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Plattsmouth People in Auto Smash Sunday

Car Driven by Mrs. James G. Mauzy Sideswiped by Truck on the "O" Street Highway.

Sunday evening shortly before 8 o'clock the car driven by Mrs. James G. Mauzy of this city was sideswiped and badly damaged by a truck, the accident occurring on the "O" street road north and west of Avoca.

Mrs. Mauzy was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hallstrom, Mayor and Mrs. George Lushinsky and James Mauzy, Jr., the party returning home from a visit at Lincoln.

The Mauzy car was going slowly as they approached and crossed a narrow bridge not far from the railroad crossing and had just passed the bridge when a truck, loaded with poles, approached from the east, and while Mrs. Mauzy drove as far as possible to the right of the road, the truck driver swung his truck past the center of the roadway, apparently fearing to hit the railing of the narrow bridge.

The truck or one of the poles struck the rear part of the Mauzy car, breaking the glass in the rear fender and searing off the handles on the rear door.

Mrs. George Lushinsky received several scratches and small lacerations as the result of flying glass, but none of these were of a serious nature, she being the only member of the party to suffer injury.

Officer Roy Stewart and family were returning from Lincoln at the time and came on the scene of the accident a few moments after it occurred and assisted in bringing the wrecked auto party on into this city. Elmer Hallstrom, of Avoca, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hallstrom, was notified of the accident and came out and had the car taken on into Avoca to undergo repairs.

DR. DETWEILER SPEAKS AT RALLY DAY SERVICES

From Monday's Daily
Dr. J. E. Detweiler, a missionary in Japan for fifteen years, spoke yesterday afternoon and evening at the Presbyterian church. Dr. Detweiler is a member of the Foreign Missions Board and returned recently from a and has recently returned from a trip around the world. The informal discussion during the afternoon centered about Japan. He told of political as well as religious conditions in that country.

In his evening talk, he declared that the machine age has not advanced civilization. He said that man, when in control of the power in the modern mechanism, feels himself to be elevated while in reality he is not. He also stated that the desire for speed was simply a wish to get away from one's self. He also talked of his trip around the world and gave highlights on conditions in Syria, Iraq, India, Japan and China. Communion services were held in the morning.

Children of the Sunday school presented a rally day program during the morning. Loren Allison, superintendent, and Miss Pearl Staats had charge.

Misses Helen Hiatt, Juaneta Sigler and Harriet Goos sang solos. Recitations, exercises, and songs were given by the various classes. Each class of the Sunday school was represented. Dr. McClusky gave a short talk on "Christian Education" following the program.

VERY HAPPY EVENT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strough are the happy parents of a fine seven and a half pound daughter, born Monday. The mother and child are both doing well and the event has brought a great deal of happiness to the members of the family. Mrs. Strough was formerly Miss Josephine Manners, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Manners.

Miss Laura Grassman and Joseph Manack of Omaha were here Sunday to spend the day at the home of Mrs. R. A. Bates, aunt of Miss Grassman.

HERE FROM WEeping WATER

Ed Freeman, of near Weeping Water, was in the city Saturday, where he spent a few hours looking after some business matters. Mr. Freeman reports that his family, who have suffered from several accidents, are now all home and gradually improving. A daughter was severely burned last February and it was necessary to have her taken to an Omaha hospital. A short time after the accident to the daughter, a son fell on the handle of a pitchfork, suffering a very severe wound that required a long stay in the hospital.

Lightning Bolt Causes Burning of Farm Home

Loss of Several Thousand Dollars Caused Early Sunday Morning at Walter Waskel Home.

Lightning striking the hay barn at the farm of Walter Waskel, west of this city shortly after 2 a. m. Sunday caused the destruction of all of the buildings on the farm save a woodshed and brooder house, with a loss amounting to several thousand dollars, only partially covered by insurance.

Mr. Waskel and a man employed on the farm were alone at the time, the family residing in Omaha, and the first intimation they had of the fire was when Mr. Waskel awoke with the odor of smoke strong in the room where the men were sleeping. He arose and found that the house was burning, the stiff wind from the south driving the blazing wood and hay over the vicinity where all of the buildings were located.

The blaze grew in intensity and the group of buildings comprising the cow and horse barns, cattle shed and machine shed were soon ignited and the fire raged through the buildings and the contents with the two men helpless to check the blaze. The wooden door of a cave located near the burning buildings also caught fire and burned.

The two men, when aroused were able to escape only with their clothing, all of the household effects being destroyed as well as the contents of the barn, sheds and other buildings going up in the roaring flames. The full equipment of farm machinery in the sheds was burned as well as the harness and other farm equipment.

The stock on the place were fortunately out of the barns and sheds and escaped death in the flames.

WILL RESUME PASTORATE

From Tuesday's Daily:
Father Marcellus Agius, who has been here for the past several weeks with his brother, Father George Agius, pastor of the St. John's church, departed this morning for his parish at Roseland, Nebraska. Father Marcellus has been in poor health for some time and was at Rochester, Minnesota, for a short time at the clinic, where it was found that there was nothing dangerous in his condition. He was accompanied as far as Lincoln by Father George Agius and will go on from there to his parish.

STOVE CAUSES FIRE

From Tuesday's Daily—
This morning the fire department was called to the vicinity of Fourth and Marble streets where the frame residence occupied by the Herrington family was reported on fire.

An overheated stove had set fire to the flooring in the room but little damage was done to the building and the blaze was soon extinguished.

The firemen on their arrival at the house discovered that three small children were alone in the home, of an age that they would have been unable to help themselves if the fire had spread.

APPOINTED SCHOOL NURSE

Mrs. Harry K. Dwyer, formerly of this city, has been appointed as a nurse in the Omaha city school system and will enter on her new work at once. Mrs. Dwyer is a trained nurse and has had several years experience in her professional work.

Wehrbein-Gorder Family Reunion Sunday

Large Group Entertained at the Home of County Commissioner and Mrs. Fred Gorder.

Sunday the hospitable home of County Commissioner and Mrs. Fred H. Gorder at Weeping Water was the scene of a most delightful gathering of the members of the Wehrbein and Gorder families.

This reunion brought together many of the descendants of two of the old families of Cass county, who at an early day had located in this community and have had a large part in the building of Plattsmouth and the surrounding territory. The heads of the families, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wehrbein and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gorder, have long since passed away, but they have left a fine group of descendants who have followed in the pathway of good citizenship and integrity set for them.

The day was featured by the fine family dinner and the remainder of the day spent in visiting among the members of the party, many of whom had not had the pleasure of meeting for a great many years.

Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wehrbein, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Sullivan, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Greene of Falls City, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Gorder and daughter, Helen, Mrs. Etta Gorder, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Birdsley and son, Billy, of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pitz, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tiekotter and daughter, Janet, Robert Painter and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wehrbein, Mrs. John Bauer, Sr., and daughter, Miss Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Leon L. McCarty and son, Leon, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Leonard and son, Ray, Mrs. Nellie Gorder, Mary Gorder, Mrs. John Beins and son, John, John Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Sullivan, Ralph Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Downey and Mr. and Mrs. Rummell, Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tritsch and daughter, of Louisville.

PURCHASE LUMBER YARD

The H. A. Funke lumber yard at Louisville, which has for many years been conducted by Mr. Funke, has been disposed of to the Cloidt Lumber Co., who are taking over the charge of the yard and the business.

The new company which is incorporating, is composed of John J. Cloidt, A. W. Cloidt of this city and J. W. Jones of Shenandoah, Iowa. They have as the resident manager of the yard, Richard Livingston, one of the well known and popular young men of the county.

The Messers Cloidt have had much experience in the lumber business in which they were engaged here in this city.

The Louisville yard is one of the best in that section of the county and has under Mr. Funke been very successful, but as he desires to quit the business activities has disposed of the property.

VISIT MRS. BARCLAY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barclay, of friend, with their daughter, Miss Mona, a teacher in the Fairmont city schools, with Mrs. Will Woodward of Crete and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brick, of Omaha, were here Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Barclay. Mrs. Woodward and Mrs. Brick are sisters of Mrs. Barclay and Mr. Charles Barclay, a cousin of Mr. Barclay.

The relatives are here on account of the serious condition of Mrs. Barclay who is suffering from a very severe attack of neuritis. Her condition is considered very grave.

Mrs. Barclay has been under the care of a special nurse, Mrs. Herbert Johnson during her illness.

DEATH OF C. L. STULL

From Wednesday's Daily
C. Lawrence Stull, 74, passed away at 4 a. m. today at the home north of this city. Funeral announcement later, funeral under direction of Horton funeral home.

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ELECTED PLEDGE PRESIDENT

The following clipping has been taken from the "Daily Nebraskan" of the University of Nebraska:

"From seven pledges named Robert in the Kappa Sigma pledge class, three of them were chosen as officers of the class. Bob Hall was elected president, Bob Connor was chosen secretary, and Bob Thomas will hold down the all important position of treasurer."

Bob Hall is a freshman at the University from Plattsmouth. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall. He is studying pharmacy.

Mixed Glee Personnel is Announced

23 Girls and 18 Boys Selected from Group of 102 for Singing in Club.

Selections have been made for the high school mixed glee club. The personnel includes 23 girls and 18 boys from the chorus groups. This group of 41 was selected from the enrollment of 102.

11 girls sing first soprano. They are Mildred Knodicek, Betty Kalina, Maymie Schweneker, Patricia Cloidt, Harriet Goos, Eleanor Minor, Bhea Edgerton, Wilma Swatek, Frances Hadraba, Maxine Nielsen and Kathryn Barkus. Altos include 12 members. Marjorie Tidball, Mary Kay Wiles, Margaret Vallery, Shirley Selver, Beatrice Arn, Shirley Mason, Shirley Petersen, Helen Hiatt, Helen Stintinsky, Shirley Jacobs, Flora Meade, and Joan Hall.

Tenors for the glee club are Philip Rosencrans, John Jacobs, John Tidball, Theodore Libershal, Richard Cole, Donald Burcham, Granville Sigler, Bruno Reichstadt, Bill Knorr, and John Cloidt. Eight basses make up the remainder of the 18 boys. They are Harold Stewart, Dick Hall, Junior Devoe, Robert Vallery, Joe York, Raymond Wooster, Wayne Falk, and Richard Yelick.

This group of young people will appear before the public during November. A music recital is being planned by Lee Knolle, director.

ATTENDS HISTORICAL MEET

From Tuesday's Daily:
Last evening Miss Olive Gass returned from a short vacation at Lincoln and Crete, Nebr.

At Lincoln, she attended the meeting of the "Native Sons and Daughters" and the State Historical Society, and in conjunction with Dr. G. H. Gilmore, president of Cass County Historical Society, gave a report of the organization and work of this newly formed society. Miss Marie Sandoz, author of "Old Jules" was a guest at the banquet. She is an earnest, serious young woman.

On Friday evening the members had the pleasure of listening to an address by Gutzon Borglum, sculptor of Mt. Rushmore National Monument.

At the close of the convention, Miss Gass went to Crete, Nebr., where she was a week-end guest at the home of her cousin, Dr. Luella Carter, an instructor at Doane college.

TRUCK BURNS NEAR AVOCA

From Tuesday's Daily
A Watson truck burned this morning on the O St. road northwest of Avoca after an explosion of the gas tank. The truck, carrying about eight tons of miscellaneous merchandise was driven by George Hart of Lincoln. The driver escaped from the burning vehicle after crashing into an electric light pole and breaking the wires. The merchandise and truck were completely destroyed.

CLUB VOTES ON NEW MEMBERS

From Tuesday's Daily
New members were voted upon by the Plattsmouth Dramatic club last evening at their regular business meeting in the club rooms. The group also discussed the presentation of a play for Book Week and committees were appointed to investigate possibilities. Sixteen attended. The next meeting will be held October 19.

Plattsmouth Masons Honor Old Timers

Fifty Year Awards Presented to J. L. Hartshorn of Havelock and Chas. Cummins, Omaha.

Plattsmouth lodge No. 6, A. F. & A. M., Monday evening at their session honored two of their long time members, James L. Hartshorn of Havelock and Charles D. Cummins, of Omaha, presenting them with fifty year membership awards.

There was a very large attendance of the local members, while a delegation of some sixteen Masons from Havelock were present to pay honor to Mr. Hartshorn, who for a great many years has resided in Havelock.

The presentation was made by William A. Robertson, deputy grand master of the Masons of Nebraska and who paid tribute to the members who have for a half century been members of the Masonic fraternity.

J. D. DeLunzer, master of the Havelock Masons also spoke briefly and paid tribute to the two veterans for their excellent work and faithful service in the ranks of the order.

Mr. Hartshorn is a long time employe of the Burlington and while a resident here over fifty years ago was raised in Masonry in Plattsmouth lodge No. 6 and while he resided later in Louisville and Havelock has retained his membership in the local lodge.

Mr. Cummins is a member of one of the early pioneer families of the county and was for many years active in the business life of the community here as the owner of a lumber yard. He was raised in Masonry in 1882 in Plattsmouth lodge and while a resident of Omaha for the past twenty years has retained his membership in the local lodge.

Mr. Cummins is a son of John C. Cummins, one of the charter members of Plattsmouth lodge.

Both Mr. Hartshorn and Mr. Cummins were born in 1858.

Among the visiting members of the order from Havelock was John Nelson, also a member of Plattsmouth lodge and Richard O. Johnson, prominent attorney of Lincoln and candidate for attorney general.

The members were served light refreshments at the close of the evening to bring to the completion a most impressive occasion for the local Masonic body.

WINTERSTEEN HILL WORK OPENING TO-DAY

From Wednesday's Daily
Mayor George Lushinsky announced at the meeting of the East Fourth Ward Improvement club last evening that the surveying on the Wintersteen Hill road will open to-day. It is expected to be completed by Thursday after which the project will probably be approved immediately for the resurfacing of the road.

500 iris bulbs have been donated to the club by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tidd. Plans were made last evening for the distribution of the bulbs to the people of the community for beautification. A vote of thanks was given for this generous donation.

By-laws of the club were approved and the club held its first official business meeting last night. Regular meetings are to be held on the third Tuesday of the month.

HEAR ALVO CASE

From Tuesday's Daily—
This morning the county court was occupied in hearing the case of the State of Nebraska, ex rel. Clarence Schuik, vs. Mrs. Alpha Rogers. The case involved a complaint by the plaintiff asking that the defendant be placed under a peace bond, as the parties have been having disputes over land near Alvo.

The defendant contested the complaint of the court after hearing the evidence in the case ordered that the defendant supply a \$50 bond for her appearance in the district court.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Rev. George Agius, D. D., J. C. D., pastor
Beginning on Sunday, October 11th, Sunday masses will be held at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

PLAN TO ATTEND NATIONAL CONVENTION

From Wednesday's Daily
St. Paul's Methodist church is hostess to the national convention of Woman's Home Missionary society which opens in Lincoln to-day. Delegates are expected from all parts of United States and possessions. Mrs. Pete Carr is taking a car Thursday. Friday, she will take a group of the Queen Esther girls to attend the celebration of their fiftieth anniversary during the morning from 10 to 12 o'clock. A banquet will be held in the evening at 5:30. Saturday night the Queen Esther pageant of fifty years will be given at the Wesleyan Auditorium.

Woman's Club Elects Delegates to Convention

Discussion of Constitution Led by Mrs. Otto Keck—Programs for Year Announced.

Mrs. James Mauzy was elected as a delegate to the state club convention to be held in Beatrice October 20-22 at the meeting of the Plattsmouth Woman's club last evening. Her alternate is Mrs. Pete Carr. Mrs. L. S. Devoe, vice president, will also be a representative since Mrs. Wm. Baird, president, will not be able to go.

Mrs. Otto Keck reviewed the background for our constitution, the formation, and its significance before the group last evening. Miss Helene Perry gave two readings, and Miss Pearl Staats presented a short lesson on English. She stressed enunciation and accent in her talk.

Announcement of the programs for the year and names of hostesses and associates were made by Mrs. L. S. Devoe for the coming year. Misses Jeanette Hirz and Mildred Engelke were the high school guests. They were introduced during the meeting.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, with Mrs. Homer Sylvester, Misses Lillian and Georgia White assisting. Devotionals were led by Mrs. E. H. Wescott. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Farley, October 19.

A number of the ladies of the club are planning to attend the convention at Nehawka on Wednesday. Those desiring transportation were asked to phone Mrs. Baird.

ORGANIZE NEW COMMITTEE

Saturday evening at the democratic headquarters in the Hotel Plattsmouth there was a large group of the ladies from the rural sections present to take part in a conference and to perfect the organization of the All Party Roosevelt Agricultural committee.

Mrs. Frank Lowrey, of Nebraska City, was present and explained the work of the organization, which is formed for the purpose of aiding in the re-election of President Roosevelt.

The local ladies organized a unit and the following officers were named: Mrs. J. L. Stamp, president; Mrs. Mike Kafenberg, vice president, and Mrs. Albert Wheeler, secretary-treasurer.

The local group will co-operate with the state and national organization in the campaign of the next few weeks.

VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Budig of Chicago and Mrs. Walter Green of Gulfport, Mississippi, are here to enjoy a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ofe, with their mother, Mrs. William Budig. Mrs. Budig has not been well for the past several weeks and the children are here to enjoy a visit with her. This is the first time that all of the family have had the pleasure of being home together in several years.

Paul Budig is still following his trade as cigarmaker, learned in the local shops many years ago and he now has his own factory in Chicago where he is kept busy turning out the several brands of smokes that he features.

Gov. Cochran Chief Speaker at Local Banquet

350 Enjoy Fine Repast and Stirring Speeches—Mrs. A. J. McGuire and W. J. Hotz Speak.

From Wednesday's Daily
The dinner arranged by the local Roosevelt-Garner club last evening at the American Legion auditorium brought out the largest crowd that has assembled at a similar event in the city, paying special honor to Governor R. L. Cochran, who was here for the main address of the evening.

The hall was arranged in the patriotic decorations and a large portrait of the president formed the background for the speakers table. Streamers of red and blue were on each table as well as the bright hued fall flowers.

The ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary prepared the repast and were assisted in serving by the members and the daughters, the very large crowd being served rapidly.

Harrison L. Gayer, president of the Roosevelt-Garner club, presided and opened the evening program by the presentation of Ref. G. A. Pahl, pastor of the St. Paul's Evangelical church, who offered the invocation and which was followed by the singing of America.

Mr. Gayer presented as the first speaker of the evening, Mrs. Marie F. McGuire, of Minnesota, who is in the state to discuss problems of the agricultural people of the great west, she being largely interested in the dairying industry of her state, as well as farming questions. Mrs. McGuire urged that both the present national and state administrations be retained in office. She pointed out that the present campaign was one of vital interest to the nation as the world, suffering from unrest, offered examples of the people turning to strange doctrines, which only could be kept from this country by the election for a second term of President Roosevelt, whose program removed the causes of unrest by providing safety and security to the peoples of the nation in all walks of life. Communism was caused, the speaker stated by the suffering and want and which developed the disregard for established institutions, this was the case in 1932 and only the election of President Roosevelt saved the nation from a revolution.

Attacking the charge of waste, Mrs. McGuire pointed to the wisdom of the expending of the sums by the government to save the assets of the nation that were threatened in the destruction of the agricultural interests, the banks and general industry as the result of the twelve years of misrule. Mrs. McGuire also urged the farm women of the nation to rally to the program of the president which was to assure a high standard of living to the farm family as well as the resident of the city, a program that included the preservation of the educational system which had been so heavily hit in the Hoover administration years. The speaker called the attention of the audience to the fact that in many of the crises that had arisen that the administration of the problems from a center source secured quicker and better results than a widely separated program. She pointed to the fact that under the agricultural adjustment act that \$58,000,000 had been paid to Nebraska and \$750,000 to Cass county, the sums being paid the farmer and the purchases of cattle and crops used in the providing of food for the needy.

Lashes Intrenched Greed
William J. Hotz, Omaha attorney, gave a bitter arraignment of the great wealth of the nation in his address, lashing them for their attempt to secure their grip on the nation which had been so effectively shaken off by the Roosevelt administration.

Mr. Hotz drew a dramatic picture of the condition of the country in 1932, when after a regime of great interest government, the structure of the nation was tottering and armed men were on the highways to protect their rights by force. This was the result of the misgovernment of many

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