

Road Situation to be Improved Immediately

State Engineer Cochran Has Given Orders to Do Everything Possible Here.

From Monday's Daily—
The highway between this city and Fort Crook and particularly that part in the Platte bottom just north of this city, has been for some time past in the spotlight of rather unfavorable comment and this has caused much annoyance not only to the local residents but to the state department of public works who have had the responsibility of the road as part of the King of Trails highway. State Engineer Roy Cochran who has been very much interested in the development of the state highway system, has taken the steps that will assure that in a very short time the highway will be as good as possible the completion of the new highway which will be this fall sometime.

Mr. Cochran has notified the division and local highway engineers to spare no efforts or expense in seeing that the highway is made fit for travel and kept at that standard for the future and the state engineer will see that this matter is given prompt attention, the residents here can be assured.

Yesterday afternoon R. O. Green, division engineer, who has charge of the work in this district was in the city to interview E. H. Douglass, the local engineer and put the steam in the movement that would see that the road was opened up and kept in the proper shape for travel as far as is possible until the new road is opened and takes away the problem of the seemingly bottomless gumbo of the Platte bottom road.

There are some things that the state or county cannot overcome in the road work, in the continuous rains of weeks and weeks, but greater effort should have been made on the highway to secure a proper drainage and this will doubtless be attended promptly now that Mr. Cochran has been fully advised of the matter and is giving his employees the explicit instructions that the highway is to be kept open and in as good a condition as possible in the future.

HIGH SCHOOL IS TO PRESENT NEW OPERETTA

The music and dramatic departments of the city schools are conducting try-outs for special assignments for the annual high school operetta. After the cast has been selected, intensive training will begin for the presentation of "Lelawala" or "The Maid of Niagra," a 3 act drama by Charles Wakefield Cadman. This is one of the very latest operettas and is receiving the greatest enthusiasm and success.

As the name reveals, the story and setting is Indian, relating one of the most beautiful American-Indian legends, around which the drama is centered. The costuming and stage setting is characteristic of the Colonial period of 1761. Although intensely dramatic as a whole, humor is developed throughout the operetta.

Perhaps no American composer is better known to the American people than is Charles Wakefield Cadman, the writer of "From the Land of the Sky Blue Water," and "At Dawning." Mr. Cadman has studied the American Indians and has immortalized many of the most beautiful and appealing melodies from the various nations which he uses in "Lelawala."

Although the presentation of "Lelawala" will be the most difficult yet undertaken by the city schools the instructors feel justified in raising the standard of material and class of entertainment whenever possible.

Watch for further announcements through the Journal.

CHOLERA NOT EPIDEMIC

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 10.—Dr. Clark H. Hays, chief of the state bureau of animal industry, says while hog cholera is more prevalent in Nebraska than formerly he does not consider it epidemic in form. Dr. Hays explained the scarcity of serum by saying it requires 60 days' time to produce and perfect it. When the price went down some six months ago manufacturers made only a limited quantity, and when the demand increased there was not enough on hand to supply the demand.

"What hog growers should have done," said Dr. Hays, "was to immunize their hogs that are now grown. They should have been immunized and the herd kept that way."

MRS. SVOBODA DOING NICELY

From Monday's Daily—
Thomas Svoboda was at Omaha yesterday visiting his wife at the hospital and reports Mrs. Svoboda as doing very nicely at this time despite the fact of the serious nature of her operation and it is hoped that the patient will continue to improve until she is out of danger.

ENJOY BRIDGE PARTY

From Monday's Daily—
A number of the bridge enthusiasts of the city enjoyed a "Military bridge" at the Hotel Main the past week and which was attended by quite a pleasing number of the devotees of this game. In the playing of the first prize was won by Mr. and Mrs. George Balduf with a score of 2,682 and the second honors by Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Richey with 2,500. Other scores of the game were: Douglas McCrary and Jeanette Weber, 2,394; Frank M. Bestor and R. W. Knorr, 2,226; William Schmidtman and Mrs. J. P. Wolf, 1,615; Mr. and Mrs. Scelnic, 1,597 and Mrs. C. A. Rosencrans and Mrs. F. R. Gobelman, 1,052.

Ford Garage Hold-Up Men Still at Liberty

Parties Arrested at Omaha Not Identified as the "Stickup" Men by James Rishel.

From Monday's Daily—
The two men wanted in connection with the holding up of the night caretaker at the garage of the Plattsmouth Motor Co., are still at large and their whereabouts is still a mystery to the officers.

The period of time that elapsed from the time of the "stickup" and the time that it was reported to the police and the sheriff was sufficient for the parties to put many miles between themselves and Plattsmouth and made the pursuit of the men impossible and the task of trying to locate them was as difficult as trying to find a needle in a haystack.

Two men were arrested in Omaha early Sunday morning in connection with the hold up of a taxi driver there and it was thought from the description that was given that these might prove the two men wanted in the Plattsmouth hold up. Sheriff Stewart motored to Omaha with James Rishel, the night man who had been held up, but Mr. Rishel was unable to identify the two men as those who had been at the garage and put over the hold up.

Mr. Rishel stated Saturday that the men had asked for some gasoline which had caused him to open up the garage and as the result he was in a few moments facing the business end of a very large revolver and doing the sky lifting stunt with his hands.

Death of Former Well Known Resident Here

Mrs. Elizabeth Latham, Aged 81, Dies at Home of Daughter at Houston, Texas.

From Monday's Daily—
Mrs. Elizabeth Latham, aged 81, for many years a resident of Plattsmouth died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Farnum J. Wellington, at Houston, Texas, a message received here yesterday by old friends states. The death of Mrs. Latham occurred on Monday, October 1st, and came after a period of some duration from the effects of her advancing years and gradual breakdown in health at her advanced years.

The deceased lady was the widow of Fred Latham, at one time the agent here of the Burlington railroad and the family will be well remembered by the older residents of the community where they made their home for a long period of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Latham left here some thirty years ago and the family have since made their home in the south and where Mr. Latham died some years ago.

WELL DESERVED PRAISE

This office was honored Wednesday with a very pleasant call from Henry Gering of Omaha, who was driving a few cards for his sister, Miss U. Gering, county treasurer, and democratic candidate for re-election. Miss Gering has made a faultless record as treasurer, is known to practically every taxpayer and will receive a handsome vote.—Eagle Beacon.

ENJOY GOOD HUNTING

From Monday's Daily—
Yesterday Con Lynch and Ben Wooley of this city, arming themselves with their trusty guns, hastened down to the vicinity of Union where they proceeded to make havoc among the squirrels in that locality and returned home with ten of the little furred animals as proof of their skill in shooting.

Call No. 6 with your order for job printing.

Second Round of Cass Baseball Tourney Played

Plattsmouth Wins from Manley and Manley from Greenwood in Close Contests.

From Monday's Daily—
Weather conditions yesterday gave the first really pleasant Sunday for a long period of weeks and permitted the playing of the second round of the Plattsmouth-Manley-Greenwood baseball tournament as the result of which Manley defeated Greenwood in the opening game 3 to 2 while Plattsmouth won from Manley 4 to 3 in the last game, both struggles being hard fought and in which both teams played good ball.

The games so far are Plattsmouth won two and lost none and Manley and Greenwood have won and lost one each.

The Manley-Plattsmouth game yesterday and as far as the Manley team was concerned was simply a case of the gilt edge work of Tip Rector who mowed down the Plattsmouth batters at will and had a strike out record of fifteen and allowed but six hits, three of which in the fifth inning gave the victory to Plattsmouth.

The Plattsmouth team Swanson, local hurler allowed seven hits and was effective in the pinches with several errors and wild throws to aid the Manley team in gathering in their lonely three.

The fifth inning was the jinx of the game for both teams as Plattsmouth added three runs and Manley two in this frame. For the Platters McCarty and Newman each were whiffed by Rector when Johnson laid on one of Tip's slants for a single and was followed by Swanson who also hit and advanced Johnson, they scoring when O'Donnell hit safely. Herold brought O'Donnell in with the third tally of the game, Pete dying on second as Herb Klauschie was out on a fly to center field.

The Manley scores in the fifth were garnered when with one down Tip Rector hit safely and was sacrificed by Klepser, Grover Hopkins hit safely and was advanced on a wild throw that gave Rector an additional base. A. Harms was safe on an error at first and on a wild heave Hopkins came across with the additional run. In the seventh inning Newman was safe on an error at third base and while Johnson was striking out was able to reach second from where he scored when Swanson hit for his second blow of the game.

Manley made their last tally in the eighth inning when A. Harms hit safely and after working his way to third was able to dash home on an overthrow to the third base.

In the few hits that were garnered Swanson for Plattsmouth and West for Manley were the leaders of their teams with two bingles each.

The box score was as follows.

Plattsmouth—									
	AB	H	PO	A	E				
O'Donnell, 1b	3	1	11	0	2				
Herold, 2b	3	1	3	3	0				
H. Klauschie, c	4	1	11	1	0				
Klauschie, 3b	4	1	1	0	0				
Mason, lf	3	0	1	0	0				
McCarty, cf	4	0	0	0	0				
Newman, rf	4	0	1	5	0				
Johnson, ss	4	1	0	0	0				
Swanson, p	3	2	0	1	0				
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Manley—

	AB	H	PO	A	E
Klepser, cf	4	1	2	0	0
Hopkins, 1b	4	1	4	0	0
A. Harms, c	4	1	1	0	0
O'Brien, c	4	0	15	1	0
West, ss	4	2	1	1	0
P. Reichart, lf	4	1	0	0	0
Earhart, 3b	4	0	3	0	0
A. Rector, cf	4	0	0	0	0
T. Rector, p	4	1	1	1	0
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CHIEF ON CAMPAIGN

From Monday's Daily—
Arnold R. Johnson, democratic candidate for county sheriff, started his drive out in the county today and will devote some two weeks to the business of interviewing the voters and will visit all of the communities over the county. While the chief of police is on his political fence building Joe Libershall, assistant chief is handling the duties of daytime guardian of the law and the place of Mr. Libershall on the night force is being taken by Thomas Svoboda.

JANE DUNBAR OPERATED UPON

From Monday's Daily—
Letters have been received here by Mrs. S. H. Shoemaker from her son, Claude, at Los Angeles, announcing the fact that Jane Dunbar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Dunbar, former residents here, had entered the hospital at that place and undergone an operation for appendicitis. The case was a very severe one and the consultation of the physicians determined the necessity of having the operation performed in order to give the patient any relief.

TOLLS PAY NEW BRIDGE

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 10.—Patrons of the interstate bridge at Sioux City are paying the amount of a new bridge in tolls every five years, a commission appointed by Governor Hammill to investigate the feasibility of construction of interstate bridges across the Missouri river at Sioux City and Council Bluffs reported.

Chamber of Commerce Offices to Open This Week

Secretary Would Like to Have Residents Call and Offer Their Suggestions.

From Monday's Daily—
It is encouraging indeed to receive a copy of the following wire: "E. H. Klauschie, President, Chamber of Commerce, Plattsmouth, Nebraska."

"Complaint made regard maintenance of Plattsmouth to Omaha road. Do everything possible to maintain traffic regardless of cost."

R. L. COCHRAN,
Department of Public Works.

The Chamber of Commerce expects to be in its new quarters this week. We hope everyone with a suggestion, and idea, or a criticism will call and let the secretary have the advantage of them. He is only human, and will make mistakes. Tell him about them. Let's always lay our cards up on the table!

We wonder if it would be news to know that the Chamber of Commerce in the past month written over three hundred letters reaching out for industries and information that would be of benefit to Plattsmouth? The annual meeting of the Nebraska Good Roads association will be held at the Hotel Rome, Omaha, Wednesday, October 13th. There will be good speakers including our Judge Besley. Water navigation will be discussed by the Hon. A. J. Weaver, also will hear Roy L. Cochran; and others of recognized ability. Plattsmouth is invited to attend with a large delegation.

One of the finest things that has been a part of my experience here has been the hearty co-operation of the Plattsmouth business men in giving this office names and addresses of firms and parties whom they feel could be interested here.

If you haven't noticed it you ought to walk or drive out and see the "clean up" L. O. Minor and his men have made in the city's "dumping ground." This had slowly filled in until it was nearly impossible to drive to the water plant. It would be the most disgusting trash here in the future could be persuaded to hold it several blocks further east to not impair the beauty of the river road. Am sure the county commissioners would be glad to co-operate in this. Any suggestions on the matter?

The city (this community) is "chock full" of possibilities for Plattsmouth. Persistently we must reach out and take advantage of them. With patience, faith and determination Plattsmouth is coming into its own. A city is no greater than its largest men, and no city can sell itself to the public, until it has sold itself "hide and hair" to its citizens.

W. G. DAVIS,
Secretary.

CELEBRATE SESQUI OF SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Oct. 11.—The 150th anniversary of the founding of San Francisco and the 434th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus were celebrated here Sunday.

The greatest interest was at Mission Dolores, which with the Presidio was the nucleus around which the city was built. Patrick Cardinal Hayes of New York, who came across the continent to attend San Francisco's four-day Sesqui-centennial celebration, participated in a political mass, which dedicated the new mission Dolores church.

The sermon on the occasion of the dedication was delivered by Archbishop Austin Dowling of St. Paul. He traced the rise and decline of missions, explaining how the coming of the white man during the gold rush undid almost entirely the patient work of the padres.

The parade in connection with Sunday's program was staged jointly by the Sesqui-centennial committee, the Holy Name society and the Columbus day committee.

Bess Streeter Aldrich's newest story, "The Cutters" is now on sale at the Bates Book & Gift Shop. Call early and secure your copy of this popular novel.

Old Nebraskan Rushed to Box; Stops Yankees

Bases Full in the Seventh, He Takes the Mound and Strikes Out the Batter.

New York, Oct. 10.—The grand, weather-beaten figure of Grover Cleveland Alexander came back in all its ancient pitching mastery Sunday to check the Yankees for the third time and clinch the first world's baseball championship that St. Louis has known in 49 years.

Through the haze of this crucial tenth, the seventh and deciding game of the 1926 diamond classic, the Yankee defense cracked to yield the Cardinals their winning margin of 3 to 2 but it was Alexander the Great who saved the day with as dramatic and exciting a finish as any championship conflict has ever witnessed.

The bases were full, two were out and only one Yankee run was needed to tie the game in the seventh inning when Alexander came to the rescue of the tottering Cardinal righthander, Jesse Haines, whose finger was split from throwing his knuckle ball and whose control was ebbing fast. It was a situation calculated to test the stoutest heart and the most seasoned skill, with 50 thousand dollars and a world's championship hanging in the balance, but Alexander was equal to it.

Facing Tony Lazzari, a rookie almost young enough to be his son, the great veteran hitched his trousers, called on the power of a right arm that has carried him through 16 major league campaigns and struck out his man to retire the side as the crowd broke into a frenzied uproar.

Safely past this crisis, the most dramatic moment of the game, Alexander easily subdued the Yankees in the closing two innings, yielding only a pass to Babe Ruth in the ninth, as he completed one of the greatest pitching exploits in world's series history.

Twice before Alexander stopped the American league champions from going the full route to gain victories that pulled the fighting Cardinals each time back to even terms. It was only Saturday that his masterful box work led the National leaguers to the triumph that forced the series to the limit. Yet he was ready again Sunday, as strong and as effective as ever, to cap the climax of his heroic role.

Alex and Walter

Not since the famous right arm of Walter Johnson pulled the Senators to their first world's championship in 1924 has there been anything so colorful as this finish of Alexander's. Two years ago, however, the Big Train came back victoriously after being twice defeated, while this time the stalwart Nebraskan stepped into the breach with two victories already behind him.

Alexander did not get official credit for a victory that would have put him among the honor roll men who have won three world series games. The verdict goes down on the books in Haines' name, but the glory belongs to Alexander, the 39-year-old warrior who was "sold down the river," a short time ago as a Chicago Cub discard.

Errors Aid Cardinals

Thwarted as they were by Alexander's great stand, it was nevertheless a heart-breaking defeat for the Yankees, who battled desperately to overcome a margin they had yielded in the fourth inning when the Cardinals, aided by two errors, by Koenig and Meusel, scored their three runs. It was heart-breaking for Hoyt, young right-hander who had twirled brilliantly, even when his support sagged, and it was heart-breaking for Babe Ruth whose fourth home run of the series, again shattering all world's championship records, had put the New Yorkers in the lead and upset the confidence of Jesse Haines who had won a game previously for St. Louis.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE

Whereas, In the carrying out of the Divine will there has been called from the circle of his family, our beloved friend and associate, Joseph Warg, his going bringing to the family and community a deep sorrow.

Be it resolved, that the members of the Mechanical Department association of the Burlington railroad, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, extend to the bereaved family their deepest sympathy at the loss that has come to them, their loss being shared by our organization that has lost a faithful and useful member. Be it further—

Resolved, that copies of these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Mechanical Department association and that copies of these resolutions be sent to the family of our departed associate and friends.

FRED MORGAN,
MAX BOWMAN,
WILLIAM SHEA, JR.

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SET HOLDEN TRIAL DATE

Tecumseh, Neb., Oct. 10.—With the adjournment of district court here yesterday evening Judge J. B. Raper announced a new term will begin October 18, when a jury will be called to report, and the trial of Dale Holden, charged with murder, will begin. Holden is accused of killing William Trute, a resident of this place, last July, following an altercation between Holden and Trute on the premises of the latter.

Holden had been deputized as a special officer to watch alleged bootleggers, and it was during this service that the quarrel with Trute occurred, and the killing followed. Trute was fatally shot, dying the day following.

An Easier Method of Radio Control

More Simple Manipulation of Modern Wireless Set Shows Evolution in its Development.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—From multiplicity to simplicity and from one tube to a dozen, is the incongruous situation that has accompanied the development of the modern radio receiver.

The numerous controls thought necessary in an earlier day have given way largely to one tuning device, while the elaboration needed to produce this ease of operation has been moved to the unseen recesses back of the panel. There from five to eight or more tubes, with their increasing collection of electrical and mechanical apparatus, have sprung up to overshadow greatly the lonely tube of the recent past.

Formerly it was not unusual to see the radio owner attempting to use two hands where a dozen were needed to adjust the many controls. Even the crystal set was not thought complete unless there were at least six adjustments before listening could be accomplished. Now in most cases one hand is given a rest while the other performs the task of selecting the station desired.

Evolution of the receiver got underway with the popularity of the one-tube set. They became so numerous that the manufacturer of tubes was hard pressed to supply the demand. Most of the earlier models were terrific radiators, and their tuning would set up a howl in the neighbor's receivers. These sets, while they give considerable more volume than the crystal, still clung to the idea that plenty of controls was the proper thing.

Search for greater volume brought the audio amplifier into prominence. It too bore a nest of controls. While the later amplifier models have shown no revolutionary change in circuit design, their physical controls have disappeared.

Search for greater distance getting ability and elimination of squeals and howls saw the development of the tuned radio frequency set, with four or five tubes and with three controls, the operation of which was comparatively simple because the reading on each dial was nearly the same. Some of the later day receivers still carry the three-control idea.

About the same time the super-heterodyne sprang into popularity, the number of tubes ranging from 5 to ten or more. Its construction was an involved procedure, but it did not have a counteracting advantage. There were only two main operating adjustments, altho the earlier models—and some of them still do—contained from one to four volume controls. The earlier types were all home constructed, and it has been only within the last year or so that sets have been produced by the manufacturer. The latest models contain a combination control that in effect a one handed device.

Development of the singly controlled receiver first was successfully accomplished by replacing the three dials of the five tube set with a mechanical device that terminated at the panel with a signal wavelength adjuster. Success in this was followed by further elaboration behind the panel as the number of steps of tuned radio frequency gradually began to increase, until they have reached as high as five.

Some of the later models even attempt to disguise the fact that they are radio receivers, and only a small knob protrudes on the front, with a window close by to show the adjustment made. Other types have stopped at two controls.

QUEEN MARIE IS BUSY

Paris, Oct. 10.—Sunday was hardly a day of rest for the active queen of Rumania. The Rumanian minister called her hotel shortly before noon and Queen Marie went with him to visit the salon of the "French Palette" to view some modern paintings and other works of art. On this excursion the queen's two ladies in waiting accompanied her and she was recognized by the Sunday strollers. Many ere the comments on her striking beauty, regal bearing, friendly manner and attractive clothes.

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South Irked at Low Cotton, to Aid Corn Belt

Des Moines Conference is Cheered by Prospect of Strong Ally in Fight for Relief Measure.

Des Moines, Oct. 11.—Plans to be laid at a meeting here of farm leaders on October 19, indicate that the demand of agriculture will be carried to the winter session of congress with a more formidable backing than ever before.

The corn and wheat farmers have brought definitely to their side the cotton farmers of the south. The farm bill was defeated in the last session chiefly because the democratic members of both house and senate from the southern states largely voted against the measure. The farm bill in the last session had a larger proportion of republicans supporting it than democrats. The democrats who voted against the measure chiefly were from cotton growing states. They clung to the democratic fetish that the only way to help anyone, farmers included, was to vote free trade.

Solons Prejudiced.

At the time the organized cotton growers were strongly supporting the corn belt farmers but were unable to overcome the prejudices of their representatives in congress. During the last few weeks there has been a severe slump of cotton prices, and not only are the leaders of the organized cotton growers now demanding action along the lines of the McNary-Haugen bill—making the tariff effective for agriculture thru an equalization fee—but the rank and file of southern farmers are making their wishes known to their representatives.

Meet Next Week.

This is the word that reaches Governor Hammill in advance of the scheduled meeting of farm leaders. The meeting scheduled for Tuesday of next week, October 18, in fact, is being called largely for the purpose of giving cotton state leaders a chance to line up behind the corn and wheat farmers. Heretofore cotton prices have been sufficiently high to hold back the cotton farmer's enthusiasm for the equalization fee idea. Now that there has been a big slump in cotton prices the southern farmers realize that their future is tied up with that of agriculture as a whole. The meeting next week is expected to make the position of the farm leaders even more definite than it has been heretofore.

ATTENDS GAME BY PROXY

Emporia, Kas., Oct. 10.—Emporia's fanclub, about 2,000 strong, poured out today to watch a play-by-play action of the crucial world's series game of the Emporia Gazette's magnetic score board, despite the edict of the ministerial alliance protesting against such a display on Sunday.

Seated on a camp chair beside his wife, William Allen White, editor of the Gazette, against whom the pastoral resolutions were directed earlier in the week, had a ringside seat before the board. The rumpus started after an invitation was issued by the Gazette, preceding last Sunday's world series game, to gans to attend the game, viciously by means of the scoreboard, "a half hour after church services."

Emporia's ministers indicated they did not object so much to the Sunday scoreboard game, but they passed a resolution of censure because Mr. White invited the Emporia baseball fans to the scoreboard "right after church last Sunday." Linking the church in the same sentence with a Sunday baseball game, distressed the ministers, they said.

Now Mr. White wants to know if "the preachers object to having the church mentioned in the same sentence with baseball, how my words or sentences should have elapsed between them" and "what other subject cannot be mentioned in close proximity to the church."

FLORIDA RELIEF FUND

The following is a list of contributors for Florida hurricane sufferers to the Cass County Chapter of the American Red Cross:

Cass County Chapter Treas.	\$100.00
Eagle branch	20.25
Ferdinand Bronkow	.50
Andrew Blum	.50
Mary Van Scoyoc	5.00
Fred Busby	5.00
Plattsmouth Branch	35.00
Mynard Branch	50.00
Plattsmouth Ad Club	25.00
Plattsmouth Ad Club (Iowa)	25.00
M. S. Briggs	1.00
Avoca Branch	10.00
Newkwa Branch	5.00
Weeping Water Branch	50.00

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