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## Popular Young People Wedded Thanksgiving

Miss Mary Jane Lindeman and Mr. Gerald W. Shrader Married by Judge C. L. Graves.

Thanksgiving afternoon at the office of Judge Charles L. Graves, occurred the marriage of two of the popular young people of the community, Miss Mary Jane Lindeman and Mr. Gerald W. Shrader.

The marriage lines were read by Judge Graves in his usual impressive manner as the lives of the two young people were joined for life.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Christy, close friends of the contracting parties.

The bride wore a charming frock of blue crepe shot with tiny crystals with accessories of black.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Lindeman and was born and grew to womanhood in this city where she attended school and was graduated in the class of 1935 of the Plattsmouth high school. She has been employed by the H. M. Soenichsen Co., in their store.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Shrader, a member of one of the old families of Cass county. He was graduated from the Nehawka high school in the class of 1935, later moving to this city and where he is now engaged with the Norfolk Packing company at their local plant.

The newlyweds with Mr. and Mrs. Christy, departed immediately after the ceremony for Kansas City where they will enjoy a short visit before returning here to make their home in the future.

## MEET OLD FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ledgway of Lincoln, who have recently returned home from a visit at Los Angeles, were here Thanksgiving day to visit with the family.

While on the west coast they had the opportunity of visiting with a number of the old time friends and relatives at Los Angeles and vicinity. When Mr. and Mrs. Ledgway arrived in Los Angeles they made a stop at a cafe not far from the railroad station and Mr. Ledgway was impressed by the fact that the proprietor of the place seemed strangely familiar. Mutual questions revealed that this was Claus Speck, for many years a resident of this city.

They visited at Hollywood with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Pitt and son, Harold and Mrs. Mattie Herold, mother of Mrs. Pitt. Mr. Pitt is now operating a garage while Harold has a fine position as an executive of the Hollywood Branch of the Pacific Telephone Co.

One of the pleasant gatherings was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Hesse, at Buena Park, Mrs. Hesse being a sister of Mr. Ledgway. They have a most pleasant home there and Mrs. Hesse is now serving as president of the Grand Avenue school P. T. A. The Grand Avenue school is the largest in Buena Park.

## BASKETBALL WORKOUTS ON

The Plattsmouth high school basketball squad are having their preliminary workouts to be ready for the start of the season, the first workouts starting on Monday and have been continued up to the vacation this week.

There has been a large number of the students out for trials and Coach Rothert should have a fine array of talent from which to select the team for this year.

The letter men around whom the team this year will be built are Jack Forbes, captain, Raymond Wooster, who showed well in the games last year, Mason Wall, Max Seitz and Joe Hendrix. These with the large number of new players should give the local school a fine showing this year.

## SPENDS HOLIDAY AT OMAHA

Mrs. Anna Skalack departed Thursday morning for Omaha where she spent the Thanksgiving holiday at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Stovall and enjoying the fine Thanksgiving dinner that had been prepared.

## MANY ENJOY GAME

Many of the Plattsmouth residents observed Thanksgiving by taking in the Nebraska-Oregon Aggies football game at Lincoln, the last of the season for the Cornhuskers and the last school game for many of the Bible stars.

Those who braved the chill breeze had the thrill of seeing the Cornhusker last minute drive to win by the score of 26 to 20, after the Aggies were leading 20 to 19 in the last moments of the game. The steady drive from their own 35 yard line by the Huskers to the visitors goal was a demonstration of the driving power of the Nebraskans.

## Fitch-Jewell Wedding Here Last Evening

Miss Jean Fitch and Mr. Clifford Troy Jewell Married at Home of Bride's Brother.

Thanksgiving evening the home of County Surveyor and Mrs. Robert D. Fitch, Jr., was the scene of a very simple and impressive wedding when Miss Jean Fitch of this city was united in marriage to Mr. Clifford Troy Jewell, of Scottsbluff.

The impressive marriage service of the Methodist church was celebrated by Rev. V. C. Wright, pastor of the First Methodist church and the ceremony witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Fitch, the former a twin brother of the bride.

Miss Fitch wore a very becoming afternoon gown of golden hued crepe and the groom a dark business suit. Mr. and Mrs. Jewell are to make their future home at Scottsbluff where Mr. Jewell is engaged as a salesman out of that city.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Fitch and was born and reared in this city where she has a large circle of friends who will learn with pleasure of her marriage. She was graduated from the Plattsmouth high school in the class of 1929 and has been engaged here in the exchange of the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Mr. Jewell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jewell of Weeping Water, where he spent his younger years and graduated there in the class of 1929, later going to the west part of the state where he has since made his home.

## FUNERAL OF MARK FURLONG

From Friday's Daily  
The funeral services of the late Mark Furlong, lifetime resident of Cass county were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Straight funeral home on Oak street and with a large number of the old time friends attending to pay their last tributes of respect to his memory.

Dr. H. G. McClusky, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, gave to the members of the family and the sorrowing friends the message of the gospel of peace and resurrection.

Frank A. Clويد gave two numbers during the service, "Face to Face" and "Wonderful Peace," Mrs. H. F. Goos being the accompanist.

At the close of the funeral services the body was borne to the Rock Bluffs cemetery for interment.

The son, Hershel, of Denver, with his family, and James Furlong, a brother of the deceased, arrived Thursday to attend the last services.

## SPEND THANKSGIVING HERE

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Howard Record and family of Cook, Nebraska, were in the city for the day and guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walling at the Thanksgiving dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Baject, parents of Mrs. Walling and Mrs. Record were also guests at the dinner.

## VISIT AT FALLS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Rea F. Patterson were visitors over Thanksgiving at Falls City as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Falter, the latter a sister of Mrs. Patterson. Mrs. Patterson has spent several days at Falls City and Atchison, Kansas, where the George H. Falter family reside.

## Thanksgiving Day of Visiting in Community

Many From Here Are Out of City With Family Groups While Families Entertain Here.

The Thanksgiving day saw many of the residents here enjoying family gatherings at their home here or with relatives at distant points.

Mrs. J. A. Donelan with the Karl Browns of Papillion enjoyed the day at Lincoln, enjoying a dinner party at the Cornhusker with Dick Brown, later attending the Nebraska-Oregon football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Searl S. Davis and children, Stephen, Corbin and Elizabeth, spent the day at Lincoln where they were dinner guests of Mrs. Mary M. Davis, mother of Mr. Davis. The boys later attended the football game.

Dr. and Mrs. P. T. Heineman and daughter, Margaret, were Thanksgiving visitors at Columbus, at the home of the parents of Dr. Heineman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heineman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baird and Rev. and Mrs. V. C. Wright, were guests in Nebraska City at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Conkling.

F. G. Fricke and daughter, Miss Dora, were at Ashland for the Thanksgiving holiday where they were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Fricke and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank L. Cummins entertained at dinner at their home here Thanksgiving, having as guests, Mrs. Marge Johnson and son, Bruce, of Omaha, Mrs. J. M. Roberts, Mrs. Maude Fricke and son, Frederick and daughters, Jane and Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schaffer of Omaha were here Thanksgiving as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bulin, parents of Mrs. Schaffer. Judge and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury had as their guests on Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Metzger and son, William of the University of Nebraska and Miss Marguerite Metzger of Omaha.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Starkjohn was the scene of a very delightful family party on Thanksgiving when all gathered for the sumptuous dinner that had been arranged. They had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Starkjohn and son, William, and Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Pahl.

At the E. H. Wescott home, Sunnyside, Thanksgiving they had as guests Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott, Edgar Wescott, Lincoln, Miss Alice Eaton, Mrs. Antonia Stranglen and daughter, Madeline and Clara Mae Morgan, of Omaha, Miss Jean Tidball, Crete.

## MANY ATTEND BALL

The King Korn Klub ball given on Wednesday evening at the American Legion building, was one of the most largely attended that has been held here for a great many months.

The music for the event was provided by Dan Smith and his band, one of the best known and popular dance orchestras in the west and who more than justified their fine reputation in the fine program of popular and up to date numbers that they gave.

A nice amount will be realized that can be applied on the fund for the assistance of the Junior American Legion drum corps, which at the fall festivals each year are called upon to assist in the parades that mark the events.

## ENJOY FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Contryman and daughter of Oshkosh, Neb., Orin Contryman of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver of Janesville, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Will Oliver, Jr., and children of Louisville and the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Oliver, Sr., of this city, were dinner guests Sunday of the Harry Henton family, near Murray.

## SPENDS VACATION AT HOME

Miss Jean Howard Hayes, who is teaching in the high school at Cornwell, Iowa, was an over holiday visitor in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hayes. Miss Hayes has been very successful in her school work this term.

## HOLD FAMILY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Minor entertained at a family Thanksgiving dinner with their son, Herbert, home from the Missouri Central Teachers college at Warrensburg, Missouri. Tapers tied with orange tulle formed a colorful centerpiece of the dining table. Other members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Pollock, parents of Mrs. Minor, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Perry and daughter, Elizabeth, Mrs. Perry a sister of Mrs. Minor, Eleanor and Carter Minor.

## Thanksgiving Services Held Wednesday

Rev. V. C. Wright Speaker at Religious Service of Thanksgiving at Methodist Church.

The religious service to mark the community Thanksgiving was held Wednesday evening at the First Methodist church, where a large number of the residents had gathered to fittingly render up their thanks for the benefits that the year had brought.

The service was opened by the organ prelude, played by E. H. Wescott, organist of the church and which fittingly marked the reverence that the service was to carry.

The audience joined in the singing of "America."

The proclamation of the President of the United States, setting aside the last Thursday of November as Thanksgiving day was read by the Rev. Wright and in which the head of the nation had asked the people to fittingly express their appreciation of the divine benefits visited on them.

The scriptural reading was by Canon Petter, rector of the St. Luke's Episcopal church, while the prayer was offered by Rev. G. A. Pahl, pastor of the St. Paul's Evangelical church. The offering at the service will be devoted to the fund for the relief of the people of the community and a very nice sum was realized for this purpose.

The address of the service was given by Rev. V. C. Wright, the guest pastor of the service and who brought a most impressive message of the thought of the day in the nation wide expression of Thanksgiving. The pastor pointed out the fitting and proper manner of the people of the nation in gathering in their homes of worship as had their pilgrim fathers to render up their humble expressions of gratitude for that which had been given them in the year now drawing to a close.

## FINISH DAMAGE SUIT

The damage suit of Ray Herold vs. M. R. Bloom which was opened on Tuesday afternoon was closed late Wednesday when the jury received their instructions and retired to deliberate on the issues of the case. Judge Livingston excused the other members of the jury and the Bloom jury when they had completed their tasks, until next Monday.

The case is one arising from a wagon-truck smashup south of this city and in which the plaintiff seeks to recover damage for the wagon and horse as well as personal injuries sustained.

Owing to the fact that Judge Livingston has returned to his home at Nebraska City over the week end, the verdict will not be opened until the convening of court on Monday morning.

## MARRIED FRIDAY EVENING

Friday evening at the family home in the south part of the city occurred the re-marriage of Mrs. Celia VanHorn and Mr. George VanHorn. The marriage ceremony was performed by Judge C. L. Graves in his usual happy manner and that once more joined the lives of these two. The wedding was witnessed by Mrs. Agnes Burke and Mr. Chester Taylor.

## HOLIDAY AT LINCOLN

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Gradoville and children, Edward, Jr., and Joan, were visitors at Lincoln on Thanksgiving day where they attended the football game between Nebraska and Oregon and also were dinner guests of friends.

## New Service Station to be Erected Here

Continental Oil Company to Erect a New Structure at Granite Street and Chicago Avenue.

Construction of a new Conoco service station at Chicago and Granite streets has just been authorized and work on it will begin shortly, according to L. L. McCarty, local representative for Continental Oil company. Present plans will call for moving a service station building from Lincoln and erecting it on the vacant site owned by Continental in Plattsmouth.

Labor and materials for the new station will require the expenditure of several thousand dollars. Recent rapid expansion of Conoco trade in this area has necessitated erection of the station to contact transit customers on the new East to West Highway No. 34. The Conoco Travel Bureau has always made it a point to route the tourist traffic from east and west over Missouri river bridge at Plattsmouth. Conoco maps indicate that there is a Conoco service station at Plattsmouth for transit trade, but not being located on Highway 34, the Continental Oil company decided to build one on the old Chapman property west of the Presbyterian church on Chicago Avenue, which they took over in the purchase of Mr. Petring's interests in the city. This will be an additional improvement on Chicago Avenue in opening up a dark spot on approach to our city, as well as beautifying same.

The new station will be white Terra Cotta finish and very attractive. Local labor will be employed.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. NEWLAND

Friday afternoon Emery A. Newland of Los Angeles, with his son, Paul E. Newland and Thomas Hickson, of Omaha, were here to attend to the final details of the funeral of Mrs. Newland.

The services will be held on Monday afternoon, December 2nd, at 2 o'clock at the First Christian church in this city, of which she was long a member. The Straight funeral home will have charge.

The family brought with them a sketch of the life of the departed, who for her younger years made her home in Plattsmouth and where they still have many friends among the older residents.

Emma E. Garges was born at Bartlett, Iowa, July 10, 1880, the family later locating in this city and where on April 12, 1899, she was married to Emery A. Newland, the ceremony taking place at the First Christian church. They resided in Plattsmouth until 1904 and then moved to Kansas City, Missouri, where they remained until 1908 when they located at St. Joseph, Missouri. Since 1923 Mr. and Mrs. Newland have made their home at Los Angeles, where she passed away on November 20, 1935.

There is surviving her passing the husband, one son, Paul E. Newland, two sisters, Mrs. T. J. Hickson, Omaha; Mrs. Ella Weadling, Eu Clare, Wisconsin; three brothers, George A. Garges, Pacific Junction; O. S. Garges, Malvern, Iowa; E. J. Garges, Woodbine, Iowa.

## LEAVES FOR CHICAGO

From Saturday's Daily:  
This morning Attorney and Mrs. C. E. Tefft of Weeping Water were in the city for a short time, Mrs. Tefft leaving for the east on No. 6 over the Burlington. She will spend some time at Chicago where her son, Sheldon Tefft, is connected with the law school of the University of Chicago. Mr. Tefft returned to his home at Weeping Water to look after his legal business.

## VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Pugsley, Jr., of Omaha, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stamp, the latter an aunt of Mr. Pugsley. Mr. Pugsley is attending medical college in Omaha and is one of seven-teen boys selected to go to Mayo Bros. at Rochester to attend summer school next summer.

## WINS GOLFING HONORS

Frank Gradoville, of this city, who has been engaged in educational and government work in the Philippine Islands for the past few years, has added to his honors that of the golf championship of the Islands.

Mr. Gradoville, who has become an enthusiastic golfer, has been stationed at Iloilo Iloilo, and was the hot shot in that part of the islands and was invited to Manila where a competition was held among all of the golfers from the various sections. As the result of the contest the local young man was awarded the championship trophy.

## Sanctions Not For Us-- Says Senator Norris

Nebraska Senator Would Put All War Goods Under an Embargo, However.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Senator Norris (rep., Neb.) lone survivor of the six senators who voted against American entrance into the world war, argued today against United States participation in League of Nations sanctions and for an extension of the neutrality program act to embrace bans against all war-purpose commodities—including cotton, steel and everything else.

At the same moment, another phase of administration neutrality effort was swinging into action—the munitions control act. Beginning today, all exporters, importers and manufacturers of munitions must register with the munitions control board. Norris said sanctions participation "would immediately get us into the war itself. It would be a war policy, not a peace policy."

He conceded that a broad ban on shipment of American goods to belligerents "would hurt us some, but it would hurt a lot less than to get into war." Norris said he felt congress should extend the present neutrality legislation "to all articles that can be directly or indirectly used for the manufacture of munitions, and also oil."

"Such a law ought to be mandatory against both nations," he said.

## VISIT IN THE OLD HOME

Friday a group of former residents of Plattsmouth were in the city to spend a short time with the old friends and looking after the care of their lot in the Oak Hill cemetery where rest the members of their family.

Mrs. Barney Bardwell, of Bloomington, Illinois, who was formerly Miss Mable Poissal of this city, had come back to Nebraska with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Newkirk, to spend the Thanksgiving season with Mrs. A. W. Dameron of Lincoln and Mrs. E. S. "handler, of Omaha, sisters of Mrs. Bardwell.

They came to Plattsmouth and in the afternoon visited the cemetery where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Poissal, rest in the last sleep. It has been some time since all three of the sisters were here together and they missed many of the friends of the past years who have moved or departed to the last rest since their girlhood days here.

## HERE FOR VISIT

Raymond Bookmeyer, of New York City, is here to remain until Saturday noon at the home of his mother, Mrs. Rose Bookmeyer and with the other relatives and old time friends. Mr. Bookmeyer arrived in Omaha by plane Wednesday evening and came on here for the Thanksgiving holiday with the relatives. His work is such that he cannot be absent but a short time and will fly back to the eastern city.

## TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

William Schmidtman, Sr., who has been very seriously ill for the past few weeks, was taken Friday afternoon to Omaha to be placed in the Clarkson hospital for care. It is hoped that the course of treatment and care may be of benefit and restore his health.

## Mynard Club Elects Officers for the Year

C. A. Wetenkamp Selected as the New President for 1936—Fine Membership Increase.

From Saturday's Daily:  
The regular annual meeting of the Mynard Community club, one of the five wire organizations of the county, met last evening at their community hall for the purpose of selecting new officers and starting the new year program.

The meeting was presided over by Raymond Cook, retiring president, in his usual able manner and the result of the election was as follows:

President—C. A. Wetenkamp.  
Vice-President—Mrs. Myron Wiles.  
Secretary—Mrs. Herman Meisinger.  
Treasurer—E. H. Spangler.

The meeting also brought to the close a membership contest that has been most successful and the club from a membership of twenty-six families has grown to some 223 members who will be given opportunity to have a part in the club activities.

With the business session closed the members of the club were invited to participate in the oyster supper that had been arranged and which had all of the trimmings that go to make this a most enjoyable event for all.

While the members of the group were at supper they were entertained by the little folks of school district No. 3, under the leadership of Mrs. Chester Wiles. The little rhythm band, its members uniformed and with little Emerson Wiles as the drum major made a very striking picture.

## ENJOY THANKSGIVING DINNER

A number of the sons and daughters of Joseph H. Burton, of Murray, enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves of this city, where the day was spent very pleasantly. The dinner was also in celebration of the 86th birthday anniversary of Mr. Burton which occurs on November 30th.

Those present were the guest of honor, J. H. Burton, Murray; Mrs. Alice Joiner and Lois June Hoback, Nebraska City; Mrs. Fannie Cook, Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Roy Burton, Palmyra; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton and son Ralph, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graves and family. Three of the sons of Mr. Burton were unable to be present, Mark of Nehawka, Ray of Omaha, and Wes who resides in Oregon.

## VISIT AT LINCOLN

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson and family and Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Westover and family, were among those who spent the holiday season at Lincoln. They enjoyed the fine Thanksgiving dinner and as loyal Cornhusker fans they attended the Nebraska-Oregon football game and assisted in the rooting for the scarlet and cream.

The H. L. Gayer family from south of this city, were also at Lincoln, where they attended a large family party held at the home of Mrs. Humpel, mother of Mrs. Gayer. There were a large number of the relatives in attendance at the happy event.

## VISIT AT WAHOO

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Briggs and children, Beverly Belle and George, of Logan, Iowa, arrived here Wednesday evening and Thursday in company with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Briggs of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Franzen and children, Mary Ann, Jean and Dorothy, departed for Wahoo. They were all guests at the Leland Briggs home for Thanksgiving dinner and which was a most enjoyable event for all of the family circle.

## HERE FROM CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. James Ptacek of Chicago, arrived in the city Thursday for a few days visit with their daughter, Mrs. Theodore Yelick as well as other relatives in this city. Mr. Ptacek will also visit with his mother, Mrs. Mike Waga, Sr., at Havelock before returning home.