

## Merger Of Aid Departments To Be Known Soon

County Commissioners from Cass and Otoe county have until Saturday, January 19, to decide whether or not they will combine assistance departments.

## Babureks Attend Procurement Show Last Week

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baburek and John Baburek returned here Thursday from Minneapolis, Minn., where they attended a three-day meeting at the Upper Midwest Armed Forces Procurement display, held at the National Guard armory.

The display was sponsored by the government in order to get small manufacturers together with big manufacturers that have government contracts. On display were parts that various companies have to sub-contract and anyone who felt he could manufacture the items or any such other items could communicate directly with a representative of that firm.

## Cass 4-H Public Speaking Contest Set February 2

The annual Cass county 4-H public speaking contest will be held Saturday afternoon, February 2, at the agricultural auditorium in Weeping Water, County Agent Clarence Schmadeke revealed today.

The contest is open to any boy or girl who completed a 1951 project and who is enrolled in a 1952 4-H project.

## Lincolnton Admits Attempt To Steal

William G. Mayr of Lincoln pleaded guilty in county court Monday morning to a charge of petty larceny. Judge Raymond J. Case suspended sentence.

## At The Cass County Court House

License for marriage was issued in Cass county court Saturday to Richard Wm. Matteson, 34, of Sutton, and Jean Marie Johnson, 25, of Weeping Water.

Meyer Avedovech, business manager and assistant director of the state assistance department, and J. Earl Trabert, chief of the information and service department, met with the commissioners of the two counties.

Avedovech announced that the two county boards have agreed to reach a decision by January 10. If that merger is approved, it will become effective March 1, Avedovech said.

Briefly outlining the purpose of the merger, Avedovech said that if similar county mergers are put into effect on a statewide basis, it will result in a savings to the taxpayers and "should produce much more efficient methods of operating the assistance departments."

## Lincoln Couple Is First To Get License Here In '52

A Lincoln couple was the first to take out license for marriage in Cass county in 1952. The couple was issued license here Friday, January 11, 1952.

## Firemen's Fund Drive Tops \$1,100 Figure

An additional \$317 has been received by the Plattsmouth Volunteer Fire Department in its drive for funds. Names of the additional contributors were disclosed today.

## Police Court

In intoxication - Floyd Mohr, forfeit \$20 cash bond January 8.

## Knights Templar Installs New Officers Thursday

Donald Born was installed as commander of Mt. Zion Commandery, No. 5, Knights Templar, at the group's annual installation meeting held at the Masonic hall Thursday night.

Other officers of the unit installed were Lester Schrader of Nehawka, generalissimo; Lester Meisinger, captain general; Ray Lancaster, senior warden; Newton Sullivan, junior warden; Frank Cloidt, treasurer; H. E. Tischer, recorder; Dr. R. A. Brendel, standard bearer; R. A. Noell, sword bearer; Marion Reed, warden; and R. R. Furse, sentinel.

## Lower Court Decision Appealed

Petition has been filed in Cass county district court appealing the decision of Cass county court in which three Greenwood youths were sentenced to the Industrial School for Boys at Kearney.

## Interest High In New Models Shown At Wysels

Interest in the new 1952 Studebaker is high. Wysel Auto Service revealed today after the new models had been on display at the company's display room since last Thursday.

## Traffic Deaths Down In Cass County In 1951

Vigorous control of the highways, enforcement of local and state laws, and a closer check on violations cut the number of traffic deaths in Cass county during 1951 while the state as a whole was showing a decided climb, Sheriff Tom Solomon said today.

## Body Missing In Confessed Killing

Investigation Sunday by Sheriff Tom Solomon at the A. Hoenshell farm near Greenwood failed to shed any light on a person whom Mrs. George Crease stated she killed in self defense.

## Bruce Gold Attends Western Auto Merchandise Show

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gold and son, Stephen, returned Thursday afternoon from Kansas City, Missouri, where Mr. Gold attended Western Auto Supply Company's spring merchandise show.

## Stolen Car Is Recovered Here

A car stolen from Patrick J. Dempsey of Omaha was recovered east of the Platte river bridge by Sheriff Tom Solomon. The theft was reported Friday night.

## Kids Contribute \$91.78 To March Of Dimes

Plattsmouth school kids opened the March of Dimes board here in a big way Friday afternoon, depositing \$91.78 in coins in containers placed conveniently at either end of the Dimes board in the center of the street at 5th and Main streets.

## Family of Five Get Dimes Help



The dimes are really marching for this family. Five of the nine children of the Henry F. Smith family was stricken with polio at the Court Orellias Reservation in northern Wisconsin. Shown in a Duluth, Minn., hospital (l. to r.) are Donald, 7; Bobby, 5; Doris, 10, and Selma, 14, all entertaining their baby brother, Billy, 19 months. The March of Dimes, currently underway, helped underwrite care.

## Four Added To Membership Of 40 & 8

Thursday evening Cass county vote No. 1218, Forty & Eight, held the regular January meeting. There was a large attendance of the membership present.

## Former Resident Here Dies In California

Graveside services for Mrs. Cassie Bates Smith, former Plattsmouth resident, were held on Monday, January 14 in Grant City, Missouri, place of her birth in 1870.

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## Ann Maria Rys, 92, Dies Friday; Services Today

Mrs. Ann Maria Rys, native of Europe and a resident of Plattsmouth for 46 years, died at her home here Friday, January 11, 1952, just one day after observing her 92nd birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Rys was born January 10, 1860, in Bohemia, the daughter of Mary and Joseph Valenta. Funeral services were held this morning, Monday, at Holy Rosary church with Father Edward Tutek officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

## Freeburgs Attend Gamble Dealers' Meeting Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Freeburg were in Fremont Sunday, where they attended the annual convention of Gamble store dealers. The two-day session was held Sunday and Monday.

## Entries In Baby Contest Will Close Tuesday, January 15

Winner of the Baby Derby, honoring the first baby born in Cass county in 1952, will be announced Thursday in the Journal. The contest winner will receive many gifts from Plattsmouth merchants.

## Police Court

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## Parent-Teacher Association Is Organized Here

Parents and teachers in Plattsmouth completed organization of a Parent-Teachers Association unit here Thursday night. An estimated 125 parents and teachers attended the organizational meeting at the Central school auditorium.

## Applicant For C of C Manager Due Here Friday

Hogan Trammell, executive secretary of the Kentucky State Junior Chamber of Commerce, will arrive in Plattsmouth January 18. Mr. Trammell is an applicant for the position as full-time manager of the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce.

## Final Rites Are Held Tuesday For Mrs. Jake Horn

Mr. and Mrs. John Horn of Louisville, Marie Horn, Mrs. Lucille Horn Gains and Sally, Mrs. Ben Speck of Plattsmouth and Harry Schaefer of Murdock attended funeral services at Creighton Tuesday for Mrs. J. J. Horn who died January 5.

## Final Rites Are Held Tuesday For Mrs. Dirscherl

Funeral services for Mrs. Joseph Dirscherl were held at St. John's Catholic church Thursday, January 3, 1952, with Rev. John Kelly officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

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