



WELCOMING guests to the Fashion Show was R. R. Furse, manager of the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Furse is shown above "after the show" announcing door prize winners. Gifts were donated by local merchants. Assisting Mr. Furse are Peg Aspedon and Theresa Engelkemier who also modeled fashions, and Mrs. Chas. Ault, who was in charge of registration and merchants' gifts. — Photo by Steward Studio

## Style Show Continues To Increase In Popularity, 'Full House' Shows

Increasing in popularity is the annual Fashion Show staged by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with Plattsmouth merchants. This was proven Thursday night as the High School Auditorium was "a full house" for the 1962 Show.

Doors opened at six o'clock for the early arrivals who registered for door prizes and viewed the booths of merchants who displayed new merchandise.

Committees worked diligently the past few weeks with Mrs. Jack Brookhouser as general chairman and Mrs. Marie Richards as co-chairman of the fashion show. Mrs. Zulemma Dye is the Division's president.

Mrs. Brookhouser narrated, "Memorable Moments," theme of the style show was well chosen as fashions from the past intermingled with the present brought back memories to many and laughter to the younger set.

In either case, the show was a rousing success amid stage decorations of Gazebo, water fountain and spring flowers. The art work was done by Mrs. Brookhouser and Mrs. Earl Carr. Artificial flowers were fashioned by Mrs. William Maston.

Opening the show were style show entertainers, the high school boys quartet of John Wetenskap, Roger Roberts, Bob Painter and Roger Hutchinson. Vickie FitzPatrick was piano accompanist.

Other entertainment was by Suzanne Solomon, dance soloist, Mrs. Chester Wiles was her accompanist.

Models were:

Jeff Bell, Laurie Schneider, Sandra Allgeier, Jeannette Long, Betty Newsom, Scott Smith, Vera Wurga, Cheryl Toman, Beth Donan, John Shiffer, Mary Beth Wurga, Dixie Wilson, Ed Pohlmeier, Hilda Williams, Helen Altschaff, Larry Smith, Lita Herre, Thelma Baker, Theresa Engelkemier, Debby Dillon, Steve Wurga, Jeannie Williamson, Cynthia Begley, Doris Hinz, Judy Saliers, Shirley Wurga, Mike Ferguson.

Martha Winters, Pat Bosking, Judy Winters, Cindy and Gregg Born, Ken Rhylander, Marlene Clark, Sharon Hamilton, Janice Schneider, Susan Ofe, Don Bell, Gary Brecken, Alice Frady, Janice Freeberg, Karen and Susan Dillon, Julie Turner, Roger Roberts, Vickie FitzPatrick, Clair Julian, Donna Campbell, Dixie Wurtele, Scott Smith, Fred Busch, Mrs. Ora Majors, Margaret Fitch, Linda Morehead, Peg Aspedon, Connie Rhylander, Linda Ahrens, Linda Engelkemier, Bill Nettelmann, Mary Huebner, Lowell Johnson, Barbara Heffelfinger and Jan Miller.

Fashions were shown by the following merchants: Gene's Bootery, Soennichsen's, the Beauty Box, Style Shop, Smith's Men's Wear and Wee Wardrobe. Old Style Fashions were through the courtesy of Mrs. Newton Sullivan, Mrs. R. B. Hayes and Mrs. L. D. Hiatt.

Display booths were by Knorr's Store, Grove's Jewelry, Brown Floral, Soennichsen's Inc., Russ Nielsen—Marshall Nursery, John's Sales and Service, Gene's Bootery, Gambles Store, Plattsmouth Lumber Co., Biles Paint Store, the beauty box, Western Power and Gas, Scanlan Bros. Appliance, Cass Drug, Linder Firestone and Swatek Hardware.

Other chairmen of the fashion show were: Script, Mrs. Raymond Bourne, decorations and scenery, Mrs. Earl Carr; background music, Carol Smith; stage flowers, Mrs. William Maston; publicity, Mrs. Paul Saliers; registration and door prizes, Betty Ault; programs, Mrs. Ron Furse; make-up, Louise Berlett, Hilda Williams and Dorothy Meisinger; usherettes, Ok-Yo-Kwa Camp Fire.

## Awards Listed for Pageant

Selection of the trophies and awards to be given in the Miss Plattsmouth Pageant, May 12 has been completed, according to Nathan Nash, general chairman of the Miss Plattsmouth Pageant committee.

These awards and trophies have been provided by a group of civic-minded local merchants. The winner of the pageant, in addition to receiving a loving cup topped by a winged victory figure, donated by Pepsi-Cola, will receive a dinner dress from the Beauty Box, a hair fashion and set from Esther's House of Beauty, a pair of shoes from Gene's Bootery, a piece of luggage from Smith's Mens Wear, a daytime dress from Soennichsen's, and a bathing suit from the Style Shop.

The young lady who places second will receive a loving cup, also donated by Pepsi-Cola. If for any reason the winner of the Miss Plattsmouth Pageant could not attend the state Miss Nebraska Pageant then the runner up would represent Plattsmouth. A third trophy will be awarded to the girl who wins the Miss Comprehensibility award. This award is based on the "sweetness and graciousness of a contestant, as well as her thoughtfulness and unselfishness during the work in preparing for the pageant." The judges are a very strict panel for they are the contestants themselves.

In the near future it is planned to have these trophies as well as the winner's crown displayed in downtown Plattsmouth. Nash urged anyone who knows a personable and talented young lady who lives in Cass Co. to nominate her by filling out an entry blank which can be obtained at the office of the Western Power and Gas Co.

The deadline for nomination is April 1.

## Mrs. C. A. Johnson, 80, Dies Saturday; Funeral Tuesday

Mrs. Carl A. (Hanna Victoria) Johnson, 80, died Saturday morning at St. Catherine's Hospital in Omaha.

Hanna Victoria was born Oct. 6, 1882, at Smolands, Sweden, daughter of Jonas Alfred and Hilda Sophia Ingstom Larson. She was married Dec. 6, 1901, to Carl A. Johnson, Plattsmouth. Her husband and 10 children survive.

Her parents, two brothers, two sisters and an infant son preceded her in death.

Surviving children are Mrs. Alice Staats, San Gabriel, Calif.; Theodore B. Johnson, Sedalia, Mo.; Elmer E. Johnson, San Bernardino, Calif.; Herbert W. Johnson, Tucson, Ariz.; Mrs. Hilda Thee, Sacramento, Calif.; Mrs. Vera Crandell, Plattsmouth; Alvin H. Johnson, Pittsburg, Calif.; Mrs. Elva Inman, Louisville, Mrs. Norma Miller, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Mrs. Gloria McCarty, Redding, Calif.; 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

## John R. Stine Dies Saturday; Funeral Today

John Roy Stine, 75, died at a nursing home Saturday morning. He was born Nov. 11, 1887, west of Union, the son of John and Catherine Tyson Stine.

He was married Nov. 25, 1914 in Omaha to Ida Iowa Sydeman. She preceded him in death Dec. 15, 1952.

Mr. Stine worked for the Missouri Pacific Railroad, Glen L. Martin Bomber Plant and the Corp of Engineers. He was a member of First Christian Church, Plattsmouth.

Funeral services were today (Monday) at 2 p. m. at the First Christian Church with Rev. J. W. Taenzler officiating. Visiting hours were Sunday afternoon and evening at Caldwell Funeral Home who was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Chester Sporer, Frank Cheval, Reuel Sack, Phil Rihn, Ward Schade and Roy Carey.

Music was furnished by a quartet from his church. Burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery.

## CITY COUNCIL TONIGHT

The City Council will meet at 7:30 tonight at City Hall for its second regular meeting of March. Consideration of ordinances creating street improvement districts is expected to be on the agenda of business.



CONGRATS—Mary Svoboda, Cass County's 1963 spelling champion, is congratulated by tators Saturday in the District Courtroom of John Meyer, the runnerup, just after Miss Svoboda wins the title.

## Mary Svoboda Wins County Spelling Contest Saturday

Mary Svoboda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Svoboda of Plattsmouth, Saturday won the annual Cass County spelling contest over 25 other contestants representing county schools or school districts.

An 8th grader at St. John's School, Miss Svoboda won by spelling correctly the word "satellite" which the runnerup, John Meyer of Plattsmouth Junior High, had misspelled and then she correctly spelled "rheumatism."

Miss Svoboda will, as winner of the Cass County contest, be an entrant in the upcoming World-Herald Midwest Spelling Bee in Omaha April 20.

Four years ago, Mary's sister, Cathy, won the Cass County contest and took part in the Midwest Spelling Bee.

Other contestants here Saturday were:

Dorothy Lepert, District 2; Penelope Moore, District 5; Rock Bluff; Nancy Ramberg, District 6; Rock Creek; Chris Thiel, District C-7; Murdock; Peggy Hostetter, District 10; Erwin; Michael Kovar, District 12; Taylor.

Jan Wolfe, District 17; Union; Deanna Bond, District 20; Avoca; Dale Parson, District 22; Weeping Water; Dorothy Gerds, District 26; Stull; Donna Gilbert, District 30; Cullom; Cheryl, Elston, District 31; Cedar Creek.

Pamela Pittback, District 32; Louisville; Roger Gaebel, District 33; Dutch Academy; David Thlessen, District 41; Pleasant Ridge; Tony Ballain, District 42; Bestor; Raymond Jacobs, District 45; Little Brick; Danny Falcone, District 47; Glendale.

## Gifts for Church At Weeping Water

WEeping WATER (Special) — Several members of the Weeping Water Christian Church have presented gifts for the church sanctuary recently.

LeRoy Zessin gave two gold flower vases for the front of the church sanctuary in memory of his wife, Nettie Zessin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mayfield of Louisville presented a large bronze cross for the communion table and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knaup presented drapes for the church sanctuary.

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Physics — Richard Elliott, Weeping Water, 1st.

Typewriting 1—Sandra Jameson, Weeping Water, 4th.

World History—Mary Livingston, Weeping Water, 4th.

## Clemens R. Hill Dies Saturday Rites Held Sunday

Clemens Robert Hill, 75, of La Platte died at Steffan Nursing Home Saturday morning.

He was born July 18, 1887 at Fort Lyons, Colo., the son of Milton and Celestia Shouls Hill. He was never married.

Nearest surviving relative is an uncle, George Shouls, Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. Hill was a retired farmer. He lived in Bellevue at one time and in La Platte the past 13 years. He was a member of the Royal Neighbors.

Funeral services were Sunday at 2 p. m. at Caldwell Funeral Home, Plattsmouth with Rev. J. W. Scott, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating. Visiting hours were Saturday afternoon and evening at the chapel.

Mrs. Tayla Hodge had charge of the music.

Burial was in the La Platte Cemetery.

## Attend Institute

Last Monday, County Supt. Neil Lanester and Mrs. Floyd Becker, Principal of Murray School, were in Lincoln where they attended an all-day institute on language arts and modern arithmetic, held at Lincoln Hotel.

The institute was sponsored by Scott, Foresman and Company. The institute-goers were guests of the company at a noon luncheon.

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## WW 1 Vets Install Officers

The 1963 officers of Cass County Barracks 1775 of the Veterans of World War I were installed at their regular meeting Friday night at the 40 and 8 Clubrooms in Plattsmouth.

Elmer Churchill, Past Commander of the Department of Nebraska was the installing officer with James Delehant, also a Past Commander of the Nebraska Department, acting as Sergeant at Arms.

The following officers were installed:

Commander, H. M. Johnson; Senior Vice Commander, R. T. Cuthrell; Junior Vice Commander, Norman Thompson; Quartermaster, E. O. Vroman; Adjutant, John Ahrens; Chaplain, Joe Zastera; Judge Advocate, Herman Ellingson; Service Officer, Glen Sawin; Trustees, Dr. Joe Stibal; Joe Zastera and Lester Dalton; Sergeant-at-Arms, Edgar Glaze.

The meeting was preceded by a covered dish fish fry to which all World War I veterans of Cass County and their wives were invited.

After the meeting, Mrs. James Delehant, 6th District President of the Ladies Auxiliary of the organization in Nebraska, and Mrs. Elmer Churchill, Chief of Staff for the Ladies Auxiliary of the organization in Nebraska, met with the wives of the veterans for the purpose of organizing an Auxiliary unit for the local Barracks.

A unit was organized with 11 ladies signing to join that evening as charter members, after which officers were elected for the unit, as follows:

Mrs. H. M. Johnson, president; Mrs. August Gall, Senior Vice President; Mrs. Edgar Glaze, Junior Vice President; Mrs. "Cap" Gayer, Secretary; Mrs. Herman Ellingson, Treasurer; Mrs. Joe Zastera, Chaplain; Mrs. E. O. Vroman, Guard; Mrs. Lester Dalton, Conductress; Mrs. R. T. Cuthrell, Mrs. John Ahrens and Mrs. Glen Sawin, Trustees.

The charter will be held open for 90 days for others who may wish to become Charter Members of the organization.

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