

'Fashions Follow Business Curves'

"Fashion and Colifurps follow business curves, according to a recent study of fashion and economic history." So say the committee women of the Women's Division of the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce.

Committees are busy in the final plans for staging the annual style show "Memorable Moments" here March 21.

When times are good, according to a study, the dress of mid-lady and the hairstyles, are high, wide and handsome with definite tail trends. The Gibson Girl look of the early 1900 was

full fashioned in dress and in hair, but plunged to a style close to the head and a simple cut to the gown in the panic of 1907-08.

After the First World War and a rally in our economy came a revolution known as The Vamp Look with carefree dress and a decorative, puffy hairstyle. With the stockmarket crash of 1929 came the tailored, mannish dress and the soft fingerwaves.

The 1940's and World War II, dress and hairstyles grew in height, length, and width. The shoulder length hairstyle was topped by an upsweep in pompa-

dors. Skirts dropped to a new low with at least 4 or 5 inches below the knee.

Again after a rally in 1953 of the national economy we were treated to the Sack Dress with a forerunner in hair styles known as the Bouffant, then came the Bubble, and knees began to appear as the hemline rose higher and higher. The Beehive topped all in hairstyle during the 1950's.

Today's market is reputed to be steady and the styles are not as short in dress but the simple, smart cut prevails. The dress is matched in elegance with smooth, sleek structure of hair known as Dancing Hair.

Plattsmouth Baptist Dedicates New Church Building Sunday

Plattsmouth Baptist Church Sunday will hold its dedicatory services and an open house for guests of the church.

Three years have passed since the Plattsmouth Baptist Mission was formally constituted into the Plattsmouth Baptist Church. For the 170 members of the church, these have been years of a "dedicated effort," according to the Rev. Calvin Miller, pastor of the church.

Sunday's services "will not mark a cessation of that effort but it will be a significant milestone in the history of the Plattsmouth Baptist Church," Rev. Miller said.

Southern Baptist Church in Plattsmouth before 1960.

The Rev. Meeler Markham, secretary of Missions in the Kansas-Nebraska area will speak at the morning service Sunday and assist in the dedicatory service.

The Rev. Quentin Lockwood, superintendent of Missions for Eastern Nebraska, will offer the dedicatory prayer.

After the afternoon service, guests of the church will be hosted at a reception and open house to get acquainted and see the building.

The church is on U. S. 34 in South Plattsmouth near the junction of State Highway 66.

A complete review of these styles will be brought to you in the Annual Spring Fashion Show, March 21, High School Auditorium under the direction of the Women's Division of the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce.

The annual show here is free, open to the public. Doors open at 7 p.m. for the merchants' showing, and the style show is at 8 p.m.

Parking Privileges Subject for Council

Exemption from parking regulations does not apply to members of the Selective Service Board, the City Council decided Monday night after a discussion.

The Council had been informed that past practice was for the city to extend such exemption to the Draft Board.

The consensus was that the board's type of function does not set it apart from several other public service bodies which are subject to parking regulations.

Gifts to Library

Mrs. Catherine Wiles recently presented these books to Plattsmouth Public Library:

Richard Collier, A House Called Memory; and Jane Huff, Whom the Lord Loveth; Man From Cyrene by Frans Venter; Reflections by Harold Z. Kohn.

Our Lady of Loretto Court No. 709, Catholic Daughters of America, has given a subscription to the America Magazine to the Public Library.

All But One City Council Nomination Now Filled

Announcement of three nominees for City Council today brought the slate for the April 2 Municipal Election to within one (Republican, 1st Ward) of being filled.

The Democratic City Committee filed nomination of Sterling Cole for Councilman from the 1st Ward. He replaces A. W. Huesner, incumbent who was nominated at the Feb. 25 Caucus but who later declined.

Republican City Chairman Bruce Gold announced Ray Smock would be the party's candidate for Councilman from the 3rd Ward and that Warren

Rhylander, incumbent serving his second term as Councilman from the 4th Ward, had agreed to seek re-election. Those two replace Robert Alm and Clark Finney, nominated at the Feb. 26 GOP Caucus who later declined to run.

The Republicans still seek a replacement on the ballot for Robert Hirz who declined after nomination by the Caucus.

Other candidates: Democrats—Robert Aspedon, 2nd Ward, and Raymond Fuller, 3rd Ward, incumbents; and Republicans—Carl Tiekotter Sr., 2nd Ward.

Breakin Reported At Sports Hall

The Sports Hall here was broken into early Wednesday morning and about \$26 in change and several cartons of cigarettes were stolen.

Entrance was made through a rear window after a storm window was removed. Exit was through the back door.

The Sheriff's Office was notified and is investigating.

16th St. Paving District Re-created

The City Council Monday night passed Ordinance 1043, again creating a street improvement district for 16th Street from 2nd Avenue to the south line of Ruben's Addition.

A similar district had been created previously, a petition of objection had been circulated and objection proved sufficient. However, one of the objectors changed his mind and wanted his name removed from the petition.

To avoid legal entanglement, the original ordinance was repealed and procedure begun anew.

Marion J. Thacker, 71, Union Native, Dies in Omaha

Marion J. Thacker, 71, Omaha, a former Union and Plattsmouth resident, died at an Omaha hospital March 13. He had been in failing health the past three years.

He was born at Union, son of John P. and Tobitha Thacker, and lived on a farm.

During his residence in Plattsmouth he was employed at the B.R.E. At Omaha he was an electrician until his retirement three years ago.

His wife, Mrs. Laura Smith Thacker, survives as well as his sister, Mrs. Rose Thacker Young, both of Omaha.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 9 a.m. at Crosby-Kunold Funeral Home, Omaha.

Burial will be in East Union Cemetery, Union.

Scout Troop 399 Marks 1st Anniversary

Sunday evening Boy Scout Troop 399 sponsored by VFW Post 2543 held a buffet dinner at the Post Home to mark their first year as a troop.

Mrs. Charles Mattox, chairman, was assisted by Institutional Representative, Charles Ault.

The troop officers—Eugene Fogelstrom, awards chairman; Charles Ault, Institutional Representative and chairman; Fred Fischer, assistant Scoutmaster and co-ordinator for the troop; Calvin Barnes, assistant Scoutmaster and camping; Charles Mattox, treasurer and Harry Porter, Scoutmaster—were introduced by chairman Mattox.

The boys introduced themselves and their parents.

Serving the dinner were Sophia Wolever, Pearl Myers, junior girls' auxiliary chairman, and the girls of this organization.

Following the dinner, the Scouts presented skills for the parents.

Guests were Mrs. Charles Ault and Chuckie who is a member of Troop 369, and Mrs. Harry Porter and David, who is a member of Cub Pack 399.

Troop 399 originated with five boys Feb. 23, last year, with a loan of \$15 by the VFW Post and \$5 donated by Glen Sawin. The troop now has 25 boys.

To boost the treasury, hand-

books were delivered, knives and Christmas trees were sold. Now the troop has camping equipment and has had 220 boys night camping.

Service projects included planting trees at Camp Harriet Harding at Louisville; assisting with VFW Poppy Sales, and have just completed the Good-Will Bag pick-up with other Cubs and Scouts of Plattsmouth.

"Scouts of this troop are grateful to residents of Plattsmouth for the help they received their first year, and it is their wish that they repay in a small part in good turns to the community," a spokesman said.



TELEPHONE HOUR—The telephones in Sweet Apple are quite busy when Kim and Hugo get pinned. Above, a portion of the Concert Choir was caught rehearsing for the Telephone Hour. For the whole story, come and see Bye Bye Birdie tonight and Friday night at 8 o'clock at the High School Auditorium.

Bye Bye Birdie Plays Here Tonight, Friday

The leads are played by John Wetenkamp and Marilyn Koubek, Conrad's manager and secretary.

Claire Julian portrays Kim, a teen-age girl, who "wins" a good-bye kiss from Conrad.

The show will begin at 8 p.m. this Thursday (tonight) and Friday in the High School Auditorium. Tickets will be on sale at the door at \$1.00 for adults, \$75 for high school and \$50 for K-8.

SEE YOU THERE!!!!

Alan McClanahan, 52, Dies Wednesday; Funeral Saturday

Alan T. McClanahan, 52, died at 10:50 p.m. Wednesday at Veterans Hospital, Omaha. He had been in failing health since 1961.

He was born in Hickman, Neb., April 10, 1910, son of Robert and Margaret Warren McClanahan. He was married to Ruth Janda Feb. 14, 1939, at the Holy Rosary Church, Plattsmouth.

His wife survives as well as their son, Charles Alan; his mother, Mrs. Jon Black, all of Plattsmouth; sister, Mrs. Virginia Kling, Chappaquia, N. Y.; brothers, George McClanahan, Chappaquia and Robert McClanahan, Plattsmouth.

He lived most of his life in Plattsmouth; was graduated from the Plattsmouth High School in 1929. He was in the service during World War II for three years and was in the South Pacific.

He was employed with the Corps of Engineers for the past 20 years, was chief inspector of rivers and harbors.

He held membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and the American Legion; was a member of the Holy Rosary Church.

Funeral services will be Saturday morning at 10 at Holy Rosary Church with The Rev. Fr. Walter Banach officiating.

Rosary recitation is Friday at 8:30 p.m. at the Caldwell Chapel with visiting hours from 4 to 6 and 7 to 9 Friday afternoon and evening at the Chapel.

Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, west of Plattsmouth.

Caldwell Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

City Council Creates 5 More Paving Districts

The City Council Monday night created five more street improvement districts in what is looming as one of the biggest paving programs the city will ever have had.

The Council and Street Commissioner are working to amass as large a program as possible to seek most favorable bid prices when a letting is held.

Three districts are ready to go. Two more are in the process of being ready, pending passage of deadlines for objection.

The 16 districts would include 39 blocks of paving.

Created Monday night were districts for:

- S. 16th Street from Avenue C, two and one-half blocks south to connect with paving at the alley north of Main Street.
- 4th Street from 2nd to 3rd Avenues.
- 1st Avenue from 13th to 16th Streets and 15th Street from 2nd Avenue to Main Street.
- 7th Street from 5th to 6th Avenues.

'Flapjack Party' Popular Study Exercise Here

Tuesday morning, Wintergreen School's Second Grade "Cowboys" and "Cowgirls" prepared and served flapjacks to the school's First Graders (and to themselves) in an unusual application of a study unit on "The Cattle Country."

Pupils of Mrs. Lucile Rosencrans who teaches those grades were dressed Tuesday in western outfits and eagerly took part in the "indooors outing."

The second graders through this annual event learn to read directions and figure measurements. They prepared real flapjacks (although the Old West yielded to the modern by use of a prepared mix and ate them with appreciation.

The real flapjacks were turned over carefully in the conventional housewife manner but imitations made of modeling clay were flipped over in the typical cowboy's manner.

Other activities enriching study of the Cattle Country will for the pupils be rope spinning, harmonica playing, jassoning of cowboy hats and reading all available books on cowboys.

Mrs. Rosencrans said.

RADIO STOLEN

A \$55 transistor radio was stolen Tuesday morning from a locked truck parked at Four Corners of the Rock Bluff Road southeast of Plattsmouth.

Warren Buescher of St. Joseph, Mo., had parked the pickup truck there while he caught a ride to a rock quarry along the river.

A few hours later he returned to find a window broken and the Motorola radio gone.

The Sheriff's Office investigated.

A Classified Ad in The Journal cost as little as 50 cents.

More Like It!

By P. J. DINGMAN

February was quite warm as the average high and low were 39.29 and 16.99 respectively.

The warmest day was a sizzling 56.9 on the 5th.

The coldest day was a cool -2.8 on the 21st.

Precipitation mounted to .36 of an inch on 4.3 inches of snow.

Snowfall so far this season has totaled 34.8 inches.

It looks as if spring is finally showing through the cloud cover after quite a winter. Highs are forecast to be in the 50's on Friday.

Time	Day (P.M.)	Pres.	Hi	Lo	Prec.
Mon.	7:15	39	43	33	.00
Tues.	5:30	34	39	31	.18
Wed.	6:30	33	38	31	.16
Ave.	6:25	35	40	32	—
					Total .34

Legionnaires To Observe Birthday

American Legionnaires of Hugh J. Kearns Post 55 here in Plattsmouth will join their nearly three million comrades of more than 16,000 posts throughout the nation and overseas in a gigantic birthday celebration, 15-17, Post Commander Merle D. Meisinger, announced today.

Focal point of the gala anniversary observance in Plattsmouth will be a birthday party on the night of March 16 at the 40 & 8 Club.

Commander Meisinger said all details for the event are under the supervision of a special committee.



FLIPPIN' THE FLAPS—Billy Hobbs turns a flapjack while classmates queue up for seconds during Tuesday's Cowboy Breakfast at Wintergreen School. Others shown are Karen Buck, Kenneth Woods and Steven Simons, right. (For photo of entire class which "went western," see Page One, Section B).



FIRST BIRTHDAY—Scouts, Scoutmasters and Committeemen of Troop 399 gathered around one of the cakes which were part of the fare Sunday when the Scouts and their parents and the Scouters had a party to celebrate one year as a troop.