto himself above our brother in committee on entertainment. During the three years that the and was just as jolly with them as original to suit conditions, and that Christ, August Herman Engelkemeler,

Gregg Club has been organized an in- he used to be when they were little Thimgan did not patent the design who was born on the 29th day of Wednesday night a group of the 1922 , when they moved to Piatts- had arranged a very good program teresting feature of one of the meet- folks. He brought each one of them until after all this had occurred. June, 1960 at Hasebeck, Lippe Det- alumni of the Peru State Teachers mouth. ings has been a shorthand demon- a stocking filled with Christmas

stration by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wood- goodles. bury. The demonstration has always The refreshments were appropriate proved of great interest to the mem- to the season. Served amid holly and From Saturday's Dally

hers of the club. A spell-down was held between the brought the unusually pleasant aft- Methodist Sunday school was held seven years he rented a place near handed the old timers a 25 to 15 de- Plattemouth; and Catherine, at home. member of the band, was heard in

Juniors and Seniors in which the ernoon to a close. prowers of the Junior members was upheld.

Another interesting feature was ing the Christmas baskets. Mr. Devoe and his "Bag of Tricks," which was enjoyed a great deal by APPOINTED STORAGE INSPECTOR choir led by Miss Mildred Hall was blessed with seven children, one of lineup was Fred Rothert, local high Mrs. Wallace Balley, of Pekin, and linda Friedrich were heard in piano

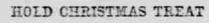
the members. Gregg awards which students have The state railway commission at program that had been prepared and He began to fail about a year ago, and one of the outstanding players in won so far this year are as follows: Lincoln, which has the appointing of which was presided over by J. H. Dn- during the last three months steadily his four eyars there, as well as Bern-

may secure by reaching a certain corn and hog loan plan, has announc- school. standard in shorthand writing.

andard in shorthand writing. Complete Theory Test, Junior ypist—A certificate requiring negure. ed the appointment of H. L. Clapp of The classes of the primary depart-into the morning land on Sunday Typist-A certificate requiring accur-ney and skill in straight material. Mr. Clapp was called to Lincoln and songs and recitations in keeping with evening, Dec. 17, at an age of 73 60-word Certificate-A certificate notified of the apointment and at the yuletide spirit and which was years, 5 months and 16 days.

showing that a student has the abil-ince started on his work. The num- carried out in a most impressive man-the beaves to mourn his departure. cisco, is here to enjoy the holiday sea- suit was one for \$33 damages occa-next meeting will be January 19, ity to write shorthand at the rate of ber of applications has been very ner. fo words per minute for five min-ber of applications has been very ner. have and required the services of a A clever stunt was arranged by a kemeier, at home; Mrs. Otto Lutz, and Mrs. Rea F. Patterson. Edward 1932 on South Sixth street between

and 50 word certificates.



ing of the cribs when the loan is sion and the message was given by Three sisters in Germany and one in his work. The occasion of his visit The St. John's purochial school granted. The other inspectors in the the superintendent that "some kids sister here. Mrs. Wm. Puls, Murray; has been a source of pleasure to the

held their Christmas treat on Wed- county are Senator W. B. Banning of from across the track are here and two brothers, Carl Engelkemcier, host of friends who have the pleasure The Buy Plattsmouth posters are neaday. needay afternoon when the children Union, Searl S. Davis and W. R want to see Santa Claus, It was de- Plattemeuth; Henry Engelkemeier of knowing this genial young man. on display in the room just east of In the evening, their children, Mrs. attending the school started their Young of this city, all of whom have cided to admit the "kids," who were Newkirk, Okla. Four grandchildran Mr. Patterson expects to remain here the Pease Style Shep and the room Henry Thiele. Mrs. Leo Switzer and Christmas vacation which will con- been very busy for the past weeks in found on entering to be some of the and many friends.

tinue to January 3rd.

The school pupils were greeted by Santa Claus as usual and each of the !! scholars received a candy treat from the jolly old boy that is a welcome From Friday's Daily-

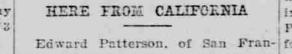
visitor at this time of the year. In addition to the candy treat the Barkus and daughters, Katherine, and Donald Bushnell, the party giv- in whom there was no false. May the for the holiday vacation with her parmembers of the Parent-Teachers as- Helen and Betty May, departed for ing several comic recitations and eternal light shine upon him. sociation of the school had prepared the west coast where they will spend songs to add to the occasion.

gifts which were presented to the lit- the holiday season. They will visit at The visit of Santa with treats for the folks and bringing them a great Los Angeles with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar the children made the crowning glory deal of pleasure. Larson, the former a brother of Mrs. of a real Christmas festival.

Christmas songs were given and the Barkus and also at San Bernardino, students then released from their where Mr. Barkus' mother, Mrs. E. K. school duties until the re-opening of Becker and his two brothers, Ray the news and will appreciate your

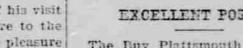
the bonds of holy matrimony to Ma- pleasure of sceing a real battle be- dran, one half-brother, Charles Stochr other member of the band, gave sev-The carol singing by the junior tilda nee Eirchhoff. This union was tween the two teams. In the alumni of near Plattsmouth; one half-rister. eral readings. Misses Hilda and Mz-

a truly inspiring touch to the fine whom already preceded him in death. coach, Joe Krejci, ex-Peru captain many many relatives and friends.

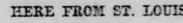


his wife, six children, Laura Engel- son at the home of his parents, Mr. sioned in a collision in February 1934. Everyone welcome.

ferent rections of the county. The appeared at the door of the church Nehawka; Mrs. Phillip Heil, Cedar years on the west coast, going there of the defendant company which was work of the office includes the fur- attired in knce pants and other child- Creek; Walter Engelkemeier, Mur- shortly after his graduation from parked on South 6th street. hishing of loans, inspection and seal- hood adornments, demanding admis- ray; Mrs. Alvina Melsinger, Myaard, school and has been very successful



drop in and see what splendid work the evening with them. The party comprised Hilt Wescott, church member and the chief support Miss Emily Lorenz, who is a stu- has been produced by local talent.



our home during the time when Mrs. with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and as well as the old friends; Miss The Journal alms to print all Cook was disabled by her broken Mrs. Frank Lorenz, former residents Edythe is to stay for an indefinite and you'll enloy might. All stores are open visit with her grandmother.

2 she loved and in her going they will city late this morning to be with 6 muss very much the ministrations of the members of the bereaved family this kindly lady. circle.

1 Myria Elizabeth Stochr was born The deceased young woman was 0 the second day of August, 1852, in twenty years of age and was born in Pekin, III. She was a daughter of Plattsmouth, spending her younger 5 13 Mr. and Mrs. George Stochr. Her years here and ten years ago with early life was spent in Pekin, where the parents, removed to St. Louis she married John Meisniger, son of where they have since resided.

The members of the family will 2 Pekin. To this union was born one have the deepest sympathy of the 0 son, John P. Meisinger of this city. many friends in this city in the trag-The lather died in his early infancy. edy that has come into their lives.

PLEASANT RIDGE COMMUNITY

The family moved to Plattsmouth The Pleasant Ridge Community in the year 1891 and settled on a club met Dec. 15 at the Pleisant had purchased, and lived there until Ridge school. Mr. Ruebon Meininger farm near Cedar Creek, which they which everyone enjoyed.

mold, Germany, where he was bap- college, who in the past years had Seven children were born to the The Farmers Union band of Louistized and confirmed in the Christian shown with luster on the hardwood second union: George Meisinger of ville, Nebraska, under the direction faith. He emigrated to America in court at the college, took on the 1923- Murray; Maggie, at home; Louise, at of Mr. W. B. Green was present and

Mrs. Meisinger is survived by her two vocal solos.

ducts.

Miss Janet Westover was also heard in several readings.

Little Miss Ruth Westover was the concluding number on the program. The jury in the district court Wednesday afternoon returned a verdict She was heard in a trio of piano

The whole program was greatly en-

WED FIFTY-SIX YEARS

Mr. and Mrn. Henry Schomaker, one of Nehnwkn's oldest plotten couples quietly observed their 56th weddiag anniversary at their home Wed-

Carsten and wife of Avoca and Alpha

Mr. and Mrs. Schomaker are real pioneers in this community. They have seen eastern Nebraska as an unbroken prairie transformed into the great agricultural center it is today. They did their part in making the time friends. Miss Lorenz has enjoy- A. W. Bradway and daughter, wonderful change and can marvel at

> Come to Plattsmouth Wednesand you'll enjoy mingling with the large and congenial crowd.

getting the applications lined up. leaders of the church who put on a He was at all times a loving husshort and much enjoyed skit for the band, a good father, a quiet, friendly, LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA entertainment of the young and old. peace loving neighbor, a faithful

William Heinrich, L. S. Devoe, Wil- of the German speaking part of the dent at Drake University at Des Admission to this display is free. This afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Frank bur Hall, Harry White and Eugene congregation, a believing Christian Moines, is to arrive home Saturday

assistance to that end. Call No. 6. limb.-Mr. and Mrs. Will G. Cook. of this city.

PRESENT FINE PROGRAM

the year of 1884, at first to the neigh- 34 basketball team of Peru with the home; William, near Springfield, Ne- offered a group of selections.

in the glow of the candle light, they The Christmas program of the borhood of Plattsmouth; for the first result the quintet of Conch Lorber braska; Mary, at home; Paltz, at Miss Minnie Pankonin, soloist and

last evening at the church before Manley, until he bought the home feat. The guests brought generous con- an audience that filled the auditorium place, where he lived until his death. A number from this city were in husband, Peter, eight children, eight Frank Kostka gave several accordtributions of food to be used in fill- to its capacity and was exceptional On Sept. 7, 1888 he was joined in attendance at the game and had the grandchildren. five great-grandchil- ian numbers. Miss Jean Group, anin its beauty.

OGA-a certificate which a student the farm storage inspectors under the vis, superintendent of the Sunday grew worse until last Thursday he and Galloway, now coach at Dor-

fell into a deep coma from which he chester.

in the case of D. O. Dwyer vs. the solos. P. F. Peterson Baking Co., finding Edward Patterson, of San Fran- for the defendants in the action. The joyed by the large audience. The

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ALUMNI LOSE GAME

Typist 60-word gold pin and 40 number of the inspectors in the dif- number of the men of the church who Plattsmouth: Fred Engelkemeier has been located for the past several the auto of the plaintif and the truck

EXCELLENT POSTERS

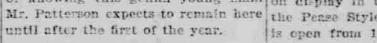
is open from 1 to 5:30 and from 7 Fred Schomaker and families, Fred to 9.

FINDS FOR DEFENDANTS

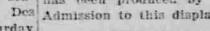
We desire to thank the friends and and been most successful in her work. morning to visit with their mother made .-- Nehawka Enterprise.

neighbors who so kindly helped at She is making her home at Des Moines and grandmother, Mrs. John Geiser,

If you have not seen these posters Bell, gathered at their home to spend



HERE FROM DES MOINES



HERE FROM ST. LOUIS

ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lorenz and to enjoy the vacation with the old From Thursday's Daily

ed her studies at the Iowa university Edythe, of St. Louis, arrived this the transformation that has been



CARD OF THANKS