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## Rally Day Held in Churches of City Sunday

Fine Programs are Given by Sunday Schools to Mark Promotion of Different Classes.

Yesterday was Rally Day and Promotion Day at the Methodist and Presbyterian churches of Plattsmouth. Rally Day belongs to the Sunday School classes, who present programs and receive certificates of promotion into other departments.

At the Presbyterian church, a very nice rally program for the morning Sunday school hour was given. All of the departments and classes of the church had a part in the program, which was very interesting and fully enjoyed. A number of songs, recitations and passages from the Bible were given. Promotion certificates were presented. Mr. Farley's class reported two Sunday school students, one 991 and the other 83. They are Mrs. Ada Moore, 83, and Nathaniel Sutherland, 91.

The morning church service was a rally and communion. There was a very large attendance and an interesting and inspiring program had been arranged and presented.

### At Methodist Church

Mrs. Lora Kieck's department led the program at the Methodist church yesterday morning with recitations and songs showing the procedure taken in their classroom work. The Primary department followed with several songs, after which the Junior department gave their part in the program. There was a large crowd to watch these young boys and girls perform and a very fine program was presented. Promotion certificates were presented to those going into another department.

The morning sermon was presented by Rev. J. C. Lowson on the subject, "The Pews that are Not Empty," a very interesting and inspiring sermon.

In the evening a colorful and inspirational pageant cantata, "With Vision and Valor" was presented by the Intermediate department. The play showed the progress of religion through the ages to the present day and was very ably presented by members of Mrs. J. C. Lowson's, Mrs. E. H. Wescott's, Elmer Sundstrom's and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury's classes, under the direction of Mrs. Wescott and Mrs. Lowson. The lighting effects were the work of Judge A. H. Duxbury. Music was furnished by Hilt Wescott at the organ with solos by Don York, Fern Jahrig and a duet by Mrs. Edgar Glaze and Mrs. Earl Carr.

The first scene took place just after the ascension of Jesus and depicted a meeting of the disciples in the home of Mary, mother of Mark. The next scene was that depicting the imprisonment of Paul of Tarsus and his remorse for the persecution of Christians. John Tyndal and William Roy were next shown at work translating the Bible into a language understood by the common folk. A Puritan family was represented in the fourth scene showing their devotion to God and His word. This was followed by a scene of 1890, when there was the open Bible and freedom to worship God. The last scene depicted a modern family on Sunday morning and its tendency to turn the Sabbath day into a day of personal entertainment, each member with different plans, given by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Devoe and children. The work of Miss Viva Palmer in the part of Christian Valor was exceptionally fine as she introduced each scene with a fitting portrayal. The curtain of years was a new feature in play production and was composed of a number of girls from Mrs. Wescott's class.

### DEPART FOR CONVENTION

From Tuesday's Daily—  
This morning Mrs. L. S. Devoe and Mrs. Pete Carr departed for Kearney, Nebraska, where they go to attend the state convention of the Federation of Women's clubs which is opening a several day session at that place. The ladies are the representatives of the Plattsmouth Woman's club at the meeting.

### BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Word has been received here by relatives of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Graves at Burbank, California, Monday, October 3rd. The little one is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rummel of this city. Mrs. Rummel is on the west coast with the daughter.

## Telephone Toll Line to Louisville is to be Rebuilt

Crew will Start This Week on Line between Plattsmouth and Louisville—46 Miles New Wire

A Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company construction crew of six men, headed by Foreman H. Moss, will start rebuilding the company's toll line between Plattsmouth and Louisville during the coming week. The work is being done to insure the continuation of high-grade long distance service between the two towns.

A total of 460 new poles will be placed and 46 miles of new copper wire will be strung to replace present circuits which show wear. The construction crew will work out from Plattsmouth, where it will make its headquarters, until the work is approximately half done. It will then move to Louisville to complete the job.

It is expected that the work will be finished about December 15.

### ATTEND SEWARD FESTIVAL

From Tuesday's Daily—  
The completion of the paving on highway No. 34 at Seward was made the occasion of an extensively observed festival today that was attended by several thousand persons.

The event had been arranged by the city officials and the Chamber of Commerce of Seward and was participated in by a large group of the distinguished residents of the state and the good road boosters of the state.

Governor R. L. Cochran was the chief speaker following the formal opening of the highway by "Miss Nebraska," taking up the good roads program of the state which has given Nebraska a fine road system without the necessity of bond issues, as has been the case in other states.

Following the program a meeting of the Highway 34 association was held, presided over by H. A. Schneider, of this city, president of that organization.

A number from this city are attending the celebration among them Mr. Schneider, Mayor George Lushinsky, Edward G. Ofc, local Legion commander, John P. Sattler, former mayor, R. W. Knorr and P. J. Sullivan.

### APPEALS COMPENSATION CASE

An appeal has been filed by the defendant in the compensation case of Kenneth Marshall, by Stella Burk, Revivor against the Chapin Construction company.

Kenneth Marshall, deceased, in whose name the action is brought, was employed by the defendant company near Eagle, Cass county, on December 21, 1937, being engaged in pulling wire through brush and undergrowth, when he slipped and fell. He later died.

The plaintiff in this action, Stella Burk, of Greenwood, mother, was awarded the sum of \$9.33 per week for a period of 325 weeks and also the hospital and funeral expenses, by Judge L. F. Welch of the compensation court. From this decision, an appeal is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court.

### SUMMER COMES AGAIN

That the warm fall has lured the plant and shrub life into belief that summer is with us again, is vouched for by William Dasher, Burlington section foreman. Mr. Dasher reports that a climbing rose that they have at their residence in the south part of the city, is now in full bloom and evidently under the impression that a second summer has come.

## Second District Teachers Plan to Hold a Meeting

Fine Program Prepared for Annual Meeting to Be Held in Omaha October 27 and 28.

Local teachers who attend the District 2 convention of the Nebraska State Teachers association in Omaha will hear a group of internationally distinguished personalities. The convocation will be held October 27 and 28.

Feature speakers will include Dr. Ralph W. Sockman of New York City, minister of the National Radio Pulpit and Dr. David Cushman Coyle of Washington, D. C. author and authority on current affairs.

Convention-goers will also hear Dr. T. V. Smith, state senator in Illinois and professor of education at the University of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thompson Seton, famous naturalists of Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dr. Sockman, successor to the late Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, is minister of Christ Church in New York City, a post he has held for twenty-three years. Dr. Coyle, a former engineer, and now consultant to the National Resources committee and senate committee on unemployment and relief, last year won the Harper prize with his essay on "The American Way."

Dr. Smith was first chairman of and author of the plan for the Illinois Legislative Council.

Numerous other out-of-state and Nebraska speakers will appear before the meetings of the District 2 association.

In charge of program planning is the district president, Joseph G. Masters, principal, Central high school Omaha. Cooperating with him is the vice-president, Paul M. Reid, superintendent of city schools, Tekamah, and the secretary-treasurer, Miss Olive M. McBeth, county superintendent of Polk county, Osceola.

W. C. Bloom, county superintendent of Dawson county, Lexington, is state president of the teachers' association. Vice-president is R. M. Marrs, principal of South high school, Omaha. Archer L. Burnham, until recently of Scottsbluff, is the newly-elected executive secretary-treasurer. The Nebraska State Teachers association is a statewide, voluntary organization of teachers established specifically to promote the interests of Nebraska education. The association was organized on October 16, 1867—the year in which Nebraska was admitted to statehood.

### TRUCK ATTRACTS ATTENTION

The "Fire Prevention Bulletin," publication of the state Fire Marshal's office, in their September issue, just released, carries a story about the new fire truck recently purchased by the City of Plattsmouth.

The article, which appeared in the Journal a few weeks ago at the time the truck was received, has the picture of the truck and the committee with the exception of Councilman Fred Vincent, absent when the picture was taken. In the picture are Chairman John E. Schutz, Councilman Eugene Vroman, of the committee of the council, Fred Lugsch, Dr. O. Sandin and Clement Woster of the firemen's committee, and Franklin Kief, president of the fire department.

### PLEADS NOT GUILTY

From Monday's Daily—  
This morning in the county court complaints were filed against Mrs. Mable Sack and John Blakely, in which they were charged with stealing turkeys, the property of Floyd Dysart, of near Eagle.

The defendants were arraigned separately and both entered a plea of not guilty to the charge.

The bond was fixed by the court in each instance at \$500 for their appearance at the preliminary hearing.

### FINED FOR INTOXICATION

From Monday's Daily—  
Dick Baker, who was taken into custody by the night police last evening on a charge of intoxication, this morning received a fine of \$5 and costs.

### VISIT IN CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. August Kopp and daughter Helen and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walters and daughter Bonnie Jean returned Sunday from Chicago, where they spent the week-end.

Besides looking after some business matters, they went on a sight-seeing tour. Some of the places they visited were the Naval Army, where they saw battleships under construction, Lake Michigan and the many beautiful parks of Chicago.

## Plattsmouth Young Men are Recognized

Freshmen at University of Nebraska Given Pleading Recognition for Their Services.

Three of the Plattsmouth students who entered the University of Nebraska this year, have been given a recognition that is rather unusual for first year men and one that reflects a great deal of credit on the students.

William E. Evers and Robert Woest, who are both members of the university military organization, have been selected as members of Pershing Rifles, crack organization of the university and membership in which is much sought by the members of the ROTC regiment. Both of the young men were students at the CMTC at Fort Crook this year and Evers was winner of the marksmanship award of a perfect score in his range work.

Raymond Wooster, football, basketball and musical star with the Plattsmouth high school for his years in the school, has been made a member of the varsity band, also an unusual honor for a member of the freshman class and which speaks well of the unusual ability of Ray. He proved one of the leading contestants in high school music contests in his school years and his talent was soon recognized at the university.

### SURPRISE NEWLYWEDS

Last evening, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Rummel were given a very pleasant surprise by a large party of friends at the Rummel family home on North Eighth street.

The occasion was a surprise wedding for these young people whose wedding occurred on Monday, September 26, at Lincoln.

The evening was spent in visiting and showering the newlyweds with well wishes as well as in playing various games.

During the evening the members of the party were served much appreciated refreshments.

At a late hour the members of the party departed for home extending to Mr. and Mrs. Rummel their best wishes for a long and happy married life.

### HAS WINDOW BROKEN

From Monday's Daily—  
One of the local beer taverns had a large plate glass window broken during the noon hour today as the result of the ejection of one of the patrons. A man was ordered out as the result of a disturbance and on refusal to leave was thrown out and ordered not to return. The party ran to his car and before anyone was aware of his intention had thrown a wrench through the window. Acting Chief of Police Pickrel took the man over to the city jail to await action in the matter.

### VISIT AT CREIGHTON

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Goodchild, accompanied by P. A. Horn, father of Mr. Goodchild and the other members of the Horn family, Mrs. Lucille Gaines, Miss Marie and John Horn, all motored to Creighton, Nebraska, where they visited at the home of the Jacob Horn family.

### ATTEND RELATIVE'S FUNERAL

Mrs. August Keil and Gerald and Mrs. Peter Schroder of Omaha attended the funeral at Peoria, Illinois of John Maxwell, son of Mary Hieman, a cousin of Mrs. Kiel and Mrs. Schroder.

## Candidates Guests of the Woman's Club

Public Forum Enjoyed with Candidates for the State and County Offices Making Short Talks

From Tuesday's Daily—  
The Plattsmouth Woman's club last evening made their meeting one in the nature of a public forum in which the candidates for the various state and county offices had been invited and a number of whom were in attendance.

The visiting candidates were introduced by Judge A. H. Duxbury in his usual capable manner and each of the group were given five minutes to tell of their candidacies and the issues of the campaign.

Those who were called upon and spoke were Mrs. George Maupin, of Lincoln, for Congressman H. C. Luckey, democratic incumbent; George H. Heinke, Nebraska City, republican candidate for congress; Fred Carsten, Avoca, for state legislature; R. D. Fitch, democratic candidate for surveyor; George R. Sayles, republican candidate for county clerk; John E. Turner, republican candidate for county treasurer; Homer Sylvester, democratic candidate for county sheriff; Mrs. Lora Lloyd Kieck and J. R. Reeder, candidates for county superintendent; Miss Lillian White, democratic candidate for register of deeds; William A. Metzger, candidate for the state legislature; T. W. Bass, Lincoln, republican candidate for state treasurer.

Following the forum, the members of the club held a short business session and elected Mrs. Pete Carr as a delegate to the state-convention at Kearney. They also received with regret the resignation of Mrs. Don Cramer as corresponding secretary, electing as her successor Miss Wilhelmina Hinrichsen.

### OLD RESIDENTS VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilmour and Mrs. Andy Morrow, of Ulisses, Nebraska, arrived here Tuesday for a visit with their relatives and old time friends in this locality for a few days. Mr. Gilmour is a brother of Sam Gilmour of south of this city, and Mrs. Gilmour and Mrs. Morrow are sisters of Andrew J. Snyder of this city.

While here Mr. Gilmour was a caller at the Journal to renew his subscription to the paper, of which he has been a reader for the past forty-five years. This is the first visit for some time for the family back in Cass county, the extreme hot weather the past summer preventing their attending the Rock Bluffs reunion as is their custom.

### WILL ATTEND GAME

It has been definitely determined that the Legion Junior drum and bugle corps will attend the Creighton football game in Omaha Saturday night. The boys will put on their precision drill from 8:00 to 8:15, just before the opening whistle. A guest band will parade between the halves. Seats for the boys, Legionnaires in charge and car drivers are to be provided with the compliments of the Creighton University Athletic department. The group from here expect to reach the stadium shortly after 7 o'clock to allow ample time for the boys to don their uniforms and march onto the field a few minutes before 8:00 o'clock.

### DRAWS DOWN FINE

Tuesday afternoon in the court of Judge Charles L. Graves a fine of \$15 and costs was given A. Cheel, on a charge of disturbing the peace and to which the defendant made a plea of guilty. After the court had the case a fine of \$15 and costs was imposed for the offense.

### SON TO HARTLEYS

Word has been received here of the birth of a fine 9 pound boy on Sunday, October 2 to Mr. and Mrs. "Chic" Hartley of Los Angeles, California. Mrs. Hartley was formerly Miss Elva Hartford of this city.

### TO VISIT IN SOUTH

From Monday's Daily—  
Miss Ruth L. Janda departed last evening for Savannah, Georgia, where she will make an extended visit at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Alex Duccinni and family. She goes by the eastern route, as it takes in many places of interest along the way.

## Funeral of W. A. Armstrong at Greenwood

Several From This City at Services—Deceased Stepfather of Miss Florence Beighley.

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30 at the Christian church at Greenwood for W. A. Armstrong, long time resident of that community and one of the active leaders of that section of Cass county.

Mr. Armstrong was taken suddenly ill, apparently of a stroke, and failed to rally from the effects, dying early Monday morning as the result.

In the years that he has made his home at Greenwood Mr. Armstrong has been very active and served in various official capacities in the village and precinct and was a man universally respected by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

He was stepfather of Miss Florence Beighley, member of the local high school faculty.

The services were very largely attended and the pastor, Rev. John B. Williams, brought words of comfort to the family and the many old time friends.

Frank A. Clويد of this city gave two vocal solos, "Going Home" and "Abide With Me," with Mrs. P. L. Hall as the accompanist.

Among those attending the services from Plattsmouth were County Treasurer and Mrs. John E. Turner, Mrs. Glenn Vallery, Mrs. Evelyn Lee Cross.

### STREET ROCKING PROJECTS

The WPA committee of the city council is preparing to turn in a group of blocks of rock surfacing projects that have been signed up for by property owners over the city in accordance with the council's policy of paying the cost of street and alley intersections and other incidentals, if the property owners will pay for the rock and hauling. This involves a contribution from abutting property owners of 12½ cents per lineal front foot on uncurbed streets or 10 cents per lineal front foot on curbed streets.

Federal approval of a recent city blanket proposal makes it unnecessary for the present applications to go beyond the state WPA office in Lincoln for approval and allocation of the money. About nine blocks are now contemplated and others can have their applications considered in this initial group, provided they are properly signed and in the hands of Mayor Lushinsky within the next few days.

After this original application is filed, it will be some time before another request is made for this type of work, so it behooves all who desire to have their street so surfaced to get their applications in at once. Blanks may be obtained at the office of the city clerk.

### VISITS IN OLD HOME

Mrs. T. M. Patterson, who has been making her home at Chicago with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Deegan and family, was here Tuesday for a few hours visiting with the old time friends and neighbors. She has been at Lincoln visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson and was brought to this city by friends, going then to Omaha for a few days visit and then on to Minneapolis to spend a short time with her son, Dwight Patterson and family. She is expecting later to go to California to spend the winter visiting with old friends.

Deeds, Mortgages and all sorts of legal blanks for sale at the Journal office.

## Program for Convention of Women's Clubs

15th Annual Gathering Will Be Held at Alvo Tuesday, October 11; Fine Program Arranged.

The fifteenth annual convention of the Cass County Federation of Women's club will be held at Alvo, Tuesday, October 11th. Registration will be at 9 a. m. for the meetings. The program as arranged will be as follows:

- Officers**  
Miss Evelyn Wolph.....President  
Mrs. G. R. Eveland.....Vice-President  
Mrs. Floyd Dysart.....Sec.-Treas.  
Theme—"The American Home."  
Morning session opens at 9:15.  
Prelude.....Doris Frolich, Alvo  
Call to Order.....  
Devotionals.....Mrs. W. D. Lenker  
Weeping Water  
Convention Singing.....  
.....Led by Doris Frolich  
Flag Salute.....  
.....Led by Mrs. J. J. Pollard  
Regent Jonathan Cass Chapter  
D. A. R., Nehawka  
Greetings.....Alvo  
Welcome by Hostess club.....  
.....Mrs. Hazel Mickie, Alvo  
Response.....Mrs. Elmer Sundstrom  
Past Co. President, Plattsmouth  
Report of County Officers.....  
Business Session.....  
Solo.....Maxine Coleman Babcock  
Woman's Reading Club, Alvo  
Club reports (1 min.), Presentation of.....  
Miss Augusta Robb, Cass county chairman, American Red Cross.  
Miss Alpha Peterson, County Superintendent of Schools.  
Mrs. Ivan Balfour, county president of Women's Christian Temperance Union and state corresponding secretary.  
Mrs. Ray Norris, district and state chairman of Rural Clubs and Rural Life.  
Mrs. Marion Tucker, district chairman of Junior clubs.  
Mrs. L. S. Devoe, district chairman of American Home.  
Presenting Rev. J. C. Lowson, of Plattsmouth.  
Mrs. Everett Spangler, past county chairman Home Demonstration clubs.  
Music.....Murdock  
Presentation of District Officers: Mrs. John Beitem, president, Douglas; Mrs. W. S. McGrew, vice-president, Louisville; Mrs. Arthur Jones, treasurer, Weeping Water.  
Presentation of Guests.....  
Announcements.....  
Scholarship Loan March.....  
.....NOON  
Luncheon served at church. Voting during noon hour.  
Afternoon session opens at 1:00.  
Devotionals.....Rev. and Mrs. Hammel  
Convention Singing.....  
Reading of minutes of morning session.  
Music.....Elmwood  
Presentation of Mr. J. M. Quackebush, county agricultural agent.  
Cass Co. Federation History.....  
Mrs. Nelson Berger, Historian  
Presenting Past county presidents and Mrs. W. E. Minter, Past State President  
Piano Solo.....Mrs. Robt. Hall, Avoca  
"Lost Opportunities in Nebraska in Public Welfare".....Mrs. Maud E. Nuquist, Nebraska Board of Control  
Presentation of.....  
Mrs. Walter Kiechel, State President of the Nebraska Federation of Women's clubs, Tecumseh.  
Mrs. C. R. Caley, state vice president, Springfield.  
Women's Club Chorus.....  
.....Golden Rod Study Club  
Myard  
Reports of Committees.....  
Introduction of Officers.....  
Reading of Minutes.....  
Convention Singing.....  
Adjournment.....  
**Convention Committees**  
**CREDENTIALS**  
Mrs. Carl Ganz.....Alvo  
Mrs. R. A. Kuehn.....Murdock  
Mrs. Ella Wolff.....Plattsmouth  
Mrs. Albert Shil.....Avoca  
Mrs. George Sheldon.....Nehawka  
**RESOLUTIONS**  
Mrs. A. B. Doan.....Louisville  
Mrs. F. S. Marshall.....Weeping Water  
Mrs. Harry Fischer.....Eagle  
Mrs. Pete Carr.....Plattsmouth  
**ELECTION**  
Mrs. Mark Nickel.....Alvo  
Mrs. Phil Rihn.....Union  
Mrs. Emmett Cook.....Elmwood  
Mrs. Everett Spangler.....Murray  
Mrs. Roy Cole.....Plattsmouth  
Miss Esther Tefft.....Weeping Water  
**VISITS IN CITY**  
A. J. Weaver, former governor of Nebraska and the pioneer of the waterway movement in the central west, was in the city Tuesday for a few hours. Governor Weaver was en route from his home at Falls City to Omaha to look after some matters in regard to the Missouri river improvement program.