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### PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1935.

#### **Fine Program Pretty Home** The state conference of the Daugh-Given by Pres-Wedding Held ters of the American Revolution which is held in Omaha this week has byterian Church at Wabash attracted a large number of the members of Fontenelle chapter of this city to take part in the various ses- Miss Alcie Gerbeling United in Mar-Musical Offerings and Sketches Make sions and social features that is a riage to Mr. Lloyd A. McCoy Fine Event - Men's Chorus part of the meeting. Mrs. E. H. Wesof Lincoln. Tuesday. Makes Initial Bow. cott, past state regent, of this city, On Tuesday evening, March 19th,

MANY ATTEND MEETINGS

From Thursday's Daily treats of the season was presented gram of the conference. last evening at the Fellowship room of the First Presbyterian church in the program that was sponsored by

Circle No. 4 of the church. The program was varied and one that reflected the greatest credit on the clever artists that participated in the evening's entertainment.

The string ensemble, composed of Mildred Knofficek, Billy Evers, Wallace Terryberry, Alice Hiatt and Rachel Robertson, were heard ina group of two selections, "Minuet" by Haydn and "Pilgrim's Chorus" by Wagner. Mrs. Cora Williams Reeder, former music supervisor and who had several years' training of the members, was the accompanist.

Bernice Wieland, gave two cleverly presented reading, "Pants" and "A Cullud Woman on the Phone," which were a much enjoyed feature of the event.

Miss Jean Knorr, one of the young piano artists of the city was heard in a group of two selections, "Wiches Dances" and "To a Waterlily," by talent of the player.

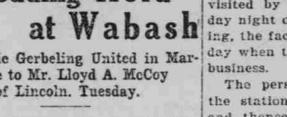
organized for a short time, made from Columbus that the man was with tulle. their first public appearance on the held in jail at that place to await The bride's traveling suit was a cate pests of different kinds that The third ward developed the only

presided over the luncheon of the past presidents group which was one One of the most delightful musical of the features of the Wednesday pro-

## **Capture Wanted** Man Wednesday Near Columbus

Clarence Houch to Be Returned Here, Mrs. C. L. Bosley, twin sister of the on Forgery Charge-Sheriff Goes After Prisoner Today.

Sheriff Homer Sylvester has been white roses. The lighting of the can- sion at the auditorium of the Cen- tions for city offices Friday night From Friday's Daily engaged for the past several days in dies by Miss Edna McCoy and Mrs. tral school building, which was very found but few candidates seeking the search for a young man named Clar- L. C. Aukler, sisters of the groom. largely attended and a most inter- position of councilmen, these being hospital claimed the life of William been preferred against him, for the on a forgery charge but had been bride, acted as attendant and wore joyed. ities.

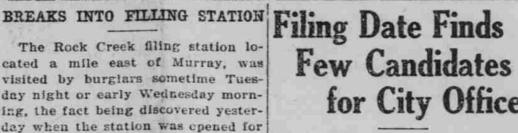


1935 at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gerbeling of Wabash, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Alcie to Mr. Lloyd A. Mc-Coy. The ceremony was performed by Garden Club the Rev. Wm. Taylor, of the Baptist church of Union, Nebraska. The ceremony was performed before a back-

ground of a bay window of house plants. The music was MacDowell's "To a Wild Rose" for the lighting of the candles and Lohengrin for the Senator W. B. Banning of Union, Is bridal procession. The planist was bride. The bride's gown was of

white satin, floor length and she wore

The Cass county sheriff, with his Bosley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bos- the chief speaker and gave many very tee of the council, has been on file MacDowell, which reflected the fine picloned that he might later turn up. ated with wedding cake in the center, the general beautification of the large group of the voters in the sec-Wednesday the efforts of the sher- decorated with a small bride and highways.



tion-Only One Ward Contest

Staged for Councilmen.

The Candidates

EOARD OF EDUCATION

Frank A. Cloidt.

Mrs. Pearl Mann.

COUNCILMEN

3rd ward, Fred Lugsch, W.

1st ward, Frank M. Bestor.

2nd ward, W. C. Tippens,

4th ward, C. D. Palmer.

5th ward, E. O. Vroman.

bers whose terms are expiring.

for the position in which he has

J. C. Cemstock.

John Lutz.

H. Puls.

Four Nominees for Board of Educa-The persons secured entrance to the station by breaking a window and thence making their way into

the building. There was nothing taken as far as can be ascertained.



Chief Speaker at Meeting at Central Building.

Last evening the Plattsmouth Gara veil. The bridal bouquet was of den club held a very interesting ses- The close of the date for filing peti-

and had descriptions of the wanted A reception immediately followed advancement of the work along the city clerk. man sent to localities where he sus- the ceremony. The table was decor- line of better gardens, orchards and W. C. Tippens was requested by a

for Zinnia seeds this year that may in the past year.

of the club and which should be a publicans.

real attraction to all of the club

DIES AT MASONIC HOME

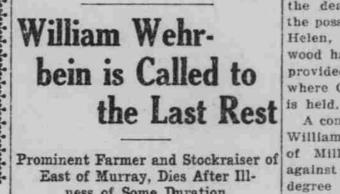
ond ward to again make the race for The Men's Chorus, which has been iff were rewarded by the message groom, also two white candles tied Mr. Eanning also told the club this office as "Tip" has proven a members many of the ways to eradi- very popular member of the council. cessful farmers in the community. blood soaked bodies of the two girls

Henry Jasper, local florist has a very beautiful display of the products of his greenhouse on west Locust for City Offices street on exhibit in the show window of the Kroehler hardware store. There are a large variety of flowers shown and which embraces a mass of warm Authorities at Glenwood Prepare to coloring and charm that has attract-

MAKES BEAUTIFUL SHOWING

ed the attention of passersby. Mr. Jasper has raised these flowers with the exception of the roses, at the

Greenhouse here and the exhibit is a testimony of the fine stock that carried in the local establishment.



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ence Houch, who was wanted here Mrs. Ralph Colbert, sister of the esting and profitable meeting was en- with one exception the present memthe Murray community, after an ill- and as he clung to the bars of the able to make his getaway before the powder blue chiffon dress and car- William B. Banning, former state In the first ward the petition of ness of some duration and in which cell in which he was confined he incharges were filed with the author- ried a bouquet of pale pink roses. senator and one of the best known Frank M. Bestor, present councilman Le had made a splendid battle to re- quired of officers and newspaper The ring was carried by Larry Lee horticultural leaders in the state was and chairman of the finance commit- gain his health, but without success. men, "Will they hang me or will I The passing of Mr. Wehrbein go to the electric chair?" The prisusual efficiency, at once got busy ley. Ralph Colbert acted as best man. interesting pieces of advice on the for several days at the office of the brings a great regret to all in this oner was weary and haggard from portion of Cass county where the the long hours of grilling by Sheriff deceased spent his life time and W. S. DeMoss, Omaha detectives and

where he has been identified with two of the Iowa state police departthe farming and stock raising indus- ment heads, but had doggedly held to try, and was among the most suc- his first story of the finding of the

He had been ill for the greater who had been brutally beaten about

**Residents Stirred** by Assault Case

**Mills County** 

NO. 15

Protect Man Held There as Sentiment Grows.

The residents of western Mills county have been deeply stirred by the Pacific Junction tragedy of Wednesday night that has resulted in the death of Edith Kuhl, 13, and the possible death of her elder sister, Helen, 17. The authorities at Glenwood have gas bombs and riot guns provided at the Mills county jail. where Clarence Price, alleged slayer

A complaint was filed Thursday by William T. Wellons, county attorney Prominent Farmer and Stockraiser of of Mills county of Mills county, against Price charging him with first degree murder in the fatal attack on Edith Kuhl.

When Price was informed at the Death this morning at an Omaha jail that the charge of murder had

vealed to the music lovers of the city thorities to claim him. been added to the many groups in the iff of Platte county was driving out cessories. city. There are twenty in the chorus of Columbus when he passed a The bride and groom will make federal highways by the planting of Puls, county assessor and former and their first appearance was one stranger walking along the highway their home in Lincoln. The bride is trees and shrubs to make them more councilman, whose petition was filed wife and two children. Victor Wehrthat gives the hope that they may be and whose appearance recalled to the a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. attractive to the travelers. Friday for the office. heard here often in the future. The officer that he had a description of Gerbeling of Wabash and the groom Mrs. C. E. Hartford, chairman of In the fourth ward C. D. Palmer, chorus was under the direction of the man in his office and he at once a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McCoy the program, also discussed the new present councilman, who is serving Hoyt Griffin and with Rev. G. A. Pahl turned his car around drove back of Falls City, Nebraska. as the accompanist.

Billy Robertson, youthful xylo- The stranger asked the sheriff for a extend to her and her husband the in the world. on this instrument and Billy proved granted and engaged the man in con- prosperous wedded life. evening's entertainment.

der arrest. present.

HAVE FINE MEETING

Last evening Home chapter No. 189 of the Eastern Star had a very fine attendance of the members to meet Mrs. Nettie Hollingsworth, Milbraska grand chapter.

for the splendid manner in which they will be dangerous. the ritual was exemplified.

sentative, Miss Clara Weyrich, repre- and the flames leaped up, burning short business session. Mrs. George B. Mann, who has been a skin on his cheeks and singed his hour served a most delicious luncheon Rock lodge No. 108, A. F. & A. M. Mrs. George B. Mann, former teach-

great many years as well as John him.

Home were also in attendance at the the injured man made as comfort- Nolting as the associate hostess. able as possible, altho it will be sevmeeting. Following the chapter work the eral days before he regains the use

the lunch and was enjoyed by all. day party.

members were served with dainty and of his hands. much appreciated refreshments by the committee in charge.

JOLLY WORKERS CLUB

HAVE NEW AMBULANCE

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a big hit in his contribution to the versation, learning that he was ac- The following parties have been be used in the junior club works and The fifth ward voters filed a peti- of Mr. Wehrbein will appear later in reveal the party that may have comquainted in Plattsmouth. The man given in honor of the bride at Lin- a request is made for donations of tion for E. O. Vroman, present coun-The one act operetta, "Cathia's stated that he was looking for a job coln: Mrs. F. E. Dearts, kitchen these varieties of seeds, which may cilman, for his re-election to the of-Strategy," was given by Mrs. Gil- on a drag line and was on his way shower; The Misses Margaret Peter- be left at the Wescott store for place- fice and assuring him of an easy race bert Hirz, Miriam Tritsch, Hoyt to the Platte county employment son and Ruby Polhemus, miscellan- ment in the hands of the club. Griffin and Greth Garnett. This was agency. When the sheriff and his cous shower; Mrs. R. T. Colbert, mis- Miss Ruth Westover was presented showed a fine record.

presented situations that was very cer informed the man that he was Claude Pelger, miscellaneous shower. of the evening program. much enjoyed by the large number wanted at Plattsmouth and was un- At Wabash at the home of H. P. The next meeting will be one at ocrats and two republicans, Bestor, in the court of Judge Charles L. the original method and some connection with This morning Sheriff Sylvester esses Mrs. Wm. Murfin and Mrs. Guy seeds and plants among the members ocrats and Palmer and Vroman re- the peace by causing trouble in a

drove to Columbus to secure the man Hinds .- Elmwood Leader-Echo. and have him returned to this city. HOLD PLEASANT MEETING

### VERY PAINFULLY BURNED

The Social Workers Flower club James E. Warga, one of the prom- held their meeting for this month at ford, district supervisor of the Ne- inent farmers of the East Rock Bluffs the pleasant home of Mrs. Philip Le- From Thursday's Daily

section, was very severely burned pert, south of this city and where a The death of Mrs. Nancy P. Cross, The officers of the chapter con- Wednesday afternoon in an explo- large attendance of the members 94, occurred last evening at the Neinspector and received high praise juries are painful it is not thought ing event. Mrs. Lepert was asso- resided several years. Mrs. Cross was for the councilmanic offices. ciated with Miss Helen Johnson in born on May 28, 1840, at Richmond,

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

The next meeting will be held at The affair was a "stag" and the painful are not dangerous altho one

From Thursday's Daily

Mr. Warga was engaged in filling the entertaining.

There were a large number of visi- a tank for a gasoline engine when Mrs. Jack Stamp, president of the her lifetime she had been a resident and the secretary of the body, J. C. that the men are to serve their sentors and one grand chapter repre- in some manner the gasoline ignited club, presided and the ladies had a of Nebraska, living in the vicinity of Comstock, well known railroad man the court has ordered that caused during the desperate battle of Table Rock. She was admitted to and who had been active in the af- they be employed at labor. senting the grand chapter of Texas, both hands as well as scorching the The hostesses at an appropriate the Home April 2, 1926 from Table fairs of the city for twelve years,

member of the Peru chapter for a eyebrows as the blaze swept over to add to the pleasures of the mem- Mrs. Cross was one of the gentlest er in the high school for a great

Miller, worthy patron of the Spring- Mr. Warga came on to this city The next meeting of the club will the residents of the Home among leaders of the D. A. R. and W. C. A message was received today by sportsman and one of the leading

SUFFERS INJURY

who reside at Fairbury. The body was taken today to Table

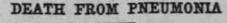
Mrs. Hattle Kirker of this city has Rock to be interred there in the famreceived word of a serious accident ily plot in the cemetery.

days ago at the home of his parents,

Yesterday was the forty-seventh Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kirker of near The Jolly Workers club held their birthday anniversary of George A. Ashland. The lad was in the kitchen has been suffering from a severe case for his splendid work as a student at the Methodist church in Glenmeeting at the home of Mrs. John Kaffenberger, one of the prominent of the home and while other mem-Rummel. A very fine lesson was farmers of west of this city, honor- bers of the family were engaged in given on meat cookery and meat ing the occasion a number of the their tasks he pulled a tea kettle of

by an attack of pneumonia, is re- man and to the many friends in this 2 o'clock. ported as being some better but still city. "Rod," as he is known here, dishes. The leaders prepared some friends came in to surprise George boiling water from the kitchen stove is in serious shape. The condition has been elected to the national of the dishes which were served with and have a real old fashioned birth- and which splashed over the lower of one lung has been cleared up nice- honorary society. Alpha Sigma Nu.

ly but one is still affected.



Hospital authorities at Omaha M. Bestor family and been active in contest, held for the selecting of repwhere the late Dewey Hobson passed local athletic circles. away several days ago, have an-

program in three numbers and re- the coming of the Cass county au- navy blue two piece waffle-weave serve to make the life of the garden- contest of the filings where Fred part of the time since late in the fall the head. crepe dress, light blue coat trimmed er or orchard owner one of anxiety. Lugsch, well known cleaner and tail- and in the last few weeks his condithat another fine organization has It seems Wednesday that the sher- in blue-grey fox and navy blue ac- He also discussed the programs now or, whose petition was filed several tion grew gradually worse until the county has impaneled a jury to hear Mr. Wehrbein is survived by the be presented as to the crime and the

> bein and Mrs. Anderson Lloyd, all cated in it. The members of the jury residing in the Murray community. are all residents of Pacific Junction, The functal services which will be Frank Boyle, hardware man; C. F. flowers that each year are developed out the unexpired term of Mayor private, will be held on Sunday aft- Hines, grocer, and Walter Fisher, ernoon at the late home and will be former banker.

toward where he had seen the man. The many friends of the bride here and added to the beauties of nature Lushinsky, was filed by his friends as a candidate for re-election to the under the direction of the Hobson It is hoped that the remaining vicphone artist, was heard in selections ride into Columbus and which he best wishes for a long, happy, and The club is sending out requests office that he has so excellently filled funeral home of Weeping Water. A more extended sketch of the life to give the story of the crime and

the Journal.

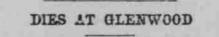
### DRAWS DOWN FINE

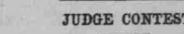
an act full of fun and many cleverly passenger reached Columbus the offi- cellaneous shower for relatives; Mrs. in a very charming piano solo as part The filings while by petition leave Creek and Rufus Beers, two Nebrasthe score of those filing as four dem- ka City young men, were arraigned

Councilman George L. Farley in ing. the third had declined to be a candi- After hearing the evidence offer- undergarments in the ashes leads date for re-election to the office of ed in the case Judge Graves gave a to the theory that the prisoner may

of the board of education showed a of \$19.50 before they can again a complete clean outfit on when he great deal of interest on the part breath the air of freedom. The poof the voters and required a much lice department has been informed fact that the glass on the floor of ducted the ritualistic work for the sion of gasoline and while the in- were present to join in the interest- braska Masonic Home where she had larger number of signers than those that one of the parties is desired by the bedroom had apparently been

Missouri, but in the greater part of Cloidt, retiring member of the board ably be returned there. In the event from the interior of the room, causes





spent the summers here with the F. of judging the Auburn declamatory

which is to be held in Peru on March

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. George Jaeger of this city un-

mitted the outrage. Through the two days of questioning Price, a former Plattsmouth resident, has maintained his inno-Wednesday afternoon Leonard cence, but many circumstantial facts

tim of the assult may regain strength

Hinds, miscellaneous shower, host- which there will be an interchange of Tippens, Lugsch and Puls being dem- Graves and charged with disturbing the crime. The fact that a roaring beer tavern early Wednesday morn- of the home when neighbors arrived and the finding of buttons from fine of \$15 and costs each to the two have burned his clothes in the stove The petitions filed for the members young men which will total the sum before reporting the crime, he having Sheriff Carl Ryder at Nebraska City broken from the window and the Petitions were filed for Frank A. and it is expected that he will prob-screen showing signs of being forced

### WAY DOWN SOUTH

Robert M. Walling, genial local members from the Nebraska Masonic the office of Dr. R. P. Westover and George Mumm and with Mrs. F. W. resident in point of years of life and long time resident of the city and his uncle, Charles L. Wiles, of Glenlate Thomas Wiles of this city, and breezes, ccean scenes and the charming setting of the deep south. In of Glenwood. He is survived by one letters to friends here Bob advises son, Marion, at whose home he has that the country is beautiful, Ne-Raymond Rodrigues, junior in the been living since the death of his groes black, the ladies charming and of the measles which was complicated that is most pleasing to the young wood, Iowa, on Saturday afternoon at enjoy a trip with a friends at Mobile, ico for some deep sea fishing, so a tarpon or two may be expected any time now. Mrs. Walling, who has been visiting at Auburn, Alabama, as a representative of the college of Kathryn Roszell, Beatrice; Anna with friends is accompanying her

derwent a tonsilectomy this morning

guest of honor a fitting observance

of the event. The Horton funeral home in this The evening was spent in playing

the home of Mrs. Verner Meisinger. members of the party came prepared burn on a foot has given some to enjoy themselves and give the trouble. VISITING AT OMAHA

part of his body. The injuries while

city has just purchased a new Buick pinochle and other games and which Mrs. Maude Fricke of this city is nounced that the death was due to From Saturday's Dally ambulance that will in the future served to pass the time most de- at Omaha where she is spending the a sudden attack of pneumonia and Raymond and Manford Hutchison All three of the young ladies are at the St. Catherine's hospital at Om-

RECEIVES HIGH HONOR SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Creighton university dental college, wife several years ago. The condition of Mary Redd, who has received a very fine recognition The funeral services will be held cessary to a perfect vacation. Not

22 and 23.

be used in calls for service. The new lightfully until a late hour when the week end with her daughter, Miss not from any contagious malady. of Louisville, were in the city for a members of the Dramatic Club of aha. The patient is reported as rest-

that befell her little grandson a few

bers of the party.

membership.

of characters and highly esteemed by many years and one of the active From Friday's Daily . field chapter. A number of the Star where his injuries were dressed at be on April 10th at the home of Mrs. when she was probably the oldest T. U. organizations and John Lutz, C. L. Wiles announcing the death of

in her sojourn in the Home. She is for a number of years member of the wood, Iowa. survived by several grandchildren city council from the fifth ward of Mr. Wiles was a brother of the tent the blooming flowers, balmy the city.

councilman.

JUDGE CONTEST

which he is a student. Mr. Rodri- May Sandin, Plattsmouth; and Lelia husband on the auto trip through the gues, whose home is at Honolulu, has Frazer, Lewiston had the privilege south.

resentatives for the MINK contest

