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PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 1921.

### MUCH TRAFFIC IS **NOW BEING MOYED**

Nebraska Railroads Doing a Fairly pleasant variation of the usual rou-Good Business, Enough to Keep Army of Men at Work

on the railroad lines of Nebraska. Ne- were presented to every employe of braska farmers are going to market the Journal by Mr. Morgan. The ice and if the markets were good the cream was of the celebrated home amount of traffic moved would be made variety that Guy has made as much greater. A slump in the cattle famous in this community as the promarket, when the range cattle move- duct of Milwaukee was to that city. ment has just begun, and advice from The remembrance was certainly apthe markets to keep away, has had preciated by all of the force from yesterday at the city park in Weepits effects on shipments, altho the the publisher down. necessity for raising money to pay bills has also forced many to ship who otherwise might have waited a

Monday more than 800 cars were delivered to the Omaha livestock yards. It is said that even with this heavy shipment all the cars were spotted and unloaded before \$:30 in Mrs. J. A. Donelan and Daughter, the morning. The railroads are pointing to that as efficient service. The Burlington on that day alone handled 370 cars; not far from half the total

The Burlington ni now loading The pleasant home of Mrs. J. A. about 260 cars a day and the supply Donelan and daughter, Miss Marof equipment is keeping up with the garet, on north Sixth street was the demand. A heavy bulge in wheat and scene yesterday of a most charmingcorn prices might more than double by arranged 1 o'clock bridge funcheon this amount, but with a rather un- when the hostesses entertained satisfactory market, the volume of number of their friends at this deshipments is kept down. With a doub- lightful game,

congestion of this sort of tonunge Swearingen and Albert Deegen, of

There is some northwest lumber ing of this city. been much less than looked for. This it is explained, is due largely to the light amount of building going on in

Fall traffic holding at present levels is belived to forecast a steady run of grain, coal and livestock far into the winter, which at no time will be come heavy enough to cause congestion unless forced puward by an unexpected upturn in the markets.

# ASK FOR RETURN OF REV. HUNTER

Last Night Petition for Retention of Pastor.

From Thursday's Dafty.

The regular quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held last largely attended by the membership, beauty of Plattsmouth as a home One of the chief matters taken up by the meeting was that of asking which a big watermelon least for the ing the summer. for the retention of Rev. A. V. Hunter in charge of the church here for in line. the ensuing year, and the matter will be laid before the presiding bishop at the conference of the church which will open at Lincoln in September.

has established himself so firmly as a part of the community life that it would be a source of great regret to cating the young. the citizens if he were to be sent to other fields of work. Mr. Hunter has been interested in the welfare of the city as a whole as well as the advance and progress of his church and has been most success ful in his pastorate here, both in the

other year at least.

cerned and save having to rip holes of the city and the surrounding ranch life. They report that Wilin the paving later to get at the ser- country.

Blank Books at the Journal Office. Blank Books at the Journal Office. 3 rings.

#### REMEMBERS THE FORCE

From Thursday's Daily. This morning when the Journal force was sweating and laboring to bring forth another issue of the daily illuminator, there came a most tine of work when Bob Creamer, head drink mixer at the Morgan Sweet shop arrived on the scene with in-Much traffic is now being moved dividual packages of ice cream which GATHER AT THE CITY PARK AT

### VERY PLEASANT **BRIDGE LUNCHEON**

Miss Margaret Hostesses to a Number of Friends.

From Thursday's Daily.

ling of the amount shipped it might | Seven tables were arranged with be difficult to supply equipment as the color scheme of the decorations in yellow, summer flowers being used There has been a slight increase in in profusion in the rooms where the the volume of coal shipments, altho merry party had gathered. The after er than the railroads would like to moon was unique in that the games that kind of traffic is still much low- instead of being in the nature of pro see it. The roads continue to store gressive bridge, included individual some coal for future use, but com- prizes at each table and the ladies mercial storage is much less than displayed great skill in the games many expected it to be at this time Prizes were secured by Mesdames of year, This kind of traffic is moved Herbert Betts, Henry McMaken, W. freely when offered, and there is no A. Robertson, C. G. Fricke, W. A. Omaha, as well as Miss Barbara Ger-

traffic but not a great deal. Recent The occasion was one of more than changes in the rates were expected the usual sociability and the ladies to make a marked increase in this enjoyed to the utmost the delight-

### SHOULD SHOW THE TEACHERS GOOD TIME

Social Features Important Part of Entertainment to be Provided Cass County Pedagogs.

The announcement of the fact that ne teachers' institute of Cass coun will be held here on Thursday and iday of next week should at once tart the Chamber of Commerce and other civic bodies preparing to en-Congregation of Church at Meeting tertain the fair young teachers who will be guests of the city for the two days. It has been suggested that one of the features of the stay of the teachers in our midst be an automo blie trip over the many attractive drives of the community, to thoroughly acquaint them with the real town, and at the culmination of which a big watermelon feast for the

A theatre party is also suggested for one of the evenings that the teachers will be with us.

Let's get busy and show the teachers of Cass county that Plattsmouth year in the church in this city and is on the job when it comes to entertaining the ladies to whom are intruste the important task of edu-

### WRITES HOME HE IS EN-JOYING THE EASTERN TRIP

increasing of the church membership last of the week for the east on his a motion picture director would have and in the material improvements of vacation, has written back to the been glad of the opportunity of phothe church, \$12,000 having been friends here that he is having one of tographing. The country was shaken The Journal sincerely hopes that day at the Edison laboratories at the conference can and its way clear Orange, New Jersey, just across the posed lake, and with a hydraulic ram to assign the genial and clever Metho- river from the big city, and where and ordinary pipe line, water can be dist pastor to our church here for an- the Edison recreations are prepared constantly pumped into the lake with for the market.

through their manager, L. H. Cush- Paul's and Trinity church, two of man, is now endeavoring to reach all the oldest historical buildings of the patrons of the company possible New York. Emil also made a trip in the district where the new paving out in the harbor to visit Bledsoe's number of cases the pipes have been and while there climbed to the top horst ranch near Sugar City. Colo naturally run in the gutter. in use over quite a long period of of the statute, from where a great They report a great trip and a years and now that the streets are view is obtained over the harbor and splendid time. Mr. Langhorst brot about to be paved, it would be well city. A trip up the tower of the along samples of corn and wheat to look them over and replace them Woolworth building was also one of raised on his land and it looks good. the points of interest visited and this It rained a good share of the time This matter if attended to now 51 story building arising to the while they were there, but this did

need replacing for a long time, but tion of the trip is undoubtedly the are at it from morning to night .the old pipes that have been in for time spent in looking over the great Elmwood Leader-Echo. the past twenty-five or thirty years Edison plant and before returning will in a short time need replacing Mr. Weyrich will also visit other and certainly should be promptly at- large concerns whose products he handles at the store in this city.

# **WILES FAMILY** HOLDS ANNUAL REUNION MEET

WEEPING WATER, LARGE NUMBER PRESENT

From Friday's Daily.

The annual reunion of the mem- her own father occurred. bers of the Wiles family was staged ing Water and proved one of the most pleasant that the family has had in many years and also one of the most largely attended as there was estimated to have been 275 members of the family at the park at the dinner hour and during the program It required sixty-four cars, to haul the members of the party in addition to those who had come by train o the scene of the picnic.

More auspicious weather conditions From Friday's Daily. could not have been desired and it! This morning the hearing of the our public school system.

Cass county, Nebraska, and in the in- representative of the defendant, gather there next year.

ation were: Ray Wiles, Weeping Water, President; Thomas Wiles, Plattsmouth, treasurer: Mrs. J. E. Wiles, Plattsmouth, secretary.

The members of the family partic-(spared in a great picnic dinner, the ladies having brought with them a to the jolly family party. One of the features of the day was he taseball game between the various members of the family and which

afforded great amusement for both the players and the onlookers. A program of speeches and songs also added to the deversion of the occasion and it was late in the afternoon when the reunion was brought to a

Those to attend from this city were Thomas Wiles and wife, C. H. Dr. B. F. Brendel, of Murray, Con-Warner, wife and family, J. E. Wiles and wife, L. L. Wiles, wife and famly, Dr. J. H. Hall and wife, and Attorney T. F. Wiles and family of Om-

#### CONSTRUCTS ARTIFICIAL LAKE.

Phillip Hild, who resides west of Mynard, has inaugurated an artificial lake on his farm that promises to insure a supply of ice during the winter, together with fishing and bathing for Mr. Hild and his friends dur-

W. J. Partridge, the dynamite and blasting expert, of Weeping Water. was secured to look after the work and did a most excellent job. The hollow shaped bowl, which is 65 feet in length, 35 feet in width and feet deep, was formed in an instant, when the various charges of dynamite and blasting powder which had been placed in the ground at close intervals, were touched off. Three undred pounds of dynamite and 25 kegs of blasting powder, costing upwards of \$200, were "buried," each charge being so arranged as to exblode simultaneously with the others. When the blast was touched off, the Emil J. Weyrich, who departed the spectacular effect was one that many

> A small stream runs near the provery little expense. In order to se-

### RETURNED FROM RANCH

L. F. Langhorst and daughter,

#### TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. A. A. Alexander, of Roseville, California, who was called here by the news of the sudden death of her father, George Grobe, Sr., is now fering from a nervous breakdown. Mrs. Alexander has a very severe

From Thursday's Daily.

attack of the nervousness as the result of the suddenness of the blow had a very serious illness at the time in the county and a city levy 30 per of the death of Mr. Alexander's father last year and had hardly recovered from this when the death of

### POLICE COURT CASE DRAWS ATTENTION

Hearing on Complaint Against John Sattler, Jr. for Violation of Traffic Rules, Dismissed

community until it is one of the lead- and the Wagner hotel when Officer goes to the County General fund. The and Georgie Nelson, and proceeded was something doing all the time as ing families of this portion of Ne- Chandler stopped Mr. Sattler, who County Bridge and the County Road to start right after the foat of their a real wild west show was staged brasks. For a number of years it has was driving his car on the left side funds split equally the greater part opponents but found that the boilerbeen the custom of the family to of the street and notified him that of the remainder. meet alternately in Iowa and Nebras- he would have to answer for the vio- The state government asks for a ka but this year the meeting decided lation of the law, and at the time similar amount—3.3 mills. Of this, experience of the tankers on the baswas so comfortable that they would large number of the spectators who the fund for the magnificent new cap-The officers elected for the associ- made and many stories were given part of the taxes we here in Platts- in their favor. of the affair.

At the trial the defendant pre-sented their side of the story in that based on a one-fifth valuation, which "Shorty" Burbridge donned the mask and the number of cars parked there higher figures. Converting the 1921 his way while for the boilermakers Last evening Miss Honor Seybert made it a matter of necessity to tax levy in Plattsmouth to figures are "Liz" Luschinsky was sent to the entertained in honor of her brother, made it a matter of necessity to tax levy in Plattsmouth to figures apgreat array of the good things to eat and the defense also presented claims and the camp fire served ice cream of the language used on the occason by the police.

After hearing the matter fully the court dismissed the action against Mr. Sattler.

# **WELL KNOWN PHYSI-**CIAN SERIOUSLY ILL

fined to Home at Murray by a Case of Kidney Trouble

The many friends over Cass county vill regret very much to learn of the erious condition of Dr. B. F. Brenel of Murray, one of the eldest octors in the county.

The genial doctor has in the last w weeks suffered a very severe at- ily at Elm Creek. ack of sickness which has resulted n a severe affliction of the kidneys hat has made his condition quite

He has been kept confined to his during the last month and his famly and friends are hopeful that in how decided signs of improvement nd to again resume his former acivities. The doctor has led such on active life for years that the coninement has proven very trying to im during the weeks that he has compelled to remain at home.

#### STREET BADLY WASHED.

The South Fifth street hill has unoubtedly suffered the most erosion f any of the curbed streets in the city as a result of the recent rains. below the curb and gutter lines, and where he has a ranch located in the For some time the readway has been the inevitable result has been that heart of the unsettled portion of that and parsonage and the care of the city and vicinity. Mr. Weyrich is the excavation bere testimony to the the center of the streets, leaving the lowerfulness of the time each powerfulness of the explosives. ther increases the depth of the water- abound in the finest kind of game ways, and now at the corner of Fifth and Pearl deep ditches prevent He has also been making good use cure a sufficient head of water to cars crossing the intersection with hunter. TOUCHES IMPORTANT MATTER.

The Plattsmouth Water company,

The least expensive course to follow in there was no one to disturb his peace the long run is paving, but under and he was able to spend the time inability to get that done at the as he wished. He returns greatly present time, the next best solution lies in grading up the street until the center of the line that he had and invigorated for the work of the fall and winter and feeling that he had an enter and feeling that he had a second to be is being put in, to urge them to see Island, on which is located the statthat their service pipes from the wat- ute of Liberty, that keeps watch over ter, Hettie, returned Saturday even- higher than the curb line, and then tainly will be hard for anyone to er mains are in good shape. In a the entrance to the great republic, ing from an auto trip to the Lang-rounding it off, so the water will equal.

#### UNDERGOES OPERATION

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday morning at the Fenger

### WHERE THE TAX MONEY IS EXPENDED

at the Ford hospital in Omaha, suf- More than Half That Levied Here tion held at Toronto, Canada, re- C. D. Quinton of Plattsmouth Re-Goes to Maintain School System-Total 41.6 Mills

With a school levy almost 50 per that has fallen on her family. She cent higher than that of any district in the county, Plattsmouth citizens face a 41.6 mill tax on their assessed valuation, which is the equivalent of 4.16 per cent. Time was when 4 O K on gilt edge investments; now taxes alone take that much. That is, of course, overlooking the fact that here is some variance between asessed and real valuation figures.

Of this amount 20 mills goes to maintain the school district and an additional 2 mills to meet school district bonds, making a total of 22 we pay, necessary to the support of

made the occasion one of the rarest complaint filed against John Sattler | Extensive street lights and other enjoyment as in the pleasant shade Jr., for driving his car on the wrong modern conveniences bring the city the members recounted the history side of the street, was staged before levy up to 13 mills. Eagle and Mur- From Friday's Lally. of the family and reneweed the ac- Judge Archer and the case attracted dock, the next most expensive town | Last evening the followers of the Platte court house and hardly had quaintances of th rlativs who wre almost as much attention as the Still- governments in the county, cost the sport of baseball, who are employed the sheriffs gotten down to business living at distant points and who had man case in New York, judging from taxpayers 10 mills. Other towns in in the Burlington shops, gathered at than they were thrilled by the news come back to the original family the spectators who were on hand. The county vary around 5 or 6 mills, the Eagles park to witness a combat that a gang of "bandits" robbed one The police officers who had made with the exception of South Bend, between the team of the bollermak- of the leading jewelry stores of the It has been many years since the the complaint for the city were re- where the finances are in such good ers and that of the coach shop. The torfathers of the Wiles family first presented by City Attorney C. A. shape that no levy was made this coach shop team has just been organsettled in Mills county, Iowa, and Rawls while C. E. Marin was the year. Pray tell as, South Bend, how ized and embraces a number of the The party was hastily loaded in cars do you do it?

were nearby when the arrest was itol building—less than one-hundreth palm as the final score was 7 to 5 of one of the livest towns in the nouth pay.

the crowded condition of the street accounts for the seemingly much and pad to stop what might come From Friday's Daily. drive on the wrong side of the street plicable to the former method, would provide an assessment of 208 mills. Last year's levy was 187.07 mills.

#### ATTEND FAMILY GATHERING

as in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Philip disputed by the boilermakers on ac- Ptak and Jennings Seybert.

The party visited another sister. Mrs. Locis Stander and family at the game and willprobably have a pany his sister back to her home. Archer, also brother Charley Spang- meeting later on the diamond while er at Oconto, and their old friend the blacksmith team also are looking and neighbor, Will Kennedy and fam- both of them over for a future date From Thursday's Daily,

Among those who drove out from Cass county were Peter Spangler, daughters. Olive and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spangler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Livingston and mouth, also a sister, Mrs. Dent tion is free.

Hights and husband of Hastings, Ia. They had a fine trip, reaching nome Tuesday night. No mud or rain to bother, in fact Pete Spangler said they saw some places the corn had suffered from want of rain.

#### RETURNS FROM COLORADO

From Friday's Daily. This morning James K. Pollock returned home from an outing of two months in the southwestern portion of Colorao, near Pagosa Springs, curbing and guttering stranded high and he had his fill of hunting and fishing as the mountain streams fish and the mountain country has bear and deer in plenty for the

#### VISITORS IN THE CITY

From Friday's Daily

This afternoon George Koster, state fish and game warden and W. nospital in Omaha, Miss Margaret J. O'Brien, state superintendent of will be much cheaper for all con- height of 792 feet gave a great view not prevent them from enjoying the Buttery was operated on for append- fisheries, were here, coming down icitis, from which she has been suf- from South Bend to secure the state liam Langhorst and Arthur Schneid- fering for some time. The patient fish car that has been at the shops the paving later to get at the service pipes. The newer pipes will not be trin is undoubtedly the pendicitis and in order to give her is one of the busy men of the state. relief it was decided to have the op- as he has charge of all the violations eration performed and it has proven of the fish and game laws, and which We appreciate your co-operation successful. Frank Buttery, father of are very numerous, especially in the in helping us to publish all the live the young lady was at the hospital western part of the state. The car and reports that she has rallied very was sent out this afternoon on No. news of the community. Call No. 6, and reports that she has rathed very was sometiments. Call No. 6, nicely from the effects of the opera- 23 for Omaha and Lincoln and accompanied by the two state officials.

### RETURNS FROM CONVENTION

James Pracek, who was the dele-

From Priday's Dafly.

gate from the Plattsmouth local of the Carmen of America to the international convention of the organizaturned home yesterday afternoon. Mr. Ptacek has had a great trip and reports that the convention was one of the greatest that the labor organ- From Friday's Lully izations has held for years and one that was filled with much interest to all lines of of railroad labor, especially at this time when the railroad situation is being brought to the forefront in the disputes between the road owners and the employes and which are being threshed out before the labor boards.

## SHOP MEN HAVE AN-OTHER BALL GAME

mills or more than half of the taxes. This Time the Coach Shop are the Opponents of the Boilermakers And Win Exciting Game

well known players of the Eagles and taken out to the Coady ranch ervening years the family has grown The affair occurred on last Satur- The total county levy is but 3.3 and the late Red Sox, including Bill where the bandits were supposed to both in numbers and influence in the day night near the Parmele theatre mills, of which more than one-third Mason. William Patrick O'Donnell, have fied and from then on there makers were not as easy as had been that had been enacted in the palmy imagined and it not been for the in- days of the wild and wooly west. The es they might have been playing yet. was a big chicken dinner that gave

For the carpenters Bill Mason was selected to do the heaving and mound and Tom Rabb, the veteran | Jennings Seybert, who leaves tomorplate to hold the drives of the for the occasion a number of the pitcher. The game was close and the young friends of Jennings were inof their young lives in the manner dinner that had been provided.

to this city.

on the lot.

#### EYE SPECIALIST HERE

the near future he may be able to Fred Spangler and family of Platts- Glasses correctly fitted. Consulta- most valuable man in the garage

### HEADS NEBRASKA SHERIFFS AGAIN

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elected President of Nebraska Sheriffs for Fourth Time

Sheriff C. D. Quinton returned home this morning from North Platte where he has been in attendance at the convention of the association of sheriffs of Nebraska, Sheriff Quinton has been the head of the association for the past three years and had it all figured out that he would lay aside the office this year but the associates in the law enforcers refused to hear to this and named him for the fouth time to head the organization, Peter Duffy of O'Neill, was named as secretary-treasurer of the assoation for another term.

The bunch of law enforcers had one of the times of their lives at North Platte and Sheriff Salisbury of Lincoln county proved a real host assisted by the live wires of North Platte and vicinity and kept the visitors on the go most of the time. The meeting was opened at the North

#### ENJOYS FAREWELL DINNER

coach workers received the surprise vited in to enjoy the most delightful

in which their opponents lobbed the! The young men spent the hours A number of the Spangler broth- ball and chased around over the old following the six o'clock dinner in ers, their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth lot, "Liz" is reported to have scored a most delightful informal manner Spangler, and other relatives and a great deal of applause when he at games and music and when the heir families drove to Miller, Neb., was able to retire William Patrick hour for departure came wished their Priday, and Saturday, to attend a on the strike out route.

Saturday, and Saturday, to attend a on the strike out route.

In addition to the former first most enjoyable time on his visit most enjoyable time on his visit. young friend a pleasant trip and a ome of their sister, Mrs. Philip team players, the coach shop also east. Those to attend the dinner hrisman at Miller, Neb. There were had Cecil O. York in the lineup, were; Otto Trilety, Jack McCarthy, orty relatives present. The occasion which may lead to the game being John Egenberger, Herold Fitt, John

Chrisman's 40th weeding anniversary count of the professional record of Mrs. C. A. Marshall, Jr., of Daywhich occurs a little later, but it was York, who was the mainstay of the ton, who has been here visiting her convenient for the relatives to meet Watson, (Mo.) team before coming parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Seybert, will leave Saturday evening for Both teams are feeling fine over the east and Jennings will accom-

### WORKING AT GARAGE

Charles Tilton, who was formerly engaged in the conduct of the taxi line in this city has now accepted a position in the Reo garage of Ed L. R. Hertert, the eye sight spec- Mason and is busy looking after nome the greater part of the time family and Mrs. Elizabeth Spangler, ialist, at the B. A. HcElwain Jew- the needs of the patrons of that es-Mr. and Mrs. Johin Spangler and elry store, Plattsmouth, Neb., every tablishment. Charley is a thorough family of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Wednesday, from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. automobile man and will be found a

