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## Unofficial Vote of Cass County Given

Few Changes From First Tabulations  
of the Figures and the Majorities of the Candidates.

From Thursday's Daily—  
The unofficial vote of Cass county at the election Tuesday is given below and shows but little change over the figures first reported on the vote

County Surveyor	Fred Patterson, d	4,644
County Assessor	Wm. H. Puls, d	4,664
County Com.—Second Dist.	C. F. Harris, r	2,655
E. B. Chapman, d	3,028	383
County Com.—Third Dist.	J. Rex Peters, r	2,440
Fred H. Gorder, d	3,478	1,039
NON-POLITICAL		
Supreme Judge—First Dist.	William B. Rose	3,468
Dale P. Stough	1,214	2,254
Supt. of Public Instruction	Chas. W. Taylor	2,735
John M. Matzen	2,183	552

## NEBRASKA'S NEW GOVERNOR



Charles W. Bryan, former Executive from 1923 to 1925 is Again Called to Head the State for Next Biennium.

of the county for the various offices. Sheriff Bert Reed remains as high man in the county on the majority received with Congressman Morehead as the second highest.

The mail and absentee ballots number some fifteen and these will be counted by the returning board on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock and will be added to the figures of the candidates that have heretofore been counted. The vote, however, is not large enough to change the result in any way.

The vote of the county was as follows:

United States Senator		
George W. Norris, r	3,407	
G. M. Hitchcock, d	2,390	
Beatrice Craig	196	1,017

### STATE TICKET

**Governor**

Arthur J. Weaver, r	2,763	
Chas. W. Bryan, d	3,318	555

### Lieutenant Governor

Theo. W. Metcalfe, r	3,258	
James C. Agee, d	2,447	811

### Secretary of State

Frank Marsh, r	3,049	
L. A. Larson, d	2,653	396

### Auditor of Public Accounts

Geo. W. Marsh, r	2,978	
C. E. Matthews, d	2,614	364

### Com. Public Lands and Bldgs.

Dan Swanson, r	3,166	
John Thomesen, d	2,448	718

### State Treasurer

T. W. Bass, r	2,906	
Charles Smrha, d	2,659	247

### Attorney General

C. A. Sorensen, r	3,266	
Grover Long, d	2,523	743

### Railway Commissioner

Hugh H. Drake, r	2,770	
E. A. Walrath, d	2,701	69

### CONGRESSIONAL TICKET

#### Congressman—First Dist.

Ralph S. Moseley, r	1,949	
John H. Morehead, d	3,990	1,951

#### LEGISLATIVE TICKET

##### State Senator—Second Dist.

William H. Pitzer, r	2,338	
J. A. Capwell, r	3,401	1,063

##### State Rep.—Sixth Dist.

Troy L. Davis, r	3,084	
Paul Schewe	2,672	412

### COUNTY TICKET

#### County Clerk

George R. Sayles, r	4,715
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#### Register of Deeds

Jessie M. Robertson, r	2,926	
Lillian G. White, d	3,045	119

#### Clerk of the District Court

C. E. Ledgway, r	3,487	
Michael Hill, d	2,244	1,243

#### County Treasurer

John E. Turner, r	3,018	
J. L. Stamp, d	2,928	90

#### County Sheriff

Bert Reed, r	4,397	
Geo. Trunkenbolz, d	1,638	2,759

#### County Attorney

W. G. Kieck, r	4,285
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## Caring for the Unfortunate is a Real Problem

Increasing Numbers of Those Visiting Here Seeking Work or Relief From Their Condition

From Thursday's Daily—  
With the first threats of winter that promise to bring great want and suffering all over the nation on the wave of unemployment, there comes the necessity of preparing to try and handle the care and shelter of the unfortunate who by the force of circumstances are facing extreme want.

While in the smaller communities such as ours, the problem is not as great perhaps as in the cities where hundreds of thousands face the winter with the prospect of cold and hunger, it is still a problem that must be met.

Each night the city jail is filled to its capacity by the men wandering around over the country seeking work and who come to the shelter of the jail to seek shelter and warmth and it is growing so that Officers Liberal and Pickrel have a real problem in caring for their guests. After the men are out in the morning they are to be found all over the streets seeking an opportunity of being furnished with food of some kind to sustain them for another day, sometimes with success and sometimes not. A great number of these men are not of the familiar type of wanderer who spends his time in bumming over the country, but many of these are men apparently of education and former better circumstances.

With but little relief in sight in this part of the nation as to the relief in the employment circles that will anyway cope with the situation, there is faced the necessity of communities preparing to do what is possible to settle their own problems, as there are two great extremes that force the members of the human race to desperate measures—hunger and cold—and to thousands these two enemies are fast approaching.

### GOOD MORNING JUDGE

There is shouting and rejoicing in the house of Democracy, the sound of the feast and the wassail bowl among the dwellers in the Bessemer Union, was a devoted follower of the G. O. P. or what have you, has come forth as a democrat, forsaking the follies of his youth for the enrollment in the ranks of the defenders of liberty. When moving here Judge Graves was selected by Mayor Sattler as Police Judge and confirmed by a democratic council, at last the men and true has won the Judge over the election as a democrat. He received 1,089 votes under that title and he is now a full-fledged member of the party. It may have been that the republicans failed to nominate the Judge but he is now and must live up to the new standard of Jefferson.

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### CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

From Friday's Daily—  
Nine years ago yesterday Miss Freda Sattler and Mr. Lawrence R. Sprecher of this city were united in marriage at the home of the parents of the bride, Mayor and Mrs. John P. Sattler, and last evening a group of the friends gathered at the Sprecher home on high school hill to join in the proper observance of the occasion.

The friends came and joined in the congratulations to the bride and groom to whom the passing years have been most kindly, spending the evening at cards and a general good time until a late hour and when the homegoing hour arrived the members of the party joined in their many well wishes to the happy couple. The members of the jolly crowd enjoyed a very fine luncheon as a part of the evening entertainment.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were Messrs and Mesdames Fred Sharpnack, Roy Perkins, Frank Toplett, C. C. Cotner, Bernard Meisinger, John Sattler, Jr., P. H. Dunn, Omaha, John P. Sattler, Sr., Mrs. Theodore Krause and Mr. and Mrs. Sprecher.

### DEATH OF BABE

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grauf of this city were called upon Wednesday to suffer the loss of the little babe that came to them early yesterday and passed away at once. The little one was laid to rest in the Oak Hill cemetery, the funeral services being held by Rev. C. O. Troy, pastor of the First Methodist church.

A few of the large Cass county maps left at the Journal office.

Phone your news to the Journal.

### HERE FROM THE WEST

Fred Ahrens, who is engaged in farming in the west part of the state near Chadron, came in Wednesday and visited at his farm near Mynard as well as at Nehawka where his father, Ernest Ahrens, one of the prominent residents of the south part of the county resides. Mr. Ahrens reports that the crops on his western Nebraska farm were very good in all lines and with the cheap prices of corn and wheat he is engaged in feeding a large number of hogs this year. On his farm near Mynard the corn average was fifty bushels to the acre he states, and which is a real showing in this very dry year.

## Burglars Pay Visit to High School Bldg.

Ransack Offices in Building and Receive Sum of \$2.14 for Their Trouble—Pry Open Door

From Friday's Daily—  
Sometime during last night the high school building in this city was burglarized and the offices of the building searched and ransacked with the result that \$2.14 in small change was taken.

The party or parties made entrance to the building by prying open the south door of the building and which gave them free entrance to the building. The parties committing the crime had evidently been in search of the receipts from the art exhibit which was given there last evening. The burglars made entrance to the office of Superintendent R. E. Bailey by removing a window in the hall and which permitted the robber to get into this room and where the desks in the office were ransacked, the drawers being pulled out and the contents scattered over the floor and from the desk the sum of \$2.14 was taken from the envelopes that had been turned in by pupils on various activities.

The other offices including that of Principal R. Foster Patterson was also entered and the contents of the desks scattered over the floors of the various offices.

The burglar tampered with the lock of the vault but without success and the burglar made no attempt to break into the vault after being unable to work the combination of the vault.

Following the exhibit last night Miss Wilhelmina Henrichsen, secretary to the superintendent had placed the door deceits in the vault and it was saved from the hands of the burglar.

### DEAD MAN AT ASHLAND

From Friday's Daily—  
Sheriff Bert Reed and County Attorney W. G. Kieck departed this afternoon for Greenwood and Ashland, called there by the fatal injury of Jacob Sreece, a tourist who was found injured on the highway south of Ashland and just in Cass county. The man was found Wednesday night on the highway by a driver of a Red Ball truck and who took the injured man on into Ashland where he later died. The man apparently had been struck by a car or truck and injured, although there was no one near the scene when the truck came along and picked him up.

The body is now at an undertaking establishment at Ashland and where the body will be viewed by a coroner's jury and the facts in the case gone into at a later date by County Attorney Kieck, who is coroner in this county.

### ENJOY CARD PARTY

From Saturday's Daily—  
The card party given by the Plattsmouth Woman's club last evening at the Hotel Riley was a most delightful event for the large crowd that was present in both the afternoon and evening. Games enjoyed included bridge, pinocle and cribbage. The winners of the bridge contests were Miss Amama Hiatt, first; Miss Estelle Baird, second and Mrs. James Bullin, third. In the cribbage games George B. Mann proved the most skillful and was awarded the honors.

The ladies served very delicious refreshments during the afternoon and evening and which were much enjoyed.

### TO THE VOTERS

It is with the feeling of deepest appreciation that I wish to thank the voters of Cass county for the wonderful support given me at the election on Tuesday. I shall strive to administer the affairs of the office of the register of deeds in a manner that will cause the voters to have no regrets in their choice.

LELLIAN G. WHITE.

## Eugene Kirkpatrick Stages Jail Escape

Prisoner Serving Six Months Sentence for Auto Theft, Digs Thru North Wall of Jail

From Friday's Daily—  
Sometime between midnight and 3 o'clock this morning, Eugene Kirkpatrick, 30, serving a six months sentence in the Cass county jail for auto theft, made his escape from the jail by digging through the wall on the north side of the jail building, removing the mortar from the bricks of the wall by the means of a large iron screwdriver, the possession of which is a mystery to the sheriff as the man was searched when placed in jail and such an article was not known to be in the building. This circumstance leads to the belief that the man may have had some outside assistance in his escape.

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There were four other prisoners confined in the jail but who made no attempt to escape and also deny any knowledge of the plans of Kirkpatrick until they discovered the hole in the jail wall and the prisoner gone. There were four other prisoners confined in the jail but who made no attempt to escape and also deny any knowledge of the plans of Kirkpatrick until they discovered the hole in the jail wall and the prisoner gone. There were four other prisoners confined in the jail but who made no attempt to escape and also deny any knowledge of the plans of Kirkpatrick until they discovered the hole in the jail wall and the prisoner gone.

### GREET NEWLYWEDES

From Friday's Daily—  
Last evening Mr. and Mrs. George Luschinsky enjoyed a very delightful greeting from the old friends and neighbors of the family on Wintersteen hill, where for so many years Mr. Luschinsky has resided. The event was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Luschinsky and where the newlyweds received the greetings and congratulations of the old friends on the happy event that has come to them.

The evening was spent in visiting and the renewal of old times among the friends and in the course of the evening the guests of honor were presented with a number of beautiful gifts among which was a fine silver electric coffee urn as a gift of the friends.

During the evening Mrs. Otto Luschinsky assisted by Mrs. Edward Rice and Mrs. Roy Stewart, served a very dainty luncheon.

It was a late hour when the members of the party wended their way homeward wishing Mr. and Mrs. Luschinsky many years of happiness and success in the future.

### CHANGES AT COURT HOUSE

From Friday's Daily—  
A number of changes are being made in the clerical forces at the court house and in which several of the stenographers and clerks are being transferred. Miss Lillian G. White, just elected as the register of deeds for the term commencing on January first, is to take a much needed rest due to the work of the campaign and the recent bereavement that she has suffered at the death of her mother, in her position at the office of County Judge A. H. Duxbury, Miss Clara Wichman, who has been stenographer in the office of County Attorney W. G. Kieck, will act as the clerk for the county judge in the future. Miss Mildred Jahris has been secured by Mr. Kieck for the position made vacant by the resignation of Miss Wickman and was on the job today in her new work.

### MOVES TO THIS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mark, long time resident of Union, are now residents of this city, moving here Wednesday from their former home and are now located in the Bekin building where they have a very neat and comfortable apartment and one that will be much enjoyed for the winter season. The residents here are much pleased to have this estimable family locate in this city and will extend to them their greetings to the ideal home city of Nebraska.

### WILL MAKE NO CHANGES

County Treasurer John E. Turner, who was re-elected Tuesday has announced that the present force of employes at the office will continue in the office, Miss Ruth Patton, deputy and Henry Westler, both of who have proved very efficient in their work in every way and have assisted in placing the office on a very high plane of efficiency, handling the business with dispatch and accuracy. Mr. Turner feels well pleased that his force will continue with him and make possible the continuance of the splendid record of the office which it has enjoyed.

## Regional Conference of Evangelical Church

Southeastern Nebraska Districts Will Meet at the St. Paul's Evangelical Church Here.

From Thursday's Daily—  
The regional conference of the Evangelical church of the Southeastern Nebraska area will be held in this city at the St. Paul's church on Thursday and Friday, November 13th and 14th.

This meeting will be of much interest in the religious sense and will bring here representatives of some fifteen church congregations in this part of Nebraska and who will be the guests of the local church and its people for two days.

The conference will embrace ministers, laymen of the church and representatives of the ladies societies of the church, each minister of the churches being here as well as one layman and one representative of the women's organizations.

This meeting will be a most notable one for this city to be the scene of such an important gathering of the representatives of this church.

The conference will be presided over by Rev. Reischauer of Omaha, and with Rev. Tischhauser of Falls City, as secretary.

The program for Thursday, Nov. 13th will be as follows:

10:00 A. M. Devotion. "The Christian Prayer Life," Rev. Strassburg of Talmage.
11:15 A. M. "Our Synod," Rev. Locher (President of the Evangelical Synod.)
12:00 Noon Dinner.
1:30 P. M. Devotion. "Prayer and the Family," Rev. Merkel of Cook, Neb.
2:30 P. M. "The Sunday School," Rev. Henning of Gladstone.
2:45 P. M. "Elmhurst," Rev. Reischneider, of Omaha.
3:15 P. M. Groups will meet separately.
Supper.
7:30 P. M. Service, Communion, Sermon, President General Rev. Locher, R. D.

### C. D. OF A'S INSTALL

From Friday's Daily—  
Last evening the members of the Catholic Daughters of America enjoyed a very fine meeting at the K. of C. hall and at which time the newly elected officers were installed into the various offices to which they have recently been named.

The installing officer was Miss Veronica O'Connor of Omaha, district deputy and who gave the various officers their charge on taking their positions. Miss Monice Minogue, of Omaha, was also present as a guest of the council.

During the evening a very pleasing program was given by the young people, the Misses Emily Lorenz and Margaret Bergmann each presenting a very pleasing piano selection while Miss Anna May Sandin gave a most artistically rendered tap dance that reflected the greatest of credit on the young lady.

Following the installation and the program, Mrs. F. I. Rea on behalf of the members of the local council presented Mrs. Frank Mullen, regent, with a very handsome bouquet of chrysanthemums as a token of the high esteem of the members and for the three years that Mrs. Mullen has served the council as regent and to which position she has just been re-elected.

During the evening refreshments were served by the committee composed of Mrs. A. G. Bach, Mrs. Joe Libershal, Mrs. Anna Zitka, Miss Juresek and Mrs. Lon Henry.

### CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Master Billy Knorr celebrated his ninth anniversary on Wednesday at the home on high school hill and in honor of the event a number of the little friends and playmates were invited in to spend the afternoon. The time was spent in playing games of all kinds and at which a great deal of pleasure was derived. At a suitable hour the birthday cake was brought forth with its glowing candles and added to the pleasures of the occasion, as dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Knorr to the little folks.

## Platters Crush Peru Prep by a 46 to 6 Score

Smashing Attacks of the Blue and White and Dazzling End Runs Tell Story of the Game

From Saturday's Daily—  
The Plattsmouth high school football team, their playing alignment shifted for the day, made a real record against the Peru Prep team when they rolled up a score of 46 to 6 and in smashing attacks tore through the visitors line while the fast moving backs scored many long and brilliant end runs that rendered the visitors helpless.

The game was hardly started when the Platters started their march down the field to the Peru goal, Robert and Gilbert Hinz carrying the ball and with Mott Frady carrying the ball over for the touchdown.

The second score was when after a series of driving blows into the Peru line in which Gilbert Hinz and Wiles were the big factors a long pass from Robert Hinz to Merle McCrary was good for another touchdown on the bewildered Bobkittens and Gilbert Hinz made the extra point good in the line plunge leaving the tally 13 to 0 for the locals.

The passing attack at the Platters following another great attack of line smashing followed with McCrary at the receiving end of the play, he running some twenty-five yards through the Peru secondary defense for the touchdown and Gib then made the extra point good by his plowing through the visitors line and the indicator gave the score as 20 to 0 for the blue and white.

The game was developing into a field day for Gilbert Hinz, playing in the backfield on the offensive and Coach Rother's big boy was the noise in the fourth touchdown as he with his team mates crushed down some forty yards in a steady march rolled over the Bobkittens goal for six more points for 26 to 0.

As the second half opened the Platters renewed their attacks and Chet Wiles broke across the visitors left side for a thirty yard dash down the field that could not be stopped and the fleet footed trackster was over for another touchdown and while the extra point failed the score was pushed up to thirty-two.

Shortly after the Plattsmouth scoring the Peruvians pulled a fast one on the Blue and White for their lone touchdown. A long pass across the field being good and the runner was away for a touchdown, eluding the Platter secondary defense.

Vernon "Samuel" Arn furnished some excitement for the visitors when they punted to him in the third quarter of the game and he returned some forty yards up the field, showing some fine broken field running and the visitors seemingly unable to hold him.

As the fourth quarter started another attack by Plattsmouth swept the visitors back and once more Chet Wiles was featured in the race down the field for another touchdown and again the old packing house special, Gib Hinz, was called upon to carry the ball for the extra point.

The last score of Plattsmouth came when Clarence Forbes, titan haired substitute halfback of the blue and white, intercepted a pass of the Peruvians and raced down the field for the touchdown, making a long and flashy race through the enemy ranks, they being unable to check his advance. Gib Hinz again was used on the line plunge for the extra point with the score 46 to 6.

The remainder of the game was largely defensive with the Platters, the second and third string players being sent in and successfully holding the visitors and the game ended with the ball in midfield.

The Plattsmouth team as a whole deserve much credit and each member was a vital factor in the victory and while the glamor of glory rests with the ball carriers in the plays, the support that they receive from their team mates is what wins for the team, so every member of the Platter team can take a real pride in their result.

Next Friday the Platters will play Tecumseh here, the visitors being the most outstanding contenders for southeast honors.

### HOME MAKERS MEET

From Thursday's Daily—  
The Home Makers extension club, comprising a large group of the ladies of the city, met last evening at the home of Miss Marie Meisinger, with Mrs. Herman Tiekotter and Mrs. Fay McClintock as the associate hostesses.