



Big Things A-Brewin' . . . in 'Our Town'

'Our Town', Senior Class Play Friday at 8 p. m.

BY ROGER HUTCHINSON

The above picture represents one of the great scenes of OUR TOWN. The picture shows Emily Webb playing to her mother played by Vicky FitzPatrick.

In this particular incident, Emily Webb has returned from the grave to relive her 12th birthday.

Looking on is the stage manager played by Tom Dillon.

It is here that Emily Webb wonders whether human beings ever really realize life while they live it. This scene also gives one of the tremendous philosophies of life that Thornton Wilder has put into this great play.

This scene is just one of the many inspirational scenes of the play. It is the opinion of the members of the cast that every person who witnesses this play will be moved in the very deepest way.

Each member of the cast has worked very hard to develop

Pre-Contest Concert Here Sunday at 2

The annual spring pre-contest concert will be held Sunday, April 21 in the High School Auditorium at 2:30 in the afternoon. The program will consist of contest selections from the instrumental and vocal departments.

Among the small groups participating will be the Girls Quartette, Madrigal, Triple Trio, Snare Drum Trio, Clarinet Choir and Brass Sextette.

Vocal solos will be presented by Clair Julian, John Welenkamp, Robert Painter, Margaret Taenzler and Vicky FitzPatrick. Instrumental soloists will be Roger Hutchinson, Linda Slander, Marilyn Hutchinson, Ken Meisinger, Jim Lutz, Roger Roberts, Patricia Hollway and Philip Fischer.

The Girls Glee Club, mixed chorus and the Band will also present their contest numbers.

A Classified Ad in The Journal cost as little as 30 cents

Drive Started for Chairs for Public Library Auditorium

By MRS. JOAN LANG Librarian, Public Library
The Plattsmouth Public Library has opened a city-wide public drive to purchase new metal folding chairs for the Library Auditorium.

The goal is to have the chairs purchased in time for use during the children's summer program, which starts in July.

The older wooden chairs now being used are broken and beyond repair. Their condition has made them unsafe.

This is an excellent opportunity for the public to participate in the modification program of the Library, which has been underway the past year.

Projects already completed include the new lighting system, new window shades and bulletin boards.

the character of the person he portrays. It is with this hard work that we hope to make this one of the greatest productions to be presented at Plattsmouth High School.

It is the hope of the senior class that as many people as possible will come to witness this great play.

The play is being presented Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the High School Auditorium. Hope to see you there.

Earl C. Marler, 64, Dies Monday; Funeral Today

Earl C. Marler, 64, 1603 Hill St., Plattsmouth, died Monday, April 15, on the highway seven miles south of Shelby, Neb. He was an employee of the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

He was born June 3, 1898, at Plattsmouth, son of Frank A. and Esther Alix Marler. On Dec. 21, 1937, he was married to Eleanor Ramage at Marysville, Kan.

His wife survives, as well as two daughters, Mrs. Philip (Charlotte) Lawrence, Farmer City, Ill., Mrs. Alan (Jean) Wiles, Claudia and Billie Jo Marler; son, Larry Marler, all of Plattsmouth; three grandchildren; and brother, Frank Marler, Murray.

A son, Bill Clem, was killed in World War Two in 1946 on Saipan. Mr. Marler worked for 10 years as a car salesman for the Ford Garage, Plattsmouth. He was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and the War Dads.

Funeral services were today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. at Caldwell Chapel with the Rev. James Stroh of St. Paul's United Church of Christ officiating. Mrs. Ferd Nolte was organist and Mrs. Twyla Hodge was soloist.

Palbearers were Roy Beins, Ray Herring, Harry Tinscher, Fred Vincent, George Winscot and Chester Wiles.

Burial was in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, southeast of Plattsmouth. Visiting hours were Wednesday afternoon and evening at Caldwell Funeral Home.

John A. Johnson, 70, Nehawka, Dies; Funeral Friday

NEHAWKA — John Albert Johnson, 70, resident of near Nehawka all his life, died Tuesday morning at a Nebraska City hospital. He had recently undergone surgery.

Funeral services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at Nehawka Methodist Church with the Rev. S. P. Hackley officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery. Palbearers will be Kent Balfour, Martin Ross, Frank Warden, Albert Anderson, Sheldon Mitchell and Bill Jorgensen. Odd Fellows graveside services will be by IOOF 214.

Let's Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mr. Johnson was born March 23, 1893, near Nehawka, son of Peter and Amanda Johnson. He was married March 8, 1941, to Eloise Mabel Ford of Rockport, Mo. She preceded him in death in 1950.

Survivors are daughters Sue, at home, and Mrs. Arley Schomaker, Nehawka; sons Steve, Dan and Albert Jr., at home; grandson Brent and granddaughter Deborah Schomaker, Nehawka; and brothers Henning and Conrad of Nehawka.

Mr. Johnson was a farmer. He was a member of the Methodist Church, and the IOOF at Nehawka from which he received his 40-year pin last year.

Bornemeier Attends Officials Convention

Herman Bornemeier of Elmwood, Cass County Commissioner from the 3rd District, Wednesday attended the Southeast Nebraska County Officials Convention at Lincoln as a representative of the Cass County Board.

The Commissioners met here Tuesday, a one-day session because of the Officials Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley L. Becker and daughter Dian of Peoria, Ill. are Easter guests of his mother, Mrs. H. E. Becker.

6 Entries In Beauty Pageant

Six local beauties have been entered in the Jaycees' second annual Miss Plattsmouth Contest to be held May 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the High School Auditorium.

The pageant will be open to the public and will be run in the manner of the Miss America contest. Contestants will be judged on talent, in gowns and swim suits.

Winner of the local contest will represent Plattsmouth in the Miss Nebraska Pageant to be held in Fremont in June.

Miss Nebraska will compete for the Miss America title at Atlantic City in September. Contestants here will be:

Wanda Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Jenkins, Plattsmouth.

Linda Lee Gregg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gregg, Plattsmouth.

Jane Fauquet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fauquet, Plattsmouth.

Kay Casey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Casey, Plattsmouth.

Valerie Gorton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gorton, Plattsmouth.

Vicky Fitzpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzpatrick, Murray.

April 13, a coffee was held at Winterset Inn and contestants and their parents attended to receive instructions and review qualifications. Miss Fauquet was unable to attend because of a prior commitment but Mrs. Fauquet was present.

Lt. Nathan Nash, chairman of the contest here for the Jaycees, gave instructions.

The girls decided to wear long formal gowns for the gown competition.

Lorothy Farris, reigning Miss Plattsmouth, talked on what the girls can expect at the State Pageant.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Draper were also present. He is in charge of the stage and decorations for the pageant.

The Journal will present the six contestants in a series of sketches beginning next week.

DAR Chapter Observes 50th Anniversary

Mrs. Dale Philpot entertained eleven members of the Fontenelle Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution in her home Tuesday, April 16 when the 50th anniversary of the chapter was celebrated.

Assistant hostesses were Mrs. H. L. Gamer and Mrs. H. R. Johnston.

Guests of the evening were eight members of the Jonathan Cass Chapter DAR. Mrs. Paul Fauquet and Mrs. Clifton Jacka of Tecumseh.

The ladies were served refreshments from a delicately appointed tea table with centerpiece featuring a beautiful cake decorated in blue and gold colors. Mrs. Guy Wiles, Regent, served.

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CITY'S HERS!—Mrs. Nebraska accepts a be-ribboned Key to the City from Acting Mayor Clem Woster Wednesday night at a dinner in

her honor at Winterset Inn. Looking on are her husband, Norman Moyer, and their daughter, Carole.

Merlin Jochimsen Seriously Hurt in Crash; Leg Amputated

Merlin (Mert) Jochimsen of Plattsmouth early this morning was seriously injured in an automobile accident at 21st and Vinton Streets in Omaha.

He evidently was run over by his own car after being thrown from it, according to the police investigation report.

Jochimsen had gone to Omaha with Lloyd Morehead and L. W. Moore to eat. They had taken him to where he had left his car the day before.

Jochimsen was alone in his car at the time of the accident which occurred at 1:06 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jochimsen operate Jochimsen's Market here.

Stephen Gold of PHS To Attend Math Institute

Stephen Gold, a junior in Plattsmouth High School, has been accepted by Oregon State University for a seven-week Summer Institute.

This Institute is sponsored by the National Science Foundation for high school juniors who are outstanding in the field of mathematics.

To qualify for this institute, a student must have completed two years of Algebra with outstanding success and rank near the top in his present high school class.

He also must rank above the 90th percentile in all standardized tests that his school has given, show an unusual amount of interest in the field of mathematics, and be recommended by his math teacher and principal.

During this seven-week institute, Stephen will be studying both modern and traditional topics in mathematics such as set theory and number theory, logic, statistics and probability, computer programming, matrices, analytic geometry, and others.

The Institute also granted Stephen a stipend of \$120 to cover tuition fees and to partially defray transportation expenses to and from the Institute.

PLAY POSTPONED
NEHAWKA (Special) — The Nehawka Senior Class play which was to be presented April 19 has been postponed to May 10. The postponement is because of the death of the father of one of the cast members.

90 Honor Mrs. Nebraska At Dinner Here

More than 90 persons attended the "Mrs. Nebraska" dinner Wednesday night at Winterset Inn.

Plattsmouth and Omaha relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moyer and daughter, Carole, 4907 Ruggles, Omaha, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Warner, Plattsmouth, paid tribute to Mrs. Moyer for capturing the "Mrs. Nebraska" title.

Mrs. Moyer's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warner of Woodbine, Iowa, were among the out-of-town guests.

The Women's Division of the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce directed the no-host dinner. Mrs. Zulema Dye, president, gave the welcome; Mrs. Merrill Jochimsen, vice president, spoke a few words on behalf of the Women's Division and extended congratulations from her native city.

Clem Woster, Mayor pro-tem, presented the key to the city to "Mrs. Nebraska," a gift of the Women's Division.

Guests gave self-introductions and their best wishes and congratulations to Mrs. Moyer.

Following the dinner hour, the honoree opened gifts presented her, and cut the beautiful "Mrs. Nebraska" cake, presented, compliments of Marion Endelico, manager of Winterset Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Moyer leave by plane April 22 for Miami, Florida where she will be in competition for the "Mrs. America title" for one week.

City Windy, Too

BY P. J. DINGMAN
During the past 3 days Nebraska has been hit by 3 tornadoes and a 91 degree temperature (the latter was at Imperial).

With the exclusion of the above, it was just a normal April with high winds, light rains and mild temperatures.

After Monday we, not Chicago, should be called the windy city.

The chart:
(P.M.)

Day	Time	Pres.	Hi.	Lo.	Prec.
Mon.	6:25	71	76	52	.00
Tues.	6:45	70	78	49	.02
Wed.	6:10	68	72	53	.00

Kindergarten Roundup for 1963-64 Set Here May 8

Registration will be held at all four Plattsmouth Public elementary school buildings on Wednesday, May 8.

The purpose of the "roundup" is to register children in the school district who are eligible for enrollment in kindergarten classes for the 1963-64 school year.

To be eligible, the child must be five years old on or before Oct. 15, 1963. Birth certificates are required at the registration exercises.

To facilitate the registration on May 8 patrons are asked to carefully observe the following:

1. Registration activities will be confined to the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., with the usual

'Ideals' Topic For Oration At Jr. High

"Ideals, American vs. Communist" is the subject to be discussed by Plattsmouth Junior High home room students in the 4th Annual Civic Oration Contest April 18-22, it was announced today.

"To appreciate the great opportunities we have in this country, which since its beginning has been dedicated to liberty, equality and justice, we need to know something of the ideology which threatens it — Communism. How do our principles of democracy contrast with those of people in communist-dominated areas? It has been said that 'Communism makes greatest advances where there is an absence of convictions.' What are our convictions as Americans?"

These are some of the questions students will be answering. The 16th in a series of annual contests sponsored by Modern Woodmen of America, the competition will be supervised by the PJH Language Arts teachers.

Following the home room contests in which two winners will be selected, an inter-home room contest will be held May 8th to determine seven representatives for the finals on May 23rd.

Entries by home rooms include:

8A—Jay Cloidt, Suzanne Solomon, Sherry Haffke, Lyle Mussman, Bill Rishel, Mary Jo Hinz, Linda Herre, Joyce McLeod, Lloyd Fitch, Gary Way, John Bernhardt.

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Clean Up Week Set For City

Clean Up-Fix Up-Paint Up Week is scheduled for Plattsmouth starting April 28 and continuing through May 4, it was announced today by the Chamber of Commerce.

This annual event is expected to clear Plattsmouth business and residential areas of a winter's accumulation of trash, rubbish and junk with the co-operation of citizens. All residents are urged to co-operate in this campaign in an effort to make Plattsmouth more attractive to visitors and a cleaner, finer place in which to live.

The City Street Department, Street Commissioner Art Helwig says, will co-operate throughout the week. City trucks will haul away all trash and junk (no garbage) at no charge to local residents. All that is necessary is to place the refuse in suitable containers at the curb fronting your property.

City trucks will make regular pick-ups in the areas north of Main Street on Monday and Wednesday. South of Main Street pickups will be made on Tuesday and Thursday.

The Chamber of Commerce asks "the co-operation of everyone in cleaning up the residential area by removing all trash and junk that distracts from the natural beauty of the community."

"Nowhere in the midwest is there a more natural setting of beauty than is the Plattsmouth area. Clean, well kept lawns, lots and building areas can make our community one that attracts new residents as well as industry seeking new locations for plants," the Chamber says.

Remember the dates—April 28 through May 4—and help keep Plattsmouth clean!



50TH ANNIVERSARY—On Tuesday, April 16, 11 members of the Fontenelle Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution celebrated the 50th anniversary of the organization of their chapter. Pictured from left above are: Mrs. Mollie C. Gohelman, Mrs. Zilpha Seward, Mrs. H. L. Gamer, Mrs. Guy Wiles, Mrs. Eldon Sapp,

(Tekamah), Mrs. C. E. Rosencrans, Mrs. Glenn Lutz, Mrs. Dale Philpot, Mrs. Fred Vincent, Mrs. H. R. Johnston and Mrs. Pearl Mann. Members are standing around the refreshment table in the home of Mrs. Philpot where the anniversary was celebrated.