

Mystery Surrounds KKK Skeeterweight Contenders

Perry "Kid" Graves, trainer-manager for Plattsmouth's boxing hopefuls today announced names of contestants for the King Korn Carnival boxing exhibition to be held in late September.

Drawing preliminary assignments for the five-bout show will be middleweights Wesley Waltemire and Jim Favors.

Following them into the ring will be Jake Van Winkle and Larry Long, welterweights. The third bout will feature a pair of lightweights, Bob Sheard and Pete Porter and the semi-wind-up will feature Cody McDermott and Don Conyers.

But Graves refused to name opponents for the main event. That'll bring together bruising battlers of the "skeeterweight" division. Selecting that skeeterweight champion of Plattsmouth will put interest back into the sport at Plattsmouth, Graves predicts.

Graves said, however, that the skeeterweight opponents are in vigorous training and will be in tip-top shape for their main go. Asked what the "skeeterweight" division is, Graves advised that "just stay out of their way when they head for the ring."

The ex-welter king said names of the main event contenders will not be revealed until the night of the contest at the King Korn Carnival.

Permits Required Before Cutting Curb, City Warns

City Councilmen sounded a warning to residents to make certain of permits to cut curbs before any work is done.

The issue was brought to the attention of the council by Street Commissioner Howard Hirz, who told of viewing one such job where a driveway was to be constructed, and where the repair work had not been satisfactory.

Before cutting curb for driveways, property owners are advised that they must seek a permit from the city and work must be done under the supervision of the Streets, Alleys and Bridges committee.

Mrs. Weiler Was Alvo Resident Throughout Life

ALVO (Special) - Funeral services and burial for Mrs. Berdina Weiler, native and lifelong resident of Alvo, were held Monday afternoon with Rev. Leslie Drake officiating. Burial was in the Alvo cemetery.

Born Berdina June Rueter on May 13, 1933 at Alvo, she died at Lincoln August 2, 1953 of injuries suffered in a two-car accident. She was 20 years old.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rueter, she spent her entire life at Alvo. She was a member of the Methodist church and graduated from Alvo high school in 1950.

She was married to Richard Weiler on September 22, 1950, and was the mother of one child, Kenneth, 2.

Surviving are her husband, Richard, a son, Kenneth; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rueter of Alvo; a twin sister, Mrs. Bernice Brannan of Savannah, Ga.; sisters, Mrs. Blanche Moore and Mrs. Doretta Kellogg of Ashland, Mrs. Grace Pollel of Rosebud, Texas, Mrs. Genevieve Stillwell of Eagle and Mrs. Jeanette Brannan of Savannah, Ga.; two brothers, Wilard and Floyd of Alvo.

Two brothers preceded her in death.

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Rainfall Here .10 Inch Monday

Rainfall at Plattsmouth Monday night amounted to .10 of an inch. The light rain fell during the early morning hours Tuesday.

The weather bureau forecasts a return to high temperatures today, continuing throughout the week.

City's Liquor Ordinance Is Altered Slightly

Plattsmouth City Councilmen voted unanimously 3-0 Monday night to adopt an ordinance revising city regulations on liquor. The ordinance was introduced by Councilman Clark Finney. Councilman B. H. G. Eiting was absent.

Finney explained that the ordinance complies all previous ordinance regulations into one law. It provides for only three changes, he told his colleagues.

Changes in the ordinance provide for opening at 6 a. m., corresponding to state law and closing at 1 a. m., also in accordance with the state statute. Previously liquor stores could not open till 7 a. m. and were required to close at midnight.

The new statute also provides a stiffer penalty for violations of the ordinance. Maximum penalty was hiked from \$50 fine to \$100.

Eagles Use 7-Run Fifth To Trip Weeping Water

Scoring heavily in the fifth inning, when seven runs crossed the plate, Plattsmouth Aerie, No. 365, Fraternal Order of Eagles softball team rolled to a 12-5 win over Weeping Water Wednesday night.

Gus Hopkins was in command all the way as the Eagles forged an early lead and were never in danger. Tschirren and Parriott moved the Eagles out front in the first inning 2-0. The Plattsmouth team added one more in the second as Dale Reckard circled the bases, and it was 4-0 after three as Sell and Wilson sent Parriott around.

A scoreless fourth frame set the stage for the seven-run fifth. Tschirren, Parriott, Sell, Reckard, Born, Hopkins and Ahle completed the circuit to boost the count to 11-0.

Gus Hopkins finally tallied in the fifth. Resso's home run was the big blow in the three-run inning.

Plattsmouth completed its scoring with one run in the seventh, and Weeping Water rallied for two more in the bottom of the 7th.

The Eagles turned in one double play in backing Hopkins hurling with fine fielding. It was the Eagles 8th win in 11 games.

Loot from Balfour Farm Home Theft Valued at \$2,000

Value of property stolen from the Vance Balfour home at Nehawka during their absence recently has been estimated at \$2,000. Sheriff Tom Solomon said after a list of the lost articles had been compiled.

That list, including well over 100 articles, was completed this week by the Balfours, who returned from a vacation trip to find that their home had been stripped of articles ranging from bed clothes to dishes.

Carl Charling Was Pioneer State Resident

Carl T. Charling, native of Mead, died at his home at Elmwood on July 26, 1953, at the age of 73.

One of nine children, he was born June 19, 1880, on a farm near Mead settled by his father in 1869. He resided on the farm which his father had homesteaded until it was taken over by the government for the Mead Ordnance plant in 1942.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Wm. Halderman of Gretna and Mrs. Wilbert Ruck of Sterling, Ill.; one son, Eric J. Charling of Elmwood; one brother, Edwin of Oakland and a sister, Mrs. Louise Williams of Idaho Falls, Idaho; and 11 grandchildren.

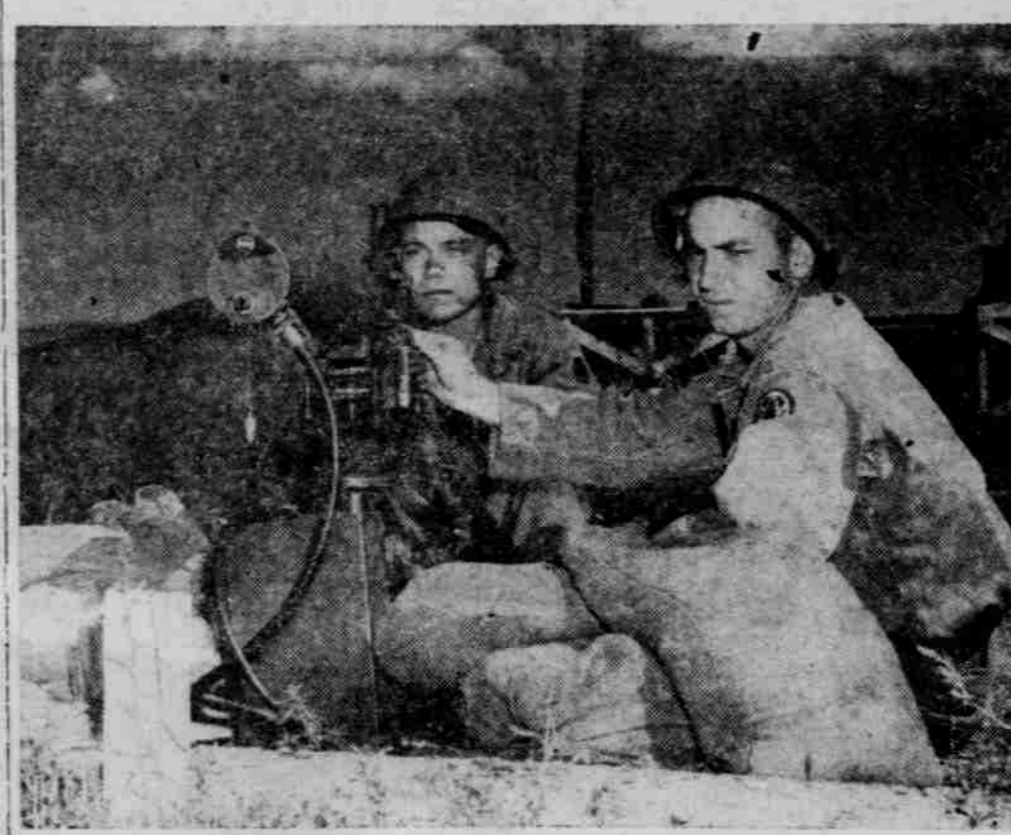
A daughter, Mrs. Winona Richards, preceded him in death.

Pvt. Baumgart To Attend Motor Mechanic's School

CAMP CHAFFEE, Ark. - Pvt. Edward J. Baumgart, husband of Mrs. Edward Baumgart, Plattsmouth, has been selected to attend the 5th Armored Division's Motor Mechanics school.

During the eight-week course, Private Baumgart will be trained in the maintenance, servicing and inspection of military vehicles. The course will include the repair of various types of army vehicles, ranging from the 1/4-ton truck to the 2 1/2-ton heavy duty vehicle.

Reserves Test Machine Gun



Sgt. John Bradley of Plattsmouth feeds in the ammunition while Sgt. William Cecil sights down the range before firing off a burst as training on machine guns was emphasized during the recent two week training camp attended by Plattsmouth's H company, 355th Infantry at Camp Carson. The Reserves returned home last Sunday.

Reserve Training Period One Of Most Beneficial

Active training for the Organized Reserve Corps at Camp Carson in 1953 was one of the most beneficial that Plattsmouth Company H, 355th Infantry, has taken part in, according to Captain Cecil M. Karr, who returned Sunday with members of the Plattsmouth unit.

Advanced training for the majority of the Plattsmouth unit was noted during the 15-day training period which ended with their return here Sunday.

Plattsmouth Reserves fired practically every weapon available at Camp Carson, plus their own individual weapons. In that respect, Merle Bornemeier held the Plattsmouth unit near the top as he posted a 134 record out of a possible 140. It earned him a talk with General Mathew Ridgeway, one of the high ranking military experts to view part of the training program.

Men in the unit fired carbines and M-1's, the 57 and 75 mm recoilless rifles, 30 calibre machine gun, 60 and 81mm mortars, 3.5 and 2.3 rocket launchers or bazookas.

Tactical problems were on the training program during the last three days in camp. The tactical problems were conducted on platoon, company and battalion levels.

For recruits in the Plattsmouth unit, the camp meant full-scale, basic training, a military phase which majority of the Plattsmouth reserves had completed in past training periods or through previous military service.

Aside from the training, Reserves found time on week ends to take in sights at Colorado Springs and eat-by communities, plus natural features of the Rocky Mountains. The appeal was great enough that many reserves remained in the Colorado area for further vacationing.

Eisenhower says U. S. will aid Allies despite Red trade. Delinquency rise is laid to inadequate care by community.

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Among recent sales from shippers from Cass county were Fred and Lyman Rehmeier, 13 steers weighing 950 at \$25; F. O. Sand, 34 hogs weighing 233 at \$23.50 and 9 hogs weighing 255 at \$21.50; H. W. Van Landingham, 4 steers and heifers weighing \$37 at \$23; Charles E. Holka, 16 hogs weighing 189 at \$23.25; M. D. Stander, 8 hogs weighing 264 at \$23.50; Boedecker and Jacobson, 19 steers weighing 1006 at \$25.75; Eldon Panska, 5 heifers weighing 905 at \$25, top for August 6; Boedecker and Jacobson, 20 steers weighing 1044 at \$26; Glen Todd, 23 steers weighing 1251 at \$26; Young and Young, 24 steers weighing 1034 at \$26; Robert Rea, 12 hogs weighing 190 pounds at \$25; August Stohlmann, 8 steers and heifers weighing 867 at \$22.50; and E. F. Stohlmann, 8 heifers weighing 830 at \$22.50.

Avocan's Father Dies; Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Philip Antes, who died at the home of his son, Lloyd Antes of Avoca, were held Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church at Syracuse with the Rev. J. C. Lawson officiating. Burial was at Park Hill cemetery in Syracuse.

Mr. Antes was born March 4, 1875, on a farm northwest of Syracuse and on May 30, 1907,

Mrs. C. T. Jewell, Native Here, Dies Tuesday at McCook

Mrs. C. T. Jewell, native of Plattsmouth and resident here many years, died at McCook, Nebraska, on Tuesday, August 11, 1953, following a long illness.

Mrs. Jewell was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Fitch of Plattsmouth. The Fitches had been at McCook with their daughter for the past several weeks since she returned to Nebraska from California where they had resided for many years.

Born at Plattsmouth in 1910, she was christened Jean Fitch. She graduated from Plattsmouth high school in 1929 and was married a few years later to C. T. Jewell, formerly of Weeping Water.

The Jewells lived at Long Beach, California, until a month ago when they returned to Nebraska because of Mrs. Jewell's ill health.

Surviving are her husband, C. T. Jewell of McCook; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Fitch of Plattsmouth; a brother, Robert Fitch of Holdrege; two sisters, Mrs. Merle Jones of Long Beach and Mrs. John Turner of Brewster, Nebraska.

Funeral arrangements are being delayed pending the arrival of her sister from California. Services will be held at McCook.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at McCook at two o'clock. Hermann Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Graduated from Syracuse high school and the University of Nebraska, he attended the Methodist church and was active in school and community affairs.

Surviving are his wife, Pearl; four sons, Jess of Rifle, Colo., Wesley of Lincoln, Lloyd of Avoca and Harold of Syracuse; and a brother, Joe, of Indiana. Eleven grandchildren also survive.

PURCHASE VEHICLE

Cass county commissioners have accepted a bid of Minor Pontiac for a GMC Suburban for use by the county engineer. A pick-up truck, owned by the county, was traded in on the new vehicle.

AUXILIARY MEMBER

Auxiliary members of the Plattsmouth Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will sponsor a fried chicken supper at the Eagles Hall on Tuesday night, August 25. Serving will be from 5:30 to 7:30.

Cass Members Sit In On Farm Policy Meeting

Farm Bureau board and unit and county resolutions committee members from Cass county participated in a district meeting at Lincoln to discuss the mechanics of the policy discussion process to be used in drafting resolutions for the Cass County Farm Bureau this fall. Seven counties were represented at the Lincoln meeting, including Cass, Otoe, Nemaha, Saline, Sarpy, Saunders and Lancaster.

Those from Mass County Farm Bureau attending included: Frank Warden and Elmer Stoll, Nehawka; Paul Eveland, Richard Pratt, Leroy Cook, and Charles Marshall, Elmwood; Dale Stamer and Robert Wall, Greenwood; John Rieke, Weeping Water; John Christensen and Randall Faris Union, Henry Nolting, Fritz Siemoneit, and Hugo Meisinger, Plattsmouth.

County Farm Bureau President, M. Dale Stander, reported on his return: "The American Farmer must decide what he wants done in the public policy field; and the most effective way to make these decisions known is through organized discussion in county and unit Farm Bureau groups. This is a process Farm Bureau has been using for many years. Our County Farm Bureau and its units are planning to cooperate fully in making it possible for the opinions of farm families in this county to be heard through organized policy discussion meetings."

He said that emphasis has been given to policy discussion meetings through the request of Secretary of Agriculture, Ezra Taft Benson, that the members of the three general farm organizations of the nation make known what they want in the way of farm and public policies. However, he added, the request of the Secretary does not require that Farm Bureau change its methods which have been followed for many years to determine policies of the organization. The request of the Secretary, he said, emphasizes the importance of farm organization members making known what they want.

Secretary Benson asked for discussion of five national and international issues: Farm income stability and improvement; Production and market adjustments; Conservation and improvement of farm resources; Capitol needs of agriculture; and Two-way trade or aid. In addition, Mr. Stander said, Farm Bureau on the national and international level is interested in policy discussion of World Peace; Who shall speak for farmers; The general price level; Federal budget; Role of Government in Agriculture; the Free choice choice system; and Labor-management relationships. Nebraska Farm Bureau members also need policy discussion and formation on such issues as taxes, and assessment, roads, schools, the Constitutional Amendments to be presented at the 1954 election, and other state and local problems.

The Lincoln meeting was one of a series of nine such district meetings held throughout the state. Meetings were scheduled for Fremont, Norfolk, Beatrice, Lincoln, Grand Island, Holdrege, McCook, Ogallala and Scottsbluff.

Commissioners Ray Norris of Weeping Water and Herman Bornemeier of Elmwood and their wives were among guests of the Lincoln Equipment company at a picnic dinner at Antelope park in Lincoln Sunday evening.

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