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## Schwenneker-Tuttle Wedding Held Sunday

Beautiful Ceremony Held at First Methodist Church—Many Friends Attend.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock Miss Maymie Wehnona Schwenneker and Mr. Ralph Deloss Tuttle were married in a very pretty church wedding at the First Methodist church of this city. Rev. V. C. Wright of Ashland performed the impressive double ring ceremony.

A large number of friends of the young couple attended the wedding. The church had been beautifully decorated with many bouquets of flowers and was lighted by candles in four candelabra and a lighted cross. Miss Ruth Ann Hatt and Miss Kathryn Barkus lighted the candles.

Mrs. E. H. Wescott sang "I Love You Truly" and Mr. Wescott played the wedding marches. Mr. and Mrs. James E. Allbee attended the bride and groom.

The bride was lovely in a dress of royal blue velvet. She wore a corsage of tea roses and a pearl clasp. Her bridesmaid wore a dress of de-bonne printed silk and had a corsage of red roses.

The groom was dressed in a dark suit with a tea rosebud boutonniere. The best man was also dressed in a dark suit and had a red rosebud boutonniere.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Schwenneker of this city. She is a graduate of the Plattsmouth high school in the class of 1937.

Mr. Tuttle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tuttle of Brayton, Nebraska. He graduated in 1936 from the St. Paul High school.

They have a large circle of friends who will wish them much happiness in their new home in Rockville, Missouri where they will farm.

## ATTENDS REGIMENTAL REUNION

From Wednesday's Daily—

W. R. Holly of the H. M. Soenichsen Co. store, returned last night from his vacation trip and which included the attending of the reunion of the 355th infantry of the 89th division, one of the hard fighting units to the AEF. The reunion was held at Hastings and a very large attendance was present from different sections of the country. There were eighteen of the members of the original band of twenty-eight present at the reunion, a fine showing after twenty years, all of the members having spent two years in service together. The band gave a concert with all of the steam that they had as soldiers back in the days of the Argonne when they were among the advance troops in the final smashes at the German lines near Sedan. While at Hastings Mr. Holly met Lester Dalton, now of Edgar, Nebraska, a former member of the regiment. Hall Pollard of Nehawka, was also at the reunion.

Mr. Holly also visited at Cedar Bluffs and had a motor trip to the Black Hills.

## ROYAL VISITORS

In response to an invitation from King Korn III, word has just arrived by courier, that a royal party from the adjoining Kingdom of Ak-Sar-Ben will be in attendance at the coronation ceremony to be held here next Wednesday evening—the opening day of the carnival. The royal party will consist of the following personages: Miss Elizabeth Ann Davis, reigning queen; Mr. Bert Murphy, reigning regent; Miss Jean Dudley Gallagher, queen in the year 1937. With four queens and three kings on the platform at one time this promises to be an evening of dazzling glamour. Invite all your friends to join you in attendance on this notable occasion.

## UNDERGOING TREATMENT

Mrs. Henry Timm is at the St. Joseph hospital at Omaha, undergoing a course of treatment. Mrs. Timm has suffered from a nervous attack that has decided her physicians on a course of rest and treatments. It is hoped she may be home in a very short time.

## GRABS GUILTY PLEA

From Wednesday's Daily—

This morning Judge W. W. Wilson was here for a few moments while en route from Nebraska City to Papillion and stopped over to hold court a short time. John Ayers, charged with grand larceny in taking the amount of \$150 from the register at the H. M. Soenichsen Co. store, appeared before the court and changed his plea of not guilty to that of guilty.

Judge Wilson gave a sentence of not less than eighteen months in the state penitentiary at Lincoln and to which place the prisoner was taken this afternoon by Sheriff Homer Sylvester.

## Woman's Club Entertains for Teachers

Members of School Faculty Entertained by Ladies at M. E. Church Parlors.

From Tuesday's Daily—

A reception was given last night at the First Methodist church by the Woman's club for the teachers of the Plattsmouth schools. A very large number of the teachers were present as well as the members of the club.

As the group gathered, Chinese checkers was enjoyed. Mrs. E. H. Wescott, who presided, then introduced L. S. Devoe, superintendent of the schools. Mr. Devoe presented a very amusing skit, "Ye Old District School Board," in which David Fowler, Miss Margaret Iverson, Mrs. J. R. Reeder, Mrs. Lora Kieck and Mr. Devoe, members of the board interviewed Mrs. L. S. Devoe, Mrs. Elmer Sundstrom, Mrs. E. H. Wescott and Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, several applicants for vacancies in the teaching staff of the Plattsmouth high school. This was very entertaining and was very much enjoyed by the group.

Mrs. Sundstrom, president of the Woman's club, was then introduced and brought the greeting to the teachers from the club. Dainty refreshments were served, after which Raymond Cook sang two numbers accompanied by Mrs. Devoe. Two readings, "Mrs. Rastus Johnson at the Telephone" and "Auntie Doleful's Visit" were presented by Mrs. J. A. Capwell. E. H. Wescott then closed the program with two numbers on the Hammond organ.

## RETURNS FROM PLEASANT TRIP

Mrs. J. L. Stamp returned this week from a very pleasant trip to Bayard, Nebr., where she was accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Pugsley and departed for Steamboat Springs, Colorado, where they visited at the home of Mrs. Nelle Furlong, sister to Mrs. Stamp and Mrs. Pugsley. While in Colorado they attended the wedding of Miss Grace Furlong.

The town of Steamboat Springs is a very attractive summer resort, and has their own mineral baths and one hundred mineral springs.

Mrs. Furlong accompanied her guests home and they departed for Enid and Waukomia, Okla., where the ladies visited a brother, Chas. E. Taylor and family and other relatives.

## MOVE TO NEW HOMES

Moving day has been evidenced on high school hill as the Elmer Sundstrom family have moved from the property of Mrs. R. A. Bates on 11th street to the Kaffenberger property at 10th and Main streets, which they have purchased. Superintendent and Mrs. L. S. Devoe and family are moving this week to the residence vacated by the Sundstroms, which will make it very handy for Mr. Devoe and his work.

## HERE FROM TEXAS

Mrs. W. J. H. Petter and little daughter, Margaret, of Greenville, Texas, are here to visit at the home of Mrs. Petter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tritsch and family. The Petter family enjoy their home in south Texas where Canon Petter is in charge of one of the leading Episcopal parishes in that section of the south.

## Rotary Hears Background of Present Crisis

Milo Price of the High School Faculty Discusses History of Germany and Italy.

The Rotary meeting Tuesday was under the leadership of Frank A. Cloidt and who had arranged a most interesting program and one fitting to the stirring events of the world today.

Milo Price, teacher of history in the high school, was the speaker of the day and gave a fine discussion of the history of Germany and Italy from 1871 to 1914, or from the completion of the unification to the world war and its disaster to the whole world. He traced the formation of the German empire from the Geyman confederated states and the rapid development of power through the unified state and which had reached its height at the outbreak of the war in 1914. He also followed the history of Italy from the crowning of Victor Emmanuel as the king of united Italy and the succeeding moves in the national history that had made Italy an ally of Germany and Austria, only to join the allied forces in 1916 in the world war.

The mistakes of the treaty makers after the world war was shown by the speaker when ignoring the suggestions of President Wilson, the foreign diplomats had written into the treaty many clauses that were today the cause of many of the evils that are threatening the engulfing of the world into a great bloody conflict.

## PREPARING FOR EXHIBIT

The Cass County Historical society is preparing for a very extensive exhibit at the King Korn Carnival the next week, one that is hoped will surpass that of previous years.

The exhibit this year will be in the Bekins building just west of the Pease Style shop and already the tables and other settings for the exhibits are being moved into the building to be in readiness for the placing of exhibits the first of the week.

It is hoped to have a large exhibit and all those who have documents, letters, newspapers, ox-yokes, garden and farm implements of pioneer days or anything that shows the early history of this section of Nebraska, are asked to donate the same to the exhibit and all exhibits will be well cared for and returned.

It is expected that someone will be at the room on Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

## LEAVE FOR COLLEGE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening Miss Frances Cloidt of this city and Miss Ruth Ganz of Alvo, departed for Columbia, Missouri, where they will enter Stephens college, one of the best known colleges for women in the nation. They left Omaha on a special train that carried students from this part of the west. Miss Ganz is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ganz of Alvo and Miss Cloidt of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Cloidt.

## SUFFERS BROKEN ARM

Florence Duda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Duda, who suffered the fracture of her right arm last Saturday, is now home and resting very comfortably from the effects of the injury.

She was swinging on a rope when she lost her hold and fell into a small ditch and suffered the fracture of the arm. She was taken to Omaha and the arm X-rayed and set at the Clarkson hospital and was able to return home Monday.

## RETURNS FROM CREIGHTON

Henry Horn and daughter, Miss Helen, Mrs. W. A. Becker and granddaughter, Marie Speck, returned home Tuesday afternoon from a very pleasant visit in and near Creighton, Nebraska. The conditions had been very dry in that section but in the last days of the stay of the Plattsmouth visitors heavy rains fell all over that section of the state.

## RETURN FROM THE WEST

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening William Howland, Wilbur and Robert Hall returned home from a very pleasant outing on the west coast and where they had the opportunity of visiting old time friends and relatives at the various places along the coast.

Francis Warren and Ben McCarty, who made the trip with the party will remain on the west coast where they expect to locate.

Mr. Howland had the pleasure of a visit with his sister, Miss Anna Howland, whom he has not seen for more than sixteen years and it is needless to say that the visit was one of the greatest delight to the brother and sister.

## Young People Wedded Here on Saturday

Margaret Shellenbarger and Marvin Pederson of Omaha Married by Rev. J. C. Lowson.

Saturday evening the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Lowson was the scene of a very charming wedding when Miss Margaret Shellenbarger and Mr. Marvin Pederson of Omaha were married.

The wedding was very quiet and impressive, the marriage lines read by the Rev. Lowson.

The bride was very attractive in a gown of black chiffon with the accessories in white.

The bridal couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shellenbarger of this city, the former a brother of the bride.

Later the bridal party enjoyed a lovely wedding supper at the dining room of the Jacobs cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Pederson departed later for Humboldt, Iowa, where they will visit at the home of the parents of the groom. They will then return to Omaha where they expect to make their home in the future.

The bride is a former Plattsmouth girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shellenbarger, and was educated in the local schools and has in the last few years made her home in Omaha.

The groom is a son of Rev. and Mrs. Pederson, of Humboldt, Iowa, and where he formerly made his home.

The many friends will join in their best wishes to these estimable young people.

## TO ENTER ROCKFORD

ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 12.—Miss Eleanor Minor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn O. Minor of Plattsmouth, will begin her studies a Rockford college next week as a member of the freshman class. Miss Minor is a graduate of Plattsmouth high school.

Freshmen will gather on the campus beginning Thursday (Sept. 15) for the orientation period which precedes the formal opening of the 92nd academic year. Upper classmen will arrive in time for the week-end social program and for classes on Sept. 19. The following day President Mary Ashby Cheek will preside at the first convocation of the fall term.

## HOLD COMMITTEE MEETING

A meeting of the democratic county central committee was held here on Saturday to arrange for the holding of the caucuses over the county for the nominations for justices of the peace, road overseers and assessors. These meetings must be held and the results certified to the county clerk by October 5th in order to appear on the ballot at the fall election on November 8th.

Each ward and precinct of the county is required to nominate candidates for assessors and in Plattsmouth and Weeping Water there will be assessors selected in each ward.

## FRIED CHICKEN SUPPER

The Christian church ladies are serving a fried chicken supper September 17 at the church. Serving starts at 5 o'clock. The menu:

- Fried Chicken
  - Mashed Potatoes - Green Beans
  - Vegetable Salad
  - Hot Rolls - Jelly
  - Pie - Coffee
- Adults, 35c - - Children, 20c

## The Coming of the Telegraph to Plattsmouth

Came as Part of Extension of Railroad Lines to West With the Location of Burlington.

The coming of the telegraph to Plattsmouth, Nebr., April 7, 1872:

The following is an agreement made between J. P. Springer of the first part and Burlington and Missouri River railroad in Nebraska of the second part, under which the former is to erect for the latter a telegraph line from Plattsmouth to Lincoln, both in Nebraska:

The said party of the second part is to provide at its own expense and deliver along the line of its road all the material necessary to the construction of said telegraph line, namely poles, brackets, insulators, wire, telegraphic apparatus, etc., to furnish for the use of said Springer a hand car and to pay at the rate of \$18.00 per mile for the erection of said telegraph line to be measured and allowed for from station to station as completed, if so required.

The said party of the first part agrees to erect the said telegraph line along the line of said railroad at such places as directed by the chief engineer of said road, to set the poles from 3 1/2 to 4 feet deep in the ground and at distances of 200 feet apart upon the bottom and prairie lands and at distances not over 200 feet apart upon bluffs and upon all prominent points of said bluffs.

He also agrees to clear away trees, branches, etc., 20 feet each side of said line when there is any probability of damage to the wires and poles by allowing these to remain.

The said Springer also agrees to provide at his own expense all the necessary tools, etc. He also agrees to attach the brackets securely to the poles and to firmly fasten the wire to the insulators between the brackets upon that side of the poles which is fartherest distance from the center of the curves. He also agrees to firmly tamp the earth about the poles and to do a good and workmanlike piece of work to the satisfaction and acceptance of the chief engineer.

He further agrees to complete the line to Ashland during the present month of April and the total line to Lincoln in one week after the rails shall have been laid to that point. He also agrees to set two poles opposite each station house near together and to put the brake between them and to make all necessary connections therefrom to the stations.

(NOTE: In March, 1844, L. F. B. Morse and his friend constructed the first practical telegraph line. It extended from Washington to Baltimore. The first message was a sentiment.)

## MARRIAGE OUT OF HOCK

Some time ago Judge A. H. Duxbury had a call from two Omaha young people who had the spirit of the summer in their hearts and the desire to be wedded. The court while relaxing at home, was glad to assist the young people in attaining their happiness and accordingly with the spoken word, made them as one in the eyes of the law and man. It was then revealed that the groom had but one dollar available to liquidate the amount for the license and ceremony. While the ceremony states that let no man set them apart, the court retained the marriage certificate until the amount was forthcoming.

This morning Judge Duxbury received a letter inclosing the funds for the marriage and the assurance of the young people from their home in Omaha that the marriage had been one big success and they wished the written evidence which will be a joy and pride to their home.

## HERE FROM LINCOLN

Miss Twila Fae Hendrix, who is in nurse training at the St. Elizabeth hospital at Lincoln, was here Sunday. She spent the day with her uncle and aunt, County Attorney and Mrs. J. A. Capwell and her brother, Joe Hendrix.

## RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Jorgensen and children, Emily, Joseph, Johnny and Donald of Hay Springs, Nebraska departed for their home last Saturday after a four day visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Toman, Sr.

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## PACKERS SHUTS OUT WEEPING WATER; SCORE 1-0

From Wednesday's Daily—

"Chuck" Nelson in his usual form gave the Cass county fair softball fans at Weeping Water a real treat when he turned in a 1 to 0 victory over Weeping Water yesterday, allowing only two measly blows. Smokey secured a single in the 3rd and likewise Long connected in the 5th for a single.

Neither team was able to score until the last half of the 7th when Svoboda drove one into right center field for a nice hit and later scored on Thimgan's smash into left center field. Both teams played errorless ball. The actual game time was 40 minutes.

## Funeral of John Group, an Old Resident

Services Are Held Tuesday Afternoon at the Louisville Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church at Louisville, for John Group, 84, a long time resident of the Louisville community.

Rev. N. B. Callaway, pastor of the church, conducted the services and paid tribute to the life of the departed who has had such a prominent part in the life of Cass county. Interment was at the Riverview cemetery and the pall bearers were old time friends and associates, John Schoeman, Andrew Schoeman, Martin Sjogren, Jake Reichart, William Schwalm, John Busche.

John Henry Group, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Group, was born in Utica, Wisconsin, March 27, 1854, and died at his home in Louisville on Sunday, September 11, 1938. He was for many years engaged in farming but of late years has made his home in Louisville. He was married to Mary A. Heim, February 24, 1885. The wife and five children survive his passing, Lloyd Lawrence and Edwin Group, all of Louisville; Mrs. Celia Chatelain, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Dorothy Breckenfeldt of Omaha. There are also twelve grandchildren in the family group.

## EXTEND WELL WISHES

The Louisville Chamber of Commerce has extended to the local civic body their appreciation for the aid to their carnival and their well wishes for the local fall festival. The letter is as follows: King Korn Committee, Plattsmouth, Neb.:

Gentlemen: At the last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, the secretary was instructed to write a letter thanking your body for sending over your King Korn float and also your band to our carnival.

We appreciate these neighborly gestures and assure you of our mutual reciprocation at any time. Yours for a successful King Korn Festival at which time Louisville will be seeing you.

LOUISVILLE C. OF C. J. F. Zastera, Sec.-Treas.

## HAS SOUTHERN CHARGE

The Rev. Father Robert Salmon, who served as acting priest at the local St. John's church during the absence of Monsignor George Agius, has been assigned to service in the northwestern part of Oklahoma.

Father Salmon will have charge of the parish at Woodward, Oklahoma, one of the large and important cities in that section and will also have the supply of two of the missions in that part of Oklahoma.

## SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

John P. Meisinger, one of the long time residents of this part of Cass county, is now being able to be around after a severe illness. Mr. Meisinger was taken with pneumonia and for several days was gravely ill at the family home here. He is now able to be down in the business section a part of the time.

## CONDUCTS DENTAL EXAM

From Wednesday's Daily— Dr. Paul T. Helmenam, dentist, was called to Weeping Water today to help examine the entrants in the Better Babies contest held by the Cass County Fair association.

## Plattsmouth Students to Many Schools

Students Seeking Higher Education in Many Colleges—University Has a Large Group.

A large number of Plattsmouth's young people have entered the colleges of this section of the west to carry on their educational work in advanced fields.

A very large representation of the students from the class of 1938 of the Plattsmouth school, will be represented at the University of Nebraska, Tarkio, Doane and Peru colleges.

Those who will attend the University of Nebraska are: Burton Rishel, Mary Kathryn Wiles, Alberta Timmas, Gaven Farmer, Flora Belle Meade, Grant Howard, Bill Evers, Robert Hall, Robert Woest, Rachel Robertson, Mary Gayer, Ed Kallna, Raymond Wooster, Vincent Sundstrom, John Gayer, Dick Hall, Joan Eall, Francis Libershal.

Tarkio will have Wayne Falk, Kenneth Armstrong, Donald Cotner, Stuart Porter and Joe Case.

Virginia Trively, Edna Mae Peterson, Mildred Knoficek, Nadine Naeve and Bill Carey are at Peru.

Those to take nurses training are Kathleen Cloidt and Twila Fay Hendrix.

Those attending Doane are Joe Hendrix, Harriet Gooe and Marjorie Ann Tidball.

Stephen Davis will attend Kemper Military school at Booneville, Missouri. Joe Krapil will attend Van Sant business school at Omaha and Elmer Newton attends Grand Island business school. Florence Lowson is attending Nebraska Wesleyan at Lincoln.

Jean Knorr enters Linwood college, Frances Cloidt goes to Stevens, Eleanor Minor enters Rockford and Betty Vorboril and John Cloidt will attend Creighton.

## WILL ENTER ON DUTIES

Father Marcelles Agius, who has for the past two years been largely inactive from his work as an active parish priest, due to ill health, has so far recovered that he is able to again take up his work. Father Marcelles, who has just recently returned from Malta where he has been recuperating, departed this morning for the central part of the state. He has been temporarily assigned to the Grand Island diocese of the Roman Catholic church of Nebraska, and is to report to Bishop Bona for duty. He expects to be at Kearney for his religious field of activity.

## C. E. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Christian Endeavor held a meeting Sunday evening for the election of officers for the coming year.

The following were named: President, Richard Hitt; vice-president, Janet Westover; secretary, Norma Jane Johnson; treasurer, John Livingston; superintendent of prayer meetings, Gloria Anne Johnson; song leader, Eleanor Giles; pianist, Ruth Westover.

The Christian Endeavor urges every young person to come to the regular devotional meetings on Sunday evening at seven o'clock.

## REVEAL NOTE

In investigating a box belonging to the late Arthur Copenhaver, it was found that a note had been found which was not discovered at the time of his death. The contents of the note has been requested for publication by members of the family. The contents of the note was as follows:

"Can't go on, not well enough to stand it and make things go. No blame but my own."

## GET READY FOR PARADE

Charles C. Barnard, who is the director of the Farmers Day activities of the King Korn Carnival, as in the past few years, is urging that the farmers get their horses ready for entry in the parade on Thursday afternoon, September 22nd. The extension clubs are also urged to prepare and enter floats in the parade that has so splendidly represented the people of the county.