

## Korn Carnival Dates, Program Tentatively Set

Tentative plans for the 1955 Cass County King Korn Carnival were outlined at a meeting of Carnival officials Thursday at the Plattsmouth armory.

Korn Carnival Chairman Dale Bowman and his committee set the date for the 1955 celebration for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 22-24.

Many changes in the general Carnival routine were discussed and tentatively programmed. The three-day outline of events appeared jammed with entertainment.

Schedule for the festival, as outlined tentatively by the committee:

Thursday — All livestock is to be in place by Wednesday evening with vegetables and other perishables to be in place for judging by early Thursday morning. Judge of 4-H calves, open hog classes, open dairy cattle, Royal Palace judge, hobbies, crafts, (open and 4-H) and flower show will be held on Thursday morning.

In the afternoon Thursday, various forms of street entertainment will take place with regular afternoon features, the entertainment acts and the Korn game, running the first time.

For Thursday evening, the committee is planning to line up a wrestling show.

Four-H and F. F. A. entries will go into competition for trophies this year instead of the regular entry money which has been paid in the past. Also various scholarships are planned.

Friday — In the morning, livestock sale in 4-H, F. F. A. and open classes. In the afternoon, school float parade with contesting bands. At 5 p. m., annual G. I. Day smorgasbord sponsored by the V. F. W. and a band concert. At 7 p. m., merchants parade; at 8:30 p. m., football game; at 9 p. m., downtown street show.

Saturday — At 1 p. m., farmers and laborers parade; parade of bands; street entertainment. In the evening, king and queen coronation followed by home talent radio show.

Sunday afternoon and evening — Horse show.

Senior night and eighth grade graduation will be held tonight (Monday). Baccalaureate services were held Sunday night, May 22.

The class roll:

Larry Boardman, Barbara Christensen, Phyllis Dwinell, Ruth Hermann, Bill Jameson, Terry Jones, Roger Lühring, Junior Massoth, Gayle Meeske, Dale Meisinger, Jack Meyer, Margaret Meyer, Mary Meyer, Richard Nannen, David Nielsen, Alice Plunkett, Larry Schroeder, Perry Sheehan, Lonnie Shumaker, Noreen Slattery, Susan Sponne, Larry Wade, Norma Wade, Clyde Wiles, George Wiles, and Jim Zessin.

Lowther Rites Wednesday At Plattsmouth

Jess Lowther, 79, for many years assistant custodian of the Masonic grand lodge of Nebraska, died Monday morning, May 23, here. He had been a resident of the Nebraska Masonic Home for three years and emeritus assistant custodian of the Grand Lodge.

Mr. Lowther was admitted to the home through Relief Lodge No. 219, A. F. & A. M., at Coleridge.

Arrangements for services are being made at Plattsmouth by the Caldwell-Linder funeral home.

Mr. Lowther is survived by his widow, Estelle A. of Plattsmouth; two sons, James H. Lowther of Hastings and Norris Lowther of Waseka, Minn. One sister, Mrs. Paul E. Gantt of North Platte, also survives.

One daughter, Catherine Lowther, preceded him in death in 1908. A retired farmer, Mr. Lowther lived at Murray until 1907 and taught school and farmed for several years in the Nehawka and Murray communities after coming to Nebraska in 1896 from Carpenter, O., where he was born on Jan. 15, 1876, the son of John and Agnes Lowther. He was married to Estelle Norris at her home near Murray on April 14, 1900.

He had lived at Coleridge for 4 1/2 years before coming to the Nebraska Masonic home three years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m., Wednesday at the Caldwell-Linder chapel in Plattsmouth. Rev. William Wilson will conduct the rites. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery at Plattsmouth.

Visiting hours will be Tuesday afternoon and evening from four to six and seven to nine o'clock at the Caldwell-Linder Funeral home.

Krammolish Rites

Burial will be Wednesday at Omaha for Mrs. Anna Krammolish who died in a hospital there Saturday.

Mrs. Krammolish is a sister of William Swatek of Plattsmouth.

THE WEATHER

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May 19, 20, 21, 22

High Low Free

Thursday 87 47

Friday 90 56

Saturday 86 52

Sunday 86 54

Forecast: Thursday (today) sunny, humid, afternoon cloudy, showers or thunder storms by evening.

## Commencement Exercises Held at Plattsmouth



That their children had a fine education through high school and were entering a modern, complex world where opportunities seem to be unlimited was the message delivered to parents and graduates at the Plattsmouth high school commencement Friday night. Friends and parents packed the house as last exercises were performed for 69 seniors. Dr. G. W. Rosen-

lof of the University of Nebraska was the speaker. Scholarships Plattsmouth superintendent of schools; Dr. W. G. Brooks, president were awarded for various schools and businesses by T. I. Frier, dent of the board of education presented the diplomas; Principal William Floyd presented the class.—(Journal Photo).

## Dr. N. S. Goman Elmwood Talk Eyes Three H's

ELMWOOD (Special) Commencement exercises were held at the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, May 18.

Organ music was furnished by Mrs. Dwight Clements. Other music was presented by class members.

Clark Marshall sang "The Builder." "The Halls of Ivy" was sung by the girls' trio, composed of Martha Ann Stolz, Rae Jean Bornemeier, and Meriwinna Kampman.

Dr. Neal S. Goman, of Peru State Teachers was the speaker. His theme was "Three H's That Win." With the head we think and with the heart we appreciate others.

Salutatorians were Rae Jean Bornemeier and Meriwinna Kampman. Valedictorian was Martha Ann Stolz. Rev. Kampman was devotional leader.

Mrs. Godbey, principal, presented the class and Howard Pool, school board chairman, awarded the diplomas to the class members and to eighth grade graduates. Mrs. Whitmore teacher.

Supr. Ernst, awarded the scholarships. Martha Ann Stolz received a regents alternate, and Meriwinna Kampman a music award.

Annual honors night was held at the community building on Monday. Mrs. Godbey gave attendance and music awards. Thirteen high school students and three grammar room pupils received perfect attendance awards. From an enrollment of 59 in high school, 52 participated in music.

Dr. Wm. Mickelson presented the athletic awards.

Fourteen boys received football letters.

Miss Hagemaster presented Carol Blessing a trophy as outstanding member of the pep club.

The football team was county champion for the second year in Cass County.

Others receiving athletic honors were David Godbey, Ronald Abrams, Elmer Mueller, Eldro Hansen, Richard Thoms, Donna Doebele, Sharon Phillips, Duane Ahrens, and Martha Stolz. Joyce Miller was honored general school activities; Dale Lannin, citizenship, and Clark Marshall for music.

Class roll of graduates follows, eight girls and four boys. Carol Ann Blessing, Rae Jean Bornemeier, Donna Lee Doebele, Phyllis L. Ebeler, Eldro W. Hansen, Meriwinna Kampman, Darlene Ann Krecklow, Dale W. Kunz, Clark E. Marshall, Duane D. Preston, Martha A. Stolz and Arlene J. Wilhelm.

## Louisville Man Killed at Omaha

A sewer line cave-in on an Omaha Street project brought death Thursday to Hobart Allen, 54 Louisville, Neb.

Allen, an employee of the Roebuck Construction Co., Omaha, suffocated after he was buried under four feet of dirt when a wall of a 15-foot ditch collapsed.

Other workers had to dig three or four minutes before reaching Allen. Attempts at artificial respiration failed and Allen was pronounced dead on arrival at Douglas County Hospital.

District school No. 3 held their annual picnic at the school grounds Sunday. Miss Patty Colby is the teacher.

## Hild Services Held on Friday At Plattsmouth

Funeral services for Michael Hild, 64, long time Plattsmouth resident, were held Friday, at Paul's church in Plattsmouth.

Rev. G. E. Seybold conducted the rites. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mr. Hild died Wednesday, May 18, after an illness of four days.

Bearers for the funeral were Raymond Hild, Arthur Hild, Henry Hild, Verner Friedrich, Hugo Meisinger and Harold Meisinger.

Mr. Hild was born on Jan. 14, 1870, at Pekin, Ill., the son of Adam Hild and Elisabeth Katharina Hild. He was married on Feb. 22, 1894 at Plattsmouth to Anne Katharina Meisinger who preceded him in death on May 5, 1934, at Plattsmouth.

Surviving children are Emil Hild, Council Bluffs, Ia., H. Hild, Council Bluffs, Ia., Sophia A. Parkening, Plattsmouth.

Sattler Funeral home was in charge of arrangements of services.

## Alumni Banquet At Weeping Water Set for Friday

WEeping Water high school and academy alumni banquet will be held here Friday, May 27, starting at 7 p. m., it has been announced.

Special guests will be classes of 1955 and 1927. Miss Mildred Hart will also be a guest.

Plymouth Congregational church ladies will prepare and serve the dinner. A dance will follow at the auditorium.

## Bar Fight Here Still Subject Of Investigation

A Saturday night brawl in Plattsmouth, May 7, remained under investigation by the Cass County sheriff's office today.

The fight, in which many were implicated, took place at a local bar and in an alley nearby, according to Sheriff Tom Solomon.

Most of the participants from Weeping Water, Plattsmouth and Iowa.

One man, who was thought to have only a broken nose, has now been revealed to have received a leg broken in three places in the melee, Solomon said. He was Pat Bauer of Weeping Water, who was the most seriously injured.

The Weeping Water delegation told Solomon on investigation that the main fight took place in the bar and then broke out again in the alley. No arrests were made by Plattsmouth police who were at the scene.

Solomon said that county and city officials plan to meet this week to discuss with state officers the increase in the number of intoxicated persons in this area, and a way to curb such violations.

## Divorce Filed

A petition asking divorce has been filed at the office of the district clerk in Plattsmouth by Barbara Haertel against Stanley Haertel. The couple married at Leesburg, Ga., on March 1, 1952. They have one child. She asks the divorce, custody of the child and child support on grounds of extreme cruelty.

A Classified Ad In The Journal costs as little as 35 cents

## Modern Schools Highly Praised By Dr. Rosenlof

"Johnny Can Read." This was one of the points made to parents attending the Plattsmouth high school commencement exercises Friday night by Dr. G. W. Rosenlof, of the University of Nebraska.

Dr. Rosenlof came upon the statement after mentioning a series of articles running in the Lincoln Journal entitled "Johnny Can't Read."

The articles show a complete lack of understanding of what modern education is trying to do, the speaker. Johnny can read as well as his father or better, and he can spell as well except for certain words.

The speaker intimated that the articles were another attempt at a best seller for the author without proper investigation of what children can actually do presently.

Dr. Rosenlof's "Today and Tomorrow" brought an optimistic appraisal of the world today; said our schools are sought after as proved by the many foreign students studying in the United States; and thought he could see evidence now enemies of the United States might be seeing the light and that peace could come within the generation.

He said parents should look to the home life of their children as against too many divs and outside activity. "There are too many sitters," he said.

Dr. Rosenlof saw unlimited opportunities for seniors.

Michael Shellenbarger gave the class salutatory; Hazel Gold gave the valedictory.

Also on the program were Carol Davis and Margaret Eiting; Rev. Keith Delap and Rev. Erwin A. Kiel; the high school boys quartet and a mixed vocal group.

Superintendent T. I. Frier presented the scholastic honors; Principal William Floyd presented the class and Dr. Wiley Brooks, president of the board of education gave out the diplomas.

Hazel Gold was cited as having the highest scholarship of the class.

Scholarships to the University of Nebraska, various state colleges and church colleges went to a group and alternates consisting of Hazel Gold, Jo Ann Egenberger, Sharon Fleischman, Dean Dunham, Michael Shellenbarger, Carolyn Robinson, Mary McCarthy (Legion Auxiliary award); Margaret Svoboda, Joan Mason, Marion Hild (American Loan); Wade Arnold (Nebraska State Trade School at Milton); Michael Shellenbarger also received an appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy but refused it in favor of a reserve appointment in N. R. O. T. C. at Iowa State College at Ames.

William Todd received the Fontenelle Chapter, D. A. R., award for early American history knowledge, of \$5.

A full auditorium of parents and friends were present for the exercises.

Graduating class officers were Sally Quinnett, president; Gover Cundall, vice president; Dennis Ptak, secretary; Havely Sayler, treasurer; Miss Jessie Whalen and Joe York were class sponsors. Faculty annual advisor was Mrs. Barbara Blank.

## Council Will Open Sewer Bids Tonight

Plattsmouth's city council will open bids tonight (Monday) on construction of sanitary sewer on newly created Sewer District No. 11.

Sewer to be constructed consists of 1,299 linear feet on North Tenth street. Engineers estimate of cost is \$4,753.35.

Council meeting opens at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clifford have moved to Colorado Springs, Colo.

## Police Court

Owen Keil was fined \$10 and \$4 costs in Police court for disturbing the peace on charges brought by George Dale Keil. The names were reversed in Thursday's Journal.

William Kemke, Dunbar, Neb., \$10 and \$4 costs, reckless driving.

James W. Cannon, transient, \$10 and \$4 costs, intoxication, confined in jail.

Vernon P. McPeck, Offutt Air Force Base, \$15 and \$4 costs, reckless driving.

Robert Donnell, 916 First avenue, Plattsmouth, \$5 and \$4 costs, disturbing the peace.

Robert Morris, Offutt Air Force base, who was reported to have forfeited a \$7 bond on a charge of running a school sign in Thursday's issue, is not the same person as Robert Morris, 501 Holdrege, Plattsmouth.

## Headon Collision In Weeping Water Injures 5 Persons

WEeping Water — A head-on collision on east Main street here at 10 p. m. Thursday left five persons injured and two automobiles heavily damaged, Cass County Sheriff Tom Solomon reported.

As Solomon reconstructed the accident, a car driven by Mrs. Mary K. Meyer of Weeping Water was parked on the north side of the street, headed west, waiting for some people in a nearby house, when a car coming from the west, driven by John S. Stone of Weeping Water, hit the parked car head-on.

Stone told Solomon that his dog jumped up from the seat and caused him to lose control of the car which struck the Meyer vehicle in the opposite lane of traffic.

Stone received a deep laceration to his tongue. Mrs. Meyer had a possible chest fracture and other injuries.

Other occupants of the Meyer car were Mrs. Eileen Buck, 40, who received head injuries; Marsha Buck, 5, lacerations to the right leg; and Connie Buck, 14 months, who received shock. The Bucks are from Murdock.

Mason Home Resident Dies Here

Mrs. Laura A. Bryant, 93, a resident of the Nebraska Masonic Home at Plattsmouth for the past eight months, died there Saturday, May 21.

Burial will be at Carleton, Neb.

Mrs. Bryant was admitted to the home through Gavel Lodge No. 169, A. F. & A. M. at Carleton.

She is survived by her husband, James H. Bryant; one son, Lyle J. Bryant of Lincoln; two daughters, Mrs. Eulalia M. Sexton, Chamber, Neb., and Mrs. Roma Pearson, of Geneva.

## City Council Buys First Buddy Poppies

Plattsmouth VFW members began with the public servants in the Poppy sale which is due to get under way here Saturday, May 28. Visiting a city council meeting, three officers of the VFW made first sales to the mayor and council.

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