

# Crown New King and Queen of 1950 King Korn Karnival

## United Nations Theme Adds Color To Korn Karnival Ceremonies

### Traffic Signs Asked for Street Crossing Use

The city council meeting Monday evening was streamlined for business and over in a short time. All hands were present when Mayor Woster called the body to order and the matters coming before the body soon settled.

A communication was received from the League of Nebraska Municipalities announcing that the state convention would meet at North Platte on September 19th to 21st inclusive. There were none of the city officials that were in a mood to attend.

Petitions were received by the council from residents in Oakmont and the southwest part of the city, asking that automatic stop and go signs be placed on Chicago avenue at 4th or 5th avenue. This was asked as a safety measure for the school children, most of them in the kindergarten or first and second grades.

It was pointed out by Don J. Arundel, spokesman for the petitioners, that the situation there was dangerous and needed the signs as a safety measure. Children from the kindergarten cross the streets before the older students are out of school which creates a hazard.

It was suggested by Mayor Woster that regardless whether signs were placed or not he favored the continuance of the Safety Patrol of the school, a group of the older boys and girls that are out in the morning, at noon and afternoon to protect the crossing for the school children.

It was the opinion that the patrol did a good service and should be continued in any changes made.

The matter was referred to the mayor and members of the streets, alleys and bridges committee to secure cost prices on automatic signs, their installation and report at the next meeting of the council.

Complaint was received of the parking situation on Seventh street where the no parking sign was removed.

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## Committees Of 1950 Coronation

The members of the various committees of the American Legion Auxiliary that made possible the splendid success of the carnival were:

Chairmen — Mrs. Don Warga, Mrs. Beatrice Brothers.

Princesses — Mrs. Karl Grasshans, Mrs. Kenneth Schmitt.

Platform and Street — Mrs. Laveta Baumgart, Mrs. Kenneth Dunlap, Mrs. Charles Janacek.

Pages — Mrs. Louis Baumgart, Mrs. Mae Favors, Mrs. Bill Williamson, Mrs. Glen McClure.

Flower Girls, Crown Bearers, Train Bearers — Miss Shirley Jacobs, Miss Alice Jayne Grosshans, Mrs. Russell Nielsen, Mrs. Mary Nelson.

Hussars — Mrs. Jean Lockin.

Parade Chairman — Mrs. Adrien Nevens.

Reception Committee — Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peck, Mr. and Mrs. James Begley.

## Sgt. LeRoy Covert In War Zone

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Covert of this city received a letter Tuesday from their son, LeRoy Covert, who is with the 84th division of army engineers.

He stated that he had landed at Pusan in Korea, August 30th, and was there for a few days then moved to another station.

Preview to the coronation was given by Walter H. Smith, county attorney, past king, for several years the announcer of King Korn Karnivals.

"Good evening, ladies and gentlemen and boys and girls of King Korn land.

"The King Korn Klub and the people of Plattsmouth are privileged to welcome you to the 1950 King Korn Karnival. We assure you that tonight, and for the next two days, we will do everything possible to maintain the tradition of wholesome and enjoyable entertainment for which the King Korn Karnival has become known to people throughout the nation.

"The King Korn Klub is a voluntary organization and everyone is eligible to membership upon payment of a small membership fee. We know that many of you would derive a satisfaction in knowing that you have had a part in sponsoring the King Korn Karnival and suggest that you become a member of the King Korn Klub.

"The president this year is Ronald R. Furse, the publisher of the Plattsmouth Journal, and he has given generously of his time to make this year's coronation and carnival successful, and if it merits your approval full credit should be given to Mr. Furse and the members of his committees whose time and planning have made this year's carnival possible.

"We would like to take a moment to point out the highlights of the coming festivities.

"Tomorrow is Farmers' Day, and starting at 12:15 with a concert by the Nebraska City band, the day promises to be a full one. At 1:00 o'clock the farmers' parade, featuring floats, horses and bands will be presented on Main street, following the parade, the Cass County Saddle Horse Association will present its famous Horse Show at the Memorial Athletic Field. There will be other events on the street during the afternoon and early evening, as you will note from the printed program, and at 8:00 o'clock tomorrow night the evening horse show, with a complete change of events, will begin.

"Friday is parade day, with rural school and kiddies parade at 2:00 o'clock and the merchants parade at 7:00 o'clock. Following the parade the high stepping Iroquois Lodge drum & bugle corps of Omaha present their exhibition, and to climax the evening, a concert by the Schmoller & Mueller giant accordion band will be presented.

"We suggest that you carry a printed program with you and mark the time of the other events because they are all good entertainment and well worth your time.

"We would like to call your attention also to the exhibits. The Corn Show is on 4th street.

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## Court House Briefs . .

A suit in partition was filed in the office of the clerk of the district court on Thursday morning entitled, Emmett L. Landon, Lulu Landon, Henry Landon, Leora Landon vs. George E. Stewart, et al. The petition sets forth that Henrietta Landon died on January 6, 1950, seized of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 18, township twelve, range 9, east of the 6th p. m. in Cass county, Nebraska. It is asked that the heirs of the estate be confirmed in the parties in the suit, that partition be had of the land, if reasonable partition is impossible, that the land be sold at partition sale.

In the county court Wednesday noon County Judge Raymond J. Case was called upon to perform the wedding service for Wanda Lee Pierce and Cecil Robert McCollum of this city.



King Clem Woster and Queen Marilyn Schafer

—Photo by Chriswiser

## Mayor Clem Woster - Marilyn Schafer Reign At Annual Coronation

### Nebraska State Bank Damaged by Brakeless Car

Wednesday afternoon a brakeless car on the loose caused considerable damage to the building occupied by the Nebraska State Bank at Elm and I street, Weeping Water.

Mrs. Ila F. Henry of Lincoln, who is engaged in working at Weeping Water, was driving her car on the street in the business section, when seeking to turn from Elm street into I street it was found that the brakes on the car were not functioning. Seeking to avoid a collision with another car, she was turning into a side street, the car got out of control and crashed into the building of the bank on the corner. Two large windows in the bank building were shattered, glass being scattered over a big area. The car also crashed into the Wiseman furniture store and broke glass in the windows.

The loss in glass will be quite large and minor damages to the buildings.

The car of Mrs. Henry was practically demolished but fortunately the driver escaped with only bruises and shock.

Sheriff Tom Solomon was notified of the accident and made an investigation, learned from the car owner that she had found the brakes defective when attempting to turn.

## Nehawka Group Visit Governor On Road Work

A delegation of Nehawka business men and residents of the territory north of the town were in Lincoln Tuesday to interview Governor Val Peterson and the state highway department.

The delegation desired to discuss any possible plans of the relocation of a secondary highway leading from the town north to highway No. 1.

Governor Peterson at Lincoln stated that the state highway department was sending engineers to Nehawka to study the problem of possible re-routing of the road.

Nehawka representatives had told the governor and highway department of plans for improving the road with county money and matching federal funds if the highway is relocated.

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\* New king and queen of Kornland were fittingly presented by Mr. Smith.

Mr. Woster is a native of Plattsmouth and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Woster. He is 39 years old and his wife is the former Alice Crabill, who has gained recognition in her own right as a writer. They have four daughters, the oldest now in the University of Nebraska.

Our new king is the owner of the Woster Shoe Store, and he has been connected with that business since he started as a clerk in his second year in high school. He was graduated from the local high school in 1923, and his career since that time has been marked by a wide variety of civic and fraternal activity. He is past president of the Business Men's Ad Club, past secretary of the Rotary Club, past secretary, president and Assistant Chief of the Plattsmouth Volunteer Fire Department and Past President of the Southeast Nebraska District Volunteer Fireman's Association. He is presently the State Consul of the Modern Woodmen of America and a member of one of the National Committees of that organization. He is President of the local chapter of the Isaac Walton League and a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the A.F. & A.M. No. 6 and the Eagles Lodge. He is treasurer of the Local Salvation Army Service Committee, and he is in his second term as Mayor of Plattsmouth. Even this list indicates a wide variety of interests and a willingness to accept civic responsibility, but we in Plattsmouth know that we are indebted to Clem Woster not only for these qualities, but for the constructive and progressive leadership he has brought into these many activities. He typifies the qualities we admire when we look for a candidate for the throne of Kornland.

Our new Queen, Marilyn Schafer, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schafer and is twenty years of age. Her grandparents were early Cass County residents, the late Mr. and Mrs. James L. Terryberry. The late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schafer, she was born on the farm on which her father was born, and (Continued on Page Four)

## Friday Night Big Event of Karnival

Friday, closing day of the King Korn Karnival, will be a fitting climax of the annual fall festival as a preview of the program discloses.

Offutt Field will send their military band here for a concert at 8 o'clock on the platform to fittingly usher in the evening of entertainment and fun.

The parade of the merchants and G. I. units will be held at 7 o'clock embracing a large array of floats from local business establishments, also veterans organizations. Bands that are expected to participate are those of Weeping Water, Malvern, Iowa, Syracuse, Plattsmouth, the Iroquois B.P.O.E. of Omaha, always a red hot favorite. In this parade a real musical surprise is promised for the onlookers.

The Iroquois group will present a drill and exhibition on the street at 8:30.

At 9 o'clock a fine concert is to be offered by the Schmoller & Mueller 43-piece accordion band under the direction of Johnny Swoboda. This will be one of the finest musical offerings in many years of the Karnival.

**HAS INFECTED EAR**  
Mrs. Carl Chriswiser is confined to her home on South 7th street by a very severe infection of an ear. She has been suffering with this for the past several days.

## Judge at 4-H Calf Show

Lowell Jepson, Seward county agricultural agent, was here today (Thursday) to act as the judge at the 4-H Baby Beef show at the tent on Chicago avenue. Judging started at 9:30. The presentation of the awards will be made by the Cass County Livestock Feeders Association at the platform this evening at 7:30.

## Schools and Children to Parade Friday

Friday afternoon of the King Korn Karnival will be devoted to the youngsters of Plattsmouth and Cass county. The program of the day begins with the concert by the Tabor, Iowa high school band at 1 o'clock at the platform.

At 2 o'clock will be held the parade, expected to be one of the largest of the Karnival. The Plattsmouth city schools as well as the rural schools of Cass county will participate. Many very fine floats have been made that will be seen in the line of march.

In addition to the floats Mrs. Audrey Dow Biegger, in charge of the kiddies section of the parade, expects to have a very large number of children, pets and vehicles in this section of the parade.

In the school parade prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 is offered for first, second and third prizes. Each float entered will receive \$4 fee for entering.

For the children participating there will be first, second and third place ribbons given, and all children will receive a free popsicle and a ride on the devices on the midway. For the comic character section there will be \$10 in cash prizes distributed.

## Local Boys in U. of N. Pledges

Several of the local boys attending the University of Nebraska this fall as freshmen are among the pledges announced by the fraternities at Lincoln this week.

Dick Huebner is announced as a pledge of Beta Sigma Psi, Sigma Chi, long a favorite of Plattsmouth students at Lincoln, has listed two of the local boys, Carl Ofe of this city and Allan Carper of Murray as pledges.

## Miss Cass County At King Korn Show

Miss Norma Ford, "Miss Cass County" selected at the county fair at Weeping Water, will be in Plattsmouth during the King Korn Karnival it was announced Tuesday by the Karnival committee.

Miss Ford was here for the parade on Thursday, featuring Farmer's day and will also be in the parade on Friday evening.

It is a very great pleasure for the local boosters to have this attractive young lady present as the chosen representative of Cass county.

Nehawka girls have been named to head the two leading events of the festival season of 1950.

## Error in Ad Of Hinky-Dinky

The attention of the buying public is called to an error appearing in another section of the Journal.

The price of layer packed slice Bacon is 45 cents a pound instead of 54 as appears in the ad.

A classified Ad in The Journal costs as little as 35c.

## Prize Winner At Ruback's



Pictured above right to left, Mrs. C. J. Rhylander, winner of the pressure cooker given away at the Ruback Super store on Saturday, September 9th, Howard Ruback, resident manager of the store, and Meyer Ruback, owner of the Ruback Super chain stores. —Photo by Arrow.

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