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Plattsmouth Journal The PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, SEPT. 5, 1940. ning organizations, \$30 to the drun Win Honors, **Cleda Marie** WALLACE AT WEEPING WATER TO TEACH IN NORTH PLATTE Knights of **Teachers of** corps and \$15 to the drill team. With a first on drill team, second OMAHA, Sept. 4 (UP) - Demo-Mr. and Mrs. E. C Giles and Koukal Wedded **Columbus Hold** Cash, Acclaim **County Attend** on drum corps and numerous announratic Vice - Presidential Nominee daughters, Eleanor and Lois, motorcements about our King Korn Kar Henry A. Wallace will spend next ed to North Platte Sunday, taking at State Fair nival, we repeat, the name "Platts-Installation **Institute Here** Last Saturday Monday and Tuesday in Nebraska Miss Lois to that city, where she alking to farmers and small business mouth" was well publicized on fair starts her teaching work in the junmen, Chairman William Schall, of opening day. ior high school home economics de-Those who took drum corps or drill Nuptial Mass Unites Plattsmouth the state committee, announced to-Drum Corps and Drill Team, Second Institute Staged at Court House Here partment. Miss Giles taught last year District Deputy Charles McDonald of team members or just "went," enand First Place Winners in Girl and Former Louisville Man lay. Saturday with County Superinin the O'Neill high school and was joyed the day immensely and found Wallace's itinerary: Monday -Vets Day Competition. at St. John's Church tendent in Charge. re-elected to that school this spring. Weeping Water, Tecumseb, Fairbury many fine exhibits, together with enbut had opportunity later of entering

chuyler, and Fremont.

started there, Schall said.

Opening Day of

The school bells rang Monday

to Have Part in

Organizing the Mardi Gras

Parade for Carnival.

President Ordell Hennings of the

RETURN FROM VISIT

King Korn Karnival.

Korn Karnival

The name "Plattsmouth" was spread all over the front page of the opening day edition of "State Fair" for the year 1940 at Lincoln Sunday. Including the Junior drum corps members wearing their white sweat shirts printed with the Legion emblem and wording "Plattsmouth Junior Drum Corps," members of the high school girls' drill team, veterand and their families and just "visitors," it is estimated fully 200 from here passed through the gates, along with several hundred others from all over the county.

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Veterans' day program this year was the best ever and much credit is due General Chairman Nate Grossman and his assistants.

By noon parking places on the grounds were getting scarce. Basket placing it on the market. dinners were pretty much the order of the day, although many patronized company in its production work, 220, the eating houses on the grounds.

orded as the work day closed, sur-The parade formed about 12:30. passing any previous one-day result. and contained a lot of musical orga-The corn also has brought employnizations. Lincoln reports say there were 12,000 people in the grandstand ment to a great many of the young for the afternoon program, and two- and older people of the community. thirds that number for the evening the veteran employes of the plant drum corps and drill team contests. being supplemented by a large num-

Saturday set a new record for the

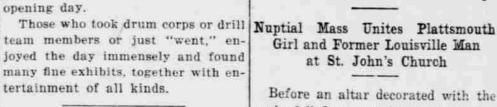
000 cans of the sweet corn being rec-

The payroll of the plant for the

FUNERAL OF CECIL SCHAAL

Plattsmouth post colors were fol- ber of workers for the busy rush of lowed by the twenty-five high school the packing season. girls comprising the drill team, led by This year there has been a strong Shirley Walling and behind them run on all of the lines of the produccame the Plattsmouth Legion junior tion, the "dry line" in the winter and drum corps, wearing their gold col- early spring keeping the regular ored helmets. force at the plant busy while later

The parade this year was unusually came the rush of spinach, tomatoes long, covering some five blocks out- and now the corn pack.



early fall flowers and lighted candles. **Packing Plant** Miss Cleda Marie Koukal, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Koukal and the late John A. Koukal, was united in mar-Sets New Record riage to Mr. Warren Francis Wheeler, son of Eugene Wheeler and the late in Corn Pack Mrs. Ethel Wheeler, Louisville, Saturday morning at 7:30 at the St. John

the Baptist church. In the presence Saturday Recorded 220,000 Cans of Corn Made Beady for Market-Monsignor George Agius performed \$4,000 Weekly Payroll the ceremony.

The couple was attended by Mr. and The Norfolk Packing Co., of this Mrs. C. Walter Sikora. city in the midst of the best sweet During the nuptial mass John J. corn crop since the first year the plant Cloidt sang "Ave Maria," and "On was located here, is setting a fast This Day, Oh Beautiful Mother." Mrs. Despite Holiday, Children Respond pace in the canning of the corn and

Cloidt presided at the organ. The bride was attired in an attractive beige-colored suit with wine accessories. She carried a bridal

morning for the opening of the pub- son of the Omaha University. bouquet of astors and snapdragons. Her attendant, Mrs. Sikora, wore a lic schools of the city. Despite the soldier-blue dress with black acces- fact that of the Labor day holiday, that of the bride's.

The groom and his best man wore assignments. Several new teachers were noted Cass county. the conventional dark suits and wore n the high school especially, meetboutonnieres matching that of their ing for the first time the students attendants.

Following the ceremony the bridal party and a few relatives and close friends enjoyed a delightful breakfast in the dining room of the Plattsmouth

with whom they will work the coming year Superintendent L. S. Devoe was at

his desk early in the morning to as- Aid." Hotel. The table was decorated with sist the parents in getting their C. C. Wescott, of the King Korn at ends. Bill Gayer and Malden Pow- of their church and their position floral bouquets and the centerpiece con- children assigned and looking after Klub, extended an invitation to the ell as tackles. Tom Gradoville and in the troubled world of today. tained a wedding cake. After receiv- the new group of children making teachers to attend the Karnival here Don Martin as the guards, Leroy The local council also plans a cam-

heir initial step into school life.

Superior, Blue Hill, and Hastings Tuesday-St. Paul, Central City

institute was held on Saturday at the district court room with County Su-Weeping Water was selected as the lace for the first speech in order

charge. There were seventy-three of the splendid record in her university and Eagles building, a very pleasing hat the former secretary of agriculure can answer arguments of the rural teachers of the county register- teaching work. 1938 Corn Belt Liberty League which

ed for the meeting and a great deal of interest was shown in the fine pro-gram that had been prepared for the Annual Football of interest was shown in the fine proinstruction of the teachers. The disussion of training courses and problems afforded a very timely field for the well selected speakers.

The group was welcomed by Mrs. **City Schools** Kieck, and then came the interesting rogram.

to Call for Start of the New School Year Here.

Coach Hoffman Starts First Work-Mrs. E. H. Wescott opened the program with musical selections. "Better Writing" was discussed by

J. A. Savage, supervisor of writing High school footballers fresh from in the Omaha public schools. Then the summer vacations heeded the call came an address by Dr. W. H. Thomp- of the wild Monday and Tuesday cott.

afternoon to gather at Athletic park "Community Relations" was dis- for the first workouts. cussed by Dr. L. O. Taylor of the The team will have a number of sories to match. Her bouquet matched practically all of the students were Omaha University, and "Child Wel- veterans around which Coach Hoffon hand ready for their initial work fare in Cass County" by Miss Frances man will build his team this year Lomax, director of child welfare in a great deal of very promising material being on hand to start the

Platte and accepted.

Roundup Starts

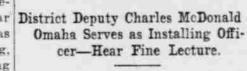
outs and Trials for Team for

the Coming Year.

In addition to the addresses of the season. With the first game of the morning session, Mrs. P. T. Heine- season only a week away the coach the Rev. Paschang, pastor of the man gave a fine talk on "Nebraska will give the players a strenuous Holy Cross church of Omaha, state

Birds:" Mrs. Ray Norris on "Red workout Cross" and Henry Davis on "First In the tryouts Tuesday evening work of the Knights of Columbus as

Corbin Davis and Charles Kozak were American citizens, as loyal members



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The annual Cass County Teachers' the larger school system at North From Wednesday's Dany-Last evening Monsignor M. A.

Shine council of the Knights of Co-This is a fine recognition of the perintendent Lora Lloyd Kieck in teaching ability of this talented lumbus held their installation of officers at the lodge rooms in the young teacher, who has made such a

number being present to participate in the ceremonies.

The officers were named in June but owing to the summer vacation the installation had been put off until the opening of the fall season.

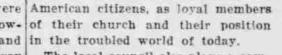
Charles McDonald, of Omaha, district deputy, served as the installing at High School officer, the following being inducted into office.

> Chaplain-Rev. Joseph R. Sinkula. Grand Knight-Walter H. Smith. Deputy Grand Knight-James J. Holy

Chancellor-Theodore Svoboda. Recording Secretary - John J. Cloidt.

Financial Secretary-W. H. Wool-

Treasurer-W. A. Swatek. Lecturer-Frank A. Neugebauer. Warden-Theodore Ptak. Advocate-Louis Swoboda Trustee-John M. Meisinger Inside Guard-E. H. Gradoville. Outside Guard-John L. Hadraba. Following the installation the members had a very fine address by chaplain. The speaker discussed the



side the enclosure and entirely around the half mile track. Heretofore, the week ending last Saturday was almost parade units have formed just out- \$4,000 paid out to the workers. side the quarter stretch entrance gate and fallen out or into rout step at the east end of the track, but this year's parade was too long for that.

After the parade came a speaking were held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 program, with Governor R. L. Cochat the chapel of the Horton funeral ran, Harry W. Colmery, a past nahome at Seventh and Oak streets, a tional Legion commander, and half a very large number being in attenddozen others, including the newly elected state Legion commander, Wal- ance at the services. The chapel was filled to its capacity ter F. Roberts, of Wahoo, being heard over the loudspeakers.

After the program, auto races and a thrilling aerial act.

Evening Competition

More drum corps were entered in the evening competition than at any previous fair or state Legion convenlying in state since that time. tion. In the draw for place, Plattsmouth was sixth of nine. Holdrege's at the Norfolk Legion convention Zimmerman, his father-in-law, Virgil past year the bride has been employ- of the Chamber participation in the testants and have charge of this were Cass, Cuming, Fillmore, Garwere second on the field.

accompanied the body back home. Marching with a precision that won applause from the large crowd, the Plattsmouth junior corps came within four points of the state cham- ed the services and brought a mes- Louisville High school. Mr. Wheeler among them that of the Mardi Gras The first prize in each division will pion valve-bugle blowing corps from sage of comfort to the bereaved mem- is employed in Omaha.

vice

Holdrege. Most of the four point dif- bers of the family and friends. ferential was on music-a handicap that will remain with our corps un- numbers, "Face to Face" and "Sometil the present bugles are discarded time We'll Understand" during the and the bugle section equipped with services, the accompaniment being by and taught to play valve bugles in Mrs. H. F. Goos.

the same efficient manner they play the present ones. West Point corps was there, but a

decidedly less pompuous outfit than a few years ago and failed to place among the top three corps, the third

place going to Beatrice Sons of the The board of education will meet officers and men as they worked out from the business place to participate held this year at the pleasant com- 13. Legion-all children of ex-service on Friday evening at the high school problems in actual warfare. men. Time was when West Point building, the purpose of the meetjust about stole the show, with their ing being for the sale of bonds in short time for Camp Ord, California, suggested that prizes be given for the pioneer family of the west.

WILL SELL BONDS

VISIT RELATIVES HERE

have slipped badly in the last couple school building. of years.

This is the third consecutive year the firm making the best bid for the Crook, after a long term of assignthe Plattsmouth corps has rated sec- bonds, which are serial, \$4,000 ma- ment there. The 17th came to Fort ond at the state fair.

mouth before the crowds, the high each year for the next five years. school girls' drill team was entered

in that competition and earned round after round of applause with their nicely executed formation and baton Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Horn with ing from this immediate locality.

twirling. They competed against a Mr. and Mrs. John Horn, all of near similar Lincoln drill team, and won Creighton, were here Tuesday to visit the judge's decision for first place. at the home of Henry Horn and Drill team competition was added this daughter. Miss Helen, and with Mr. year for the first time, as a number and Mrs. W. A. Becker and family. Ervin Minski, of Huron, South Da-Junior Auxiliary girls.

Besides procated expense money, ill for some time. The visitors de- home. Mr. Kell is a nephew of Mrs. Lenker, Weeping Water, is secretaryadditional cash prizes go to the win- parted this morning for their home. Seybert.

ing congratulations and best wishes The athletic and music departfrom relatives and numerous friends, ments will at once start their activi-Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler departed by

motor for a short wedding trip to the western part of the state. Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brock,

Funeral services for Cecil Schaal Council Bluffs, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Phebus, Creston, Iowa; Mr. and Junior Chamber Mrs. Fred Marquardt, Avoca, Nebraska; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar H. Cedarholm, Eugene Wheeler and sons, Jim and Harold, Louisville, Nebraska; and and many stood on the lawn of the Francis Hetherington, Lincoln Ne-

funeral home, it being estimated that braska. Mrs. Wheeler was born and reared Live Wire Boosters Will Take Part in ed doll buggy; (2) Miniature float 300 were in attendance at the serin Plattsmouth and received her ed-The body had arrived Sunday from ucation here. She attended the St.

Oakland, California, where the young John's Parochial school here and her man had died last week and has been high school training was received

near senior corps, first place winners son. Merle, the mother, Mrs. C. F. ber of the younger set. During the ters of importance, among them, that for the parade. To number the con- coln Sunday. Counties represented

Sudduth, an aunt, Mrs. Opal Wise, ed in Omaha. Mr. Wheeler, a former resident of The members of the Junior C. of C. Mrs. R. P. Hobson of Weeping Water ardson, Seward, Thayler, and Madi-Dr. H. G. McClusky, pastor of the Louisville, is numbered among the are taking a large part in the hand- and they will be glad to answer any son First Presbyterian church, conduct- graduates in the Class of 1935 at the ling of a number of the features, questions regarding this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler plan to re- of the Karnival. There has been a cents, and the third fifty cents. Frank A. Cloidt gave two vocal side in Plattsmouth for the present. very strong demand for a night As the entire theme will be patrio-

TO LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA

Lieutenant Edwin Kalina, who has an outstanding event. The group cess and let your child compete for just recently returned with the 17th will contact the residents and busi- one of the twelve cash prizes being At the close of the services here the body was taken to Weeping Wainfantry with the maneuvers in nor- ness people to see their reaction. ter for the interment at that place. thern Minnesota, was here for a visit

over Sunday with his parents, Mr. Juniors will appoint a committee and Mrs. Cyril Kalina. The maneu- that will visit each business house vers made strenuous work for the to see if there cannot be at least one

in the parade and also if desired to munity park at Bellevue, honoring Lieutenant Kalina is to leave in a place a float in the parade. It was the Sarpy county members of this strutting twin majorettes, but they the sum of \$35,000 for a new grade where the 17th infantry will have best costumes.

> their post in the future, leaving the The bonds will be disposed of to familiar home base scene at Fort

And then, to further keep Platts- each year for five years and \$3,000 the close of the world war and has ing in Missouri. They were guests at ty were Judge C. L. Graves, the last ing. been stationed there ever since.

citizens of the mid-west, several be- family very much. Mr. Elliott re- and son, Perry Graves, Walter Byers,

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Keil and

Rev. F. C. Weber of Murdock has Miss Beatrice Seybert, of Chicago, of Legion posts and Auxiliary units The Creighton party stopped at kota, who were here visiting at the been elected president of the Cass is here to spend a short time with over the state are sponsoring drill Omaha where they visited with home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sey- County Church Fellowship associa- her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Seyteams among high school girls and George P. Horn, brother of Jacob, bert and with other relatives in this tion. Rev. John L. Kemp, Weeping bert and her sister and family, Mr. Henry and Mrs. Becker, who has been part of Cass county, have returned Water, is vice president, Kev. W. D. and Mrs. Don Seiver.

treasurer.

on September 18, 19, 20 and 21, Bashus and Bill Cloidt at the center paign for membership to build up the post. The left of the line comprised organization to its proper strength. Leonard Sikora and Chas. Grosshands

JUNIOR PARADE AT CO. FAIR

ties. Mr. Flora with his band group and Coach Hoffman with the football A new feature for the parade on Parriott at tackles, Martin and Gersquad making their first start at get-

the unal day of the Cass county fair ald Petet at left guard. Martin and ting ready for the coming season. will be the Junior Section open to Larson were tried at quarterback To Owners and Operators of Farm any shild living in Cass county and during the first practices.

under the age of fifteen years. No In the backfield candidates are written entry is necessary and cash Harry Shiffer, Kenneth White, Joe p. m., meetings will be held in the prizes will be awarded in each of the Noble, Jerry White, Jim Yelick, hard different rural precincts for the purfour divisions of this section which hitting back of last year. will lead the parade.

Your child may enter in either: Tom Doody, Larson, Rhoden and Dick the county convention. The AAA (1) Decorated bicycle with the rider Noble, Jerry Bennett offer much farm program is so constituted that preferably in costume; (2) Decorat- promise.

mounted on a coaster wagon, or (4) Any character from a story or nurserv rhyme.

GRAVES FAMILY REUNION

WOMEN'S CHORUS AT FAIR

A concert by a choir of farm women The Junior Chamber of Commerce Those participating will meet in from eleven counties drew several here, she having graduated in 1935. met Tuesday noon at the Hotel Platts- front of Binger's lumber yard fifteen hundred persons to the 4-H club build-The wife, Mrs. Geraldine Schaal. At that time she was a popular mem- mouth to take up a number of mat- minutes before the time scheduled at the Nebraska State Fair at Lin-

event will be Mrs. H. D. Bowers and field, Lancaster, Nemaha, Otoe, Rich-

The Cass County Women's Chorus parade and dance to be held one night be one dollar, the second seventy-five Out of the eleven groups, Cass county's group had the rare privilege of broadcasting over Radio Station parade and it is hoped with the ac- tism it is urged that this be made W. O. W. between 3 and 3:30 p. m. tive backing of the business and pro- the dominant factor. Let this new

Sunday. Under the excellent leaderfessional groups that it can be made portion of the big parade be a sucship of Mrs. J. Russell Reeder, the chorus sang the solo number "A Mer-

> ry Heart." Members of the chorus will sing at Nehawka Wednesday, and will again school; be heard at the Cass County Fair at

The Graves family reunion was Weeping Water Friday, September school,

MRS. GUTHMANN BETTER

Mrs. F. R. Guthmann, who was South Bend precinct, at Fairland The park provided a fine setting for the reunion and the day was very ill recently, is now much im- school, Dist. 34: spent in visiting and enjoying the proved and able to be around. Mrs. picnic dinners that the ladies had Guthmann was a sufferer from a se- hall. Elmwood. Mr. and Mrs. Jess N. Elliott re- provided for the happy event. vere attack of pneumonia, and friends

turing on July 1, 1942 and \$4,000 Crock from the south shortly after turned Sunday from a pleasant out- From Plattsmouth and Cass coun- will be glad to hear she is improv- house.

MRS. HALMES IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. John Halmes is in the St. ports the crops in Missouri looking and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Royal of Catherine's hospital, where she underwent a major operation Sunday morn-

ing. Although still very weak, hospital attendants reported her condition this city have the pleasure of having as good.

IN OMAHA HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ed Stava entered the St. of its kind in the east, following his Catherine's hospital, Omaha Monday, professional work as engineer. He where she is undergoing medical treat- is very much pleased with the situment.

at the ends, Don McBride and Grover TO ELECT AAA PRECINCT CHAIRMEN, DELEGATES

Land in Cass County:

On Monday, September 9, at 8:00 pose of electing AAA precinct com-In the younger players Grosshans, mitteemen for 1941 and delegates to

> all farmers have a voice in choosing from their own number the men who will administer the program in the precinct and in the county.

Following is the schedule of the different meeting places. All will be eligible to vote in the precinct in which they own or operate farm land in 1941.

Avoca precinct, Sunny Hill school, Dist. 94:

Center precinct, Manley school, at Manley:

East Rock Bluff precinct, at East Rock Bluff school;

Eight Mile Grove, Cedar Creek school house:

Elmwood precinct, Murdock Consolidated school.

Greenwood, Jordan's hall, Alvo; Liberty precinct, Banning hall at Union

Louisville precinct, at Oak Grove school

Mount Pleasant precinct, Philpot

Nehawka precinct, Nehawka high

Plattsmouth precinct, Mynard community building:

Salt Creek precinct, at Greenwood high school;

Stove Creek precinct, at G. A. R.

Tipton precinct, at Eagle school

Weeping Water precinct, County ACP office, Weeping Water;

West Rock Bluff precinct, Murray school building.

JAMES COMSTOCK HOME

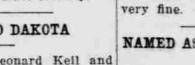
Mr. and Mrs. James Comstock of with them Sunday their son, James. of Barberton, Ohio, James is now employed by the Babcok & Wilcox Co., at Barberton, one of the large plants

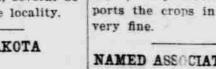
lation and with his work.

the home of Mr. and Mrs. George of the children of Mr. and Mrs. W. A large number of the enlisted men Prevett, the latter a daughter of Mrs. W. Graves, founders of the family and quite a few of the officers are Elliott, enjoying the stay with the here, J. H. Graves, Mrs. Anna Graves

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Lincoln. VISITING HOME FOLKS

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