

Cub Scouts Get Awards at Blue and Gold Dinner

Two Cubs were graduated, one added to the Cub roster, and awards presented to eight others at the annual Blue and Gold Banquet held by Plattsouth Cub Scouts. The banquet was held at the Central School cafeteria Friday night.

Graduating from Cub ranks were Frederick Haith and David Havel, who have completed Cub Scouting requirements and who are now eligible to move up to the Boy Scout ranks.

1951 License Plates No Good; Sheriff To Pick Up Violators

1951 auto license plates are no good in Cass county. Sheriff Tom Solomon today announced that law enforcement officers will begin a crackdown on motorists driving autos bearing 1951 license plates. The sheriff, following up numerous complaints about Cass county drivers auto bearing other county plates, said that such violators, if caught, will be prosecuted. He advised the general public to inform his office of legal county residents who have registered cars in other counties. Several in the Louisville area have already complained, according to the sheriff.

Chamber Lays Foundation For Incorporating

Articles of incorporation and new by-laws will be presented to the membership of the Plattsouth Chamber of Commerce at a meeting scheduled March 13. The meeting date was set by the executive committee which met Thursday noon and reviewed the articles of incorporation as drawn up by manager Hoagan Trammell. The executive committee also discussed the by-law changes and will consider them again at a meeting scheduled Thursday. Trammell who has office space in the Soennichsen building with J. Howard Davis, drew up the articles of incorporation last week. The membership will be asked to vote on the articles at the March 13 meeting, which will be held at Hotel Plattsouth at 6:30. Trammell is sending out news letters to members to inform them of the executive committee's action. During the session, executive committee members also briefly discussed the budget and the drive to complete membership.

Kent Anniversary Said "A Success"

More than 1,000 cups of coffee and more than 25 dozen rolls were served at Kent Cafe Friday and Saturday, during Kent Service Station and Cafe tenth anniversary celebration. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Story, owner and operator of the service station and cafe said today that the anniversary event was considered "very much of a success."

Guard Rail Bids Sought By State

Bids for erecting 3,005 guard posts and 26,550 linear feet of guard rail to complete highway construction projects in 27 counties, including Cass, will be taken March 20th at a Department of Roads and Irrigation letting. Guard posts and guard rails are erected at bridge approaches and along highway embankments and curves to protect motorists. On U. S. 73-75 between Plattsouth and Union, 129 guard posts are to be erected completing the project of widening and resurfacing of the highway in 1951.

Police Court

Improper turn—Kenneth P. Morrison, forfeit \$5 bond. Passing school stop sign—Clive Breunsbach, forfeit \$7 bond. Passing school stop sign—Peter Gobelman, forfeit \$7 bond. Passing school stop sign—William Bischof, forfeit \$7 bond. Passing school stop sign—Sam Delos Cray, forfeit \$7 bond. Improper parking—Bruce V. Jacobs, fined \$1 and costs. Passing school stop sign—Jess C. Roberts, forfeit \$7 bond. Passing school stop sign—Leo L. Anderson, forfeit \$7 bond.

Papillion Man Files Thursday For Unicameral

Tom Dooley of Papillion filed Thursday, February 21, as a candidate for the unicameral legislature from the Third District.

Dooley served two terms in the unicameral as a representative of this district, beginning in 1943. In his first term he was a member of the education, agriculture and public works committees. In his second term he served on the appropriations committee.

He operates a real estate, insurance and abstract business in Papillion. A Sarpy county resident since 1896, he was born in Salem, N. Y., and educated in the Fremont, Neb., public schools and Fremont Normal.

For 11 years he served as Sarpy county clerk. He has a son, James, of Longmont, Colo., and a daughter, Mrs. Marian Hoffman of Carlsbad, Calif.



Tom Dooley

Smallest Consumer District Cited For Safety Record

Although the smallest of Consumers' Districts, Plattsouth district employees have some records which could well be the envy of much larger districts, according to M. M. Mehring, safety supervisor.

In his monthly safety bulletin, Mehring cites the long service records of Plattsouth district employees and the outstanding safety record established here.

Eleven of the 15 employees pictured in the bulletin have more than ten years of utility service. Five have more than 25 years of service, while two have 35 years of service. Total years of utility experience of the 15 employees exceeds 227 years or an average of almost 16 years.

In addition to their service records, Plattsouth employees have a remarkable safety record. Since the organization of Consumers, only three of the 15 employees have had accidents which required medical attention. The last lost-time accident here occurred May 22, 1944.

Plattsouth employees have worked more than 2,800 days and more than 332,000 hours without a disabling injury. With almost eight years of accident-free experience behind them, they are now resolved to achieve a ten-year no accident record.

Employees listed by the safety supervisor were F. J. Rea, district manager; F. L. Payne, John Schulz, Elmer Elliott, Charley Christensen, Ernest Elliott, William Highfield, Mrs. Perilla Gopen, Mrs. Lorine Urish, Roy Cole, Frank McCormick, Katherine Parkening, Bradley Fitzgerald, D. Gammell and W. Brookhouser.

Plattsouth Aerie Will Be Host To District Meeting

Plattsouth Aerie, No. 365, Fraternal Order of Eagles will be host to District No. 1 convention here Sunday, March 10. The district includes Eagle aeries from North and South Omaha, Nebraska City and Plattsmouth.

Highlight of the district convention will be initiation of an estimated 20 residents of the Plattsouth community into the local aerie, Doran Bowman, Eagle president, announced today.

State President George W. Smith of South Omaha, and State Secretary Herb Montgomery of Nebraska City, have been invited to the meeting, according to Bowman.

The full day program will open with registration from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m. At two o'clock the initiation is slated and the district business session will be conducted. During the business period, ladies will attend the afternoon show.

A buffet supper will be served at 5:30 and at 7:30 an amateur hour, featuring local talent is planned. A dance at nine o'clock will wind up activities.

The entertainment committee with John Carneal in charge has plans for an amateur show which is scheduled from 7:30 to 9. The show will feature songs and dances of local talent. Other members of the committee are Arlan Kelso and Eldon Vroman.

Al Marsh's orchestra will play for the dance which will start at 9.

President Doran Bowman will preside during the lodge session.

Elizabeth Busche Dies At Omaha

Final rites for Mrs. Elizabeth Busche, former resident of Plattsouth and Louisville, were held at Louisville Thursday afternoon at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Busche died at Omaha early Tuesday morning after a long illness. She had been in poor health for a number of years. Mrs. Busche was 80 years old. Her husband died many years ago.

Surviving are one son, Clarence, of Schuyler, and one granddaughter, Rebekah Mayflower Lodge, No. 391, had charge of graveside services. Burial was at Glendale cemetery at Louisville. Crosby-Kunold Mortuary of Omaha was in charge of arrangements.

John Jordan Sale Scheduled

Twenty-three head of feeder cattle, two complete lines of farm machinery, including two tractors, and large amounts of household goods will be sold at public auction at the John Jordan sale to be held Monday, March 10.

The sale will be held on the farm five miles south of Plattsmouth, and four miles east and one mile north of Murray. Watch for a complete listing of salable items in the Thursday issue of the Journal.

Father Of Mrs. Carl Propp Dies

Monroe, Cockerham of Payne, Iowa, father of Mrs. Carl Propp of Plattsmouth, died Friday, February 29, 1952. He was 77 years old.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, March 4, at Johnson Funeral Home at Hamburg, Ia.

Mrs. W. E. Hickey returned home Thursday from St. Petersburg, Fla., where she had spent a month. She had accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swanson of Pendroy, Mont.

George M. Hild, Retired Farmer, Dies At Omaha

George M. Hild, retired farmer of the Plattsmouth community, died at an Omaha hospital Saturday, March 1, 1952. He was 76 years old.

Mr. Hild retired from farming in 1915 and moved to Plattsmouth but in more recent years had resided at Omaha much of the time. He had been in ill health for several years.

A native of Pekin, Illinois, he was born December 10, 1875, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hild. He came to Nebraska in 1883, where he farmed until 1915.

At Plattsmouth Mr. Hild was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church, and Plattsmouth Aerie, No. 365, Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Edgar Meisinger, Mrs. Verner Meisinger and Miss Minnie Hild, all of Plattsmouth, and three brothers, Michael and Jake of Plattsmouth, and Fred of Murray. Three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, March 3, 1952, at two o'clock at Sattler Funeral Home with Rev. A. Matzner officiating. Mrs. Donald McClintock sang, accompanied by Mrs. J. Howard Davis, organist.

Casket bearers were Emil Arthur, Henry Raymond and Ernest Hild and Verner Friedrich. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery at Plattsmouth.

Sattler Funeral Home of Plattsmouth was in charge of arrangements.

Ulrich-Sharp Nash Company Formed Here

Ulrich-Sharp Nash Company of Plattsmouth has been named authorized dealer for Nash automobiles. The new Plattsmouth company learned of its appointment last week.

The company is a partnership formed recently by Roy Sharp and Carl Ulrich, and will have its offices at the Ulrich Implication Company building on Highway 73-5 just on the south edge of Plattsmouth.

In preparation for the arrival of their new Nash cars, Ulrich-Sharp Company is currently completing extensive remodeling at the business location. A display room for showing the new cars, is now almost completed. Remodeling also includes construction of an office, plastering and general redecorating. A parts room is also being built at the company location.

Ulrich, one of the partners, has been in business since 1936, and was named Oliver dealer here in 1946, following World War II.

Sharp, the other member of the firm, is in the sand and gravel, and trucking business.

Four Districts Complete Red Cross Drives

Four school districts have completed solicitation for the 1952 American Red Cross campaign, being conducted during March. A fifth district is scheduled to complete solicitation today.

Already completing projects are Districts 31, 41, 88 and 97. District 30 is expected to end its campaign today.

Setting an enviable record in early soliciting for the Red Cross, the four districts have had unusual success in contacting prospective donors and in results. District 88 gave 100 per cent to the drive. Amounts collected in the drive were not disclosed.

Chairman of the district drives were: District 97—Herbert Meisinger. District 41—Mrs. Louis Wagner. District 88—Mrs. Eno Ahrens. District 30—Mrs. June Wehrbein and Art Spreck. District 31—Mrs. Evelyn Funk, Mrs. Lloyd Schneider, Mrs. Thelma Baker, Mrs. Ernest Hennings and Mrs. Henry Thieroff.

York Man At Joe's New Way

George Hauver of York has been named manager of Joe's New Way Market and locker plant here. He succeeds Glen Diggs, who recently resigned to enter the retail furniture business.

Caldwell's Men's Clothing Store Sold To Iowan

George J. Smith, Iowa and Nebraska clothier, has purchased the stock and equipment of Caldwell Clothing Co., owned and operated here by L. A. Caldwell since early last December.

Sale of the business was announced today by L. A. Caldwell following inventory held at the store over the week end. Caldwell opened the store just prior to Christmas following the closing out sale of C. E. Wescott's Sons last fall after 72 years of business here.



George J. Smith

In announcing the sale, Caldwell said that Smith has purchased the merchandise and has leased the downstairs of the Caldwell building, corner of 5th and Main, for five years.

The business will be operated under the name "Smith's" and will continue to feature top quality men's clothing.

The new owner has long been associated with clothing stores in Nebraska and Iowa. He recently sold clothing stores at Wapello and Mediapolis, Iowa, to return to Nebraska.

A Lincoln man, Smith learned the retail business with Gold & Co. of Lincoln joining Syndicate Clothing Company at the company's new store in Davenport, Iowa, in 1939. Smith was manager of the men's furnishing department at Davenport.

He served three years in the Army during World War II and advanced from private to captain in the transportation corps.

Following his service, Smith purchased his own store at Wapello, Iowa, and later opened a store at Mediapolis. He operated the stores for five years, selling just two weeks ago.

Married and the father of three boys, Smith has purchased a home here and will move to Plattsmouth as soon as possible with his wife, Joan and sons, Scott, 4, and twins Craig and Larry, 27-months.

A 32nd degree Mason, Smith is a member of the American Legion and Odd Fellows. Mrs. Smith is a member of the Eastern Star, Rebekahs and American Legion Auxiliary.

The corner of 5th and Main has been the site of a men's clothing store since the turn of the century, when C. E. Wescott purchased the old Caruth building.

Winter Returns; Snow And Cold Are Forecast

The Lion roared convincingly here over the week end as March fulfilled the groundhog's prediction that another six weeks of winter still remains.

Assuming that the second standing weather prediction "If March comes in like a lion, it goes out like a lamb," Cass countians can look forward to at least two weeks of winter. That period covers both length and time to disprove one.

But at that the first lick of winter found roots here on the last day of February, which on three out of four years would have been the first of March. Light snow fell here Friday, accompanied by cooler temperatures and light winds.

The big winter blow came Saturday night however, and Monday's forecast indicates that it will huff and puff for at least another day or two.

While Sunday was comparatively balmy following an early morning snow, weather forecasters indicate that the change will be more drastic today and tonight. On top for the Plattsmouth area is more snow, estimated at over three inches, and temperatures that will dip to near the zero mark. They hint however that it may warm up a bit Tuesday.

Chamber Office Is Established

Office of the manager of the Plattsmouth Chamber of Commerce has been set up in the Soennichsen building, in a separate office in the suite occupied by J. Howard Davis.

Hoagan Trammell, Chamber manager, arrived in Plattsmouth early this week from Kentucky, and has set up his office headquarters there.

Chamber President Bruce Gold has disclosed that an executive meeting was to be held at noon Thursday, and that a special Chamber meeting may be called next week.

The new manager has started work on articles of incorporation for the Plattsmouth Chamber, the president said.

Home Economics Demonstrations Well Attended

Attendance at four home economic demonstrations held last week at Cass County Maytag was described as "very satisfactory" today by Bart Scanlon, partner in the appliance firm with his brother, Leo.

Demonstrations were conducted twice daily, Thursday and Friday, and featured home economist, Miss Arlene Jeffrey. During the two days, coffee and cookies were served, and a gift given to each person attending the demonstrations.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mason of York, the former nephew of Fred H. Vincent, were here over the week end visiting at the Vincent home.

Tax Collectors Coming Thursday

Deputy Collectors for the department of Internal Revenue will be in Plattsmouth Thursday and Friday, March 6 and 7 to assist county tax payers in filing their returns.

The collectors will be at the courthouse during the two day period.

550,000 LEGS! . . . In Hollywood, Sharon Baird, child dancer who had her contract with Eddie Cantor approved in superior court recently, had her legs insured by the comedian for \$50,000. Nine-year-old Sharon who appears with Cantor on television is the youngest dancer ever to be "under pinned" with such insurance. Policy was issued by local representatives of Lloyd's of London.