

The Plattsmouth Journal

PUBLISHED SEMI-WEEKLY AT PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA
Entered at Postoffice, Plattsouth, Neb., as second-class mail matter

MRS. R. A. BATES, Publisher

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$2.00 A YEAR IN FIRST POSTAL ZONE
Subscribers living in Second Postal Zone, \$2.50 per year. Beyond 600 miles, \$3.00 per year. Rate to Canada and foreign countries, \$3.50 per year. All subscriptions are payable strictly in advance.

FATHER KEEPS VOW BUT COST IS SONS' LIVES

NAHAN, India (UP)—Two of the three persons who set out on a 300-mile pilgrimage to the shrine of Lord Krishna in Hardwar have died en route.
During the critical illness of his two sons, the father vowed that if the boys survived he would crawl with them to the Hardwar shrine.
Both boys recovered from the illness. In July, while his sons were still convalescing, the father and two sons set out to fulfill the vow. They planned to do the journey in 60 stages of five miles each day.
One son died of exhaustion on the seventh stage, and the other boy succumbed when he was within 10 miles of the shrine.
Although suffering from swollen knees and limbs the father crawled the remaining 10 miles. He hopes that fulfillment of his vow and the sacrifice of his two sons will guard the rest of his family from calamity.

CENTURY OLD BANDSAW BUZZES TO ELECTRICITY

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y. (UP)—A bandsaw believed to be 100 years old has been put to good use by Niagara Falls firemen.
The old saw was presented to the firemen by an unidentified man.
"Here you are fellows," the stranger said. "See what you can do with it."
The old saw was completely motorized and is being used by the firemen to repair old toys donated for the city's underprivileged children each year at Christmas time.

FUR COAT MISLABELED: BUYER AWARDED \$765

MONTREAL (UP)—Janet Fresco was awarded \$765 in a court here because a "Russian caucail" coat she purchased turned out to be Chinese caucail.
The judge held that the evidence showed that a trade name was used to include an inferior skin in imposing a penalty on the defendant furrier.

For Chest Colds

Distressing cold in chest or throat, never safe to neglect, generally eases up when soothing, warming Musterole is applied.
Better than a mustard plaster, Musterole gets action because it's NOT just a salve. It's a "counter-irritant"—stimulating, penetrating, and helpful in drawing out local congestion and pain.
Used by millions for 30 years. Recommended by many doctors and nurses. All druggists. In three strengths: Regular Strength, Children's (mild), and Extra Strong. Approved by Good Housekeeping.

SOLVED!

★ Star Single-edge
Blades solve the mystery of good shaves. Made since 1880 by the inventors of the original safety razor. Keen, long-lasting, uniform.

4 FOR 10¢

STAR BLADES

FOR GEM AND EVER-READY RAZORS

NEW SAFETY for BABIES

Mother—think of it! Ninety-ninths of all the hospitals important in maternity work now give their babies a body-rub every day with Mennen Antiseptic Oil! Why? Because this treatment keeps the baby safer from his worst enemy, GERMS... helps protect his skin against infection. Give your baby this greater safety. It's so important! Buy a bottle of Mennen Antiseptic Oil at your druggist's today.

MENNEN Antiseptic OIL

AMERICAN MAN NOT FLATTERED BY HIS TRAITS

NEW YORK (UP)—The "normal American male" is distinguished by 21 characteristic traits, Dr. John Dollard of Yale University believes—and not all of these traits, he admitted, are by any means flattering to this "normal American male."
Dr. Dollard has recently made a study of American males—both physically and characteristically—to "bring to bear on the subject of research from sociology and psychology."
Concerning the physical part of the "normal American male," he said the American's figure—the sublimation of 100,000 Americans who returned from the World War—is flat chested, round shouldered and protuberant pouched.
Some of the characteristic traits that Dr. Dollard emphasized were individualism, easy amusement to warlike behavior, expectation to rise in the social scale, faith in democracy and the competitive system, and belief in what the newspapers print.
ALBANY, N. Y. (UP)—Dr. Daniel V. O'Leary, Albany health commissioner, contends that onions and garlic are useful in combating infectious diseases because of their immunity to bacterial attack.
"Yes, sir, weeping over onions may soon be changed to cheering for the onion and garlic," he said. "The very chemicals in onions and garlic which bring tears to the cook's eyes as she prepares the vegetables, are now found to have germ killing powers."
The germ-killing, tear-starting chemicals have been isolated by Dr. Richard E. Vollrath, professor of physics, and Dr. Carl C. Lindgren, chairman of the bacteriological department of the University of Southern California, Dr. O'Leary said.

DRIVERS FLUNK QUESTIONS ON FUNDAMENTALS

JACKSON, Mich. (UP)—Jackson police shook their heads in bewilderment as they corrected papers written during a drivers' evening school. The reason? These answers:
Q. What is double parking? A. Danger.
Q. What is one-arm driving? A. Bad business.
Q. Do you think that if everyone used common sense and courtesy there would be as many accidents? A. Yes.
Q. What is speeding? A. Covering around too fast.
Q. Name three places where a driver should not park. A. Alleys.
Q. Where should a driver park in reference to a cross walk? A. No.
Q. When should a driver sound his horn? A. Yes.

WOMEN WHO HOLD THEIR MEN NEVER LET THEM KNOW

NO matter how much your back aches and your nerves scream, your husband, because he is only a man, can never understand why you are so hard to live with one week in every month.
Too often the honeymoon express is wrecked by the nagging tongue of a three-quarter wife. The wise woman never lets her husband know by outward sign that she is a victim of periodic pain.
For three generations one woman has told another how to go "smiling through" with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helps Nature tone up the system, thus lessening the discomforts from the functional disorders which women must endure in the three cycles of life: 1. Turning from girlhood to womanhood. 2. Preparing for motherhood. 3. Approaching "middle age."
Don't be a three-quarter wife, take LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND and go "Smiling Through."

DEBATERS WIN ONE TO THREE LOST AT LINCOLN

From Tuesday's Daily—
Yesterday at the law college in Lincoln, Plattsouth high school's debate squad made a very good showing against the very able Lincoln high debaters, by winning one and losing three. On Saturday at an invitation meet held at Geneva, Lincoln took seven of the eight debates in which they took part, defeating such schools as Grand Island, Auburn, Geneva and Kearney.
As a result of their three victories and one defeat by Plattsouth, Lincoln now has a record of twelve victories in fifteen debates this season, showing the class of competition the Plattsouth squad was up against yesterday.
Coach Gerald Kvasnicka of Lincoln has the strongest debate squad he has ever coached and expects to win some championships this year. His team won the district championship of the Lincoln district (of which Plattsouth is a part) last year.
In yesterday's competition, Homer (Jack) Barton and Harriett Case won one and lost one, while Robert Woest and John Bestor lost both of their debates.
The debaters from here were accompanied by Coach Milo Price.
The opportunity of engaging in competition with one of the acknowledged best teams in the state will be of much benefit to the local quartet of debaters, who, as previously stated in the Journal, show promise of going a long way in sub-district and district competition this year, and the fact that they were able to wrest one decision out of four from the Lincoln team speaks well for the ability of the promising youngsters from our local high school.

JOHN H. TITUS STILL WRITING VERSES AT 91

NEW YORK (UP)—John Henry Titus, who still writes verse at 91, and who used the title "The Face on the Bar Room Floor" for a canto, often wonders if the confusion surrounding the poem he composed in 1872 ever will be cleared.
The confusion, he explains, arose over a title heading in "An Ideal Soul," described by him as a romance in seven cantos. It begins as follows:
"Astir the pine in cembre lay
'Twas a-barmy autumn night—
And a-godly lot was there
That 'Oversaw' Joe's bar-room
As Court on the square."
Another poem, written later by Hugh Antoine D'Arcy, and titled "The Face Upon the Floor," runs in a somewhat similar vein, as follows:
"Twas a balmy summer evening,
And a godly crowd was there
Which well-nigh filled Joe's bar-room
On the corner of the square."
Titus has just returned here from a 5,500-mile swing through the east and south. He said he had visited 500 bar-rooms in an effort to get a "psychic delimitation" of the present day saloon.

AUSTRALIA PLANS USE OF TRAILER HOSPITALS

HOBART, Tasmania (UP)—While auto trailers are used largely for pleasure in the United States, the Australian government is planning to put them to a far more utilitarian end here.
Present plans call for the inauguration of a whole system of trailer hospitals and caravans. They will call on all schools, all small towns in the islands, outlying districts and even among the bushmen for the performance of minor surgical operations, maternity cases, and hospital uses generally. They also will have dental equipment.

HORSESHOE IMBEDDED IN HEART OF OAK TREE

DEL MONTE, Cal. (UP)—A horseshoe, believed to be more than 90 years old, was found imbedded in the heart of an ancient oak tree on the Del Monte golf course.
The shoe, which old-time residents here believe dates back to the days when nearby Monterey was the capital of Spanish California, was found in the center of a one-foot thick limb while the old tree was being cut down.
It was generally believed that the shoe was thrown by a horse nearly a century ago; that its rider hung it around a branch, and that the limb grew around it.

MUNICH BELL FOUNDER, HAS INVENTED AN APPARATUS WHICH HE ASSERTS WILL TAKE HIS OCCUPATION AWAY BY MAKING CHURCH BELLS SUPERFLUOUS. IT CONSISTS OF SIX SMALL METAL RODS, THE VIBRATIONS OF WHICH ARE TRANSMITTED ELECTRICALLY TO AN AMPLIFIER.

MUNICH (UP)—Gerr Oeracher, Munich bell founder, has invented an apparatus which he asserts will take his occupation away by making church bells superfluous. It consists of six small metal rods, the vibrations of which are transmitted electrically to an amplifier.
Subscribe for the Journal.

SOCIAL

From Monday's Daily—
To Visit in Virginia—
Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Jaeger and daughter Charlotte left Saturday on a vacation trip. They will stop in Chicago for a few days and then will go on to Virginia where they will visit relatives.

Hold Family Dinner—

Yesterday at the Elmer Sundstrom home there was a family dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jacobson who are leaving this week to spend Christmas in Oklahoma. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jacobson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jacobson and family, both from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Larson and son from Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Jacobson, Mr. and Mrs. Yosta Davis of Louisville and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sundstrom and sons, who are home from Nebraska University.

Sunday Night Club—

Last night the Sunday Evening club had their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Guy Long. Mrs. Walter Tritsch won first and Mrs. Ray Herring won second in the ladies, and Walter Tritsch won first and Guy Long won second in the men. A Christmas tree was featured and the gifts were opened.

Here From Baltimore—

Edward Lorenz and aunt, Miss Marie Prohaska, are here to spend the holiday season here with their relatives and friends. Edward, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lorenz, is attending the John Hopkins university and also has a part time position in that city. This is his first visit home since leaving for Baltimore.

Here for Christmas—

Miss Peggy Jean Chadderdon of Holdrege is here spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Wolff. Her parents, Judge and Mrs. Norris Chadderdon will arrive Thursday to spend Christmas holidays here.

Entertains for Friends—

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Berger entertained at a six o'clock dinner, Saturday evening in honor of William Reike and Mrs. George Crawford of Stockton, California. The dining room table was beautifully decorated for the occasion with a silver Christmas tree surrounded by sprays of English holly. The holy arrived that morning from Portland, Oregon as a Christmas gift from Nelson's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith who are spending the winter on the Pacific coast. After dinner the group enjoyed a game of Monopoly.

POLICE BELIEVE WOMEN REMAIN MORE FAITHFUL

LARAMIE, Wyo. (UP)—"Go to jail if you want your wife to love you," Chief of Police Will Mast advised when he summed up the opinion of many police officers concerning wives mothers and sisters who "stick by" their men when they get into trouble with the law.
"Women are like that—plain sentimental over a no-good man," Chief Mast said, and pointed out a faithful wife carrying candy and cigarettes to her husband then in the local jail. "Almost as soon as we get some of these fellows behind the bars, the womenfolk start carrying cake, candy and tobacco to them."
"A woman will have a man arrested for beating her and then—ten to one—the next morning before a warrant can be sworn out, she will be around asking to have him released."

CO-ED'S BEAUTY STINT TAKES 2 HOURS DAILY

CANYON, Tex. (UP)—A co-ed at Cousins Hall, who attends West Texas State Teachers College here, said the 130 girls in her dormitory average two hours daily before the looking glass.
The miss, who prefers anonymity for obvious reasons, said the schedule runs about like this: 30 minutes before the first morning class; 10 minutes before lunch; five minutes after lunch; 30 minutes before bedtime—with the remainder of the two hours consumed by interim primping or getting ready for "dates."

BOWLING NOTES

From Wednesday's Daily—
Last night was a big night for the Wimpys. They won all three games from the U. S. Engineers. They shot the highest series of the season. Carl Hula held high three games until last night when Ray Bourne shot 669 that is sure to stand up for a long time. Misner of the Engineers shot a nice series. His high game was 202.
The new team, the BREX, made a good showing by winning two from the Recreation. The first game was a close one, only four pins difference. Dr. Westover was high with a 511 series, and Hall in the BREX with 486 in the contest that closes Friday noon, Les Gansemer, Ray Bourne, Dr. Westover and John Jordan are high so far.
Individual scores:
Wimpys' Inn—Ault, 420; Ray Bourne, 669; Hula, 488; Pickens, 380; Wimpys, 538. Total, 2495.
Engineers—Misner, 527; Broman, 399; Rieger, 362; Tunnell, 328; Gansemer, 457. Total, 2158.
BREX—Hall, 486; Spidell, 394; Aylor, 378; Dasher, 458; Sutton, 422. Total, 2038.
Recreation—Graves, 440; Waters, 365; C. Sylvester, 313; G. Winscott, 412; Dr. Westover, 511. Total, 2074.

PENSION HINGES ON ANNUAL MEETING OF 1914 UNION

PUEBLO, Col. (UP)—Mrs. Cecilia Stone must obtain an annulment of her marriage from Charles Sakrisson here on May 24, 1914, before she can become eligible for an old age pension.
She filed suit in county court, asserting that she and Sakrisson lived together only five days and that she married him because of threats he made after her former husband, Frank Stone, died.
Mrs. Stone-Sakrisson said she was a native of Sweden and came to this country in 1888 and Pueblo in 1905.
By her marriage to Stone, a U. S. citizen, she became a citizen of this country under the old naturalization laws, but by her marriage to Sakrisson, an alien, she lost her citizenship.
If the court holds her marriage to Sakrisson void, she will automatically become a citizen again as the widow of Stone.

NEGRO FAMILY HOLDS SCHOOL IN OWN HOME

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. (UP)—Effie Mae's academy on a farm four miles from here is strictly a family institution.
By her marriage to Stone, a U. S. citizen, she became a citizen of this country under the old naturalization laws, but by her marriage to Sakrisson, an alien, she lost her citizenship.
If the court holds her marriage to Sakrisson void, she will automatically become a citizen again as the widow of Stone.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given to all stockholders of the Plattsouth Loan & Building association, that the regular annual stockholders meeting will be held on Monday evening, January 3, 1938, for the purpose of electing three directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.
The meeting will be held at the office of the association in the Brown jewelry store, Plattsouth, Nebraska, at 8 o'clock p. m.
E. P. LUTZ, Secretary
C. A. JOHNSON, President.

"HOT-FOOT" SELF STARTER

BESSIE, Okla. (UP)—James G. Daniels, 58, had been using sodium chlorate solution to kill Johnson grass. He stopped to light a cigarette and dropped the burning match on his trouser leg which burst into flame. The burns necessitated hospital treatment.

"SURF-SCOOTERS" TO SAVE LIVES

SYDNEY (UP)—"Surf-scooters," which can run submerged under a wave and cannot be capsized, will be adopted by the Australian Surf Life-Saving Association next season for rescue work. They have a speed of 15 knots and can carry a crew of three.

VISITING AT GREENWOOD

From Tuesday's Daily—
County Attorney J. A. Capwell was at Greenwood today where he was called to prosecute a case of assault and battery filed in the court of Justice W. A. Armstrong.
VISITING IN NEW YORK
Mrs. Henry Herold departed Tuesday to spend several months in the east, visiting her daughter, Miss Ursula Herold and her son, Matthew Gering Herold and family.

LOCALS

From Monday's Daily—
Miss Kay Armstrong of Omaha spent the week-end with her parents here.

Andrew Rabb, Jr., of Omaha was here Sunday to visit for a short time with the old time friends and neighbors.

Miss Alberta Timmas of the University of Nebraska is in Plattsouth where she will spend the holidays with her parents.

Attorney C. E. Tefft and Frank Domingo, Weeping Water banker, were in the city today to attend to some matters at the court house.

Rex Peters, of Greenwood, was among the visitors here today to attend to some business matters at the court house and visiting with friends.

George Stites of Union, president of the state elevator men's association was here today to attend to some matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Royal of Lincoln, were in the city Sunday where they enjoyed a short visit with Judge C. L. Graves, father of Mrs. Royal. Judge Graves is to leave for Lincoln the latter part of the week for Christmas there.

From Tuesday's Daily—
Sunday Miss Genevieve Cortes of Omaha visited at the I. L. Kocian home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin and son Norris of Nebraska City were guests at the I. L. Kocian home Saturday.

Mr. Eugene Burdick and children of St. Edward are in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider, parents of Mrs. Burdick.

From Wednesday's Daily—
Mrs. John Donelan will go to Papillion this evening where she will visit with the Karl Browns.

Mrs. Mae S. Morgan of Burlington, Iowa, is a house guest of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Wescott and Mr. Wescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Toman returned last evening from St. Louis where they have been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Davis were at Omaha today where they spent a few hours visiting friends and looking after some business.

Dean Patton, of Oregon, Illinois, arrived here this morning for a visit over the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patton and the old time friends.

Robert G. Reed and son, Warren, departed this morning for Hastings, Nebraska, former home of Mr. Reed, where they will spend a few days visiting friends and looking after some business matters.

Want ads sell all kinds of odd household goods.

Persistence is what gets results in advertising.

Wishing you
In the heartiest way
A very happy holiday
For you and your family.

R. V. Bryant Motor Co.
Sales and Service

MERRY CHRISTMAS HAPPY NEW YEAR

Don's Barber Shop

OVERLAND

Theatre - Nebraska City

MERRY CHRISTMAS... TO OUR MANY FRIENDS

Here's Our Big Program for Xmas Our Biggest Show

"Rosalie"

STARRING
Nelson Eddy, Elinor Powell, Frank Morgan and Ray Bolger, the Dancing Star of Ziegfeld

Matinee Christmas Day
2:30 Continuous
Sunday, 2:30 Continuous. Also two shows Mon. and Tues. nights.

Stores Closing

We, the undersigned agree to close our stores all Christmas day.

Saturday, Dec. 25

E. A. Wurl
Hinky-Dinky
Chas. Tunnell
L. D. Hiatt
Robert Capell
Carl's Market
Philip Hirz
Rex York, Gamble Store
Fetzer Shoe Co.
L. B. Egenberger
Schwartz Auto Supply
C. E. Wescott's Sons
Mullen's Market
C. H. Graves Grocery
Ladies Toggery
Warga Hardware
H. M. Soennichen
Knorr's 5c to \$1 Store
Plattsouth Creamery
Golding & Stibal
Mrs. R. A. Bates, Journal
E. J. Richey
W. H. Puls
Tiddall Lumber Co.
Dr. O. Sandin
H. W. Crabill
H. L. Kruger
Peace Style Shop
Kroehler Hardware
Bestor & Swatek Co.
M. D. Brown

Highest Prices PAID FOR DEAD ANIMALS

Dependable Service
Reverse All Calls to

'JOHNNY'S' FARMERS RENDINGER SERVICE

Market 1080—Omaha
Try My Tankage—It's Sure to Please—Reasonably Priced

CASS

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Big Christmas Show, Starting Saturday at 2:30—The BEST ENTERTAINERS in 'LIFE BEGINS IN COLLEGE'

The world's newest fun favorites in their biggest laugh sensation. Also—Comedy, Cartoon and Serial 'ZORA RIDES AGAIN'

Adults... 25c Children... 10c

SUNDAY - MONDAY

Dick Powell, Fred Waring and His Pennsylvania Poll-worms and a Big Cast in 'Varsity Show'

with Ted Healy and Walter Catlett. It's the tops in entertainment. Also—Our Game Comedies, Pope Xmas Cartoon and Latest News

SUNDAY MATINEE AT 2:30
Matinee, 10-25c Nights, 10-30c

TUESDAY ONLY

Big Bargain Day Show—Matinee, 2:30
Marlene Dietrich, Terb Marshall in 'Angel'

Bargain Prices All Shows, 10-25

This Agency wishes everyone a very

Merry Christmas

PHONE #9

SEARL'S DAVIS

Merry Christmas

1937 1937

The passing years serve only to increase the sincerity of our greeting to you. Let us all look hopefully forward to the coming year as an era of better times in store for everyone.

WESCOTT'S