Webr. State Historical Society

VISITING AT STERLING On Sunday a number of Platts

nouth relatives motored to Sterling

and Nehawka Present.

appeared as "Miss Hull," an interior last meeting, reading of communica- fell from Ellsworth to Ravenna and

reports of delegates, election of dis-

vate detective and in the final act of dommittees, exemplification of the .98. North Loup .96, Columbus .71,

the play was shown "Madame Goop- work in its different departments, O'Neill .60, Oakdale .56, Tekamah

her," fortune teller and medium and school of instruction by president of .50. Hartington .46. Omaha .06, Val-



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Prepare for **District Meet of** the Rotarians Emil Walters. She is accompanied by Miss Olive Strickland, and the two

Host City to Clubs of the Nineteenth District.

ladies are planning a trip to Wiscon-Aberdeen, South Dakota, Will Be sin in a short time and later a concert tour of the United States and later England and the European cities. Mrs. Johnstone is a well Consumating months of elaborate known vocalist in the central and

HERE FRO MTHE WEST

Mrs. Marguerite Johnstone of

Sheridan, Wyoming, is in the city for

a visit at the home of her father,

Miss Olive Strickland, and the two

preparation, the Aberdeen Rotary Pacific west while Miss Strickland is pied since Tuesday in the hearing club May 11th and 12th will extend a talented violinist who has appearthe hand of hospitality to between ed in many parts of the world in conknown farmer of the Cullom com-400 and 500 Rotarians and Rotary cert work. Before the ladies leave munity, against the C. B. & Q. Rail-Anns from clubs in three states, on their concert tour they will prob- road company.

South Dakota, Nebraska and Iowa, ably be heard by the local people in for two jubilee days of the 19th dis- a program.

trict annual conference and the 20th anniversary of the Hub City service club.

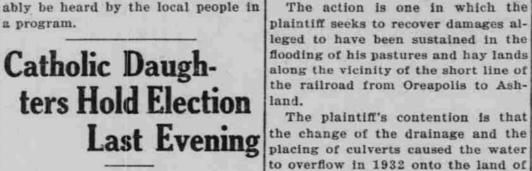
In the two-day program, replete with entertainment from "breakfast to nightcap" arranged by the local conference committee working under the direction of L. D. Phelan, a banquet and ball feting the governorelect and present governor, Robert Mrs. Frank Mullen Selected as Grand the plaintiff and for this reason he R. Hastings, Crete, Nebraska, will be the climax.

a lotarians will ballot for the new

covernor the afternoon of May 12th. From Thursday's Dally The local court of the Catholic Sponsored by the Aberdeen Rotary club with the unanimous support of Daughters of America held their regthe other state units, Rotarian ular meeting last evening and at land is located, to testify as to the driving a car with Indiana license in contact with "Mildred Clinton" Phelan, for many years prominent in which was taken up the matter of local and district activities, will be the selection of the officers for the an unopposed candidate for the ensuing year and the following were named honor. Grand Regent-Mrs. Frank Mullen

A speaking program embracing Rotary ideals and the organization's relation to national and world problems will headline Donald A. Adams, representative of Rotary Internation-| Webb. al from New Haven, Conn. Mr. Adams will speak on "The Ideal of Service."

Sentinel-Mrs. Anna Zitka. Other well-known clubmen sched-Trustees-Mrs. J. C. Petersen, Mrs. uled to address the conference in- John Bergman, Mrs. Hermie Svoboda. From Thursday's Daily There was a fine attendance of the clude: E. V. Gustafson, past pres dent of the Council Bluffs, Iowa club, membership and the ladies had a made honor city in the airless amaspeaking on the "Real Meaning of most pleasant time in the discussion teur hour, staged by Trinity chapter of the Eastern Star, of Omaha.



Regent of the Local Court of the Order.

to overflow in 1932 onto the land of seeks to recover damages from the

Damage Suit

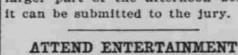
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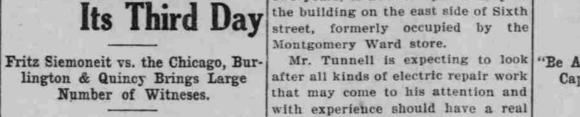
defendant company.

dents in the community where the water.

The plaintiff rested their testi- farmers. mony Wednesday night and the dethe presentation of their case. The trial will probably take the



Last evening Plattsmouth



The district court has been occusuccess in the new place of business. Mr. Tunnell ip addition to the reof the case of Fritz Siemoneit, well pair shop will also handle the local

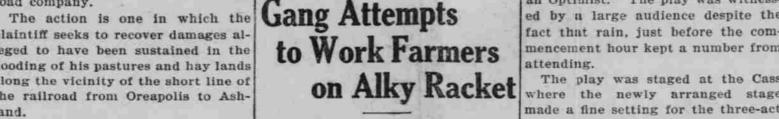
PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, MONDAY, MAY 11, 1936.

TO START ELECTRIC SHOP

gaged in electrical work for the past

Charles Tunnell, who has been en-

agency for the Omaha Bee-News.



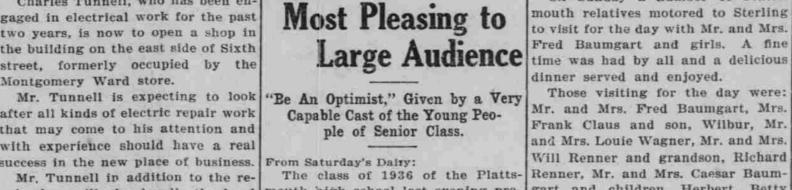
The plaintiff's contention is that Sheriff Sylvester Investigates Reports production of the high school. In the of Activities of Gang in This Part of the County.

> Reports have reached the office of Sheriff Homer Sylvester of the activ- shop of "Isaac Golditch," played by ities of a gang that has been attempt- Dana Baird, who is induced by "Jim-

There have been a very large num- ing to work the farmers in several mie Maynard," (Grant Howard) to Thursday afternoon and evening the North Platte 46, Big Springs and ber of witnesses called both by the places in this part of Cass county on allow him to take the part of a plaintiff and the defense, largely resi- an "alky" racket.

The men have been reported as (Rosemary Cloidt), that he may be general location and contour of the plates and they have visited several (Aimee Jane Thomas) with whom he land as to the waterflow in high farms with the same stories but have is in love. From this arisees the many

putting up a story to the effect that larger part of the afternoon before



Class Play is

mouth high school last evening presenated their class play, that delight- Mae and Billie, Miss Thyra Baumful comedy of Adam Applebud, "Be gart and Louie Baumgart, all of and with the continued cloudiness

an Optimist." The play was witness- Plattsmouth. ed by a large audience despite the **Rebekahs Hold** fact that rain, just before the com-

mencement hour kept a number from attending. The play was staged at the Cass

made a fine setting for the three-act

settings and the arrangements the committees in charged had shown a Nebraska City. Weeping Water, Syra-

The story opened in the antique

failed to secure any return from the laughable situations that were clever- braska, were meeting. ly carried out and demonstrated the

The mode of operation is for the ability of the young people of the at 1:15 and opened by the Nehawka fense started in this morning with men to drive into a farm yard and cast and their very capable direction. lodge and the presentation of the Mildred Wilson appeared in the grand officers by Mrs. Hazel R. Millthey had damaged a car nearby and role of "Becky," the Golditch daugh- er, president, followed by the seat- east Holdrege with 2.21 inches had as they had a cargo of alcohol on ter, which in the role of "Pietro ing of the district officers by Sun- the most rain reported to the weather hand they wished to get rid of it D'Angelo Caccilaino" Marian Wiles shine lodge of Syracuse. This was fol- bureau. A light hail preceded the

> gard to the wreck. They offer to sell citable young Italian wood worker, ing "America." the farmer the cargo for \$50 and with Walter Sikora adding to the The address of welcome was given and approximately an inch drizzled

ization of "Mike," another of the hawka lodge, responded to by Mrs. Colo.

Rain Brings a Promise of **Coming Crops**

NO. 27

Those visiting for the day were: All Night Rainfall of 1.35 Inches Proves Boon to Gardens, Crops in Eastern Nebraska.

The rainfall that started Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock continued off. gart and children, Herbert, Betty and on all night and 1.35 inches of rainfall was registered this morning, and threatening rain did much good to gardens and crops of all kind. The farmers had been complaining of the dry condition of the top soil but this seems to have been taken care

District Meeting of by the soaking rain of last night. The rain seems to have been genat Nehawka eral as visitors from all parts of the county in the city today report a nice moisture.

> Fresh northerly winds accounted for temperatures in the 40's and 50's along United Air Lines late Friday. Readings then were Omaha, 56, Lin-

Kearney received two inches and a

slow falling rain between Scottsbluff

A Boon to Crops.

weather bureau were Broken Bow.

and Cheyenne .10. It snowed at the

rains will put central and western

R. H. Willis, chief of the state bu-

Other official reports from the

At the Nehawka Auditorium on coln 51, Grand Island 47, Cozad 45, members and delegates of the var- Sidney 43.

Downpours ranging from 1 to 2 bekah, of the lodges of Nehawka, Ne- inches fell in southwest Nebraska braska City, Syracuse, Weeping Wa- where drouth has been most severe ter, Avoca, Talmage and Elmwood, this spring. From 2 to 3 inches were composing the third district of Ne- received in the wheat bowl area extending from Republican City to The gathering was called together Oberlin, Kas.

In the Republican river valley, devasted by flood last spring, McCook got a total of 1.53 inches. Farther before they were investigated in re- gave a very fine rendition of the ex- lowed by the entire gathering sing- rain there. One to two inches fell all the way from Hastings to McCook

offer to drive him around until he humor of the play in his character- by Mrs. Isadore Tucker of the Ne- down between McCook and Wray,

great deal of skill in their work. cuse, Elmwood, Avoca, Talmage

mummy, purchased by "Mrs. Clinton"

ious lodges of the Daughters of Re-

Club Service"; Emil Christensen, of the business of the court. president of the Columbus, Nebraska, club, "Is the Emphasis Given Vocational Service in the Rotary Program Justified?": Sterling H. Clark, sec-

club, "Rotary Foundation"; Ivan D. night at Omaha, was brought to this Baker has been a member of the Ma-Evans, Broken Bow, Nebraska, "An- city Wednesday afternoon and laid sonic order for the past seventy-one chors of Peace"; W. W. Ludeman, to the last rest in the Horning ceme- years and has the Jordan gold medal Springfield, South Dakota, vice pres- tery south of this city, where other for being the oldest Mason in the

ident. "Our Magazine"; Francis H. members of the family are at rest. Case, Custer, S. D., "What Can Ro- The funeral services were held at Janet Westover gave a very clever tary Do to Bring About World the C. C. Haynes chapel at Omaha at reading on the program, this being Peace?"; E. B. Woodruff, Sioux 2 o'clock and following which the the account of a baseball game. Mrs. Falls, S. D., "Rotary in a Changing body was brought on to this city. Era"; George W. Nash, past district Miss Rainey has, since the death artistic flute solos, the accompanigovernor, Yankton, S. D., "Honoring of her mother, made her home with ment being played by Mrs. Roy O. Aberdeen's 20th Anniversary"; Gov- her brother, Floyd Rainey. 2569 Fort Cole. Superintendent L. S. Devoe was ernor Hastings, "Ramblings of a street, Omaha, and for a number of with the local party and was called years has been under medical care. District Governor."

signment of hotel accommodations Mrs. Ida Kinney, Hastings, Iowa, Mrs. of the talented young musicians of will occur Monday, May 11 beginning Nora Mapes, Meadow, Mrs. Mary In- the city, Rachel Robertson, Billy at 8:30 a. m. at the Alonzo Ward grahm, Kingfisher, Oklahoma; four Evers and Wallace Terryberry, were hotel.

A luncheon for past district gov- Lorin, Denver, Wood, Rosalie, Ne- ing the accompanist. Frank A. Cloidt ernors, past and incoming presidents braska. and Floyd at Omaha,

and secretaries will precede the formal opening of the conference by Chairman Phelan at 1:35 Monday afternoon in the Orpheum theatre. Con- From Thursday's Dally

Mrs. J. M. Roberts departed this solo and the quartet number. ference singin gwill be led by Lee Bright, Sioux Falls and invocation afternoon for Lincoln where she goes delivered by the Rev. Henry Praed, to attend the meeting of the Nepresident of the Madison, S. D., club. braska Music Teachers' association, The entertainment menu for the of which she has been a member for

first afternoon will feature introduc- the past several years. tion of past district governors and One of the features of the meeting representatives of Rotary Interna- will be the climax of the two days at S o'clock when Miss Helen Frantional; an address of welcome by session on Saturday when a piano Dr. Paul Bunker, president of the carnival will be staged and with was married to Mr. Russell H. Wie- day noon in conjunction with the Price, Rosemarie Burcham, Floyd Mc- with the closin gof the district con- schools. She also is taking with her host club with a response by H. G. thirty-six pianos being played at one thop, of St. Louisville. The groom twice-a-month luncheon of the group. Carty, Grant Howard, with Donald vention by the Nehawka lodge. Titt, president of the Huron, S. D., time. Much local interest is aroused is a civil engineer and has been There was a number of matters disclub.

WILL VISIT IN CHICAGO

From Thursday's Daily

Mrs. Theodore Yelick departed this afternoon for Chicago where she is The funeral of the little three to enjoy a visit at the home of her months old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Alparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ptacek, vin Gregory. was held on Wednesday by Rev. Wright. this being the first visit she has paid afternoon at the family home on to the old home since her marriage. South 9th street, a number of the She will spend a few weeks with the friends and neighbors being in atrelatives and old friends and taking tendance. Dr. H. G. McClusky, pastor in the many places of interest in of the First Presbyterian church, Mynard. is one of the first farmers continuance was taken until Monday engaged in working at the quarry at the city.

MANY ATTEND ELECTION

From Thursday's Dally

The usual large number of mem-

LAID TO LAST REST

ATTENDS MUSIC GATHERING

She is a pupil of Mrs. Roberts.

the west part of the city.

CARD OF THANKS

Vice-Regent-Mrs. E. A. Dennett.

Prophetess-Mrs. W. A. Swatek.

Monitor-Mrs. Baltz Meisinger.

Historian-Mrs. John L. Hadraba.

Treasurer-Mrs. Lon Henry.

Lecturer-Mrs. F. I. Rea.

Financial Secretary-Mrs. E. A.

sisted in the program and among The body of the late Miss Anna these was Albert Baker, 92, resident retary of the Clark, S. D., Rotary Rainey, who passed away on Monday of the Nebraska Masonic Home. Mr.

> state. Elbert Wiles was heard in one of her

upon to give his magic act, a real Registration of delegates and as- She is survived by three sisters, feature of the clever program. Three brothers, Oliver, Glenwood, Iowa, heard in a violin trio, Jean Knorr be

gave a very delightful number, "In the Garden of My Heart" and with Raymond C. Cook, gave a duet, "Neapolitan Nights." Mrs. L. S. Devoe served as the accompanist for the

MARRIAGE MARKET BRISK From Thursday's Daily

The residence of Rev. and Mrs. V. C. Wright was the scene of two marriages last evening the first being

city is one of the thirty-six players. river improvement projects. Miss Naomi M. Pearson and Mr. Clif- community.

FUNERAL OF BABE

city schools.

CAPTURES COYOTES

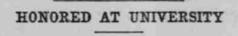
Ed Meisinger, residing west of In the federal court at Omaha a conducted the services. The inter- to bring in coyotes this year, he hav- in the case of Mrs. Lora Loraine Weeping Water, is taking an en-

ment was at Oak Hill cemetery in ing brought in seven to the office of Christy, suing to collect \$13,800 forced vacation due to a painful acci-County Clerk George R. Sayles. Sev- claimed to be due on a \$10,000 war dent on Thursday. He was engaged eral days ago Mr. Meisinger had no- risk insurance policy of her late hus- in filling the tank of a truck that eral hospital are to the effect that

ecures the money for the goods. The parties that they have ap- Golditch staff. Floyd McCarty took George Shackley of Avoca. proached, however, have failed to the role of "Ray Hudson," a friend Getting at the real work of the asbite and have declined to accompany in need of "Jimmie," adding to the sembly was music, roll call of dis- and Bridgeport gave encouragement

The occasion was attended by a the men or to dig up the money for fun of the situations. Viva Palmer trict officers, reading of minutes of to panhandle farmers. Showers also large group of local people who asthe alleged cargo of alky.

The sheriff is of the opinion that decorator, and Amber Bomer as tions and ordering the payment of Alliance reported .02 of an inch. this is a plan to secure the farmers "Ethel Peabody," who views with the bills. Report of committees of and hold them until they are made cynical ideas the romance of "Jim- by-laws and roll call of lodges and to come across with money to obtain mie" and "Mildred." John Faris appeared as the pri- trict officers and appointment of 1.27, Culbertson 1.23, Grand Island their release.



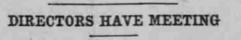
Miss Mary Anne Rosencrans was which was well presented by Anna assembly. This concluded work for entine .40, North Platte 1.26, Sioux one of the two sophomore attendants Marie Rea. Louise Rishel proved a the afternoon session and recess was City .26, Concordia .36, Goodland .44 to the May Queen, Miss Alaire Barkes clever part of the comedy in her taken until 7 p. m. of Lincoln at the University of Ne- role of "Maggie," the servant of the Then was held the supper, served last named point in the morning. braska Ivy Day ceremonies at Lincoln Clinton household. Assisting as by the Busy Workers of the Methodist Crop Statistician Anderson describguests in the finale of the play were church in the church basement, where ed the rains as a boon to crops. "The Thursday.

The attendants were chosen by the Mary Jane McClure, Leona Price, 135 were fed. Mortar Board society and were all Rosemarie Burcham, Mildred Wilson, costumed in pastel shades. Miss Ros- Marian Wiles and Harvey Eggeling. 7 o'clock. Memorial work by Wood- corn planting where top soil has encrans and Miss Louise Mages, Lin- In the overture and between the land lodge of Weeping Water, when been very dry," he said. "Now that coln, both sophomores, wore yellow acts of the play "Willie's Rhythm tribute to the excellent character and the showers have started perhaps we embroidered organdie with petticoat Kings" gave a very pleasing group life work of Brothers W. S. Norris will get frequent rains thruout May." skirts that rippled in low godets of the popular numbers that was very and Fred Nutzman, departed brothand ruffles. Their hats were of much appreciated by all of the aud- ers, was paid. Regular opening of reau of irrigation, said the moisture matching organdie, rosegay trim, ience.

with velvet streamers, and the girls The play ranked as among the best Nehawka lodge by the president, Mrs. braska irrigators, but was not sufficarried colonial bouquets of purple that the high school has offered and Helen R. Miller. Then came the con- cient to be of permanent aid. flowers. Miss Rosencrans is a daughter of to those who assisted in the training wood lodge, seating of officers by Sy-

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Rosencrans of of the young people and to Mr. L. A. racuse lodge, seating of past district this city, belongs to Tassels pep or- Gerner, director of the play, to whom presidents, conductor and marshal. From Saturday's Dally:

of the A. N. S. board and Pi Beta the cast presented their appreciation district officers, reading of the min- the city school faculty, is at Omaha through Floyd McCarty.



Phi sorority.

The directors of the Chamber of thur and Donald Warga and Walter sembly president, installation of of- in which she has had an extensive ces Beers of Steeleville, Missouri, Commerce held their meeting Thurs- Sikora, the stage managers, Leona ficers by Sunshine lodge of Syracuse experience in teaching art in the

by the fact that Jean Knorr of this engaged here on one of the Missouri cussed by the members relative to raba, in charge of the properties of forthcoming activities that might be the production. Miss Kathryn Arm-

> the class play. The Chamber of Commerce had as The class has J. R. Reeder, prin- the First Presbyterian church a very

party of their friends from Omaha ing Walter Sikora and Arthur Warga, also served as a most efficient aid in ing the regular weekly rehearsal. The members of the choir enjoyed From Thursday's Daily

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

ENTERTAINS CHOIR

Raymond Adkins, who has been hostess.

very much the social hour provided This morning Emmons Ptak de-

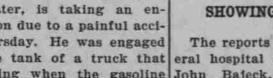
and the dainty refreshments of parted for Omaha, taking with him a

strawberries, ice cream, cake and cof- party of local people to spend a few

NEW COONS IN TOWN

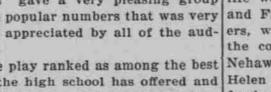
fee that had been arranged by the hours looking after some business and also to take a course of treatments. In the party were Frank M. Bestor, Fred H. Sharpnack, John Sattler, Jr. and Carl Sattler of Los Angeles.

The reports from the Lincoln Genticed an old coyote racing across a band, Otis R. Christy. Mr. Christy he was driving when the gasoline John Bajeck, former Plattsmouth field and carrying a chicken in its died at the University hospital at ignited and in an instant the flames man, is doing very nicely. Mr. Jack The Cass County Fur farm in the bers attended the election of presi- To the many kind friends and mouth. An investigation was made Omaha on November 21, 1921 and had spread and he received very was in very grave condition for sev- south part of the city reports an addent of the Community Building club neighbors we wish to express our by the hired man and the discovery was brought to this city for burial painful burns on the back of the eral days as the result of an accident dition to the inhabitants as four lit-



duction of the play. SUFFERS SEVERE BURNS SUES ON WAR RISK INSURANCE

The second marriage was that of developed for the advancement of the strong served as the prompter for



The evening session was called at sections of the state in fine shape for

the convention and presentation of would be of temporary benefit to Ne-

a great deal of credit must be given ferring of the degrees by the Elm-

SPEAKS AT ART ASSOCIATION

ganization, co-ed counselor, member in the course of the play last evening Then came in succession, roll call of Miss Lillian Garrett, member of

utes of the afternoon meeting, re- today where she will speak before Other of the class whose efforts ports of committees, roll call of the Nebraska State Art association. made possible the smooth working of lodges, good of the order. Under She speaks on the subject, "Art in

the play were Edward Hadraba, Ar- this head was an address by the as- the Life of a High School Student,"

to the meeting a large number of the specimen of the art work of the Plattsmouth junior high and grade schools.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. McClusky af- The meeting is being held at the forded the members of the choir of Joslyn Memorial.

VISITING IN OMAHA

the current week and is ineligible to reavement. - Mr. and Mrs. Alvin far the old coyote has not been lo- Self and Kelso Morgan are appear- as comfortable as possible, but will doing very well. He is now in a cast Francis Toman, the superintendent as the result of severe hip injuries. of the fur plantation.

ing for the plaintiff, Mrs. Christy. be off duty for several days.

Gregory and Relatives.

serve.

last night. Kenneth Tiekotter, the heartfelt appreciation of their acts of the den made. The young pups and where the widow has been mak- right hand. The injury was dressed in the Burlington shop yards at the coons arrived Thursday to join

cated.

to witness the ceremony performed members of the senior class of the the preparation and successful pro-

ford J. Townley, both of Omaha. The young people were accompanied by a their high school guests for the meet- cipal, as their sponsor and who has pleasant treat at their home follow-



president-elect, had not paid dues for of kindness and sympathy in our be- were dug out and dispatched, but so ing her home since that time. Carl and the victim of the accident made Havelock, but is now thought to be the residents of the farm, states