

## Free Movies On Baseball Here Tuesday Night

Free moving pictures are on the bill of fare for entertainment in Plattsmouth next week when the Ford Motor Co., through their local dealers, Plattsmouth Motors, will show specially prepared movies on Legion Junior League Baseball at the high school auditorium on Tuesday, May 27 at 7:30 p. m.

The showing will be in cooperation with the local recreational program in Plattsmouth for which funds are being raised. Titled "Play Ball, Son," the picture will follow the history of American Legion Midget and Junior baseball and through the sound track will reveal the mechanics of the game, following through with every movement necessary to properly play the game.

Any boy born after January 1930, is eligible for one of the teams being organized by this local veterans group, and they, with their parents and others, are invited to see these pictures and gain first hand knowledge of the baseball program in store for the youth of the community during the coming summer months.

Robert H. Hagerman, representing the youth recreational program of the Ford Motor Company, will be in charge of the program for the local Ford agency. Devoting his full time to promoting junior baseball, Mr. Hagerman of the public relations department, is cooperating with the local group in establishment of a program in Plattsmouth.

Uniforms for both Junior and Midget teams will be furnished by the Plattsmouth Motors, who are cooperating to the fullest extent to see that the teen-age baseball program gets off to a good start in this community.

Parents and others are urged to attend this free picture show and make every effort to encourage their sons to join in with other boys in playing this grand old game, baseball.

## UNITED UNIT MEETS

The United Unit of the Farm Bureau met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ahl Tuesday evening, May 13 with 22 members present. Ray Mavfield, president, had charge of the meeting.

A letter from Mr. Banning, chairman of the legislative committee, was read in which he advised that Senator Metzger had failed to support the road bill. This bill would enable the state to gravel all mail routes and thereby place each farm home within at least one-half mile of a gravelled road.

Mrs. Willis Cole read a letter on membership activities. Supt. L. A. Behrends showed three interesting sound pictures, "The Modern Rural School," "The Milky Way" and "Scenes at the Bottle Front and the Returning Veteran."

Mrs. Ahl served lunch. The next meeting will be June 10 at the Willis Cole home.

## ON LEAVE FROM NAVY

Here on a 30-day leave Y3 Joe Gradoville is at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hastings, Stationed at Kodiak, Alaska. He flew from there to San Diego and arrived here May 14th. He will leave Wed. for Burlington, Ia. for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gradoville. On June 13 he will leave here to report at Seattle for further transfer to Kodiak.

Joe graduated from the high school in 1945. He has been in Kodiak for 13 months.

## County Briefs

**WEEPING WATER** (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson announce the engagement of their daughter Joan to Robert P. Trotter, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Trotter of Nehawka.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gish announce the engagement of their daughter Virginia to Richard I. Lauritzen, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lauritzen, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gish entertained at an informal engagement party on Sunday afternoon, May 4, at their home in the country honoring the two couples. Mrs. Claude Johnson assisted as hostess.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Trotter and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lauritzen, Jr., and family and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Olsen. No dates have been set for the weddings.

## Fire Causes Total Loss to Property

Fire Chief Henry Donat and his corps of volunteer firemen were unable to save the home of Mrs. Mary Campbell on Highway 75, when it burned to the ground early Saturday morning.

Called to the scene at 2 a. m., the firemen found the building about two-thirds gone. Lack of water at the place, about a mile and a half south of the city, allowed the blaze to gain headway. However, the fire was kept from spreading to nearby buildings.

The property, formerly belonging to Mrs. Anna Pittman, was owned by Mrs. Campbell who was said to be in Nebraska City at the time. Sheriff Tom Solomon and Donat investigated the ruins Saturday for evidence and clues as to the origin of the fire. Their first efforts were unsuccessful, Donat said when interviewed.

## V. F. W. Buddy Poppy Sale Nets \$271.00

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2543 of Plattsmouth, were more than pleased with the reception to their "Buddy Poppy Day" sale held here Saturday. Net results of the sale of poppies made by veterans brought a total of \$271, according to a report given The Journal by Walt Sikora.

The Post has asked the Journal to express their gratitude for the fine cooperation given them by the ladies in the sale of the flowers, and to the people of Plattsmouth and vicinity for their generosity in purchases. All funds from the drive will be used for worthy charitable purposes both here and through VFW channels.

A new innovation in the plans of Veterans of Foreign Wars Posts, Buddy Poppy Day will be held each year prior to Memorial Day.

## IS YOUR CHILD PROTECTED?

Thousands of children have been protected from diphtheria in Nebraska. There are many who are not yet protected from this greatly dreaded disease.

Diphtheria will not be conquered until all parents realize that their children must be safeguarded against it. After the first six months of life, nearly every child is susceptible to this disease and should be immunized. Your physician, the medical officer, or the nurse can tell you how this can be done. The treatment is simple and safe.

Ask your physician about simultaneous immunization against diphtheria and tetanus, or diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Plans are being completed for the Vacation Bible school to be held for two weeks in the Methodist church beginning June 2. The program includes Bible study, worship and handicraft. There will be a place for every boy and girl between the ages of four and fourteen.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Williams will superintend the school. A staff of efficient workers has been selected.

Parents are urged to take advantage of this religious training and fellowship for their children.

Lester Dalton went to Edgar Wednesday and returned Saturday with his family and furniture. They have moved into their home at 1015 South 10th street.



Declaring that he's "broke" and seeking a job, 31-year-old Vittorio Mussolini, son of the one-time Italian dictator, got into Argentina by mysterious means a few weeks ago and hopes he will not be deported as an illegal immigrant. His wife, now in Milan with their two children, was born in Buenos Aires.

## Norman McGale Injured In Auto Collision

Norman McGale received severe head injuries requiring several stitches when his car was struck on Highway 75 in Plattsmouth about 9:30 p. m. Sunday by an auto driven by E. C. Stiles of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Stiles, driving a 1936 Plymouth coupe, was traveling at a 35 mile an hour clip in a restricted zone at the time of the accident according to information gleaned by Sheriff Tom Solomon. His car was badly damaged in the collision, with the left front fender, left side, rear glass and top damaged.

He was taken into custody on a drunken driving charge and was fined a total of \$29.00 when he pled guilty before County Judge Paul Fauquet Monday morning.

## REUEL SACKS HAVE 25th ANNIVERSARY

Celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary recently, Mr. and Mrs. Reuel Sack of Murray, Pa., acted the preliminaries of the ceremony in the original setting at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spangler.

In the presence of 85 guests the bridal party entered the spacious front room to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." Preceding the couple was the flower girl, little Nadine Spangler, niece of Mrs. Sack. Mrs. Ray Cole played the wedding march.

A chorus, composed of Louis and Francis Sack, Cyrus Livingston, Harrison Livingston, Mrs. Maurice Hammond and Miss Nina Freeman, and accompanied by Miss Wilma Livingston, sang three beautiful hymns.

The bridal couple then received the congratulations of their friends who also brought many gifts for the honored pair.

The table was decorated with a large wedding ring encircling a miniature bride and groom. Roses and silver candles formed the decorations in the home.

Those who assisted in the serving were Mrs. Louis Sack, Mrs. Homer Spangler, Mrs. Mike Kaffenberger and Miss Wilma Livingston. Mrs. Myron Wiles poured the coffee. Miss Wilma Mumm was at the guest book.

## HAMMERS NAMED POTENTATE OF NATIONAL SHRINE

Karl Rex Hammers, of Pittsburgh, widely known in food circles through his 39 years with the H. J. Heinz company, a distinguished Mason and holder of its highest degree, the 3rd, was today (May 28) unanimously elected Imperial Potentate, the highest office of the Shrine of North America, at its 73rd annual convention now in session at Atlantic City, New Jersey.

## Honors Awarded for Perfect Attendance

Perfect attendance awards were given the following students at the high school for being neither absent nor tardy all year: Donna Spieck, Seniors, Frances Buechler, Sophomores, Joan Ault, Patricia Koeljan, Janice Lone.

Freshmen, Edna Mae Buechler, Jean Daniel, Patricia Hadzaba, Dale Brookhouser, Bill McCormick, Norma Kaufman.

The awards were made during the Honors Convocation last Monday.

## UNION 4-H NEWS

The Union Cookers club met May 3 at the home of Imogene Schrag. Response to roll call was "Ways to Prepare Fruit." Each member brought a salad to be sampled by the others.

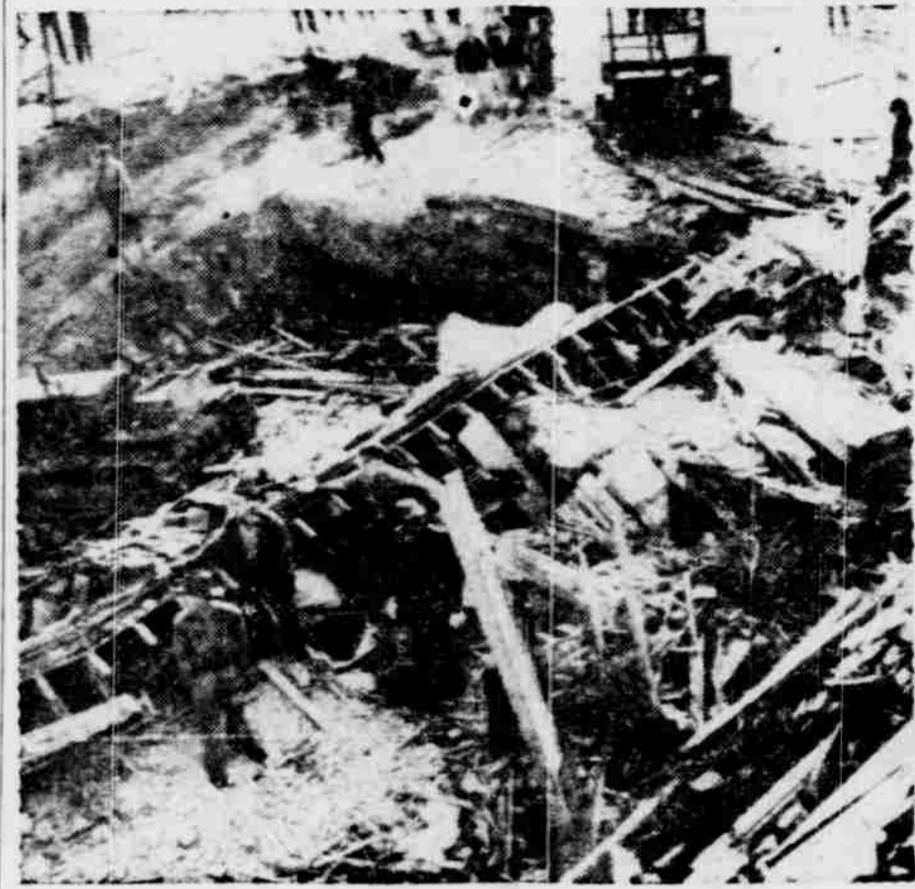
Plans were made for the May 21 meeting to be held at the home of Carol Anne Pike. Each member was asked to bring a custard of corn-starch pudding. Miss Eula Winterfote was scheduled to demonstrate a pressure cooker.

After the meeting games and songs were enjoyed and a lunch was served by Imogene and her mother.

## NO TOBACCO CAN BE SENT TO GERMANY

Effective May 26th, cigarettes and tobacco products may not be sent to Germany. This includes civilians as well as army personnel having APO addresses, according to acting Postmaster Edward Egenberger.

Mrs. Mary Ann Lipert arrived early Thursday from Oakland, California, to attend the commencement of her sister, Helen. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Lipert.



Rescue workers probe for victims in the ruins of an Elko, Nevada, apartment house which collapsed and killed three persons. Four others were injured (NEA Telephoto.)

## Journal Still Faces Many Difficulties

The Journal management wishes to express its gratitude and appreciation for the consideration given the newspaper while attempting to bring the plant back to normal operating condition. Difficulties by the score have faced compositors and pressmen during the past few weeks however, many changes and corrections have been made to date and some semblance of organization is developing out of chaos.

While we do not expect to be operating on a perfect basis for a few weeks, we are doing our best to make some improvement as work in the shop progresses and readers of The Journal can expect to have a more interesting and readable paper as soon as more time can be devoted to that department and mechanical difficulties are overcome.

In the meantime we'll continue to give you the best service possible and all the news in each issue time and effort will produce. The job printing department is clicking and we trust the newspaper soon will be.

At least the new owners can see a few rays of sunshine through the "soup" and hope the greater share of our troubles are behind us.

## Allen Services Held Tuesday

Addaline Bennett Allen was born July 6th, 1855 at Durand, Winnebago County, Illinois, and passed away May 18, 1947 at the age of 91 years, 10 months and 12 days.

On December 12, 1869 she was united in marriage to Samson E. Allen of Burrill, Illinois. Soon after their marriage they went by covered wagon to Kansas where they lived until 1874 when they came to Nebraska settling near Davey. They moved to Eagle 57 years ago where her husband died August 25, 1928. They lived continuously in the same home until their death.

She was a member of the Eagle Methodist church.

Grandma Allen was always very industrious. In her earlier days she wove carpets and rugs for people throughout the country-side. Later, as she grew more inactive, she pieced many quilts. Two years ago she had the misfortune to fall and break a hip, but her strong will to live which she had displayed many times, enabled her to be in her wheel chair for the past year. During that time, due to her good eye sight she was able to cut and piece many quilt blocks, which she was doing just a half hour before she was stricken.

She leaves three daughters Mrs. Hester Morgan, Mrs. Nova Clements and Mrs. Uisie Alt-house, all of Eagle and a son, Ralph E. of Lincoln. A son, Charles E. preceded her in death two years ago. She also leaves 14 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 9 great great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the home with Rev. Harold Mitchell in charge. The quartette who sang included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rudolph, Mrs. John Fischer and Orval Lee Fischer.

The pallbearers were her sons, Homer, Clements, Floyd, Keith and Clyde Alt-house, Robert and Jack Allen.

Burial was in the Eagle cemetery.

Mrs. G. A. Richardson and daughter, Mrs. St. Paul, Minnesota, are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Kneer.

Mrs. John Wiseman of Weeping Water was here Tuesday on matters of business.

## Legion Sponsor Memorial Day Service Friday

Plattsmouth Post of the American Legion will be in charge of Memorial Day services to be held here Friday, May 30, according to an announcement made over the weekend.

Members of the Legion are requested to meet at 9:30 a. m. at Sixth and Main streets for assembly at the G. A. R. plot at 10 o'clock for public ceremonies in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Richard Peck, Plattsmouth attorney, will deliver the Memorial Day address for this annual event, bringing a message to all persons attending this second post-war program.

Below is a complete resume of the program as planned by the local Legion Post.

**Memorial Day Program**  
Oak Hill Cemetery  
May 30, 1947

Sponsored by Hugh J. Kearns  
Post No. 56  
Plattsmouth, Nebraska  
At G. A. R. Plot  
10:00 A. M.  
Placing of Floral Wreath  
Taps  
At American Legion Plot  
10:15 A. M.

**Benediction** ..... Chaplain  
Placing of Floral Wreath ..... Sergeant at Arms  
Lincoln Gettysburg Address  
..... Jean Lloyd  
Address ..... Richard C. Peck  
Taps  
Presiding Officer: ..... M. M. Muncie  
Color Guard and Bearers ..... John Urish Commanding  
Sergeant at Arms ..... Don C. Warga  
Chaplain ..... Frank H. Smith  
Bugler ..... Eugene Lingford  
Public Address System by Courtesy of John Straka

## MARBLE CHAMP SHOWS WELL AT LINCOLN MEET

Winning the City marble tourney last Thursday, Merle Dasher, eighth grade student, competed in the State meet at Lincoln on Saturday and won all games played in the morning.

When it was learned that the finals would be played in the afternoon and evening Merle withdrew in order to see the Big Six track and field championships at the University of Nebraska.

Both the marble and track and field events proved very interesting to the city marble champ. The trip was made possible by the local VFW which sponsored the marble tourney here.

## MOTOR COMPANY DELIVERS NEW CARS PAST WEEK

Plattsmouth Motors reports delivery of two new cars and a pickup the past week. A new Ford super-deluxe sedan was sold Herman Meisinger, a deluxe touring sedan to a resident of Nehawka and a pickup truck to E. C. Wetenkamp of Plattsmouth.

## JO ANNE BENDER GIVES ELEVENTH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Jo Anne Bender daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bender observed her 11th birthday Friday by inviting 17 members of her Camp Fire Girls group to a party at her home. Games were played and refreshments were served.

John Soennichsen, grandson of H. M. Soennichsen, has been appointed a member of the Board of Managers of the Student Union at the University of Nebraska. The board is selected by the Student Council of the University.

## Use Journal Want Ads



President Truman estimates that it will take \$37,528,000,000 to run the U. S. during the 1947-48 fiscal year. If America's 140,000,000 people chipped in equally to pay this, it would cost every man, woman and child \$268.

## EAGLES WIN THIRD IN ROW; TAKE SECOND PLACE D S C LEAGUE

### Gravel Yard Set Up for New Paving

Preparatory to starting the paving program here, the National Construction Company of Omaha, is setting up its gravel yard near Second Ave., on South 2nd St. Paving will get underway Tuesday or Wednesday of this week, Mayor Clem Woster said.

With the exception of some skilled labor all workmen hired will be from this locality. Stanley Lacey, president of the construction company, will be here to supervise the hiring of men, and the work.

Work on the project will begin in the first ward at Sixth street and Avenue C. It is expected that the paving will be completed within 60 days, according to Woster.

## Church Women to Hold Tea Tuesday

A May Fellowship Tea will be held in the Memorial room of the Methodist church on Tuesday, May 27, at 2:30 p. m.

Arrangements for the tea have been made by a joint committee of 20 women from the various Protestant churches which have participated in the World Day of Prayer the past several years.

Guest speaker at the tea will be Mrs. L. E. Hoover, Lincoln, president of Nebraska Council of Church Women. She will explain the program for a local council and outline the national program for the year.

The meeting is open to women of all churches. A silver offering will be taken.

## SPECIAL MEETING OF SCOOTER DRIVERS

A special meeting of scooter operators has been called for this Monday afternoon by Sheriff Tom Solomon following several complaints by residents and others over the disregard for traffic regulations in the city.

Sheriff Solomon plans the organization of a "Scooter Club" to better acquaint the operators with traffic rules and regulations and to promote safety and consideration for others among the group.

All owners and operators of scooters are requested to attend in an effort to eliminate unnecessary restrictions being placed on the operation of the two-wheel vehicles.

## CORN PLANTING IS NEARING COMPLETION

Corn planting in this area, although held up to some extent by rains and cool weather, is nearing completion with about 75 percent of the crop in, according to reports given The Journal by farmers in the area.

Abnormal cool weather of the past few weeks has retarded the germination of seeds planted early, but with the coming of a few warm days it is expected that the time lost will be quickly overcome.

## LIMITATIONS ON NEW HOUSES EXEMPTED

Exemptions to the 1500-square-foot limitation on new houses—square feet in certain cases—are set forth in instructions just received by all middle-western field offices of the Federal Housing Administration. Regional Housing Executive Charles J. Horan announced Friday.

Mrs. Stanley Lepert and her mother, Mrs. Mary Wesley left Monday morning for Excelsior Springs, Missouri, where they will remain for several days.

## at the Court House

### IN COURT COURT

Marriage license was issued Monday, May 26 to Donald E. Schultz, 22, Walton, Nebraska, and Wilma Livingston, 23, Weeping Water.

Earl C. Stiles, 22, 501 So. 24th, Council Bluffs, pled guilty to a charge of drunken driving and was fined a total of \$29.

Delbert Royce Gillispie, 25, Auburn, Nebraska, was found guilty of drunken driving Monday and fined a total of \$29.

The Plattsmouth Eagles did it again.

Sunday they took the Papillion aggregation 10 to 2, however, officially the score will go down in the books at 6-2 as the game was called in the eighth inning because of rain. Four runs were scored in the last frame played.

Bill Fox hurled his best game of the still young season giving up only three hits for two runs. He also got three hits in three trips to the plate.

Pestello, Platter third sacker, had two for two and scored four runs, while Chuck Ault had two hits for three tries and Parriott two for five times at bat.

The entire team played great defensive ball, the infield looking especially good backing up Fox, with Hobbs making a nice running catch in centerfield.

One of the best crowds yet to watch the Eagles was out at Papillion, about half of them were from Plattsmouth, and the locals are grateful for this support.

Efforts are being put forward to secure the Ft. Crook Post diamond for practice sessions until the local park is available for home games of the DSC league.

League Standings—			
	W	L	PCT
Springfield	4	0	1000
Millard	2	2	500
Ralston	2	2	500
Plattsmouth	3	1	750
Papillion	2	2	500
Louisville	2	2	500
Gretna	1	3	250
Bellevue	0	4	000

Next Sunday will see the Eagles in Millard for its fifth game of the series.

Box score for Sunday: Plattsmouth, 10				
	AB	R	H	E
Vroman, ss	5	2	0	0
Stewart, 2b	5	1	0	0
Parriott, cf	5	0	2	0
Wolever, cf	4	1	1	0
Pestello, 3b	4	0	0	0
Ault, 1b	2	4	2	0
Fox, p	3	1	3	0
Eaton, c	4	0	1	1
Frazier, lf	0	0	0	0
	35	10	11	2

Papillion, 2				
	AB	R	H	E
Becker, c	3	0	0	1
H. Steuhm, 3b	4	1	0	0
Plamdeck, cf	4	1	1	0
Cordis, ss	3	0	2	0
Timm, j, 1b	3	0	0	0
L. Steuhm, rf	3	0	0	0
Corby, 2b	2	0	2	0
Knapp, 2b	1	0	1	0
Christensen, lf	2	0	0	0
Timm, H. p	2	0	0	0
Lorenberg	1	0	0	0
	29	2	3	4

Winning Pitcher—Fox  
Losing Pitcher—H. Timm

Springfield			
	R	H	E
Springfield	3	6	1
Millard	0	2	4
At Gretna—			
Ralston	0	6	3
Gretna	8	6	1
At Bellevue—			
Louisville	4	4	5
Bellevue	3	3	5
At Papillion—			
Plattsmouth	6	3	2
Papillion	2	3	2

## SEVERAL FROM HERE GO TO WEEPING WATER

Attending the meeting of the Cass County Historical society Wednesday in Weeping Water were Miss Barbara Gering, Mrs. Henry Herold, Mrs. Maude Fricke, Mrs. E. H. Westcott, Mrs. J. A. Donelan, Mrs. L. W. Eberberger, Mrs. Frank Cummings, Miss Dora Fricke and Miss Anna Heisel.

George Farley, Attorney A. L. Tidd and Supt. L. A. Behrends also were present.

## POST OFFICE WINDOWS CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY

Post office windows will be closed Memorial Day, although the lobby will be open, according to Acting Postmaster Edward Eegenberger. There will be one city delivery, but no rural delivery of mail, although mail will be received and dispatched as usual.

## WILL EXHIBIT ART AT JOSLYN, OMAHA

The Encyclopedia Britannica Collection of Contemporary American Painting will be exhibited for the first time in Nebraska at Joslyn Memorial Art Museum July 1, it was announced by E. H. Powell, president of the 179-year-old reference work.