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"Me Retire? Never!"

"Rosey The Barber" Is Still Cloud Seeding Plans Up for Final Action Clipping After 55 Years By Bill Burton Cloud Seeding Plans Up for Final Action WEEPING WATER-DeForrest Philipot, president of Casts County Weather Modification County Weather Modification County Weather Modification Modifi



"Rosey" Shaves Joe Treat, Percival, Iowa, Farmer Who Spends Great Deal of Time in Plattsmouth.

Even Bad Luck Must Come to An End:

Misfortune Keeps Pestering Mrs. Grant Roberts of This City

Journal Staff Writer

Trouble began more than four home weeks ago. Her mother, Mrs. went major surgery. Her con- evening dition is good now, but she is To add to the confusion, Rog-

still confined to the hospital. relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd the hospitalized couple submit-Roberts and three daughters of ted to minor surgery Friday. Heavner, Okla., entertaining Roger's surgery came about themselves in her home. Mrs.

pital during the surgery with Things are looking brighter her sister, Mrs. Bob Grassman, ing relatives waiting for her at for quitting, he averrs.

er Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Roberts left her visiting Grant Roberts and grandson of

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Self Proclaimed Black Sheep

Kansas Man Lets Down Family Tradition of "Law and Order"

A third cousin of the great | homa county He is Cecil Earp, 43, of ator. Great Bend, Kans. But Mr. Earp | Earp said this was his first the Soil Bank plan. wasn't in town visiting-he was time in jail and he was quite Two amendments governing

spent the remainder of the eve- ment ning in county jail.

was once a sheriff in an Okla- mented

Mill Levy Going Down:

Cass Commissioners Sharpen Pencils for Budgetary Work

the incident.

are busying themselves these 1.40. days in attempts to shave down | County relief will receive the

levy will take a noticeable dip The bridge levy is 52 mills, who is required to sign the of from 6.90 mills for the past or four mills above the 1955-56 agreement. year to 6.50 for the current figure. ers continue their study.

get for this year in the general fiscal year. fund category called for a levy The hike is necessitated by Small grains growing on acrevious year the general fund levy to the budgetary plans.

established at 1.22.

Cass County Commissioners | road purposes is proposed at

the budget for the fiscal year benefits of a .34 levy and soldiers and sailors relief is set morrow in which to obtain the From all indications the mill at .02 mills.

year. Even this figure may be The federal matching road tension of time does not in any cut slightly as the county fath- fund's 1.40 mill assessment re- way change the disposal date Journal at the Masonic Home in New York, they appeared on

presents a sizeable increase of tomorrow for corn, grain sor- Weather Station, Plattsmouth the Dave Garraway television Originally the proposed bud- from the .94 levy of the past ghums or soybeans growing on Nebraska.

of 3.30 mills. However, as the the rapidly expanding emphasis age reserve land had to be Monday commissioners sharpened their on federal aids for road work. destroyed by July 27 which al- Tuesday97 72 1.29 purpose in setting off on such pencils and went to work it ap- The federal matching road so was the final date for sign- Wednesday 91 68 .10 an expedition, their answer was pears now to be cut down to fund will need approximately ing 1956 acreage reserve agreean even three mills. In the pre- \$78,812.45 for the year, according ments.

The county will also receive VISITS GRANDMOTHER The county road levy appears from the government's gas Kenny Meisinger is visiting tonight at 7:40 p. m. Sun rises city for the American Youth their adventures. taxes some \$84,485.06 for the this week with his grandmother tomorrow at 5:19 a. m. Federal matching levy for special mail route fund.

Journal Managing Editor "Rosey the Barber," dean of Cass County hair cutters, this final plans for disposition of week is celebrating his 55th year of clipping and shaving.

The word celebrating might

or fanfare. Rosey just spent each day like every other one since he started his career July 30, 1901, by cutting the hair of his first customer, Les Hoover, in the family barber shop at Elmwood.

less can remember-but Rosey is a transplanted easterner. He came here with his barber father back on March 24, 1888. from Salladasburg, Pa.

His father, the late W. E. Rosencrans, and F. A. Raker, now of Imperial, opened shop in Elmwood.

After serving his apprenticeship in Elmwood for five years Rosey came to Plattsmouth in 1906 and began barbering for the late A. J. Trilety at lower Main

It was just a year later he moved into his own shop in the collected for cloud seeding plans Riley Hotel, now Plattsmouth and the new goal is nearly \$8, Hotel. He stayed there for sev- 000 for the formation of a new en years and moved to his unit. present North Fifth Street lo- If farmers decide against gocation in 1914.

ers are still living in Platts- Philpot assured them. mouth, Rosey said. They are Hilt Wescott,

Henry .Schneider, .Frank Smith and George Sayles. After 55 years at one job, the byious question would be: For Parking obvious question would be: "Rosey, are you even thinking of retiring?"

The answer is even more ob-

"No," the agile 70-yearold barber claims.

sed but two or three days at during the hours of 2 a. m. and for Mrs. Grant Roberts these of Fremont who also had visit- the shop and there's no room 6 a. m.

Barbering is quite a bit dif-On July 23, Floyd Fulton sub-ferent today than it was back Floyd Fulton was taken to the mitted to an appendectomy at in the days of individual in-Methodist Hospital in Omaha the same hospital. He returned scribed shaving mugs and the Gold commenting he had never for observation and later under- to his home in Mynard Sunday Saturday nights in the barber

But he's still going to stick with it. And his customers are glad.

Area Farmers Have Day Left To Plow Under

County farmers were today warned by county agricultural officials they have until tomor- lington Depot. serve land under provisions of of \$4.

embarrassed about it, especial- the 1956 acreage reserve agree-He was nabbed by a state ly since his family was so di-ments are of importance to those policeman Monday night and rectly involved in law enforce- participating in the soil bank, agricultural officials pointed Earp, who had been working out.

Tuesday morning, he pleaded with a construction company Where the signature of an ownguilty to a charge of drunken in Lincoln, said his problems er or landlord cannot be obdriving, was fined \$100 and had were multiplied by the likeli- tained on agreement from CSShis driver's license suspended hood he would lose his job over 800, the agreement may be approved by the county ASC com-Earp said his grandfather was "I guess I'm not setting a mittee. Compensation earned by a U. S. marshall and his father very good example," he com- other interested persons may be paid to them provided it is established that such owner or landlord does not have a right to graze or harvest any crop growing on the acreage re-

> In such cases, the share of the compensation which would otherwise be due such owner or landlord who does not sign the agreement will be withheld and

> will not be paid to anyone. Another revision states that a farm operator has until tosignature of any other person

However, this authorized exland placed in acreage reserve. July 30, 31, August 1, 1956.

Mrs. Albert Murray.

Committee, today announced the scheduling of an important meeting Monday night to make rainmaking plans.

The future of proposed cloud seeding plans for Cass County possibly be an exaggeration. depends upon the outcome of There were no banquets, parties this session, Mr. Philpot said. It will be held at 8 p. m. in the Omaha Public Power auditor-

"Quick action is necessary if a cloud seeding plan is to be carried out," Mr. Philpot said. He urged farmers to contact their neighbors to make certain Few people know it-and even all know about the meeting.

"If we act now we can carry out a cloud seeding program for Cass County at a cost to the farmers of two and one-half cents an acre." he said.

Being considered is a proposal for the county to form its own independent cloud seeding district. Because the fund drive for the original plan fell some \$4,500 short the county was unable to join Southeastern Iowa, Northwestern Missouri and Southeastern Nebraska in a more expansive district.

There is now nearly \$3,000

ing ahead with the rainmaking Through the long span of his venture all contributors will career four of his first custom- have their money returned, Mr.

Three Men Pay Sale to Start Here In Flood Zone

Three local men pleaded guilty in Plattsmouth Police Court this week to a charge of park-Through the years he's mis- ing in the city's flood areas They are Ralph Clinkenbeard

Ralph Timm and Jack Berlett Clinkenbeard complained about the charge to Mayor before been advised of the illegal parking area and felt he should have been given only a warning ticket.

However, the mayor said although some warning tickets had been given previously he felt the ordinance has been in effect long enough for all to know of

The ordinance sets up the flood zone as from First Avenue to Avenue A on Sixth Street and on Main Street from Sixth Street and on Main Street from Sixth Street east to the Bur-

row to destroy such crops as | Each of the men pleaded lawman of the Old West, Wyatt He also said his brother was corn, grain, sorghums and soy- guilty to the charge and were baby were taken to a hospital Earp, was in town Tuesday, running for Oklahoma state sen- beans growing on acreage re- fined \$3 and paid court costs for treatment.

Omaha Station's **Broadcast Causes** Big Mixup in City

Alice Jayne McShane is still Cass County's treasurer and intends to remain so despite the impression many people received from an Omaha radio station newscast today.

The station's newsman announced the resignation of the Cass County treasurer, but many listeners failed to hear the Iowa connection. The announcer was referring to a man from Cass County Iowa.

Mrs. McShane received some phone calls and assured the callers she's still the treasurer and has no intentions of resigning. The whole thing is a case of mistaken identity.

THE WEATHER Compiled for the Plattsmouth | Shortly before their departure

High Low Prec Cullen. Forecast: Cloudy and humid twofold: today; possible showers tonight.

Weather Is Reversed to Raise **Hopes of Cass County Farmers** Old Man Weather-after nearly | Although rainfall measure- night at 8 o'clock as members

Aug. 17: Big Values The Chamber of Commerce today announced the turned on his charms within the to aid greatly. annual Plattsmouth Merchants Back To School Sale Merchants will advertise their special sale items in

FORWARD, MARCH!-Members of a Kan- Park this past Friday night on their way to

sas National Guard unit head for chow at St. camp in Minnesota. They plan to stop here

Johns Hall. They are part of the nearly 100 again on their return trip.

guardsmen who camped overnight at Garfield

Big Back to School

will begin here Aug. 17.

the Aug. 9th, 13 and 16th

issues of the Plattsmouth

The retail division of the

chamber, headed by Lyle

Journal.

last week when temperatures torrential fall. thanks to the heavy rainfall. status by the heavy fall.

Livestock Contest

Grove, has urged all merchants to take part in the Back to School campaign. School bells will ring in Plattsmouth Sept. 4th marking an end to the annual summer vacation.

To Be Co-Sponsored By FFA, Chamber Son of Ray Schafer A livestock judging contest Killed in Car Crash

will be held Monday, August 13, at the athletic grounds accord-MURDOCK (Special) - The ing to Don Hansen, Plattsmouth older son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schafer was killed this High School FFA instructor. The contest will be sponsored week in a car accident.

by the local Future Farmers of The Schafer family was re-America chapter in cooperation turning to Nebraska from Idaho with the Plattsmouth Chamber at the time of the crash. of Commerce. Mr. and Mrs. Schafer and

trophy to the contest winner. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schafer All persons interested in the ENJOYING VACATION of Murdock, parents of the in- local agricultural program are Mr. and Mrs. Al Fairfield and jured man, left Monday for the urged to attend the show sched- family are enjoying a vacation hospital to be with the family, uled to begin at 1 p. m.

giving Cass County farmers a ments varied in the county about of the King Korn Klub meet in knockout blow this past week- every section received enough the Chamber of Commerce of

past several days and offered an Reports of from 1.29 of an abundance of much needed rain, inch in Plattsmouth to more Corn which was nearly parch- than two inches in the county ed on Thursday and Friday of were reported during Tuesday's Kenney, Ray Story, Chris Bulin, passed the 100 degree mark Minor washouts were report-

looks somewhat different today- ed in some areas as fields flooded sending swirling mas-Although some corn was be- ses of water onto roadways. yond saving much of it was Yesterday from .13 to.50 inchrestored to its pre-heat wave es of rain was reported in scattered places in the county to add just a little more for the thirsty

Just how the corn crop will fare after the extremes in weather within one week is not known, but farmers conceded things look much brighter to- Auto Crashes day than they did only a week

Some of the corn which was actually burned during the heat wave can be salvaged. Other fields partially damaged are freshening up and offer high

Farmers are keeping their fingers crossed in hopes there are no other 100 degree plus The chamber will present a days in the near future.

To Subsidize the Celebration Here By Jerry Sharpnack Journal Staff Writer

Monies Collected

Contributions for the King Korn Karnival fund today totalled \$595 and it looks as though the annual celebration will live another year.

The collections report was made Tuesday morning as members of the karnival finance committee met to discuss some of the monetary and public support problems they are generally faced with at this

time of the year. There was some talk of shortening the length of the karnival although no definite steps were taken in this direction.

It was generally felt by those attending that fees should not be paid out for corn entries. This, the committee said, would cut the Karnival costs by about \$600. The extra money could be used to pay some of the back bills and would help to provide better paid performances.

Several members said a common complaint they had heard concerning the Karnival was the lengthy procession on Koronation Night.

To remedy this, it was suggested the koronation be shortened and held just pre-

vious to a parade. The king and queen would proposedly review the parade as it passed by.

These plans and other proposals will be brought up to-

Attending the finance meeting Tuesday were:

W. S. Wetenkamp, Melvin Mc-Bill Knorr, Al Linder, Jim Mc-Millian, Dale Bowman, Vern Waterman, Bill Booton and Jerry Sharpnack.

The karnival is planned for the third week in September.

Kemp's Wife Is Killed as

The wife of a former Plattsmouth man was killed yesterday in a car accident near Lockwood, Mo.

She was Mrs. Henry Kemp. She and Mr. Kemp were on their way to Springfield, Mo., at the time of the crash. Mr. Kemp received injuries

and was taken to a hospital for treatment. He is related to the Mumm family of Plattsmouth.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Kemp are pending

Fanfare for Party Procession Costs York Newsman \$10 Providing a little-apparently

quite a little-fanfare for a wedding party Sunday night cost a York radio newsman \$10 and costs in Cass County Court this morning. Ervin Siemoneit pleaded guilty to charges of illegal use of a

siren when arraigned by Sheriff Tom Solomon. The sheriff said the young man was in a wedding procession which drove from Springfield and through Louisville. In the latter city he used his sirens,

the sheriff claimed, and many residents complained. The siren is attached to the Siemoneit car as he is a member of the York Volunteer Fire De-

partment. Sheriff Solomon said a Louisville youth, a relative of Siemoneit, will also be charged with sounding a siren on his car during the procession.

Plattsmouth Band To Play at Falls City "Horseplay Days"

The Plattsmouth High School Band has been signed to play

Seven other bands will appear during the two day celebration.

California or Bust:

Pedal Pushers Head West

New York City. Their destination-San Marino,

Their transportation-bicycles. Monday, they pedalled into Plattsmouth, approximately the half-way mark on the 3,000

They were bronzed from the sun and their eyes held a look of fatigue coupled with cheerful determination. The girls are Phyllis Foster,

25, of Schenectady, N. Y., and June Meyer, 24, of Merrick, L.I. Phyllis is a graduate of Elmira College where she studied sociology. Her avocation is girl scout work. June is a fourth grade teacher in Merrick.

autographed by TV star Bill96 70 .00 When we asked them their

> "We feel this is the best way Hostels," added Phyllis.

Their future plans include a eral magazine articles.



Bicyclists Phyllis Foster and June Meyer Look Over City With Reporter Jerry Sharpnack.

Highs in 90's; lows in 60-65. To- to see the country," said June, possible tour of Hawaii and the The expenses for their trip during the annual Horseplay morrow high in 90's. Sun sets "and we are promoting publi- writing of a book telling of are kept at a minimum since Days in Falls City scheduled for

the bicycles, with gears, were August 13 and 14.

They also plan to write sev- provided by the Schwinn Com-(Continued on Page 6)