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## Junior Drum Corps Second at the State Fair

Competes with Some of State's Outstanding Corps—Korn Klub Float in Vets' Parade

From Monday's Daily—Stepping high and with better formed lines than we've ever seen them hold heretofore, the Plattsmouth Legion Junior Drum and Bugle Corps "went to town" at the state fair in Lincoln yesterday. It was Veterans' day and a new opening day record was set up as ex-service men came from goodly distances, bringing with them both adult and junior drum corps and bands.

There were nineteen musical organizations in the afternoon parade in front of the grand stand. There was also one float, the Plattsmouth King Korn Carnival float, which went just ahead of our drum corps. Its appearance drew comment from both the stadium and radio announcers. Following the parade it was parked across the race track in plain sight of the large crowd that gathered to witness the auto races.

The local corps, always rating high as a marching or street corps, drew plenty of applause from the stands as it came down the quarter stretch and paused in front of the stadium to execute one of its more difficult formations. The parade took place at 12:45 and from then until 5:30 the boys were given freedom to select their own entertainment. A goodly number viewed the races—others found the midway, exhibits, etc., more to their liking.

At 5:30 they had supper, again donned their uniforms and after a parade of the grounds, went to the drill field in front of the stadium to participate in the evening's Junior competition. Six Junior corps entered the competition, with Plattsmouth second on the field. The six competing corps, in their order of appearance on the field were: Fairbury, VFW, Plattsmouth, Grand Island, West Point, Norfolk and Auburn, Legion.

Up until Auburn came onto the field, Plattsmouth's showing had been the most impressive. But the keenest of competition was expected from the Auburn corps, with Mary Grovenburg and four other strutting, baton twirling drum majorettes out in front. Mary's father, Charles Grovenburg, not only holds champion individual drummer honors, but he directed the old Auburn Legion senior corps that for several years rated state champions in their class.

At the conclusion all corps were massed on the field awaiting the judges' decision. Auburn was awarded first place, Plattsmouth second, and Norfolk third. The decision was popular with the crowd. West Point, last year's fair champions, failed to place among the top three.

Plattsmouth corps also took second place at the fair last year, with West Point first and Norfolk third.

**Car Owners Co-Operate**

Thirteen car owners assisted in getting the local corps to and from Lincoln. They were C. H. Martin, Ray Misner, George Lushinsky, Wm. A. Robertson, Bill Evers, Reed Wollever, Andy Robinson, Hallie Perry, John Alwin, Eugene Vroman, Leslie Niel, Elmer Webb and Frank Rice. The Gayer truck handled all equipment. A number of other car owners from here also drove to Lincoln to attend the fair.

Drum corps the size of ours were paid \$30 expense money for meals. The prizes to three best were \$30, \$20 and \$10, respectively, making Plattsmouth's share \$50.

The fact that this, or the money received at Fremont convention will scarcely pay for meals, trucking of equipment, uniform cleaning, etc., shows that it takes plenty of public spirited co-operation and aid in providing transportation to keep a drum corps or any other musical organization functioning. Auburn was there in large numbers with its corps, more than a hundred trailing them on their parade of the grounds after they had been acclaimed the winners.

Plattsmouth corps is invited to at-

tend Gretna's big celebration Thursday night, along with the Korn Klub float. Whether or not they will be able to go hinges on the making of transportation arrangements.

Car owners willing to take boys, please call Fred Lugsch of Korn Klub transportation committee or Leslie Niel, Legion transportation director of the corps. We understand it is planned to leave here around 6:00 p. m., if they go.

## Paul Iverson is Ordained to the Ministry

Impressive Services Held at First Presbyterian Church for Plattsmouth Young Man.

Sunday evening the ordination services were held at the First Presbyterian church for Rev. Paul Frederick Iverson, who is entering on his services as a minister of the Presbyterian faith.

Rev. Iverson was born and grew up in this community and was a Sunday school and church member of the First Presbyterian church, was given the honor of receiving the final charges to the ministry in the church where he had been long a communicant.

The choir of the church had arranged a very beautiful musical setting for the service that added much to the impressiveness of the occasion.

Following the processional march by the choir the service was taken over by Dr. H. G. McClusky as the moderator of the service and who also conducted the ordination of the new minister of the church who will now go forth to teach the message of his faith to the people.

Dr. H. M. Markley, of Nebraska City, gave the charge to the newly ordained minister, in an impressive manner that marked the solemnity of the event.

The ordination sermon, a very inspiring address, was given by the Rev. William Faunds, of Auburn, which was followed with the closest interest by all of the congregation.

The benediction was offered by Rev. Iverson as the first act of his new ministry.

Rev. Iverson has been named as assistant to the Rev. Alva King of Hastings and will take up his new duties at once in the new pastorate. The selection of Hastings as his post is very pleasing to Rev. Iverson as he spent a part of his training at Hastings college.

Whipple Leonard and Kathleen Nolte of Plattsmouth represented Cass county in foods judging and placed fourth as a team, with Whipple placing 5th high as an individual.

The canning team composed of Dorothy Ruffner and Margie Ruth Pollard, placed 8th. Marie Anderson and Violet Hadley, in clothing, and, John Schafer, Myrl Kunz and Raymond Brandt in livestock, were the other teams to compete from Cass county.

4-H canning club members made outstanding placings again this year with the following to their credit:

1st Year Budget—Cass County Canners, Red ribbon group; Cass County Canners, white ribbon group.

5 Best Vegetables—Virginia Pollard, Blue ribbon group; Margie Ruth Pollard, Red ribbon group; Dorothy Ruffner, Red ribbon group.

5 Best Fruits—Virginia Pollard, Red ribbon group; Margie Ruth Pollard, Red ribbon group.

Ivan Weatherwax, Plattsmouth, won first placing and Clark Wiles, Plattsmouth, won second on their nail boxes exhibited as part of their work in the 4-H Farm Shop project. They are members of Happy Nailers club of which Forrest Leonard is leader.

Velma Edwards, Nehawka, is happy over her placing in the red ribbon group with her display of sugar cookies.

A large number of posters were exhibited by Cass county 4-Hers who won the following placings:

Canning Posters—Helen Grant, red ribbon group; Helen Chappell, red ribbon group; Mary Krecklow, red ribbon group.

Conservation Poster—Helen Chappell, red ribbon group; Mary Krecklow, red ribbon group.

Meat Posters—Helen Grant, blue ribbon group; Mary Krecklow, blue ribbon group.

Clothing Poster—Mary Krecklow, white ribbon group.

The secretary's books exhibited by Violet Hadley and Dorothy Tyson

each placed in the red ribbon group. These are only a few of the placings which Cass county 4-H club members hope to bring home from the fair and are the results of the judging of exhibits, and the 4-H judging contests which were held on Saturday. On Monday, judging of livestock entries, team demonstrations, health contests, meat judging and identification contests were in full swing. Merritt Pollard, Jr. and Betty Schafer of Nehawka, represented Cass county in the health contests. Their placings will be announced later.

Thursday was a continuation of livestock judging, selection of breed champions, and team demonstrations. Wednesday's program was another full day of baby beef judging, team demonstrations, song identification contest, county song contest, and dress revue. Miss Doris Anderson and Opal Linder of Nehawka were Cass county's style revue representatives.

Thursday and Friday will see the final windup of team demonstrations, with showmanship contests in swine, sheep, beef and dairy and the big parade of winners. "Nebraska on Wheels" 4-H activities will be concluded on Friday with the 4-H baby beef sale.

## Thomas-Stohlman Wedding at Louisville

Impressive Ceremony Held at Immanuel Lutheran Church—Rev. H. G. Cattau Officiates.

One of the most charming weddings of the late summer took place on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Immanuel Lutheran church, west of Louisville, when Miss Laura Lucille Thomas of Milton, Iowa, and Mr. Clarence H. Stohlman, of Louisville were married. The marriage lines were read by the Rev. H. G. Cattau, pastor of the church.

Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Fredrick L. Stohlman, cousin of the groom. Rev. Cattau delivered a sermon to the young couple which was full of solemnity and religious instruction. The double ring ceremony was used.

The bride was attired in a beautiful floor length white satin gown having a high lace collar and a full skirt with a train. She wore a long veil with a band of orange blossoms across the front and caught in the back shirring of the cap and carried a bouquet of brides roses tied with white ribbons and orange blossoms that hung in uneven length.

The bride's attendant was her sister, Mary Louise, who wore a light pink organdie dress and carried a bouquet of red roses.

The groom wore a dark suit with a white boutonniere. He had as his best man his brother, Arnold who was also attired in a dark suit wearing a red boutonniere.

At six o'clock a delicious two course dinner was served to 50 guests at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Stohlman, Sr. The table was covered with a beautiful linen tablecloth which covered the wedding table of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Thomas, forty years ago. A wedding cake which was beautifully decorated formed the centerpiece. The waitresses were cousins of the groom and were Mildred Hell and Edith Vogler.

The young couple will go to house-keeping at 614 So. 50th street in Omaha.

## MAKES GUILTY PLEA

From Tuesday's Daily—Ted Spangler, a young farm hand, was arraigned in the county court this morning on the charge of attempted rape. The young man in answer to the charge made by County Attorney J. A. Capwell, made a plea of guilty to the charge. He was bound over to the district court for trial and the bond fixed at \$2,000. In failure to supply the bond he was remanded to the custody of Sheriff Homer Sylvester.

## BIRTH OF NEW SON

The announcement has been received here by relatives and friends of the birth of a fine son to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Todd at their home in Los Angeles. The family are doing nicely and much pleased over the happy event that has come to them. The little one is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Russ Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colvert of this city.

## VACATIONING IN MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Arn, Jr., are spending a vacation in Fayette, Missouri visiting Mrs. Arn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sells. Mrs. Arn spent the past week there and was joined Sunday by Mr. Arn. They will also visit with Mrs. Arn's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crouch at Columbia, Missouri. They will return on Friday.

## VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Joseph Samek, father of Mrs. J. A. Capwell and Neil Samek, a brother of Mrs. Capwell, were here over the week end from Weston, Nebraska, and enjoyed the hospitality of the Capwell home.

## Cass County Young Folks Win High Honors

Showing Made by Members of 4-H Organization at State Fair Very Pleasing.

Cass county 4-H club members are again in the limelight at the Nebraska state fair with a large number participating in the various exhibit, judging, demonstration, health and style show events. Three grand champion placings are listed among the early winners, all of which are in clothing. Mildred Schlapoff, Murdock, won grand champion placing on her remade wool tailored garment and the same on her complete costume for informal afternoon wear. Marie Anderson won the other grand championship placing on her tailored wool dress, a dark green with rust trim. Mildred's remade tailored wool garment consisted of a suit made from a man's suit, with blouse appropriate for wear with it. Her afternoon costume was based on a dark blue crepe hand embroidered dress with accents in red. A red hat and purse was included in the accessories.

Miss Idella Buell of Murdock won a blue ribbon placing with her tailored wool costume which consisted of wine colored skirt and jacket coat, with white blouse and accessories. Miss Ellen Christensen of Union placed in the red ribbon group with her informal afternoon dress of silk and Osa Marie Boedeker of Nehawka placed in the red ribbon group with her remade tailored wool costume.

Other placings in clothing were: Underwear Outfit—Marie Anderson, Blue Ribbon group; Yvonne DeLes Dernier, Blue Ribbon group.

Summer Afternoon Dress—White ribbon group; Ruth Lane, White ribbon group; Kathleen Markland.

Slip—Ruth Lane, Blue ribbon group; Kathleen Markland and Norma Schafer, Red ribbon group.

Dress Protector—Wilma Livingston, Blue ribbon group.

Guest Towel—Lila Linder, Red ribbon group.

Accessory (Handkerchiefs)—Helen Grant, Red ribbon group.

Portfolio of 12 Winter Clothes Finishes—Mary Krecklow, Blue ribbon group; Helen Grant, Red ribbon group.

Five teams represented the county in poultry, foods, canning, clothing and livestock judging contests held on Saturday. The poultry team placed third with Raymond Winkler of Eagle third high individual. His team mates were Dorothy Tyson and Oren Pollard of Nehawka.

According to Principal J. R. Reeder, a freshman class of 140 reported Monday morning. All freshmen divisions of the school are overflowing with a frantic effort on the part of the teachers to find seats and available space.

The enrollment in the lower grades is lower than usual due to the decrease in the size of families. The following are the enrollment figures for Monday.

High School	
Freshmen	140
Sophomores	89
Juniors	89
Seniors	74
392	

  

Junior High	
Miss Perry, Gr. 8A	25
Mr. Boggess, Gr. 8B	31
Miss Ubben, Gr. 7A	35
Mr. Armstrong, Gr. 7B	34
125	

  

Central Bldg.	
Miss Korbel, Kdgt	26
Miss Martens, Gr. 1	23
Miss Oakes, Gr. 2	27
Miss Diehm, Gr. 3	24
Miss Clare, Gr. 4	28
Miss Prohaska, Gr. 5	29
Miss Glock, Gr. 5	31
Miss Nolting, Gr. 6	33
Miss Muenster, Gr. 6	35
266	

  

Columbian Bldg.	
Miss Iverson, Gr. 4	25
Mrs. Traudt, Grs. 1 and 2	29
Mrs. Kimsey, Grs. 2 and 3	29
Miss Korbel, Kdgt.	19
102	

  

WINTERSTEEN	
Miss Bauer, Kdgt.	6
Miss Bauer, Gr. 1	8
Mrs. Cummins, Gr. 2	8
Mrs. Cummins, Gr. 3	6
Mrs. Cummins, Gr. 4	7
35	

  

First Ward	
Mrs. Kieck, Gr. 1	8
Mrs. Kieck, Gr. 2	8
Mrs. Kieck, Gr. 3	9
25	

  

Mercerville	
Miss Lorraine Dahl	12
Total School Enrollment, 967.	

## MARRIED IN CALIFORNIA

The announcements have been received here by relatives and close friends of the marriage at Reno, Nevada, in August of Miss Bhea Edgerton, eldest daughter of Mrs. A. E. Edgerton, of Corning, California, former resident here, and Mr. Clarence Swingholm, of Corning.

The young people will make their future home at Corning where Mr. Swingholm is engaged with the Poultry Produce Co.

The old friends of the Edgerton family will join in their best wishes to the happy young people.

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## ENTERS NURSE TRAINING

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## LEAVES FOR WISCONSIN

R. S. (Governor) Wallengren left Monday night for LaCrosse, Wisconsin, to resume his duties with the engineering department of the Burlington railroad. Mr. Wallengren has been here to visit with his sister and many old time friends.

## ORDER NEW CAPS

The high school and Recreational band will appear in the near future in neat and attractive caps that will add to their appearance and make them look the part of a real band. The caps were secured by the generous response of the public to the committee, E. A. Wurl and E. H. Schulhof and it is hoped that later the remainder of the uniform can be secured.

## Farmers Can Renew Loans on 1937 Corn

Alfred Gansemer, Chairman of Committee Announced Opportunity of Making Renewals.

Cass county farmers will be able to renew federal loans on their 1937 corn at an increase of 7 cents a bushel in the loan rate, Alfred Gansemer, chairman of the Cass county agricultural conservation committee announced this week. A total of 87 loans were originally made on \$9,405 bushels of corn here which will increase its value \$6,258.35.

Announcement of loan values for corn produced in 1938 probably will be made about December 1, after full information on parity prices and the corn production estimates have become available at the end of November.

Only farmers in the commercial corn area who planted not more than 102 per cent of their 1938 corn acreage allotment will be eligible for the renewal loans of 57 cents a bushel which replaces the present 50-cent corn loans. The new loans will be available until November 1, 1938, and will mature August 1, 1939.

Farmers who planted within 102 per cent of their 1938 corn acreage allotments and who qualified for a payment under the 1937 agricultural conservation program may obtain the new loan of 57 cents per bushel on their 1937 corn even though they have not already taken loans on it under the old rate.

Producers who now have the 50-cent loans on their 1937 corn, which mature on or before November 1, will have four possible methods of liquidating them: They may pay off their loans in cash and obtain the corn for feeding or other purposes; they may obtain new loans at 57 cents per bushel on the corn if corn and erbs are in acceptable condition; they may obtain permission from the county ACP committee to shell their corn and obtain new loans at 57 cents per bushel, stored in acceptable bins or granaries; or they may deliver their corn collateral in payment of their old loans.

Producers who now have loans on their 1937 corn but are not eligible for the renewal loan may pay their loans in cash and use the corn or deliver the corn to the Commodity Credit Corporation at any time after October 1.

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## Candle Light Service Marks Double Wedding

Miss Frances Gamblin Weds Harold McGrath; Miss Geraldine Griffin Weds Howard E. Hinz.

The First Methodist church was the scene of a very charming candle-light double wedding service Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Miss Frances Gamblin, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Gamblin and Mr. Harold McGrath of Omaha, son of Mrs. Aaron McGrath of Clarion, Iowa, and Miss Geraldine Grace Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Griffin and Mr. Howard P. Hinz, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Hinz, were wedded.

The marriage lines were impressively read by the Rev. James C. Lowson, pastor of the church, as the soft candlelight made a very inspiring setting.

The wedding was attended by only the immediate relatives of the four families.

Miss Gamblin wore as her wedding gown a very charming gown of grey and maroon check silk and wool and with black accessories. She wore a corsage of Tallman rosebuds.

Miss Griffin made a handsome bride in a wine colored wool crepe gown made along princess lines, black accessories and wore a corsage of the Tallman rosebuds.

Mr. McGrath wore a suit of oxford gray with white pin stripe and a boutonniere from the corsage of the bride.

Mr. Hinz wore dark blue and also a Tallman rosebud boutonniere.

Following the wedding ceremony at the church the two bridal parties were entertained at delightful wedding suppers, the Gamblin-McGrath party being served at the Jacobs' cafe where a lovely appointed dinner had been prepared for the bride and groom and their relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Hinz were honored at a wedding dinner at the home of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Griffin, on Vine street and where they were joined by the family of the groom. Roses formed the centerpiece.

Following the dinner the young people departed for Kansas City, Missouri, where they will enjoy a short honeymoon. On their return Mr. and Mrs. McGrath will be at home to their friends at their apartment, 4102 Nicholas street, Omaha, while Mr. and Mrs. Hinz will make their home here for the present.

The three local young people were all members of the class of 1935 of the Plattsmouth high school while Mr. McGrath was a graduate of the Clarion (Iowa) high school and also of Cornell university. Miss Griffin also has attended Stephen college at Columbia, Missouri and the Dickson Secretarian school at Omaha.

Mr. McGrath is associated with his brother in the McGrath Welding Works at Omaha.

Out-of-town guests at the double wedding were Mrs. Aaron McGrath, mother of the groom of Clarion, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Guy McGrath, Omaha, Mrs. Gertrude Gamblin, Glenwood, mother of the bride, and Mrs. A. A. Nelson, of Oakland, Nebraska, grandmother of Miss Griffin.

## PONY INJURED

The Shetland pony, belonging to the family of Dr. O. C. Hudson, was severely injured Sunday morning when it was struck by an auto driven by Ray Patterson, a river worker. The pony had escaped from the barn at the Heisel mill and wandered onto Webster boulevard near the Masonic Home and where it had run across the highway and into the path of the car.

## ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Friends here of the George Thomas family have received the announcement of the birth of a daughter, Susan Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Jr., on Wednesday, August 5th. The Thomas family are former residents of this city.

## FRIED CHICKEN SUPPER

The Christian church ladies will serve a fried chicken supper, Saturday, September 17th at the church. Price 35c. d&w

## A HANDSOME CAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McGrath at their wedding Sunday had a very beautiful remembrance for the happy occasion in a fine three-tier cake with its pink rosebuds and tiny bride and groom. This cake was baked by an aunt of the bride, Mrs. Hillard Grassman.