

## 2 Die as Car, Truck Collide

Charles Morrell, 85, and his wife, Anne E. 79, of Palmyra died Monday as a result of a car-truck accident at intersection of U. S. 34 and Highway 1. The accident occurred at 11 a. m.

Mr. Morrell was fatally injured and died at a Lincoln hospital. Mrs. Morrell was killed instantly.

Sheriff Fred Tesch who investigated said Mr. Morrell was crossing Highway 34 from the south to go north on the Elmwood road. The car was hit by a gravel truck driven by Larry L. Hengeler, 24, of Omaha.

The Sheriff said the crash occurred in the right hand lane of traffic as Hengeler drove west. He said his investigation showed a grain truck had passed headed east on 34 just before the Morrells drove across the highway and probably obscured them from the truck driver's vision.

He said no criminal charge is contemplated in connection with the accident but that a charge of failure to have his truck registered would be filed against the truck driver.

The junction is two miles south of Elmwood.

## Parents: Your Children Read More than You!

Plattsmouth Public Library circulation figures went up approximately 11,000 during the last fiscal year. The circulation during the past year was as follows:

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| Number of volumes of adult non-fiction loaned | 3,801  |
| Number of volumes of adult fiction loaned     | 9,894  |
| Number of books for children loaned           | 18,435 |
| Number of magazines and pamphlets loaned      | 1,150  |
| Total circulation                             | 33,281 |

The number of books in the library numbers approximately 24,000. 1,019 books were added to the shelves the past year.

A total of 830 children were present for the library summer story hour, in which movies from the Nebraska Public Library Commission were shown.

"Be a well-informed citizen. Be a well-read person. Learn to make full use of your public library. New books are being added to the shelves every week. Book Week this year is being celebrated Nov. 10-16th. Make your contribution. READ!" urges the librarian of the Public Library.

## NWU Rush Week Preferences Listed

LINCOLN — Nebraska Wesleyan University has announced these fraternity and sorority preferences by students from Cass County.

Carol Schreiner, Plattsmouth, Phi Mu.

Maqueline Koutsy, Elmwood, Delta Zeta.

Roger Roberts, Plattsmouth, Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Roger Hutchinson, Plattsmouth, Tau Kappa Epsilon.

A total of 221 men and women preferred fraternities and sororities as a climax of rush week activities.

## Motorcycle Recovered

A motorcycle reported stolen in Omaha at 4:30 a.m. Wednesday was found here by Police Officer Jim Larsen in the alley behind 414 No. 5th St. at 6:20 a.m.

Omaha police had reported theft of the cycle, a blue and white Harley Davidson.

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## Study To Be Made on Effect of By-Pass Here

John Hossack, State Engineer, announced today that a representative of the Program and Planning Section of the Nebraska Department of Roads will begin interviewing business men in Plattsmouth the week of Sept. 24, in connection with an "Economic Study" currently underway to determine the effects of Highway 75-75 By-pass of Plattsmouth. The highway was completed in 1959.

Highway Department officials met with the Board of Directors of the Plattsmouth Chamber of

Commerce earlier this summer and received unanimous endorsement of the proposed study.

Approximately 92 businesses will be asked to furnish general sales information to be used, along with other pertinent economic and population data in determining the effect in Plattsmouth of this highway improvement.

This is the first of the current series of economic studies to be undertaken by the Highway Department during the 1963-1965 Program period.



PHS BAND MAJORETTES—Shown above are the majorettes of Plattsmouth High's Band, from left: Susan Hansen, Mary Jo Hinz, Linda Herre, Pat Hollway, Claudia Marler, Sherry Haffke, Donna Stepat and Suzanne Solomon. The band is preparing for an appearance at the annual Ak-Sar-Ben marching band contest Sept. 23 in Omaha.

## Christian Education Convention At Weeping Water This Sunday

The Weeping Water Christian Church was host to the Cass County Christian Education convention Sunday afternoon and evening, Sept. 22. The Rev. Lloyd Taylor is host pastor.

At the afternoon session which begins with the registration at 3 p.m., Mrs. Henry Irons, Superintendent of the Christian Church Sunday School, will give the address of welcome, to which the Rev. O. W. Matzke, pastor of the Murdock Ebenezer Evangelical United Brethren Church, will respond.

Theme for the convention is: "For With God, Nothing Shall Be Impossible."

The afternoon interest groups will be as follows:

- Children's Story and Recreation Hour, led by Mrs. Earl Horton of Elmwood Methodist Church.
- Workers with Children, led by Mrs. Dick Tritsch and Fay Jose of Murray Presbyterian Church.
- Workers with Youth, and Youth, led by the Rev. Terry Cain of Greenwood Methodist Church.
- Workers with Adults, and Adults, led by the Rev. Leslie Drake of Eagle Methodist Church.

The evening session begins at 7:30 p.m. following a 6 p.m. sack lunch. All who plan to stay over from the afternoon session for the evening session are asked to bring their own sack lunch. The host church will provide dessert, coffee and cold drink without cost.

At the evening session, the ladies of the Elmwood Evangelical Brethren Church will present the playlet, "When The World Begins," after which the Rev. Jerry Housh, associate pastor of the East Lincoln Christian Church of Lincoln will bring the evening message.

All persons interested in the Sunday School and the church are urged to attend, to share in the inspiration and fellowship.

Because of this convention, there will be no September meeting of the Cass County Christian Fellowship.

This convention is the annual meeting of the Department of Christian Education of the Cass County Council of Churches.

## Rotarians Hear About Viet Nam

An insight into the war in Viet Nam was given to Rotary Club members here Tuesday night.

Speaking about Viet Nam and showing color slides was Capt. William Cecil who recently returned from 19 months duty with the Military Assistance Group of the U. S. Regular Army in the Orient.

Capt. Cecil told about the country, characteristics of its people and described the guerrilla warfare which is being waged between free and Communist Viet Namese. The MAG provides advisory aid to free Viet Nam.

I. L. Kocian was program chairman for the day.

Capt. Cecil, son of Mrs. Sarah Cecil of Plattsmouth, has been reassigned as a ROTC instructor at Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

## Vet Reports 3 Sleeping Sickness Cases in County

Dr. J. E. Boyd, D.V.M., local veterinarian, reports three cases of sleeping sickness in horses the past 10 days in Cass County, and one case in Sarpy County, just across the river.

He suggests the use of insect repellent to combat the disease, and horses can be vaccinated.

## Flag is Gift to Retarded School

Cass County Association for Retarded Children held a regular monthly meeting Sept. 11. Past Commander of the American Legion Post No. 36, Merle Dean Meisinger, presented the school with a new flag and stand.

Mrs. Robert Morton and Mrs. Jack Valley attended the state board meeting at Columbus Sept. 14.

A report on the Fund Drive, started Sept. 15, was given by Mrs. Morton. A goal of \$4,500 is needed to run the school efficiently for the year. "If you have not made your contribution, please give a 'helping hand' to the less fortunate children of Cass County," Mrs. Morton, Union, the association reminds.

It was decided to have a food stand at the KKK at 6th & Main Streets.

## Want To Buy a Buffalo?

LINCOLN—Would you like to buy a buffalo? All you need is \$165 and plenty of roaming room. Of course, if you happen to be city folks, space could be a problem. In that case, how about \$270 for a frozen bison for your freezer . . . a very big freezer.

According to the Game Commission, September 30 will be the deadline to put in your bid for the U. S. Department of Interior's annual surplus big-game disposal sales.

Each year herds are thinned out at each of three national wildlife refuges: Fort Niobrara National Wildlife Refuge at Valentine, National Bison Range at Moiese, Mont., and Wichita Mountains Wildlife Refuge at Cache, Okla.

There are 250 buffalo, 50 elk, and 117 longhorn cattle scheduled to be sold this year. A butchered elk goes for \$110 to \$145, depending upon processing; half is the minimum quantity. No live elk are available.

Longhorns will be sold only at public auction. Auction dates are October 8 at Fort Niobrara and September 19 at Wichita. Drawings will be held in the event demand exceeds supply.

Additional information may be obtained from the refuges or from the Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C., 20240. Bids should also be sent there.

## 125 Enrolled

AVOCA (Special) — Avoca Public School opened with 50 students enrolled in high school and 75 in the grades.

Teachers are: Floyd Burke, superintendent, industrial arts and science; Irene Burke, English and math; Mildred Shannon, commercial, English and music; Ron Seymore, social studies coaching; Duane Brooks, 6th, 7th and 8th and Spanish; Norma Mettler, 3rd, 4th and 5th; Myrtle Wolph, kindergarten, 1st and 2nd.

Cooks are Mrs. Ann Mickle, Mrs. Eda Edwards. Bus drivers are Kenneth Wessel and John Enshoff.

## Jr. Hi Fellowship At Murray Elects

The Jr. Hi Fellowship of Murray United Presbyterian Church met Sept. 15 at the Edward Howard home at 5:30 p.m.

A picnic was enjoyed after a game of softball.

At the meeting, the following officers were elected: president, Marty Todd; vice president, David Morris; secretary, Bill Spangier; treasurer, Alan Wolfarth; reporter, Roger Howard.

Devotions were given by the Rev. David Anderson.

Next meeting will be Sept. 29 at 7 p.m. at the church.

## Variety Show Features AF Personnel Saturday Night

A variety show, featuring Air Force personnel from Offutt AFB, will be a headline attraction Saturday night at the King Korn Carnival.

The "Happiness Review" including vocal and instrumental groups and soloists and dance and comedy routines will be presented on the Main Street Stage at 8 p.m.

These acts are scheduled, according to the airman in charge:

- Claudis Hill and the Regents, a rhythm and blues group.
- Willie Pierson, vocalist.
- Mike Simonson, the Chicago Hillbilly.
- Darnell Ross, vocalist.
- Hank White and the Expressions, a jazz vocal group.
- George Hickerson, vocalist.
- Louis Franklin, alto saxophonist.
- Jerry Harris and the Manhattan Four, jazz vocal group.
- David Millenix, comic pan-fonimist.
- Jim King and the Rhythmaries, rock and roll group.
- The Savoy Three, a combo which will play for the vocalists.

"This is fine entertainment being furnished by these people from Offutt and we urge everyone who enjoys good variety acts to attend," the committee in charge for the KK said today.

## Mrs. Harrah Heads Community Club

UNION (Special)—New officers elected at the Union Community Club meeting, Sept. 10 at the school were:

President, Mrs. Robert Harrah Jr.; vice president, Mrs. Louis Eaton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Henry Dickman.

Mrs. Arthur Glurr and Mrs. Donald Reed are two new families who have moved into Union this summer.

Mrs. Severin Sorensen, principal of the Union School, Mrs. Sarah Rich and Mrs. Norma Shoemaker, teachers, attended this meeting.

Members of the Nebraska City PTA Council are invited to attend a meeting at the Union School later.

Hostesses were Mrs. Leo Hafner, Mrs. Marvin Attebery and Mrs. Wayne Williams.

## Historical Society Acknowledges Gifts

The Historical Society today "gratefully acknowledged" the following donations:

From Mrs. Searl S. Davis and Mrs. Elbert Wiles, honoring Mrs. Henry Herald's 100th birthday.

From Mrs. Lucile Rosenkrans in memory of Mr. George Conis. These special gifts are set aside in the Museum Building Fund.

Memberships and proceeds from projects are used to meet the cost of operating the Museum. The annual membership drive is now in progress.

Circumstances beyond the control of the Museum Committee will, this year, keep the "Chuck Wagon" from serving Trailside Dinners enjoyed by so many at last year's KKK.

Everyone is urged to visit the Museum which will be open daily from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. throughout the Carnival.

## AT NURSING SCHOOL

Catherine Svoboda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Svoboda, Plattsmouth, is a freshman at St. Catherine's Hospital School of Nursing in Omaha, Nebraska.

Forty-nine freshmen registered in the school Friday, Sept. 13. Orientation activities took place Sept. 13-15 and classes started Sept. 16.

## Reception Honors Avoca Teachers

AVOCA (Special) — A reception for the teachers was held Tuesday evening last week at the school auditorium, sponsored by the Woman's Club and members of the School Board.

Included on a program were songs by the Jolly Homemakers and Keen Teen 4-H Clubs, a solo by Peggy Stubbendick, a pantomime by Barbara McDonald and Vicky Ahrens and a performance by an "exercise team" of Mmes. Vernon Detmer, Wilmer Wobler, Wayne Brooks, George Allen, Ron Seymore and Robert Hallstrom, who exercised to the record, "Go, Chicken Fat, Go."

## No Boosters Meeting Tonight

The Plattsmouth Booster Club will not meet this week due to the King Korn Carnival Coronation tonight.

President Warren Rhylander has announced the organization will hold its regular meeting next Thursday in the high school gym when movies of the Crete and Beatrice football games will be shown.

## Boys Caught Stealing Gas

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## KKK Carnival Underway Today!

Tonight's Koronation, scheduled to begin on Main Street at 7:45, officially opens the 1963 Kass County King Korn Carnival.

Participating will be scores of local and Cass County young people in a pageant which annually is a highlight of the three-day fall celebration.

The ceremony will climax with revelation of choices for this year's King and Queen of Korland. The King will be a man from the county outside of Plattsmouth. The Queen will be one of nine Plattsmouth girls nominated by local organizations.

Queen candidates are Priscilla Woster, Cathy Svoboda, Susan Sharp, Joan Rountree, Sally Lebecos, Wanda Jenkins, Valerie Gorton, Sharon Dunlap and Nancy Bulin.

A reception at 5th and Main will follow the Koronation.

## Delegation Asks Road Improvement Near Greenwood

A delegation from Greenwood Wednesday visited the County Board of Commissioners to ask for attention to a three-mile stretch of road from Highway 6 to the new Interstate 80 interchange.

They said the road is in poor condition and needs grading and improvement. They asked that it be black-topped.

The Commission agreed to do some grading on the road but said that the county has no funds to surface it.

In the delegation were Philip R. Hergenrader, Philip L. Hergenrader, Marion S. Winslow, W. L. Kelly, Roger D. Tweton, Mrs. Helen Greene, Carl A. Stander and Floyd H. Gove.

## Creamery Organized Thursday at Avoca

AVOCA (Special) — A meeting was held at the Town Hall Thursday evening to reorganize a local Farmers Union Creamery.

Officers elected were: George Wessel, president; Harry Kepler, vice president; Mrs. Lenora Brinkhoff, secretary-treasurer.

Louis Wiebe of Filley was a guest.

Milbert Schroeder, Fairbury, spoke on Farmers Union Creameries.

Other guests were Harry Ross, Otoe; Melvin Ommen, Unadilla; Bob McLaughlin, Elmwood.

There were 20 present. The hosts served doughnuts and coffee.

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## Offutt Bloodmobile

OFFUTT AFB — The Red Cross bloodmobile will be at the Service Club Oct. 3 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. All Offuttites are urged to give one pint of the life saving fluid.

For example: one game will be a watermelon eating contest.

The Mrs. Jaycees are in charge of the Koronation, the stage back drop will be by Dr. L. A. Amato, stage and street decorations by the Mrs. Jaycees and the Koronation reception by the VFW Auxiliary.

Prior to the Koronation, honors will be presented by 1962 King John Cloutier Jr.

Also on the KKK schedule:

**TODAY**

Flower Show open at Consumers Show Room.

1:30 p.m. Historical Museum open.

7 p.m. Carnival Midway opens.

Pioneer Headquarters at the Gas Co.

**FRIDAY**

9 a.m. 4-H Stock Show on Washington Avenue.

1 p.m. Midway and Special Shows open.

1:30 p.m. City and Country School Parade, and Kids Parade, O. F. Mussman and H. Neil Lancaster in charge.

2:15 p.m. Kids entertainment at the Main Street Platform, the Jaycees in charge.

6:15 p.m. Band contest routines.

7 p.m. Farmers and Merchants Parade.

8 p.m. Plattsmouth Promenaders.

8:30 p.m. Polka Band.

9 p.m. Platte Valley Boys.

**SATURDAY**

9 a.m. Stock sale at 4-H Show Tent.

10 a.m. Baby Contest at Lions Club, Mrs. Jaycees in charge.

1 p.m. Midway and Special Shows open.

1:30 p.m. Tractor pulling contest at Pollock Field below RR tracks.

2:30 p.m. Kass County Talent Show, local talent to appear in show organized by Mrs. Don Freeburg.

4 p.m. Reception for distinguished guests at VFW Club.

6:15 p.m. Band contest routines.

6:45 p.m. Introduction of guests, Main Street stage.

7 p.m. GI and Organizations Parade.

8 p.m. Variety Show by Offutt Air Force Base Personnel.

Throughout the Carnival: Korn Palace and Special Exhibits, 430 Main Street.

Bob Gull, Pete Austin and Sterling Cole are parade marshals.

## KKK Events Planned for Kiddies

**-Friday-**

Friday at 2:15 p.m. directly following the Kiddies Parade, the Plattsmouth Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor entertainment for children 12 years and under.

Children wanting to compete for prizes are to meet by the stage on Main Street.

Games are to be played according to age groups. These age groups will be divided: 9 years and under, and 10 through 12 year olds.

Every age group in each game will have two winners. The first place winners will each receive two silver dollars; second place, one silver dollar.

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