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## Platters Win from Nebraska Deaf 16 to 14

### Great Playing of Blue and White in Last Quarter Holds Visitors To Free Toss

The playing of the Plattsmouth quintet was impressive last night as they forced the state champion basketball title holders to bow before their fast and furious attack, the Nebraska Deaf meeting their first defeat at the hands of Plattsmouth in several years, 16 to 14.

The game was some battle, a real scrap from the first whistle until the final gong when victory rested with the wearers of the Plattsmouth colors.

The visitors playing in machine like accuracy made beautiful passes of the ball in their advance down the floor, but a faster and smarter Platt quintet than they had met broke up many of these passes.

The first half of the game was a constant battle, the two teams showing their scoring power as they fought their way through the strong defense that both teams displayed.

In the last quarter the visitors lost the poise and accuracy of the earlier portion of the game and seemed to weaken under the fast and furious pace set by the Platters.

Plattsmouth	FG	FT	PF	TP
Arn, f	1	1-4	0	3
Rummel, f	1	0-0	1	2
Donat, c	3	0-0	1	6
Knofficek, g	0	3-3	1	3
Forbes, g	1	0-0	2	2
6 4-7 5 12				

Nebraska Deaf	FG	FT	PF	TP
Spatz, f	3	2-3	3	8
V. Peterson, f	0	6-0	0	0
Rushaw, f	0	0-0	0	0
Jahnel, c	1	2-1	3	3
Teare, g	1	2-3	3	3
Rabb, g	0	0-0	0	0
5 4-6 7 14				

## LOOKS OVER COURT HOUSE

From Friday's Daily  
H. H. Duxbury, member of the board of county commissioners of Otoe county, was here today looking over the district court room in the Cass county courthouse.

## MOVING MACHINERY

From Friday's Daily  
The large machine used in the stripping of wood in basket making of the Nebraska Basket Co. was moved today from the location in the Redman building to the new plant of the company at Third and Pearl streets.

## GOES TO CHARLES CITY

From Saturday's Daily  
H. A. Lightbody left this morning for Charles City, Iowa, to work for Dr. J. E. Salsbury in his Poultry Laboratories at that place.

## RECEIVES JUDGMENT

From Friday's Daily  
In the county court today Judge A. H. Duxbury rendered a judgment in the case of Clayton Rosencrans vs. the Watson Brothers Truck Line. The court gave Mr. Rosencrans a judgment of \$482.50 in his suit for \$550.

## Contract for Pipeline Work to be Let Soon

### Northern Natural Gas & Pipeline Co. to Let Work on Line from Here to Omaha.

The Northern Natural Gas & Pipeline Co., successors in this territory to the Missouri Valley Pipeline Co., are to start the work on their natural gas line from Mynard north to Omaha, in a very short time.

The company is preparing to call for the bids on the work of laying the large mains and as soon as the contract can be let the actual work will be commenced.

The line will run some three miles west of this city along the highway to a point northwest of this city where the line will be laid across the farm of C. L. Stull to the Platte river.

## TRUCK CAUSES TRAFFIC JAM

From Thursday's Daily  
There has from time to time been a great deal of discussion of the habit of the large delivery trucks of Omaha firms parking along the curbs in the main business section, their size being such that they project out into the line of traffic.

## RECEIVES SAD NEWS

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## HERE FROM NEHAWKA

From Thursday's Daily  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Engelkemier of north of Nehawka, were in the city for a few hours today looking after some trading and visiting friends and relatives.

## 'Commission' Main Subject at C of C Meeting

### To Reach Decision at Meeting Two Weeks Hence on Filing Petitions for an Election.

From Friday's Daily  
Commission government, its operation, advantages and disadvantages, was the subject of yesterday's first Chamber of Commerce luncheon of the new year.

President Schneider announced the re-appointment of E. H. Wescott to serve for another year as secretary, and stated he would have the list of committee appointments ready to announce within a few days.

Treasurer Fred Rea submitted the proposed budget for 1932, totaling \$750, which was approved by vote of the directors.

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## First Democratic Candidate Files for Co. Sheriff

### Homer Sylvester of Weeping Water Will Ask Approval of Democratic Voters.

From Thursday's Daily  
Homer Sylvester, of Weeping Water, one of the applicants for the appointment to the vacancy in the office of county sheriff, is now a formal candidate for the position which was filled by the selection of Edward Thingan of Murdock.

## HAS A CLOSE CALL

Charles Chriswiser, prominent resident of Nehawka, is here for this week taking treatment for injuries that he received the first of the week.

## RECEIVES APPOINTMENT

From Friday's Daily  
County Superintendent Miss Alpha Peterson has received notification of the apportionment of the state school money for the schools of Cass county.

## Louisville Legion Honors 'Best' Scout

### Also Pays Tribute to Scoutmaster Murphree for Splendid Work Among the Boys.

From Friday's Daily  
Last evening a group of fifteen members of the Plattsmouth American Legion post motored to Louisville to attend a meeting of the Henry A. Newman post, to which invitation had previously been extended by the Louisville post officers.

## George Nickles Files for State Representative

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The candidate is a member of one of the old families of this part of the state, his parents having pioneered in the settlement of Cass county.

## MOVING TO NEW HOME

### Mrs. Bert Reed and her family are moving from the residence in the county jail building to the Barclay property across the street and just south of the public library.

## ACCEPTS NEW POSITION

### Leonard Stoehr, one of the well known farmers of west of this city, has been named as the manager of the Farmers Elevator Co., of Culom.

## SUFFERS FROM SPRAINED BACK

From Friday's Daily  
W. H. Puls, councilman from the Third ward, is laid up at home today suffering from a sprained back.

## SUFFERS FRACTURED LIMB

Mrs. Frank Slavicek, residing on west Main street, was very severely injured Wednesday evening in a fall, suffering the fracture of her right leg just above the ankle.

Mrs. Slavicek in company with Mrs. Anna Zitka, a neighbor, was returning home from the Holy Rosary church, where in the afternoon the altar society had held a "coffee."

## J. D. Cook Member of One of the Pioneer Families

### Passing of Aged Man Takes Another of This Well Known Family of Cass County.

The death of J. D. Cook, 82, at his home in Ord on Wednesday, removes another of the members of one of the largest and best known families of Cass county.

There is now left of the large family of Joseph and Mary Cook, four sons and three daughters.

## SCHOOLMEN HOLD MEETING

From Friday's Daily  
Last evening the "Schoolmen's Club" of Cass county, held a very pleasant meeting at Avoca where they were the guests of Superintendent L. L. Larson, head of the schools of Avoca.

## VISITORS IN THE CITY

James Terryberry, one of the prominent residents of the Louisville community, as well as William J. O'Brien, of South Bend, were in the city Wednesday afternoon visiting with the old friends.

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## Early History of Plattsmouth is Recounted

### By ROBERT FOSTER PATTERSON, Principal Plattsmouth H. S.

On June 15, 1869, Chief Engineer Hans Thielson was present at the council meeting and presented a written resolution of acceptance of the contract of the city. The text of that acceptance is as follows:

The Burlington and Missouri railroad company hereby accepts the resolution of the common council of the city of Plattsmouth, of the date of June 3, 1869 authorizing the execution and delivery of the said railroad company of certain bonds of said city upon certain terms and conditions therein contained, and upon said railroad agreeing to build, maintain and operate as a road from the said city as a terminal point, to build and maintain shops, turn-table, depot and necessary warehouses in said city, which said railroad company hereby binds itself in the penal amount of seventy-five thousand dollars to do and perform or to redeliver said bonds to the city of Plattsmouth.

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Following the business and sports luncheon by Mrs. Larson, the Plattsmouth representatives at the meeting were Superintendent R. E. Bailey, Principal Robert Foster Patterson, Gerald Kvasnicka and Fred A. Rothert.

On June 3, 1869 Mr. Hans Thielson appeared before the Commissioners and asked that the bonds be delivered immediately and that in return, the company would give its bond to complete the line through the county in sixteen months. But in order to bind the Burlington to certain stipulations, the Commissioners drew up the following contract:

Resolved: By the County Commissioners of Cass county—That in consideration of the Burlington & Missouri railroad company remitting two years interest upon the bonds voted by the people of Cass county on the 27th day of March A. D. 1869, to aid in the building of the said road through said county, and in consideration further of said railroad company by its authorized agent agreeing to build, maintain and operate said railroad through said county from a point on the Missouri river not further north than the north boundary line of the present incorporated limits of the city of Plattsmouth and to build and maintain their depots, machine shops, round houses, turn-tables, side tracks and business offices necessary to the successful operation of said railroad at said central point, and then run said railroad westward as near as practicable through said county, the same to be built in sixteen months from this date and have the cars running thereon.

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