

## Scholar Placings Listed

Plattsmouth High School finished fourth in Division A of the third annual Peru Inter-Scholastic Contest last week, scoring 49 points.

Falls City was first in the division with 101, Nebraska City second with 85½, Auburn third with 67 and Syracuse fifth with 40½.

Weeping Water High finished 12th in Division B with 10 and 5-14ths points. Humboldt won with 45 and 5-14ths.

Individual placings for Plattsmouth:

Suzanne Murdock, first in Literature and first in spelling. Carol Smith, second in Typing.

John Carr, tie for second in Art.

Marilyn Morris, tie for second in English Usage, 4th in Literature.

Leona Chappell, third in American Government.

Janelle Meisinger, third in Home Economics.

Don Yelick, third in Industrial Arts.

Tim Fischer, third in Music.

Marcia Lagerstrom, third in World History.

Helen Heger, fourth in American History.

David Kraeger, tie for fourth in Geometry.

Pat Markham, fourth in Home Economics.

Gary Jenkins, fourth in Spelling.

Judy Armentrout, tie for fifth in English Usage.

Valerie Gorton, tie for fifth in Health.

Glen Pederson, fifth in Industrial Arts.

Individual placings for Weeping Water were:

Dick Elliott, second in Biology, General; tie for fourth in Geometry.

Janice Kassube, tie for third in Art.

Linda Lane, tie for third in English Usage.

Bevely Lee, fifth in American History.

More than 450 students from 31 Nebraska high schools participated. Tests were given in 23 areas with the top five place winners in each area earning points.



FROM ON HIGH — The symbolism of the Cross and the hope the world sees as it looks Heavenward were caught in this photograph taken years ago at Talmage by the Rev. G. E. Seybold, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed Church here.

## Harry Knabe, Nehawka Named Outstanding State Stockman

LINCOLN — A well-known eastern Nebraska swine raiser, Harry M. Knabe of Nehawka, has been named Outstanding Nebraska Stockman for 1961 by the University of Nebraska Block and Bridle Club. His portrait will be placed with those of other outstanding stockmen in Animal Husbandry Hall at the College of Agriculture.

Knabe will be guest of honor at the annual Block and Bridle Club banquet at the University of Nebraska Student Union here Thursday, April 20.

The public is invited to attend the function. Tickets may be secured at \$2 each by writing Block and Bridle Club, Department of Animal Husbandry, College of Agriculture, Lincoln, Nebr. Deadline for purchasing tickets is April 18.

Knabe has been in the purebred Hampshire swine business for approximately 43 years. He is presently serving as vice president of the American Hampshire Swine Association.

## Harold Dukes Named VFW Cmdr.

The VFW meeting held March 28 was presided over by Commander Jack Barnard with 37 members present. Commander Barnard presented the Sixth District Commander A. C. McLean.

Election of officers was held as follows: Commander, Harold Dukes; senior vice commander, Roy Versilius; junior vice commander, Boyd Adams; quartermaster, Fred Staack; surgeon, Leonard Lutz.

Jack Barnard was named trustee for three years and Marshall Hill, trustee for one year.

After the meeting the members enjoyed a chili supper. Commander Barnard was given a standing ovation for the fine work he has done at the Post has the largest number of members at this time than any time in the past.

## Youth Invited to Sunrise Service

All Protestant Youth are invited to attend the Easter Sunrise Services at the Horning Cemetery at 6:15 a.m. Easter Sunday.

Services will be followed by a breakfast served at the Murray Presbyterian Church at 7 a.m. for a fee of 35c.

## Cass County Spellingdown Is Saturday

Saturday, April 1, at 9 a.m. the Cass County Spelling Contest will be held in the District Court Room in the Court House.

The contest under the direction of the County Superintendent of Schools is sponsored by the Omaha World-Herald.

Each school of Cass County is allowed to send a contestant. These contestants are chosen by their schools, usually by a local contest. Each contestant will receive a pen.

Cass County's winner will go to the Midwest Spelling Bee to be held in Omaha May 6 at the Sheraton-Fontenelle Hotel.

Winner of the Midwest Spelling Bee will take part in the National Spelling Bee to be held in Washington, D. C.

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INDIANS GET PLAQUE—Lions Club President L. W. Moore holds the plaque presented here Tuesday night to the Weeping Water High School basketball team. Others shown from left are Co-Capt. Bill Miller, Coach Bob Kremke, Lions Program Chairman Tom Solomon, Co-Capt. Carl Voyles and Speaker Jack Payne of Omaha.

## Union Service Good Friday At Union

UNION — A Community Good Friday Service will be held in Union at the Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.

Special choir selections will be sung by the combined Baptist and Methodist choirs.

Rev. A. L. Embree will be the speaker. The public is invited.

Easter Sunrise service will be observed with the Baptist Church inviting the Methodist Church to participate.

The service will be on the Hill at the Leo Roddy farm at 6:15 a.m. In the event of bad weather, the service will be at the Baptist Church just prior to the 7 a.m. breakfast.

The morning service will be at 10:50 a.m. with the message, "Everyday is Easter in My Heart." Offering will go to the church improvement fund.

The evening service begins at 7:30 p.m. A 40-minute sound color film entitled "Cry of the China Seas" will be shown, presented by the Voice of China and Asia.

## 'Muster Day' Reenactment Here June 11

The board of directors of the Cass County Historical Society met Tuesday night to discuss an "approaching event of great significance."

June 11 will be the centennial of the recruitment of the first Civil War volunteers in Nebraska. Company A, the very first company, was recruited at Plattsmouth, and mustered in Omaha on June 11, 1861. The First Regiment of Nebraska Volunteer Infantry (changed to cavalry in Nov. 1863), was recruited primarily from Plattsmouth, Omaha, Nebraska City, Brownville and Florence.

The Nebraska Civil War Centennial Commission has requested that this centennial be suitably observed, and plans were begun Tuesday night for the Plattsmouth observance. There will be a display of Civil War relics at the Museum, and a reenactment of the mustering service on Main Street.

The Museum directors are ordering a limited number of Company A souvenir plates to sell for the occasion. A history of Company A will appear on the back of the plate.

The Cass County group is also planning to present an art exhibit at the museum in May, with Zilpha Seward as chairman.

May 7 many of the members will attend the State Historical Society meeting at Omaha University.

The first meeting of Junior groups was held Wednesday at the Museum. Alvin McReynolds of Weeping Water displayed some of his locally-collected fossils and rocks, and told the children about them.

Monday the Junior Members will be taken on a field trip to hunt fossils. All members interested should bring lunch, wear warm clothes and overshoes, and be at the Museum at ten o'clock.

## Sunrise Service

EAGLE (Special)—The Sr. MYF of the Eagle Methodist Church is sponsoring Easter sunrise services at 5:30 at the church.

Rolls, cocoa and coffee will be served afterward.



## Good Friday, Easter Services

The following notices of Good Friday and Easter Sunday services were taken from those regularly submitted to The Journal:

Union Good Friday service, 2 p.m., 1st Methodist Church here.

United Youth Sunrise Service, Sunday, 6:15 a.m., Horning Cemetery.

St. Luke's Episcopal—Friday, 12 noon to 3 p.m., Liturgy; Saturday, 4 p.m., First Matins of Easter; Sunday, 7:30 a.m., Communion; 10 a.m., Communion.

Plattsmouth Baptist—Sunday, 11 a.m., Easter services.

St. Paul's E and R—Friday, 7:30 p.m., communion; Sunday, 9:15 a.m., Sunday school Easter program; 10:30 a.m., service with communion.

First United Presbyterian—Sunday, 8:30 and 11 a.m., worship services.

First Methodist—Thursday (tonight), 7:30 p.m., communion service; Sunday, 11 a.m., service.

First Lutheran—Thursday (tonight), 7:30 p.m., communion; Sunday, 9:30 a.m., worship.

First Baptist—Sunday, 11 a.m., worship.

Wesleyan Methodist—Sunday, 11 a.m., worship.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Sunday, 11 a.m., communion.

St. John's Catholic—Friday, 2 p.m. Holy hour; 7 p.m., communion; Saturday, 8 p.m., Easter blessings and mass; Sunday, 6 a.m., 8 a.m., 10 a.m., masses. Immanuel Lutheran, Eagle—Sunday, 10 a.m., services.

Christ Lutheran, Louisville Road—Friday, 7:30 p.m., service with communion; Sunday, 10:30 a.m., services with communion.

EUB, Murdock—Sunday, 6:30 a.m., sunrise services; 9:30 a.m., worship service; 8 p.m., color sound film, "I Behold His Glory."

Immanuel Lutheran, Louisville—Friday, 10 a.m., service with communion; Sunday, 6 a.m., sunrise service; 10:30 a.m., service.

St. Paul Lutheran, Weeping Water—Friday, 7:30 p.m., service with communion; Sunday, 8:30 a.m., service.

Elmwood—Union Good Friday service at 2 p.m. at Elmwood EUB Church; union children's service at 2 p.m. at the Methodist Church.

Elmwood Catholic Church—

## Seniors 'Explore' Today

Sixty-nine Plattsmouth High School seniors today climaxed career days by practice teaching, or visiting local businesses or professional offices.

The annual affair, this year entitled "Choose the Right Path," began with a luncheon at the High School Auditorium, followed by a general session and group meetings with visiting experts in the various fields as leaders.

Supt. O. F. Mussen, Chamber of Commerce Manager Harold Smock, Walter Burns of the State Employment Service, Principal Wayne Rodehorst, Elementary Supervisor James Jennings, Senior Suzanne Murdock who introduced the group leaders and Senior Class President Duane Haith were speakers at the general session.

"Exploration Day" assignments today were (the Chamber sponsoring the business district visits):

Cadet Teachers—English, Judith Armentrout and Albert Wetenkamp.

Speech, Kenneth Price.

Mathematics, Patricia O'Farrell, Larry Toothaker and David Wilson.

Science, Gary Jenkins and Nancy Patras.

Business education, Joyce Buechler and Susan Peteret.

Physical education, John Carr, Duane Haith and Linnea Ingwerson.

Elementary, Shirley Foster, Lois Kellison, Patricia Markham, Janelle Meisinger, Marilyn Morris and Elizabeth Yelick.

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## Weeping Water Champs Honored by Lions Here

It was Weeping Water night at the Tuesday night meeting of the Plattsmouth Lions Club.

The local club was host to the Weeping Water High School basketball team, Class C State Champions, their coach, the cheerleaders, as well as the superintendent and principal of the school.

Speaker of the evening was Jack Payne, sports director of WOW-TV in Omaha, who entertained the members and their guests with anecdotes about the NCAA basketball finals.

He also stressed the importance of team, community, and school spirit in producing a championship team. The lessons learned in athletics will serve as a pattern for your future business or professional life, he said.

Guests from the Weeping Water High School were, the team—Bill Miller, Jack Miller, Carl Voyles, Jim Moore, Wayne Thoren, Jim Potts, Eldon Severn, Lani Beach, Tom Hays, Neal Parsons, Dick Elliott, John Meeske, Jim Dokert and Roger Wiles.

Also, Neal Parsons, superintendent, Coach Bob Kremke, Eugene Wollenberg, assistant coach and Mrs. Florence Paap, principal of the school and the cheerleaders.

Tom Solomon was program chairman and introduced the speakers.

Bill Babbitt presented the trophies won at the Lions Bowling Tournament at Lincoln to Warren Rhylander and Dr. L. A. Amato.

## Severe Eye Injury

Henry Jorgenson, 62, of Avoca was scheduled to undergo surgery at an Omaha hospital today for removal of his right eye, injured in Avoca Thursday night.

Jorgenson told Sheriff's officers he left a business establishment in Avoca Thursday night and went to his room. Later, he suffered a two-inch cut over his right eye, the eye being "forced back" and damaged severely. There was also a fracture of the skull but doctors at the hospital didn't say whether it was recent.

Jorgenson lay in his room until friends found him Saturday morning and took him to the hospital.

An investigation of the room indicates the injury could have been caused as Jorgenson fell against an iron stove, the Sheriff said, and then onto a concrete floor.

## Lincoln Avenue Sewer, Street Receive Attention

Action to levy assessments for benefits from sanitary sewers installed in Lincoln Avenue South and Pleasant Hill 2nd Addition Monday night was postponed at least until April 10, the next regular Council meeting.

The City Council heard further requests for adjustments of assessments for the Lincoln Avenue sewer and scheduled some field trips to inspect certain properties.

Front foot costs of the sewers were \$2.70 on Lincoln Avenue, \$3.03 in Pleasant Hill.

Several persons asked about possibility of getting Lincoln Ave. rocked because of almost impossible driving condition.

They were told the city has been awaiting favorable weather conditions and availability of crushed rock.

Heebner Quarry south of here is the source of rock. A crusher breakdown and inability to get to the quarry because of mud has delayed getting rock.

Monday night, the Council passed a motion to purchase up to \$420 worth of rock for Lincoln Avenue. The money for that purpose is in the current budget.

In connection with maintaining Lincoln Avenue, Mayor Grant Roberts said there is evidently a mistaken impression among some residents along Lincoln Avenue that the city as a whole is obligated to maintain the street.

Evidently, he said, the impression was gained years ago during the time a petition was circulated by residents asking for oiling of the street.

The Mayor read the petition which was the usual type in which residents request oiling and agree to pay for the cost. It was to be done annually for three years.

No reference was made to the city's taking responsibility for maintenance thereafter.

Oiling and paving petitions are initiated by residents along streets.

Rocking of Lincoln Avenue is part of a decision the Council made before the sewer was installed. It was decided to wait until the sewer ditch had a chance to settle before rock was applied rather than to require the contractor to restore only that portion of the street in which the sewer is located.

Monday night, the Council ordered rocking as soon as the street can be prepared for the rock and it is available at the quarry.

The rural mail carrier who travels Lincoln Avenue Monday night also asked for some measure to make the street more driveable. He said he's been stuck and even sustained car damage because of mud.

## Final Plat of 'Heights' Readied

The final plat of Patricia Heights subdivision in south Plattsmouth is being prepared for developer A. B. Rogers.

Rogers told the City Council he hopes to build two pilot homes and that—if paving, sewer and water can be installed—an initial phase of 31 homes might be built within a year.

The Council said it would expect proof of construction contracts for about 15 homes before it undertook the expense of creating the special improvement districts.

Rogers asked if deposit of certified checks to cover special assessments would serve and was told it would if it could legally be done.

A special meeting of the Council with Rogers to consider the final plat of the subdivision is scheduled for Friday night, Mayor Grant Roberts said this morning.

## Land Rights For Dam Site Authorized

The City Council Monday night passed a resolution to purchase land rights for construction of flood control dam 12-A just south of Valley View.

The resolution authorized expenditure of \$4,000 from the flood control fund for the purpose. C. J. Schneider owns the land concerned.

Some details of the arrangement are still to be worked out. The easement for Dam 4-A in north Plattsmouth near Winters Trailer Court was obtained earlier.

Construction of those two dams, federal funds to pay the entire cost of construction, is expected this summer.

Minor revision of plans is being done by the Soil Conservation Service.

## Decision by Liquor Commission Expected Soon

The State Liquor Control Commission Wednesday privately and separately heard testimony from Raymond Uher and his counsel and from the City of Plattsmouth.

An official hearing on an appeal by Uher of a 25-day suspension of his off-sale liquor license by the City Council was scheduled for Wednesday but cancelled after Uher pleaded guilty to the charge before the Commission Tuesday.

Wednesday, Uher and Francis Casey, his attorney, had an audience with the Commission.

Later, Mayor Grant Roberts, Councilmen L. W. Moore and Warren Rhylander and City Attorney Harold Lebens were heard by the Commission.

Notice of the Commission's decision is expected soon.

Uher, in a hearing before the City Council, admitted a clerk in his liquor store, Ray's Liquor, had sold whisky and beer to a minor serviceman. The Council ordered a 25-day suspension.

Before it became effective, however, District Judge John M. Dierks issued an order temporarily restraining the Council from putting the suspension into effect. Later, the order was continued for 60 days.

## Street Improvement District for Ave. G?

A motion to create a street improvement district for Avenue G from 8th to 11th was passed Monday night by the City Council.

The City Attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance creating the district.

Under Plattsmouth's present municipal classification, such districts are formed in one of two ways—1. by petition of at least 60 per cent of resident owners of property abutting the proposed improvement; or 2. by resolution of necessity by the Council.

In the latter case, the district is formed, unless 51 per cent or more of the resident owners of abutting property object.

## See Sample Ballots In This Issue

Samples of the ballots to be voted here April 4 in the Municipal and Board of Education elections can be found on Page 4 of section B of The Journal today.

Two members will be named to the Board of Education of School District No. 1.

A City Councilman from each of the 1st and 2nd Wards will be elected.

## THE WEATHER

Date	High	Low	Precip
Monday	43	34	.00
Tuesday	34	32	.00
Wednesday	48	27	.00

Forecast: High in upper 40's; low in 30's. Partly cloudy and warmer.

Sun sets tonight at 6:46; rises Friday at 6:11 a.m.

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