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Plattsmouth

NO. 103 VOL. NO. XXXIX. PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, MONDAY, JULY 7, 1924. **GAPEN-LOCKHART** ley was one that should have been **COURT FINDS TWO PERSONS** DEPARTS FOR CALIFORNIA. SMALL AUTO SMASHUP. CELEBRATION heard by everyone in the city as it was a clear cut and logical story of From Thursday's Dally-From Thursday's Daily-WEDDING TODAY the life of the American nation, the **INJURED IN ACCI-**This morning Mrs. Mary Wescott, This morning the residents near IS A GRAND AND FOR SHERIFF sacrifices that were necessary in at-6th and Pearl street were treated to who has been here since the middle taining the national independence of May visiting at the homes of her a real thriller in the way of a small and the responsibility that rested on DENT YESTERDAY sons, C. C. Wescott and E. H. Wessized auto wreck but which fortuunthe citizenship of the present day. Ceremony Occurs at Watertown, S. **GLORIOUS ONE** E. P. STEWART ately resulted in no serious injury cott and their families, started back The park meeting was closed by the D., This Afternoon, Witnesson her journey to her home in Losof anyone. A fine large Buick car udience singing "America," the Angeles, California. She was acwas coming down Pearl street from ed by Relatives. Eagles band furnishing the accomthe west and in making the turn in- Mrs. Clara Thompson of Kansas City companied as far as Omaha by her paniment for the number. son, E. H. Wescott, and her grandto Sixth street the driver failed to and Leroy Elliott Badly Injured The greater part of the large son, Edgar, accompanied her as far STREETS FILLED WITH VERY crowd moved from the park to the From Saturday's Daily-DECISION OF DISTRICT JUDGE swing the car that the pole swing the car quick enough and When Truck Overturns. This afternoon at 4 o'clock at between Cedar Creek and Platts- Watertown, South Dakota, occured STUEFFER OF OMAHA IS as Columbus, where he is to spend LARGE CROWDS FROM ALL on the east side of the intersection. mouth was the star attraction and the marriage of Miss Mattie Gapen The car had the front bumper badly the summer. Mrs. Wescott has met ANNOUNCED. SECTIONS OF COUNTY. damaged and the fender bent quite From Thursday's Dailya great many of her old time friends here the fans found ample enter- of this city to Mr. Glen Lockhart of badly and more or less damage to A very serious accident occured at during her stay here and the visit tainment in the red hot battle that Watertown. The marriage ocurred the front axel of the car. The car 4 o'clock yesterday on the highway was one that was very much en resulted in Plattsmouth winning by at the Episcopal church at Water-INJUNCTION TO BE GRANTED was from Kansas, and the tourisits near the Horning cometery that re- joyed by all of the old time friends. ARRANGED a score of 4 to 1. Joe McCarty did town and was attended by the im-WELL FEATURES were delayed here for some time sulted in Mrs. Clara Thompson of the mound work for Plattsmouth mediate family of the groom. while the damage was being repaired. Kansas City receiving a double fracand Herb Klauschie was at the re-ceiving end of the battery while impressive ritualistic service of the ture of the right leg, a terrible gash over the face, and Leroy Elliott of ENTERTAINS FOR Swanson, the hurling ace of Cedar Episcopal church used in the join-Order Provides for the Vacation of HAS STARTLING this city having two severe scalp Committee in Charge Has Reason to Creek officiated for his team on the ing of the lives of these young peo-BRIDE AND BRIDE-County Jail by C. D. Quinton, wounds as well as severing an artery hill and Ed radoville was back of the ple. Pleased Over Success of the Big bat. The work of both Swanson It had been planned to hold the and McCarty was of the very best wedding in this city but owing to in the right hand and from which **EXPERIENCE IN 'Q'** Former Co. Sheriff. he suffered the loss of a large amount Celebration of Day. ELEGT LAST NITE of blood. and a few bobbles on the part of the the business interests of the groom Mr. Elliott is a driver of an oil TRAIN SMASHUP members of the Cedar Creek team as- being so pressing it was impossible From Thursday's Dallytruck for the Collins Oil Co., of sisted in the winning by Plattsmouth for him to reach here and make ne-From Saturday's Dally-The announcement has been rewhich his brother, Frank Elliott, is the local representative, and was Mrs. E. H. Spangler Is Hostess to The observance of the Fourth of The game was better than the score cessary the changing of the location ceived here by the attorneys inter-July of 1924 in this city was one indicates and the visitors demon- for the ceremony. ested in the case of E. P. Stewart vs. From Thursday's Datly-Large Party of Ladies at Her out yesterday delivering gas and oil that certainly repaid the hard work strated that they had a real fast The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gapen, one of the promin-Rev. Frank Emory Pfoutz Aroused to the territory southeast of the city C. D. Quinton, A. L. Tidd, Ralph J. Home Last Evening. that the committee in charge of the organization. Haynie and A. F. Sturm, of the de-While on his trip he was asked by occasion has expended and proved The various races and sporting ent families of this community, and From Sleep in Wreck When No. Mrs. Thompson to allow her to ride From Thursday's Daily: cision of Judge C. C. Stueffer of Omone of the best that has ever been events of the day were under the has been reared to womanhood in 2 Wrecked at Buda, Ill. aha, who heard the case here for the down in the country a short distance Last evening Mrs. E. H. Spangler held in the city and kept the thous- supervision of Fred H. Vincent of this community where she has a host to visit friends and the parties were entertained very pleasantly at a issuance of a temporary restraining ands in attendance well entertained the M. D. A. of the Burlington shops of warm friends. She was edu-Among the passengers on No. 2, on their way back to their homes buffet dinner party at her beautiful order against the defendants to preuntil the midnight hour last night, and which proved very interesting cated in the Plattsmouth city schools, vent them from interfering with east bound train of the Burlington, when the accident occured, Mr. ountry home just south of Platts- until the midnight hour last night, and which proved very interesting graduating in the class of 1916 and The business men and citizens in get- and served to fill in the program graduating in the Class of 1916 and Sheriff E. P. Stewart in the discharge wrecked at Buda, Illinois, was Rev. Elliott stated. mouth in honor of Mrs. Raymond C. of the duties of his office, to prevent Frank Emory Pfoutz of this city On the front wheels one of the Cook, a recent bride and Miss Mattie ting up the celebration under the nicely, and in the work of Mr. Vin- graduated from the Peru state normauspices of the chamber of commerce cent and his assisstants the committe al in 1920, and has since been enthem from filing objections or con- who was enroute to Chicago where he tires developed a slow leak and this Gapen, whose marriage to Mr. Glen spiring to file objections to the grant- is to attend summer school at North- is the cause of the accident Mr. Lockhart of Watertown, South Da- should be free and this was carried events. planned that everything possible had a big boost toward handling the gaged in teaching in the public schools at Plattsmouth, Yanton, ing of the salary and juilor fees by western University. Elliott believes, as the tire had gone kota, is to occur Saturday. out so that all that the visitors had to In the evening after the refresh- South Dakota, and last year at Cass county commissioners to the Rev. Pfoutz writes back to the down as the truck was coming up The handsome interior of the provide was what they cared to ex- ment hour, the Weeping Water band Saginaw, Michigan. The groom is plaintin, to prevent the defendant family and friends here a very in- a small incline on the highway and Spangler home was made even more gave a very fine concert at the stand one of the well known business men Quinton from claiming or represent- teresting account of the wreck and as they struck a section of rough attractive by a pleasing color scheme The main section of the The main section of the city was at 4th and Main street and the resi- of his home locality and interested ing to be sheriff of Cass county or in which fortunately he sustained road the truck suddenly swung over of pink and lavender and the gar-closed to traffic, from Third to Sixth dents of our neighboring city certain- in the Yanton Wholesale Grocery printing notices to that effect and to no serious injuries beyond the gener-and going at a fair rate of speed was den flowers that lent their freshness and this aided in the pleasure of the ly can feel a real pride in the organi-The cab on the truck that lent their freshness and this aided in the pleasure of the ly can feel a real pride in the organi-Co., of which he is a traveling rerestrain the defendants from making al shaking up that was experienced turned over. The cab on the truck and this aided in the pleas- thousands who were free to move zation that Director Hawkins has presentative. Mr. Lockhart has up and down the streets without given them and which ranks as one been very successful in his business

the legal sheriff of Cass county. In addition the injunction asked was at 5 a. m., No. 2 was standing injuries as they were hurled with During the evening the ladies, iff Stewart and also that the jail curve and shut out the view of the the truck. defendant Quinton and his family. S, the mail train from the west swept struck the two unfortunate occu- Mrs. Roy O. Cole at the piano and and other noise producers and by During the afternoon the Parmele The announcement made from Om- into the yards and coming from be- pants of the cab, one piece striking Mrs. Elbert Wiles, flutest, were heard nine o'clock the city had taken on a theatre was crowded to its capacity

statements that Mr. Stewart was not by all of the passengers on the train. was completely torn off and the two ant gathering. Candles also feat-At the time of the wreck which occupants received their very severe ured the decorations.

for would require that the keys to on the main line at Buda, taking on the cab to the ground and thrown some eighteen in number enjoyed the alleyways and left the main sec- was the first opportunity the Platts- in his home community. the outer and inner doors of the water, and on the siding was a long out and only escaped by a close several very charming musical se- the aneyways and left the method the outer and inner doors of the water, and on the siding was a long out and only escaped by a close several very charming musical se- the aneyways and left the method. county jail be turned over to Sher- freight train that extended around a margin from being pinned beneath lections, Miss Lois Keefer of Alvo building be placed in the possission tracks from the west. With the As the glass of the windshield in which her voice of exceptional opening of the celebration from the they are estainly one of the best in carry the best wishes of the friends of Mr. Stewart and vacated by the trains stationed in this manner No. broke the flying particles of glass beauty found real expression, while youngsters with their firecrackers this section.

the danger from the traffic that was of the best of the smaller bands in interests and held in the highest confined to the side streets and along this portion of the state. This esteem by the large circle of friends

mouth people have had of enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart will make The first signs of dawn of the hearing this band and it is hoped their future home at Huron, South being heard in a few vocal numbers glorious Fourth brought with it the that they made be heard later as Dakota, and in their new home will here in Cass county.

aha is that the court finds generally hind the freight crashed into the Mr. Elliott on the right wrist and in several of their always pleasing real gala appearance with the flags with two showings of "School Days" for the plaintiff, E. P. Stewart and rear of No. 2. the granting of the injunction as car and the rear Pullman were both the blood flowed in a stream for the great credit. prayed for by the plaintiff is approv- steel coaches and resisted the force of some time, and another piece of the ' On the hour for homegoing the ed, which includes the possession of the locomotive of the fast mail and glass cut a terrible gash on the bride and the bride elect were showthe county jail building

very shocking.

It is expected that Judge Stueffer coaches, turning them over but not nose and another piece fore an angry for their future years of happiness. at the stand at the intersection of The latter part of the evening friends, motoring in from their home will be here in the next few days to injuring anyone seriously. The third wound just between the eyes and by make the formal journal entry in Pullman was one of the wooden a very narrow margin escaped the the case.

RETIRES FROM BUSINESS

ENJOYS CHICKEN DINNER.

WILL ENGAGE IN BUSINESS.

From Thursday's Daily-

In the trial of the case. Mr. Stew- ed and here the five deaths occured son had her right leg broken in two are was represented by William A. as the parties were crushed in there places, one break occuring just Robertson of this city, Judge Ben S. berths. at the ankle and one in the upper Rev. Pfoutz was peacefully sleep- portion of the leg and both are very Baker and A. S. Lewis, of Omaha, while the defendants were represent- ing when he was arroused severe fractures.

ed by Judge Paul Jessen and D. W. by the terrific impact that almost Mr. Elliott assisted his compan-Livingston of Nebraska City and A. drove him through the end of his ion from getting out from the wreckberth but suffered no serious in- age of the cab and then holding his

juries. He then dressed and hast- injured wrist from which the blood ened out to the wreck cars where the had flowed very freely and covered task of rescuing the dead and injured him with the blood from his head was in progress and the scene was down, and with the head and face covered with blood from the wounds

in head, he made his way to the From Saturday's Daily-Pace home just a short distance Last evening while the car of Mr.

away to secure help and James Madi- and Mrs. Monroem Neihart of Manson, who is farming the Horning ley was homeward bound, the mem-Folsom, and has flooded a tract of Bernard Wurl, who for a number farm, only a short distance away bers of the party met with a serious of years has been conducting one of secured his automobile and brought accident at the coner near the old U. The farmers in the vicinity of the leading cigar factories of the the injured parties in the city where B, church and as the result of which the spot where the water overflow- city, has decided to abandon the they were taken to the office of Dr. Miss Elizabeth Sheehan, one of the

that has apparently checked the and "Handmade," which have been dressed. spread of the flood waters over the bis well known brands and this week Mr. Elliott stood the shock of the the face and head from the visitors in Omaha and from there they will go Dr. J. H. Hall, a cousin of Mr. Hall, bottom land. There was a levee built severed his connection with the accident in splendid shape and de- particles of glass from the broken the contest. along the river bank last year and cigar making business and closed the spite the fact that he had lost a wind shield.

The temporary track of the Burling- ness in the store at Sixth and Main physician. The scalp wounds re- they neared the corner at the Living- front with their hose playing a ton laid there to haul supplies and streets and believes that he has fin- quired several stitches and it was ston farm and near the old U. B. material for riprapping was washed ished with the making of cigars at neessary to sew up the artery in the church site, the driver of the car least for the present, as he desires a wrist and the patient stood the ordeal failed to note the approching turn able to get the range of the visitors

very fine in his weakened condition. until they were right onto the turn and after the futile struggle were Mr. Wurl is a very able business The more serious injuries of Mrs. and then they were unable to swing forced to give up the battle and the ern portion of Mills county joined man and an excellent bookkeeper Thompson led to her being sent to the car clear into the roadway and it honors to the plucky Weeping Watin the battle against the river and with the river receding as it prob-The baseball game in the morning

here to be ared for there where the there. facilities are more suitable. The The car was quite badly damaged mother of Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. in the wreck and it was thought at

were present at the ball park to wit-James Zoubek, accompanied her to first that the members of the party ness the game and to see the locals the metropolis, the trip being made had been very seriousy injured but the cuts received by Miss Sheehan 3 to 0 in a pleasing battle of the win from the visitors by a score of One of the fine chicken dinners by auto.

which have been so much enjoyed by Mrs. Thompson has been here for a and the general shaking up of the hanonal pastime. For the Platts the autoists and tourists at the Oscar few days visiting at the home of her members of the party was the only routh team Mason and Klauschie Dovey and Mrs. George O. Dovey en- Gapen home.F south of this city on parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Zoubek, damages sustained by them. did the battery work and Meade and

tertained very pleasantly for Mrs. the federal highway, was held at the and resides at Kansas City, Missouri, Mr. Neihart who was driving the Hethaway for Union. William Goehner, of Seward, at a Gapen home on Tuesday evening and the husband was notified last car is a very careful driver and his The tug of war he 'the tug of war held just preceed-1 o'clock bridge luncheon at the when Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wiles had evening by the members of the being unacquainted with the high-ing the water fight was indulged in George O. Dovey home, some thirty as guests there Mrs. C. C. Wescott family of the unfortunate accident. way made the accident possible as by a large number of the huskies of and daughter. Alice Louise and Mrs. The oil truck was very badly dam- the car was clear onto the turn be- the city and vicinity and the team ladies being in attendance. The rooms were arranged in a Mary Wescott of Los Angeles and aged in the wreck and will require fore it was noticed. In the car were econoscd largely of the residents of olor scheme of purple and pink, the the members of the party enjoyed to a great deal of repairs to place in Mr. and Mrs. Neihart, Miss Sheehan the country districts was the win-

purple clematis and pink roses being the utmost the fried chicken prepared shape and the families of the injured and Mrs. Earhardt, a neighbor and ners of the e ent. used as the floral decorations and as only Mrs. Gapen knows the parties feel that though the acci- friend of the Neiharts. adorning the rooms of the house. secret. dent was bad enough it was fortu-

In the bridge games Miss Dora Fricke was awarded the first prize and Miss Verna Leonard the second

L. Tidd of this city.

From Thursday's Dully-

RIVER BREAKS LEVEE

The Missouri river, which has been

very high for the past two weeks is

now engaged in another raid on the

farm lands in the Iowa bottoms north

several acres in that vicinity.

into the river for 300 feet.

further inroads on the land.

From Thursday's Dally-

following day farmers from the west-

is no great danger apprehended of

ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. H. N.

of Pacific Junction in the vicinity of From Thursday's Daity-

The

break occurred on Monday and the less confining job.

abiy will in the next few days, there Wurl store.

prize From Saturday's Daily-The out of town guests present at One of the young men of the this most delightful occasion were graduating class of 1924 of the Mrs. H. H. Kuppinger, of Omaha, Miss Frances Chatburn of Lincoln Fleming, has decided to locate in and Mrs. Jack Patterson of Union.

this city and has opened up his Duxbury of this city was the orator bathing beach where the various drug store. office in the law offices of A. H. at the Fourth of July celebration sports and entertainments were held. The Eagle band gave a short con-CAR GOES INTO POLE. Duxbury, where he will conduct his held by the citizens of South Bend, In the several swimming and diving cert at the Garfield park commencing work as a collector. Mr. Fleming and reports that the residents of the contests there were many fine prizes at 1:30 that attracted a very large

From Saturday's Daily-

will manage the collection agency for Bend were certainly most hospitable given and the greatest of interest crowd that enjoyed the opportunity August Bach, Jr., is on the retired the Plattsmouth Ad club and with entertainers and had a fine commun- shown by the large crowd. In ad- of resting in the cool shade of the list today as the result of his auto his pleasing personality and close ity gathering that was enjoyed by a dition to the water sports there was park and enjoying the fine musical taking a sudden notion yesterday to attention to the interests of the very large crowd. push a telephone pole out of the agency should make it a great suc- The address of Mr. Duxbury was ray Community club orchestra that District Judge James T. Begley. At Mr. Bach had been traveling cess both to the club and to him- along patriotic lines and greatly en- was given under the direction of L. the park Searl S. Davis, president of way. along the street in the northwest self. Phone us the news. We want to of meeting the residents of that part had been provided by the live wire mander of the G. A. R. as the chairpart of the city and in turning out of the way for a passing car the car, road too far and as the result crashed

suddenly swung to the side of the publish everything of importance the genial young Plattsmouth at- the residents of that community and introduced the speaker of the afterthat happens in Cass county. road and into the telephone pole.

observance the locomotive plowed under the cheek of Mrs. Thompson near the ered with the well wishes of friends

LEY WRECKED ON FEDERAL HIGHWAY

ear the Livingston Farm and Injures Members of Party.

Sandin, the fire chief were selected utmost capacity. to uphold the honor of the departed, throwed up a temporary dykeliask of preparing the "Gut Heal" P. J. Flynn where the injuries were guests of the Nelhart family re-

steady stream on the Plattsmouth

and a very large number of the fans

al hours. Perhaps the most looked forward the big celebration. to feature on the morning program

VISITING IN THE CITY. The observation puncturing an artery and from which selections that reflected on the ladies and decorations floating to the breeze the Wesley Barry feature and which and the streets arranged for the big was one of the big free attractions From Satur lay's Daily-

Fournal.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Loren W.

provided for those who did not de-The Eagles hand offered the first sire the other forms of entertainment Barger and wife arrived in the city

Main and Fourth streets, their pro- was given over to the display of at Rochester, New York. Mr. and gram of popular and standard num- fireworks on the river front, the dis- Mrs. Barger stopped here for a visit bers being given under the direction play being handled at the base ball with Mrs. Martha Peterson, mother of E. H. Schulhof, and here they park where the American Legion of Mrs. Barger, and a brother and were later joined by the members of members took charge of this feature sister, J. C. Peterson and Mrs. John the Weeping Water band that added of the program and helped put it E. Schutz, and tomorrow will go on to the program a number of their over in fine shape and the display to Hebron to visit the mother of Mr. selections. Both of these bands are was one of the most lavish and Barger and be accompanied to that of the very highest class and from beautiful that has been seen it the place by Mrs. Peterson who will the character of the programs given city in many years. The set pieces spend a few days there. Mr. Bar-

demonstrate that they were real served to add a most attractive fea- ger was a resident here a number of Failed to Successfully Make Turn musicians and their excellent num- ture to display and all were handled years ago when he was engaged in bers entertained the people for sever- with dispatch and care by the Legion the Burlington store department, members and was a fitting finale to and is at this time in the employe of the P. H. Synington Co., at Roches-

The rest of the evening was de- ter. Mrs. Barger was formerly Miss Third and Fourth streets, with the voted to dancing, there being free Alice Peterson of this city and many members of the Weeping Water and dances at the M. W. A. hall and old time friends were pleased to meet Platismouth fire departments as the contenders. For the Plattsmouth firemen, Frank Detlef and Dr. O. utmost consoltr.

J. E. Hall, who is attending the Bellevue vocational school, with his

ment while Louis W. Paulsen and Misses Katheryn and Elizabeth friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner, were

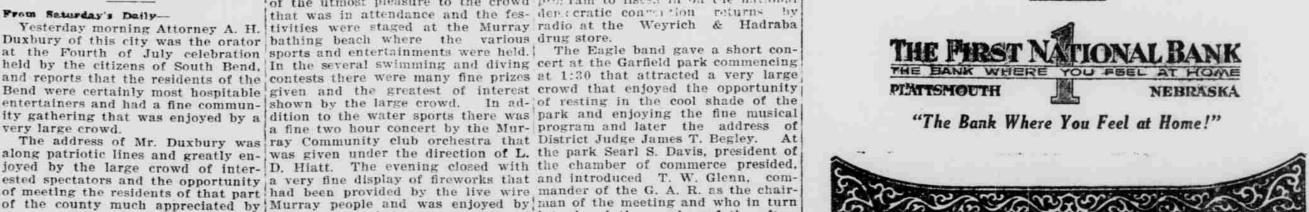
ceived several very severe gashes on C. G. Davis were the two huskies Wadick departed this morning for here yesterday for a short visit with The water fight was to Sheridan, Wyoming, to visit with Mr. J. E. Hall is a son of Dr. J. E. of surprisingly short duration and their mother, Mrs. J. J. Adams for Hall, formerly of Weeping Water and

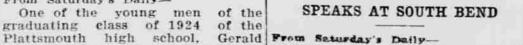


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killed in the wreck.

the parties could easily have been From Saturday's Daily-The celebration of the Fourth of event of the celebration, and many

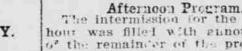
July at Murray last evening was one to k advantage of the 1.11 in the of the utmost pleasure to the crowd point ram to listent in ou the matfound that was in attendance and the fes- depotratic convertion returns by Yesterday morning Attorney A. H. tivities were staged at the Murray radio at the Weyrich & Hadraba

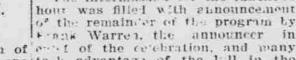
nate that it had been no worse as

CELEBRATION AT MURRAY.

Afternoon Program. The intermission for the luncheou

noon. The address of Judge Beg-







their friends.