

# SOCIAL

**From Thursday's Daily—  
Local Girls to Attend Play—**  
Dorothy Jean Turner, Helen Hiatt, Renee Brown, and Aileen Reed left this afternoon for Omaha, where they are guests of Rose Mary Steppat, student at the University of Omaha. The girls plan to attend the play "Petticoat Fever," which is to be given this evening at 8:30 in the university auditorium.

**Mrs. Hadraba Heads Society—**  
Mrs. John Hadraba was elected to serve as president of the Altar society of the St. John's church Wednesday afternoon. Thirty-five ladies were present and this included one guest. Hostesses were Mesdames Ed Berlett, Fred Smith, Henry Starkjohn, John Smith, August Kopp, Harry Shiffer, James Warga, Albert Dieter.

Officers for the forthcoming year—1941—were chosen. Those who will assist Mrs. Hadraba during the coming year are Mrs. Francis Tomman, vice-president; Mrs. Walter Smith, secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Mel-singer, treasurer.

Following their usual custom the ladies played bingo during the social hour. Prize winners were Miss Marie Fitzgerald, first; Mrs. Albert Thompson, second; Mrs. A. R. Case, third; Mrs. John Bajock, fourth.

**Enjoy Chili Supper—**  
Tuesday evening the attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rosencrans at Eighth and Locust streets was the scene of a jolly party of friends. They enjoyed one of the delightful chili suppers for which the Rosencrans home is noted and as well spent the evening in listening to the election returns. The dining table was most charmingly arranged in the bright colored fall flowers. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. "Rick" Lindsey of LaPlatte, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Soennichsen, Mrs. W. E. Rosencrans and Mary Rosencrans.

**"Octogenarians" Celebrate—**  
Mr. R. L. Propst who has recently returned to his home in Lake Worth, Fla., after a visit in Nebraska, celebrated his 86th birthday recently with Mrs. Emille Hotchkiss, formerly of Fairbury, Nebraska, Mrs. Hotchkiss and Mr. Propst were 86 years old on the same day.  
Guests were entertained in the Hotchkiss patio by three daughters of Mrs. Hotchkiss who are Mrs. M. C. Baker, Mrs. G. H. Brantley and Mrs. A. Aurill and three daughters of Mr. Propst who are Mrs. M. D. Baughn, Mrs. C. E. Wilcox and Mrs. E. E. Greene, Jr. Mrs. Harriet Dustin Putum, Lake Worth's composer and song writer, read her tribute to the "twin octogenarians" apart of which was:  
"May they both have happy birthdays  
They who were born the same day,  
May they have peace and contentment  
As they travel on life's way,  
So may these two dear old people  
Traveling down the western hill  
Find much in life along the way,  
Much of joy their days to fill."  
Another birthday celebrated recently was the 18th birthday of Miss Marilyn Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilcox, formerly of Plattsmouth and Beatrice.

Miss Marilyn's guests included: Miss Nordille Dugger, Garland N. Page, Jr., Archie E. VanNess, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilcox, R. L. Propst, Mrs. M. D. Baughn, Mrs. E. E. Greene, Jr., and Bud Greene.

**Presbyterian Federation—**  
A very interesting meeting of the Women's Federation of the First Presbyterian church was held Wednesday afternoon at the Fellowship room of the church, a fine attendance of the members being present.  
A short devotional period was held with Mrs. Wiley Sigler as leader.  
The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. A. Robertson, the federation president.  
The reports of the committee on the chicken pie supper were presented to the meeting.  
The program was largely given over to reports of the synodical held at Omaha and where a number of the Plattsmouth ladies were attending. Mrs. V. W. Perry and Mrs. Glen Valley gave the reports.  
Mrs. Edward Wehrbein gave two very much enjoyed vocal numbers with Mrs. J. R. Reeder as the accompanist.  
Circle No. 1 of which Mrs. Carl Ofe is chairman, were the hostesses and served refreshments.

**From Friday's Daily—  
New Members Initiated—**  
Rebekah lodge sisters met at the I. O. O. F. hall last night. Purpose of the meeting was to initiate several new members into the order. The social hour was enjoyed and a luncheon was served by a group of the ladies.

**Entertains Pinochle Guests—**  
Miss Helen Smetana was hostess to two tables of pinochle guests at the Smetana home last evening. Card honors went to Mrs. Herman Tiekotter and Miss Marie Horn. Mrs. I. L. Kocian was a guest.

**Second Shower for Mrs. Dasher—**  
The second miscellaneous shower tendered Mrs. Clifford Dasher, nee Edith Senf, was held last evening at the Marion Christenson home in this city. Guests able to be present were Mrs. Kelly Rhoden and daughter, Donna Lee, Mrs. William Dasher, Mrs. Charles Janacek, Mrs. Harold Chandler, Mrs. Bernard Klinger, Mrs. Carl Senf, Miss Blanche Hughes, Mrs. William Senf, Plattsmouth, and Mrs. Lowell McQuin, Union. Invited guests unable to be at the shower included Mesdames Harry White and George Miller.

Games were played and Mrs. Linford Dasher, Mrs. Clifford Dasher, Mrs. Carl Senf, and Mrs. Lowell McQuin were "gift" winners.  
Whipped Cream on gingerbread and coffee were served by the hostess, Miss Clara Senf.

**From Saturday's Daily—  
Hostess to Ladies—**  
Mrs. John Bergmann was hostess to twelve women Thursday afternoon, when the Two-Square Bridge club members met. Appointments at the Bergmann home were in the Thanksgiving motif. Card honors went to Mrs. Henry Starkjohn and Mrs. William Woolcott.

**Methodist Ladies Meet—**  
Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service transacted a large amount of business at their meeting this week, when they met in the parlors of the First Methodist church. A group of the ladies from the Dorcas circle were hostesses.  
The forthcoming Harvest Festival, which falls tomorrow, was discussed, and the ladies made final preparation for the chicken pie supper, an annual event outstanding in the social activity of the church. Plans were made for installation of a gas water tank, which was donated. Announcement was made at the business session that thirteen quarts of canned fruit are ready for distribution among the hospitals. Mrs. Claude Pickering was elected as the delegate to the Sunday school board meeting to be conducted in the near future.  
Mrs. Ralph Wiles had charge of the devotionals, using the subject "Service." Mrs. Lowell S. Devoe had charge of the lesson and chose the subject "Investing Our Heritage in Personal Evangelism."

**ATTEND GARDEN CLUB MEETING**  
From Friday's Daily—  
Mrs. Luke Wiles, president of the local Garden club, Mrs. Lillian Freeman, Mrs. John W. Crabill, Mrs. L. W. Egenberger, and Miss Sophia Kraeger were in Omaha this week and attended the luncheon-conference of the Garden Club Workers. This was a special meeting called before the November conference meeting, which is to be held in Lincoln.  
The conference at the Y.W.C.A. began with a luncheon at 12:30. About 100 or more attended.  
Mrs. Lillian Freeman submitted an arrangement to conference officials and it was judged as "especially artistic."

**MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE**  
Thursday at the office of Judge A. H. Duxbury in the court house occurred the marriage of two Omaha couples.  
Frederick D. Somers and Thelma E. Carlson were the first couple to be married. They were accompanied by Yvonne Stone and Ed Sorensen, also of Omaha. After the marriage by Judge Duxbury the party returned to Omaha.  
George Alexander Innes and Grace Edith Carter formed the second couple seeking their happiness here. The ceremony was witnessed by Miss Minnie Hild and Mrs. Blanche Hall.

**AN APPRECIATION**  
Very gratefully I wish to thank the voters of the first commissioner district who gave me their support in the campaign. Their demonstration of friendliness will long be remembered.  
d&w P. A. HILD.

**MANY TRAFFIC CASES**  
Judge C. L. Graves had a field day Thursday in his justice court in hearing complaints filed by R. H. Beckman, highway patrolman, for various offenses.  
R. H. Robinson, of Blair, was charged with reckless driving and received a fine of \$10 and costs.  
Hollie E. Price of Omaha, charged with overloading truck was also given a fine of \$10 and costs.  
Billy Read of this city, charged with overloading truck was fined \$10 and costs.  
Glen O. Larson, charged with overloading truck, fined \$10.  
All of the parties arranged settlement and were released.

**MRS. HORSACK BACK**  
Even though her sister is still in a critical condition in Indiana, Mrs. Frank Horsack has returned to her Plattsmouth home this week. Six weeks ago Mrs. Horsack was called to Frankfort, Indiana on account of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Ralph Veech. Mrs. Veech is suffering from an illness that her physicians termed as Sprue disease. She has had hospital treatment for eight weeks, and at the present time is confined to the Robert Long hospital in Indianapolis, Indiana. Accompanying Mrs. Horsack to and from Indiana was her small son, Carl Joseph.

**SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE HERE NOV. 13**  
A Social Security board field representative will be at the post office in Plattsmouth on Wednesday, November 13, 1940, between the hours of 2 and 3 p. m. to assist wage earners and relatives of deceased wage earners in matters pertaining to federal old-age and survivors insurance.

**FILINGS IN DISTRICT COURT**  
Suit to quiet title was filed in the office of the clerk of the district court entitled Frank E. Dill, et al vs. Robert H. Latta.  
The appeal of the claim of J. A. King against Cass County, was filed in the office of the district clerk. This is the appeal of a claim for damages by road construction against Cass county.

**TWO MORE ON LIST**  
Two more young men who registered and whose names were not printed were listed among the total 1825 registrants for selective service. These young men are both former Plattsmouth residents—Clemens Eric Sundstrom and Stuart Miles Porter. Clemens' serial number is 1824, while Stuart's number is 1825.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and all who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement.—Howard Dadds and family.

Mayor Troy L. Davis and Chief of Police Thede Davis of Weeping Water were in the city Friday afternoon to attend to some matters of business.

**COUNTY COURT NOTES**  
In the county court hearing was had on the appointment of an administrator for the estate of Martha G. Wiles, deceased. Judge Duxbury made the appointment of Stephen Glen Wiles, a son of the deceased.  
Final hearing was had in the estate of Mary Straka, deceased, and discharge of Ignac Straka as administrator granted.  
Hearing on claims in the estate of Theodore Starkjohn was also held.  
Hearing was had this afternoon on the claim of DeForest Brown against the estate of Charles Philpot, deceased.

**RED CROSS NEWS**  
The American Red Cross, which is known as America's No. 1 emergency relief agency, aided at the scene of 102 disasters in 34 states of our nation during the past year. Workers remained months at the scene of many disasters to aid families in rebuilding homes and replacing necessary household goods. Each year brings about the same amount of disasters to our nation and our Red Cross is always there to aid in the rebuilding and to assist the sick or wounded.

**MRS. THOMAS MURTEY,**  
Publicity Chairman.

**BACK FROM HOSPITAL**  
From Friday's Daily—  
Mrs. Edward Delaney, wife of the owner of the Coronado Apartments, returned this week from the St. Joseph hospital, Omaha, where she was treated for a blood stream infection. She was in the hospital only a few days.

**MOVE TO NEW LOCATION**  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rosborough, who have made their home since locating in the city at the former Egenberger home at Seventh and Vine streets, have moved to the residence property at Fourth and Vine streets.

**NAME BABY GIRL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bauer, who reside on the Q. K. Parmele farm, have named their infant daughter, Sylvia Kay. Sylvia Kay was born on Friday, November 1. This is the Bauers' first child.

**ENTERS NEARHOOD HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. Joseph Fay, aged lady of Plattsmouth, entered the Nearhood hospital in Plattsmouth this week. Mrs. Fay was taken ill several days ago and has been in very serious condition the last few days.

Attorney Robert VanPelt of Lincoln was in the city Friday afternoon to look after some matters of business.

You can get that delicious home made Mince Meat made by the ladies of St. Mary's Guild, Plattsmouth, by leaving your order at the Journal office or Bates Book Store.

Plattsmouth offers a splendid market for farm produce. Local dealers always pay top prices.

**NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE**  
In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska  
Frank E. Dill and Agnes Dill, Plaintiffs  
vs.  
Robert R. Latta, Mrs. Robert R. Latta, first real name unknown; Joshua Stroud and wife, Sarah A. Stroud; Harriet Tiffany; Charles N. Tiffany; George N. Moore and wife, Mary J. Moore; Wiley O. Jones and wife, Mrs. Wiley O. Jones, first real name unknown; James M. Jones and wife, Mrs. James M. Jones, first real name unknown; Tennessee Rolls and husband, William Rolls; Isabell V. Ruby and husband, George S. Ruby; Riley Jones and wife, Minerva Jones; Asa Aora McCullough, also known as Asa A. McCullough, and wife, Elizabeth McCullough; Oswald Baier and wife, Katharine Baier; the heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estates of Robert R. Latta, Mrs. Robert R. Latta, first real name unknown; Joshua Stroud and wife, Sarah A. Stroud; Harriet Tiffany; Charles N. Tiffany; George N. Moore and wife, Mary J. Moore; Wiley O. Jones and wife, Mrs. Wiley O. Jones, first real name unknown; James M. Jones and wife, Mrs. James M. Jones, first real name unknown; Tennessee Rolls and husband, William Rolls; Isabell V. Ruby and husband, George S. Ruby; Riley Jones and wife, Minerva Jones; Asa Aora McCullough, also known as Asa A. McCullough, and wife, Elizabeth McCullough; Oswald Baier and wife, Katharine Baier; Addison P. Weston and wife, Mrs. Addison P. Weston, first real name unknown, each deceased, real names unknown, and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to Lot sixteen (16), in the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section thirty-two (32), Township eleven (11), North, Range thirteen (13), East of the 6th P. M., in the County of Cass, Nebraska, real names unknown. Defendant

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**RECOVERING FROM OPERATION**  
Mrs. R. A. Bates was in Omaha Friday for a few hours to visit with her niece, Mrs. Joe Manasek and her nephew, Paul Grassman. Mr. Grassman was operated on Monday morning for removal of his tonsils and adenoids. He was able to return home Wednesday but is still showing the effects of the ordeal that he has been through.

**INSPECTS COMMANDERY**  
William F. Evers, superintendent of the Nebraska Masonic Home was in attendance at the regular board meeting on Wednesday at the Masonic temple in Omaha. Later in the evening he motored to Fremont to inspect the commandery of the Knights Templar. The commandery served a 6 o'clock banquet for the members and the visiting guests.

**REPRODUCTION OF AD**  
November issue of Dry Goods Journal, a national trade magazine, contains a reproduction of a Journal ad of the Ladies Toggery published some time ago, together with an article dealing with the effectiveness of reader type advertising, such as the Toggery does regularly.  
In commenting on this type of advertising compared with illustrated display, the magazine says it affords a fine medium of contact and should merit widespread response (as it has in the case of the local store) on the part of the buying public.  
One of the things that makes any type advertising pay is regularity—and in this respect the Toggery qualifies by having at least one of the reader style ads in each week—often-times twice.  
Mr. Busch has frequently expressed himself as exceedingly well-pleased with the results from his Journal advertising.

**QUOTABLE QUOTES**  
THE ROW-THE EDITOR HOOES—  
I am confident that all newspaper editors will go to heaven. No matter how eloquently the editor may boast for the development and progress of his community, no matter how diligently he may labor to build up his home county, no matter how loyally he supports a friend in politics, extolls the virtues of a famous native son, stretches the truth to praise a local prima-donna-to-be, or gently lays a metaphorical wreath on the grave of a departed, he seldom hears a "Thank you." Rarely does anyone say, "Well done." Almost never does he hear, "We appreciated that." But let him make a slip. . . . —W. Earle Dye in the Rotarian Magazine.

**DEATH OF AVOCA MAN**  
Thursday afternoon Frank Betts, 68, one of the well-known residents of Avoca, was suddenly stricken at his home while engaged in cutting wood, dying in a few moments.  
Mr. Betts was living alone and for some time has suffered from a heart ailment. He was working and apparently had overtaxed his strength with the result of the attack.

**ATTEND IOWA-HUSKER GAME**  
From Saturday's Daily—  
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Dickson of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, arrived here Friday evening from their home, attending the Iowa-Nebraska football game at Lincoln today with Mrs. W. C. Soennichsen. They will remain here over the week-end as guests at the Soennichsen home.

**Community Building Club**  
ELECTED NOV. 9  
123 Tommie Conis. \$25.00 PAID  
This Week - \$25

**Stormy Weather Ahead!**

**Outfit the Family with BALL-BAND GAITERS**

Now's the time to provide your family with the best winter protection to keep their feet warm and dry. Get BALL-BAND Gaiters for each member of the family. . . smart, up-to-the-minute styles that are built to stand up against bad weather and hard wear. . . BALL-BAND costs less—because it wears longer. Come in and let us help your family enjoy winter weather in style and comfort.

Look for the RED BALL trade-mark

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Quality Footwear - Shoe Repairing

**AMERICAN LEGION  
COMMUNITY BUILDING CLUB  
REPORT TO MEMBERS**

Besides paying \$6,150 in salaries to elected presidents who were qualified to serve by having weekly dues paid at the time of their election, the American Legion Community Building Club has invested its entire earnings in worthwhile community enterprises. The major part has gone to reduce indebtedness on the Plattsmouth community building, until now there remains only \$800 more to pay. Nearly \$220 has been expended for shoes for school children, \$165 for Boy Scout work, \$150 on Junior Drum Corps and more than \$40 in support of Recreation work for the youth of our community. Not one cent of the money is spent for Legion social activities, as will be noted from the following detailed report:

Gross Amount Realized for Payment on Building and Investment in Welfare of Community . . . . . \$3,534.70  
PAID OUT AS FOLLOWS—  
Paid on Community Building Debt . . . . . \$2,864.66  
Paid for Shoes to Needy School Children . . . . . 217.42  
Support of Boy Scout Program . . . . . 165.00  
Support of Junior Drum Corps . . . . . 150.00  
Recreational Program Aid, Tennis Equipment, Junior Baseball, Handcraft Equipment . . . . . 42.05  
Telegram, Support Continued River Development . . . . . 1.50

Total Invested to Date in Community Welfare . . . . . \$3,440.63

Balance Cash on Hand, November 1, 1940 . . . . . \$ 94.07

Your 10c a week membership dues makes you eligible to serve as President and be paid the salary . . . and at the same time helps support these worth-while activities.

Join the Journal's growing list of Semi-Weekly subscribers. It costs only \$2 per year.

## Death of Mrs. Marie Bashus at Home in Omaha

Former Resident of This City Dies After an Illness of Some Two Weeks.

Wednesday evening at the family home, 1501 Higgins street, Omaha, occurred the death of Mrs. Marie Bashus, 76, who with her husband, the late Frank Bashus resided here some twenty-three years ago.

Mrs. Bashus has spent practically her lifetime in Omaha and Sarpy county, locating there when a girl. The family was well known in the south portion of Omaha and Sarpy county. She had been ill for the past two weeks.

There are seven children surviving the passing of the mother, Mr. Bashus preceding the wife in death some years ago. The children are Frank Bashus, Jr., Wm. and Joseph Bashus of Omaha and Edward of Plattsmouth, Mrs. Charles Baldwin, Mrs. Fred Nielsen, both of Omaha and Mrs. Anna Bailey, residing in California. There also survives three sisters, Mrs. Mike Medokovich, Mrs. Frank McManus, Mrs. Thomas Petersen, all of Omaha, seventeen grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

### MANY ATTEND FUNERAL

Wednesday afternoon the residents of Murray paid their last tributes to the memory of one of their best beloved residents, William S. Smith, whose death on Sunday evening had brought a deep regret to the entire community.

The services were held at the Presbyterian church, which was filled to its capacity by those who had known and associated with Mr. Smith in the past years. Rev. Neil Stewart, pastor of the church, conducted the services and paid a well deserved tribute to the memory of the departed.

The male quartet composed of Dale Wohlfarth, Dale Long, John Paris and Olin Morris, gave several of the old hymns during the services. Mrs. Margaret Todd was the accompanist. The burial was at the Young cemetery south of this city with Marion Wiles, Dale Wohlfarth, Dale Long, Wallace Nelson, John Paris and Olin Morris as the pallbearers.

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