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## Plattsmouth is Back in Second Place in League

### Defeating Papillion Yesterday by a Score of 6 to 5, Locals Advance in Cass-Sarpy League.

From Monday's Daily—  
A goodly number of the baseball fans of Plattsmouth and Papillion gathered yesterday at the local lot to witness the battle that was to be staged between the county seat towns of the Sarpy-Cass county loop and as the result of which the fans and fanettes were given a good baseball game that was interesting to the last and in which the Plattsies were able to pull themselves into second place in the league standing, previously held by the boys from the Pappio.

The pitching of Swanson was the feature of the game and his effective work with the excellent support accorded him resulted in the defeat of the visitors. In the pitching section of the game, Swanson had the best of Lamar, the hurrying ace of Papillion as Swanny struck out five against four for his opponent and allowed seven bingles, one three bagger and two doubles being in the array of Plattsmouth blows. Four of the hits off Swanson came in the fourth inning.

The locals started right after the visitors from the Pappio with a fast fielding game and in one, two, three order the visitors were retired in the opening inning and were held ineffective until the fourth frame, when they were able to tie up the score, gaining the lead in the fifth and losing the contest in the faithful seventh.

The first scoring was by Plattsmouth in the second inning, when they hopped on the offerings of Lamar for three bingles that netted as many runs. Herb Klauschie opened the inning with a grounder to third on which he was able to register on Neuman hit safe to center and was able to advance on the error of Siebold at second base when O'Donnell hit to short and both runners were advanced on the sacrifice of Bemis to second. The two runners scored when John Svoboda doubled to center. Svoboda was able to register on the hit of Swanson to right field.

In the fourth with the score 3 to 0 in favor of Plattsmouth the Papillion team were able to secure enough to tie up the battle for a time.

Matthies opened the inning with a clean hit to right field and advanced on the out of Siebold to first base, and when King singled to right the runner tallied. King scored on a throw by Klauschie to third base that bounded on through the field. A. Cordes doubled to deep center and scored on the single of Lamar.

In the first half of the fifth, the Papillion boys took the lead in the game with a series of blows combined with errors that made victory look very bright for them for a few moments. Oliver opened the inning with a fly out to Herold at third and was followed by Matthies who was struck out by Swanson. Siebold then hit to Newman at short he failed to handle the ball, and Siebold advanced to second on the balk of Swanson, from where he scored when King doubled to deep center. A. Cordes was safe on a bobbie by Newman and on which King registered.

The second half of the fifth saw the game again tied up when the inning opened with a single by Herold to left field and McCarty was hit by Lamar, that proved his undoing as both runners advanced on the sacrifice of Mason and scored on the single of Newman to the right garden.

The last and deciding score came in the lucky seventh frame of the game when Joe McCarty rapped a triple to the boards in the center field and scored on the grounder of Herb Klauschie who was sacrificed at first base.

The locals looked good to score again in the eighth inning when Bemis opened the inning with a double to left, but he died on the base as outs by Svoboda, Schilske and Swanson closed the inning.

The tabulated score of the game was as follows:

Plattsmouth—	AB	H	PO	A	E
Herold, 3b	3	1	1	5	0
McCarty, cf	3	1	1	0	0
Mason, 1b	3	0	0	0	0
H. Klauschie, c	3	0	7	0	1
Newman, 3b	3	1	4	1	0
O'Donnell, 1b	3	0	0	0	0
Bemis, 2b	3	1	0	2	0
Svoboda, rf, 1b	3	1	7	0	0
Swanson, p	4	1	0	2	0
Schilske, rf	1	0	1	0	0
	29	7	27	13	4

Papillion—	AB	H	PO	A	E
Matthies, ss	4	1	2	3	1
Siebold, 2b	4	0	3	1	1
King, c	4	2	5	0	0
A. Cordes, rf	4	1	0	0	0
Rush, 3b	4	0	2	4	0
Bearline, 1b	4	0	1	3	0
Lamar, p	4	1	2	3	0
Haebelrline, lf	4	0	1	1	0
Oliver, cf	3	0	0	0	0
	35	5	24	12	2

Business forms of all kinds printed at the Journal office.

## LEAVES ON EASTERN TRIP

From Monday's Daily—  
This morning Rev. H. G. McClusky, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, with Mrs. McClusky and Miss Catherine, departed for a trip through the east, going via the Buick route and expecting to have one of the times of their lives. They will go over the Lincoln highway from Omaha east through the central states and will then take a short trip through the mountains of New York and New England where there are many places of the rarest beauty and charm to be found. On their swing back to the west they will stop at Philadelphia for a visit at the exposition as well as the many points of historic interest in that cradle of the American nation. While in the east Rev. McClusky will fill a number of preaching engagements at the towns that they will visit.

## Assault Case from Cedar Creek in County Court

### Henry Thierolf Receives Fine of \$100 and Costs for Alleged Assault.

From Monday's Daily—  
This morning the matter of the case of the State of Nebraska vs. Henry Thierolf, a case coming from Cedar Creek was aired in the county court before Judge A. H. Duxbury. This is the case wherein the defendant, Henry Thierolf, was charged with having committed an assault on Edward Marshall on June 16th and which has been pending since that time.

It had been the request of the complaining witness that the defendant be given a fine instead of a more severe sentence and on the general agreement of the parties to the action the defendant entered a plea of not guilty to the charge preferred by the state and on hearing which the court gave sentence of a fine of \$100 and costs.

The case has attracted much attention at Cedar Creek and a great deal of interest was shown by the friends of the respective parties in the trouble but the feeling over the assault has been smoothed out among the parties and peace and harmony now seems to prevail in that locality.

## GOING ON TOUR

From Tuesday's Daily—  
The first part of August is to see a group of Nebraska young men, who have great musical ability and a real love for the beauty and charm of music, start on a gypsy like tour of the northwest and the Pacific coast. The party will comprise Leroy S. Fager, the musical supervisor of the city schools and two of his associates in the Wesleyan quartet, Mr. Davis of Geneva and Mr. Haggart of Hartington and Frank A. Clويد of this city.

The members of this quartet will give several entertainments along the course of their travels and which will not only be a means of their keeping up in their musical work but will afford the residents of the various places that they may visit a real treat in the way of high class vocal program.

The songsters will go from Lincoln to the Black Hills for a visit and thence on through Wyoming to Idaho where they stop at Twin Falls for a short time and from there go to Redmond, Oregon, for a brief visit and thence at their leisure down the Pacific coast to San Francisco and thence to Long Beach and Los Angeles for a visit there with friends and viewing the points of interest in that part of the globe.

The trip has been planned for some time and every member of the party is looking forward to it with the greatest of pleasure.

## DEPART FOR WEST

Wednesday at the first break of day Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crabill and daughter, Alice, Edgar Wescott and Helen Wescott with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wiles and two little daughters, will leave for an auto trip through the west. Miss Wescott will leave the party at Hastings where she is to be a house guest of Miss Dorothy Hunt, a sorority sister, and also at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. V. Hunter and family. The rest of the party will continue on to the Yellowstone park and spend some weeks in that very beautiful section of the west.

## VISITING IN KEARNEY

From Monday's Daily—  
Post cards received here today from Roy Holly, indicate that he is visiting in Kearney, where he was located for a couple of seasons after the war in orchestra and dance promotion work. From there he expects to go to Hastings to spend a few days and will probably go on to Imperial. If he finds employment to his liking, he will probably locate in one of the towns he visits.

## Young People Are Joined in Holy Wedlock

### Miss Ruth Wright and Mr. Harvey Burke Married at Benedict Home Last Night.

From Monday's Daily—  
Last evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John Benedict, occurred the marriage of Miss Ruth Wright and Mr. Harvey Burke, well known and popular young couple of this community and who have a very large circle of friends in this city and vicinity.

The home was arranged very prettily for the happy event and the bridal couple were married beneath an arch of blue and white wedding bells that added to the charm of the very happy occasion.

The marriage lines were read by the Rev. Frank Emory Pfoutz, pastor of the First Methodist church and the beautiful ring service was used in the consummation of the marriage vows.

The bride wore a very handsome gown of blue silk tulle and carried a bouquet of the American Beauty roses, making a very pretty picture of charm.

After the wedding there was a very delicious wedding supper served by the relatives of the young people, a feature of which was the large and attractive bride cakes prepared by Mrs. John Benedict and Mrs. Charles Allen for the happy event.

The large number of beautiful and attractive presents that were given the bridal couple were on display at the Benedict home.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright, who came to this city from Akron, Iowa, a few years ago and has made her home here since that time. She is a graduate of the class of 1924 of the high school at Oakland, Iowa, and has for the past year been engaged at the Masonic home in this city, and where she made a very warm circle of friends.

The groom is a son of William Burke, an old resident here, and has grown to manhood in this community and is now in the employ of the Burlington in the local shops in this city.

Mr. Burke is a veteran of the world war and one of the industrious young men of the community.

The bride and groom left for a short honeymoon in Iowa and after their return home will be at home to their friends at the home south of the city.

Those who attended the wedding were Mrs. Warren Coffey and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright, William Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Albin and family, of Union; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spangler and Mrs. Charles Allen.

## CLEANING UP PARK

From Monday's Daily—  
Wm. Thorburn, the efficient park superintendent in the employ of the park board during the summer season, has been employed by the Legion on extra time above his eight hours daily for the park board, to clean up the Tourist park used last week by the Legion sponsored carnival attractions and will police the grounds for stray bits of paper as the boys used to do themselves when some second "boole" sent them forth on such a mission almost daily regardless of whether the grounds needed, policing or not.

The Tourist park is in very fine condition now and offers great contrast to a few years ago when the Legion members put in five successive Saturdays, aided with public contributions for the hiring of teams, and graded down a large hill in the center of the grounds as well as leveled them up to grade lines run for them free of charge by Joe McMaken.

Since that time, the acquiring of additional ground and the installation of a closed sewer where the open ditch then ran along the north edge have further increased the appearance of the grounds, as well as the clearing out of the brush thicket at the top of the hill north of the old high school building.

Last year the board installed two modern flusher type toilets on the grounds and took over payment for the light there which had been put in by the W. C. T. U., upon their request to be relieved of further payment for same.

## RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

From Tuesday's Daily—  
Julius Nielson, and children, Charlotte and Clarence, who have been at Rochester, Minnesota, at the Mayo clinic for the past week where Mr. Nielson was undergoing an examination, returned home today. Mr. Nielson was examined by the specialists who handled his case at his previous stay at the hospital and was much pleased at the assurance given him of the progress that he is making and the promise of a permanent relief from his sickness and a restoration to his former good health.

Need help? You can get it quickly by placing your ad in the Journal.

## WILL UNDERGO OPERATIONS

From Monday's Daily—  
This afternoon Joe Krcelj, captain of the 1926 basketball team of the Peru state normal, who has been here during the vacation period, departed for Omaha in company with his younger brother, Henry, they entering the hospital in Omaha for an operation for removal of their tonsils. Both have been suffering very much from the effects of the diseased members and Joe was confined to his home the greater part of the last two weeks from the effects of the swollen and diseased tonsils and to secure permanent relief will have them removed and Henry will also have his removed although they have not proven as annoying as that of Joe.

## New Garage Building Adds to Appearance

### Concrete Structure Built by Frank E. Vallery, Pleasing Addition to Business Center.

From Wednesday's Daily—  
The business section of the city has been very much improved by the concrete garage building that Frank E. Vallery has built on South 5th street at the site of the old air ducts and which makes this heretofore unused part of the business section a very busy place.

Mr. Vallery has erected the new garage building of concrete block and it is ample to handle the garage business as well as making a very convenient place for his real estate offices, in which line he has been kept very busy in the last few months.

The building was built by Herman Tiekotter & Son in charge of the carpenter part of the work and Emil Walters the mason work and the structure is a substantial and well built building and as near fire proof as possible, there being very little wood employed in the structure.

At the east entrance of the building there is a large double sliding door that gives entrance to the garage and repair shop and at the left hand side of the entrance is found the private office of Mr. Vallery. The office is well lighted and finished in the hard pine woodwork and sand finish plastering and will be a real place for the rustling real estate dealer to look after his affairs.

The garage will hold a very large number of cars and in the west portion of the building is located the repair shop of which Con Tschekert is the manager and which is housing the Dodge service as well as general auto repairs.

There is a large washing space just to the south of the building that will care for this feature of the garage work and which Mr. Vallery has equipped in the most modern manner.

The building has to the south the sales yard and pavilion and which has large sheds that will care for cattle or goods that may be brought in for sale at the pavilion. Mr. Vallery is planning to have the sales yard graveled and placed in first class shape in every way and has had the yard filled in to a great extent so that it is much more convenient than it was formerly.

## ENTERTAIN FOR GUEST

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Mrs. W. A. Robertson was hostess at a very pleasant party Monday to a number of little folks in honor of Miss Josephine Helen McKerron of St. Joseph, Missouri, who is here as a guest at the R. P. Westover home.

The time was spent by the young people in playing games, "Travel" being one of the features of the afternoon and which proved a real diversion to the members of the party and were interspersed with a number of other very delightful pastimes.

At a suitable hour dainty refreshments were served that added to the enjoyment of all of the members of the party.

Those attending the occasion were: Nadine Clويد, Dorothy Lehr, Vestette Robertson, Dorothy Farmer, Gertrude Vallery, Katherine Hough, Janet and Rachael Westover, Sophie and Eleanor Steger, Wilhelmina Hinrichsen, Jacqueline Jones, Shenandoah, Iowa, and the guest of honor, Josephine Helen McKerron.

## SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

From Tuesday's Daily—  
The many friends of Mrs. George Schantz, Sr., who has been quite poorly for some time past, will be pleased to learn that she is now up and around again and getting along nicely and her improvement has been a great relief to her aged husband who has been caring for her.

Every shade of crepe paper and all the new novelties and favors as well as a complete stock of picnic needs can be found in the Dennison line, sold exclusively at the Bates Book and Gift Shop.

## Attend Family Reunion Held at Des Moines, Ia.

### Mrs. Elvira Ozburn, Aged 89, Has Members of Family Together for Happy Event.

From Monday's Daily—  
Yesterday at Greenwood park at Des Moines, Iowa, was held a very delightful family reunion, the members of the family of Mrs. Elvira Ozburn, gathering there to spend the day most delightfully with this aged lady who is now in her eighty-ninth year and the occasion was attended by some 207 of the members of the family and relatives by marriage.

The park made an ideal spot for the event and the sumptuous picnic dinner that was served there to the members of the party was one that will long be very delightfully remembered by all of the party.

A large number of the relatives came from quite a distance and the event was one of the most delightful that the family has enjoyed for many years. Of the original family there was present the guest of honor, Mrs. Ozburn and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Osborne of Lincoln, Nebraska, from Plattsmouth Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Briggs and son, Burdette were in attendance, Mrs. Briggs being a daughter of Mrs. Ozburn.

The family is one of the pioneer founders of southeastern Iowa, as they came to the little frontier town of Salem, Iowa, in 1857 and have made that place their home for practically all of the years since that time until the family circle was broken by the death of the husband and father in 1910. Elvira Elliott was born in Indiana and was married in that state on October 8, 1856, to Joseph Ozburn, and the year following they came to Iowa to live and where their splendid characters have had a great deal in the moulding and development of the section of the state in which they had located for their home. Being of the Quaker faith Mr. and Mrs. Ozburn have lived clean and quiet lives that have given them the highest respect and esteem of the residents of the community where they have lived. Since the death of the husband Mrs. Ozburn has made her home the greater part of the time with the children, being here a part of the time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Briggs and family in Plattsmouth.

At the reunion yesterday there were present the sons and daughters law to the number of 14, thirty-two grandchildren and forty great-grandchildren.

## LOOKING AFTER CASES

From Monday's Daily—  
This afternoon Sheriff E. P. Stewart departed for Weeping Water in company with County Attorney W. G. Kieck, where they were called to look over some matters in connection with the case originating from that place in which a number of young men were alleged to have contributed to the delinquency of a minor child.

This case has been taking up a great deal of the time of the sheriff and county attorney getting their case together so that prosecution might be started and in addition there has been a rush of other matters in the sheriff's office that has kept him on the go for the past several weeks and with the transfer of several prisoners from the jail to the state penitentiary and the state reform school has made it very difficult to reach all the points that his service might be demanded, with the speed that he desired, but the sheriff has been handling several cases a day for the last few weeks and which makes necessary a great deal of time in some of these.

## VISITS OLD FRIENDS

B. L. Kirkham and R. O. Fellows, residents of Plattsmouth Nebraska, nearly a quarter of a century ago, and M. M. Beal, temporarily here from that city, were much pleased this (Thursday) morning to receive a call from an old time Plattsmouth friend in the person of Mr. Albert Fickler, who now resides at Stanton, Neb., but whose business headquarters are at Sioux City, being manager of the Farmers Union Live Stock Commission, and coming here to participate in the Farmers Union meeting held Wednesday evening—Belle Fourche (S. D.) Post.

## SUFFERS INJURED LEG

Saturday evening Leslie Gansamer from west of Murray was in the city and suffering a great deal of difficulty in getting around as the result of an accident that he sustained last week while at work on the farm. The young man was loading hay and in his work was unfortunate enough to have the point of one of the pitchfork lines penetrate the lower portion of the right leg. The leg has laid the young man up from active work for a few days but he is now able to use it to walk on to some extent.

All local news is in the Journal.

## HAS NARROW ESCAPE

From Tuesday's Daily—  
Gallen Rhoden was in the city at a very early hour this morning, at a time when the greater part of the business houses were yet unopened for the day, and this led to the inquiry as to why all the early rising. Mr. Rhoden stated that he was in the city to secure himself a new engine for the operation of machinery around the farm and to replace the one that had blown up for him yesterday. Mr. Rhoden yesterday was getting ready to do some farm work and brought the engine out from the wash house where it had been in use on a washing machine and was just cranking up the engine when it quit business by blowing up and it is a matter of the greatest good fortune that Mr. Rhoden was not seriously injured in the blow up and he is shaking hands with himself over the outcome of the affair.

## Odd Fellows Visit Louisville Last Evening

### Delegation From This City Assists in Installing New Officers of That Lodge.

From Tuesday's Daily—  
Last evening a delegation of the members of Platte lodge No. 7, I. O. O. F. of this city, motored out to Louisville where they spent several hours most pleasantly in visiting with their brothers of the Louisville lodge and assisting in the installation of the officers of the lodge of that city.

In the installing ceremonies A. R. Johnson of this city officiated as noble grand and T. E. Olson as vice-grand and these veteran members of the three link fraternity conducted most fittingly the impressive services of the order.

Following the installing there was a short social time enjoyed and the visitors were treated to very dainty refreshments that added to the enjoyment of all of the members of the party.

Those from Plattsmouth who attended the occasion were John Cory, A. R. Johnson, Fred H. Mumm, John Bates, T. E. Olson, Dr. J. J. Stibal and Fred Lugsch.

## YOUNG CHEMIST BURNED

From Wednesday's Daily—  
Richard Edwards, aged 13, who was engaged in conducting some chemical experiments at his home a few days ago, is wearing a considerable portion of his face as well as his right hand in bandages as the result of the explosion of a bottle that he was using in his experiment and from the effects of the explosion a quantity of denatured alcohol that he was working with became ignited and resulted in a part of the flaming liquid splashing on his face and right hand. While painful the burns were not deep and the boy feels fortunate that his eyes escaped the burning liquid.

Planning a picnic or party? Call at the Bates Book and Gift Shop and see the many things the Dennison line offers.

## Court Decides Land to Remain in City Limits

### In Case of August F. Knoficek, Et Al. Against City of Plattsmouth, City Wins.

From Tuesday's Daily—  
This morning District Judge James T. Begley decided the case of August F. Knoficek and others against the city of Plattsmouth in favor of the defendant city and denied the petition of the plaintiffs to have their real estate set outside of the corporate limits of the city.

The plaintiffs in the action are residents of the northwest part of the city and in their petition of action alleged that the land that they were the owners of was used purely for agricultural purposes and that it derived no special benefits in the way of improvements such as street work, sidewalks, lights and water or fire protection.

The case was heard here in the district court before Judge Begley and attracted a great deal of attention among the residents of the section of the city where the property was located.

The city contended that the property in question had received a part of the city public improvements although not in the paved areas of the city and that the residents were not entitled to be allowed their prayer of having the property outside of the city.

The court as well as the attorneys for the parties in the action made a trip to the section of the city in question and after the observation of the premises in question and the streets and other improvements decided in favor of the city.

The city was represented in the cause of action by City Attorney J. A. Capwell.

## CEDAR CREEK WINS

From Monday's Daily—  
Yesterday afternoon the Cedar Creek baseball team that occupied the second place in the Cass county league, added to their lead by the defeat of Louisville team by the score of 12 to 5, the battle being staged on the Cedar Creek grounds. There was a very pleasing crowd out to witness the game. Art Klauschie was on the mound for the Crawlers and was able to hold the Louisville hitters with ease. Joe Krcelj of this city played his usual effective game at short.

## NEW CHEVROLET SALESMAN

From Monday's Daily—  
John B. Livingston, the local representative of the Buick and Chevrolet automobiles, has secured an addition to his staff of salesmen in the person of Fred Smith, well known auto salesman and who will in the future be found assisting Mr. Livingston in the disposal of his popular lines of cars. The new salesman will start in his work at once and with his large acquaintance and experience in this line of work should make Mr. Livingston a very valuable man.

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"There is no dog, be he ever so wicked, but wags his tail."  
—Italian Proverb.

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