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Exterior Renovation at St. John's Completed

The external work of the re-+ novation of Old St. John's Church is now completed. The surfacing of the new and enlarged vestibule with perma stone was completed last week.

vestibule, the choir stairs have Far Away... took up much space in the south east corner of the main body of the church.

recessed into the east end of the | the Flower Show. Of course you new vestibule. It is a memorial can't choose the exact blossom to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rea.

parents.

The new main door is the gift to fade but fully grown. of Mr. and Mrs. Bohumil Ba- Potted plants should be in burek. The new stained glass their pots several weeks before fanlight over the main door, show time. They should be free which we expect to be installed of dead leaves and flowers, clean very soon, will portray St. Mich- and symmetrical in shape. ael the Archangel. It is a mem- Read the schedule carefullyorial to Emil Michael Hobschei- if it calls for three stems, don't dt, by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. try to enter two.

water font at the new north east specimens and arrangements to door of the church, in memory a better advantage of John, Mary and Bernard Meisinger. The beautiful new As you know, the judges' dec-isions are final, but you may **90** three chair sedilia (Priests' not know that they have rules to Chairs) in the sanctuary, are go by and have to pass examinathe W. John and Ann Ryan tions to be judges. memorial.

Inside the vestibule is being They should have definite lines Cubs Tour and be placed so each flower Cubs Tour be painted to harmonize with shows. The darker flowers near- Plattsmouth Cub Scouts, Pack ed that the interior of the vesti- with the flowers. bule will be completed within the next week.

The public is invited to come vase. and see the new look of Old St. John's, Msgr. Joseph Przudzik says.



Mrs. Margery Cole Plattsmouth Garden Club It's time to begin thinking The east confessional has been about what you will exhibit at

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now, but you can keep your The new west confessional has plants growing and free of inbeen recessed into the west side sects. Even a perfect flower may of the new vestibule, next to the not receive a ribbon if the leachoir stairs. It is a memorial to ves have holes in them or are George Phillip Lepert, by his dirty. A perfect flower to choose is one at its best, not beginning

Arrangements are not a num-

ber of flowers stuck in a vase

It is estimated that 15,000 more natural; cover the edge of hours of volunteer work went in- the vase and make a setting or the former that is down the former that is ber of the post, told briefly of the state convention at Hastings executive committee — Fred 19 adults from Plattsmouth, in July is boarded in July Executive Committee — Fred Lugsch, E. O. Vroman, Arthur to make the arangement look Minden, Nebr.

> show will be printed a few weeks Sept. 24 and 25.



LEGION OFFICERS SWORN IN - This was the scene as Dr. | Dean Meisinger, 1st., vice commander; Boyd Linder, Commander; T. Heineman, acting as installing officer administered the oath Al Linder, executive committee; Lloyd Fitch, 2nd vice commander; county Vroman, executive committee; George Conis standing in for Merle

> from Here Take

The foliage is important too, miles west of Plattsmouth at ing,

spent

gress since 1830. The Village was desire to remain a member of Merle D. Meisinger, Arthur Warfounded by Harold Warp, nat- the local post and 40 and 8. ga, William Schmidtmann, Geoive of Minden. He has endeavor-ed to bring to the public the ed the meeting over to Com-Vroman, Kenneth Young, Vicprogress as it was unfolded by mander-elect Boyd Linder and tor Schreiner. Orville Julian. our ancestors and ourselves. It

Thursday evening, Hugh J. Dr. P. T. Heineman who served Center For The Kearns Post No. 56. American as installing officer.

the newly redecorated church. The floor will be covered with The floor will be covered with the newly redecorated church. The floor will be covered with interest; and the lightest high-

possible only because of the height and width. Large flowers Omaha. A box lunch was served the faculty of Peru State Tea- Julian, W. H. Schmidtmann and

Minden, then they were given a for the gift tendered him on his

American Legion Post Installs Cass County Is Safety Patrol

for the year 1959-60 at the For-ty and Eight Club with a good vice commander. Merle Dean Merle Dean vice commander, Merle Dean Sunday a 6 patrol cars and an Meisinger: 2nd vice comman- airplane covered the area bet-

Commander Linder then an- ration and no muffler.

County Tax

Queen Event Feature of **County Fair**

At least seven towns will have was named over a list of 10 candidates in the Miss Cass other candidates in voting by County Contest scheduled in ballot.

connection with the annual Miss Nchawka-Carol Reys, 17, County Fair which runs Tues- daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed day through Friday this week. Weston of Union. She graduat-Louis Noble of Weeping Water, ed from Nehawka High, class of in charge of the contest, said 1959 and was active in FHA, there may be other candidates sports and student council at who could still be entered at the Nehawka. She also attended last minute. Girls State. To this morning, he said the

following had said they would chairman this morning had no information on the Manley can-Louisville, Weeping Water, Murdidate. dock, Avoca, Manley and Ne-

hawka. Girls will be judged on talent, poise, accomplishments, appearance and personality by a panel of three judges from outside the

Judging will be Wednesday after the Grand Parade in which the candidates are to appear as a special feature.

The parade is at 2 p.m. The queen, Miss Cass County of 1959, will be crowned at 8 p.m. Wednesday in a ceremony on a platform just off the midway of the Fair.

Her identity will not be revealed until the climax of the ceremony

Candidates named as of this morning were:

Miss Plattsmouth-Kay Casey, 17. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. made according to Capt. Dan Francis Casey. She has been Casey. The troopers also issued ice officer, Alva Linder; histor- 15 warning tickets and 8 viola- active in school activities and in E. O. Vroman, veteran mem- ian, E. O. Vroman; employ- tion cards during the 4-hour Job's Daughters, Camp Fire period between 1 p.m. and 5 Girls, Methodist Youth Fellowship and has studied dancing

A break-down of the arrests and music. She was selected by tion of Old St. John's. The important that the completed a Burlington train, complete The post received a commun-therease of the ich wars. Alva Linder, Eugene showed: 6 for speeding; 6 for the Women's Division of the thoroughness of the job was arrangement looks balanced in with snack bar, at 8 a.m. in ication from T. I. Friest, now of Krings, Albert Olson, Orville stop sign violations; two for Chamber of Commerce from drunk drving and one each for high school seniors.

Miss Louisville - Nancy Gauno proof of ownership, no regist-

er, 18, picked by the Legion Auxies have included Student Council, class treasurer and vice president; music and other school



Kay Casey

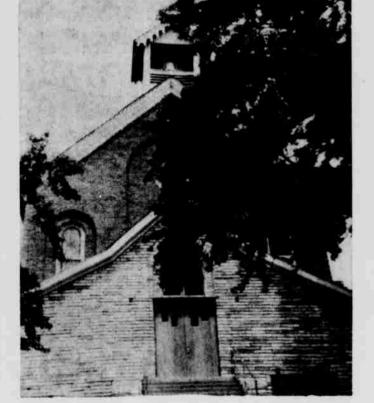


tan and red vinyl tile. It is hop-er. The vase should harmonize areas last Saturday for a trip to as adjutant in the absence of lain. Orville Julian; sergeant-Pioneer Village, located 200 Don Warga who was vacation- at-arms, Kenneth Young; serv-

generous donation of time and seldom look right in a small to the Cubs at the City Park in chers College, thanking the post Merlin Jochimsen.

The schedule for this year's police escort to Pioneer Village, resignation from the post of nounced the various standing In charge of the selective en- iliary. She is a 1959 Louisville The Cubs then toured the vil- service officer on leaving the committee as follows: Member- forcement Sunday were Lt. J. E. High graduate and her activitbefore the show which is set for lage which showed man's pro- city. Mr. Friest expressed his ship, Joseph Zastera, chairman. Kruger and Sgt. John Ayers ...

Legion, Department of Nebras- The following officers were Cass County was the center of ka, held installation of officers installed for the coming year: the State Safety Patrol's selecattendance of members. Merlin Jochimsen, retiring der, Lloyd Fitch; adjutant,



'NEW' ST. JOHN'S - This is the new look of the front of Old St. John's Church here after the exterior part of the renovation work was completed recently.

Lincoln Man **Drowns at** Louisville

drowned about 7:30 Sunday night in a state lake at Louisville.

maining three of the group sta- that time. ted they didn't think Norman

could swim. His body was recovered about years service with the company 15 mintues later by Roger Corn which is quite a record. of Lincoln, using an aqua lung.

The Louisville Volunteer Fire Dept, worked on the Mr. Brunner's body for about 45 minutes in an attempt to revive him.

Sheriff Tom Solomon was summoned and made the investiga- Friday tion along with Dr. Worthman of Louisville

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Howard Taylor Is Suffering From Injury to Leg

veteran employe of the Lyman-

jured left leg.

Norman, his friend Helga boat at the sand pits on Sat- Frank Pohlmeier, Bill Willis. a diving board into about 13 feet infection appeared and he has Ault, Frances Adkins, Anne ended. of water and drowned. The re- been under care at home since Buechler, Kathleen Smutz, Lu

> Vivian Trively, Martha Over-This is the first accident that he has suffered in forty-one

Sgt. Rob't Russell.

THE WEATHER August 6-7-8-9, 1959 Date High Low Prec. .00 Thursday 73 86 sion at City Hall 62 .00 80 Saturday 80 55 :00 Sunday 82 60 .40

Forecast: Showers possible Warm.

gave the Cubs an opportunity to see how our country was built Volunteers and the progress that has been

achieved. Demonstrate The Cubs, having completed an enjoyable day, arived back in Ladder Truck Plattsmouth late Saturday still full of pep, and the adults heaving a sigh of relief at the com-

pletion of another day well Dept. demonstrated its aerial Cecil Karr; building custodian. ladder truck Sunday afternoon L. W. Niel: building trustee, Cubs attending from Platts- at a special fire school super- W. H. Schmidtmann; legal and

mouth wre: Tim Kalasek, Billy vised by a state instructor. Pankonin, Johnny Simons, Tim A 56-foot wooden elevator in Begley, Orville Julian: cem-Russell, Steve Baburek, Bob Ful- South Omaha in Sarpy County etery and graves, Eugene Kriss, ler, Mike Mahlman, Douglas was burned and the local depart-Mahlman, Dennis Russell, Gene ment demonstrated firefighting Frank H. Smith, Howard Lind-Sands, Larry Lands, Pat Russell, on a tall structure.

Mike Russell, Craig Smith, Larry Chief Joe Kruntorad said the der Linder; disaster relief chair-penditures. Smith, Stanley Adkins, Gary operation was performed in man. Tom Solomon: commun-Babbitt, David Neeley, Garth near-perfect fashion. The local ity service chairman, Merlin A Classified Ad in The Journa' Mamoran, Jay Cloidt, Fred Bue- firefighters fired the cupola or Jochimsen, Robert Alm. chler, Henry Eggert, Scott "hen's nest" of the elevator, then Smith, Dick Spangler, Phillip after the fire was given time to Fischer, Sherman Adkins, Jim burn well controlled the blaze Dietz, Bobby Shepard, Mark from the ladder.

Gall, Jim Karros, Steve Nielsen, The fire was deliberately not Greg Morehead, Chuckie Ault, doused completely and the Jerry Arn, Denny Dasher, Dicky Plattsmouth volunteers control- the Board of Education and the tional program.

Gall, Tye Finney, Calvin Mc- three more times as the school will be a series of "Letters" to through your interest and solic- uage arts for one section of the direct contributing factors for Daniel, Lyle Mussman, Billy Ri- continued. The state instructor the patrons of the Plattsmouth itude helpful critical evaluations 7th grade shel, Joe Shown, C. C. Simmons, told fire personnel this area is School District. Ronnie Marsh, Danny Hart, lucky to have such aerial equip-Gary Williamson, Michael Kief, ment to draw on.

Micky Coolman, Ronnie Hite. Other rigs at the school were superintendent's. Jim Hite, Pat Robbins, Danny from East Sarpy County (Avery) Smutz, Larry Rhoden, Ronnie and Ralston.

Howard Taylor of this city, McKinney, Johnny Speck, Linny The Avery department was Garrett, Tommy Hirz, Steven host for the school to which sev-Richey Co., at their La Platte Loper, Wally Armentrout, Gary eral other departments also sent and pits is confined to his home Way, Mike Brookhouser, Max representatives.

Smidberg, and another couple urday August 1st when his left Adults accompanying the cubs for a housing development. went to the lakes about 7:30, leg was caught in the cable of were: Esther Rishel, Hermina The structure was finally groups and individuals interest- chers still exists. Norman reportedly jumped off of the boat and injured. Later an Kalasek, Deloris Gall, Betty J. burned down as the fire school ed in and concerned about the We have successfully retain-

Rhoden, Peggy Brookhouser, **Runaway Girls Found** Two girls aged 13 and 14, miss-

Solomon.

The girls disappeared at a lems within our schools as they torily complete the faculty. **Council Meets Tonight** group outing in Lincoln and a arise.

ting on paving projects. Plattsmouth by way of Iowa.

Levy Set Lloyd Fitch, Merline Jochimsen, Fred Lugsch, Alva Linder **By Board** and Albert Olson: child welfare. R. J. Case, Merlin Jochimsen, Russell Nielsen, Dr. P. T. Hein-The Cass County Board of eman, Dr. L. A. Amato; ath- Commissioners last week passed letics, Richard Wohlfarth; Am- the proposed budget for the uate from high school and will

sick and visiting, Arthur War- tax levy for the several funds as Plattsmouth's Volunteer Fire ga, Kenneth Young; color guard, follows: General fund Bridge fund Road fund auditing, Cecil Karr, James F. County relief

Federal matching fund Approving the budget and set-Giles Bishop; public relations, ting the levy followed a public quist; memorial day, Comman- hearing on the proposed ex-

cost as little as 50 cents

An Open Letter to the Community

Following is the first in what the present and future educa- vice of another teacher will be things, plus the fact that much

Chappell, Jim Drennen, Mike led the blaze as it flared up superintendent of schools hope Finally, may there develop, still lack a teacher for lang- mands increasing repair, are

To the Plattsmouth Community and Adjoining Areas:

Purposes and objectives:

The City Council meets at 8 state wide search was being Likewise, we sincerely hope

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.3.20 mills

1.00 mills

1.70 mills

0.22 mills

of the present program which Elementary School Adjustment Any views which might be may provide workable solutions In the elementary area we bian and the Central building. expressed are the board's and to many of our crucial problems. plan to add three additional **Teacher Turnover**

classrooms. This will include a One of our major problems is 4th grade at Columbian School that of acquiring teachers. In which will absorb the last room money spent on the football an endeaver to improve this in the old Columbian building. field, In order that the Plattsmouth situation, the Plattsmouth Board A 5th grade will be housed in Yet, due to the poor condition Community may be better in- last spring made necessary ad- one of the 6th grade rooms to of the field, various schools in formed with reference to the justments in the salary sched- eliminate overcrowded condi - both conferences are seriously Norman Brunner, 23 of Lincoln as the result of a severely in- Linder, Billy Farrell, Dick Oster- The elevator, at 36th and Harholm, Eddie Trively, Larry Riley, rison, was donated to the Avery of our public schools, the Board in the cost of living inclusive of ly, two 6th grades will be held mouth from their schedules. Mr. Taylor was getting off the Doug Williams, Mike Stastka, department by a contractor who of Education is presenting this the universal demand for teach- in the auditorium of the Central Hence, if we wish to continue wanted it removed to make way news-letter to various service or- ers everywhere, the problem of building, creating one addition- our program of interscholastic ganizations, miscellaneous securing adequately trained tea- al 6th grade to relieve conges- athletic competition our facilittion in this class level.

educational program provided ed the services of most of our is still deficient a 6th grade tea- injury hazard to pupils particithe youth of the Plattsmouth secondary teachers for the cur- cher, a music supervisor and a pating community and related areas. rent school term. Therefore, the kindergarten teacher. When Basically, we desire and hope high school staff is complete, these positions are adequately street, Inga Pankonin, Opal ing from the Nebraska Home for to acquaint each of you with But with the addition of Spanish, and competently filled, the Chappell, Oscar Mussman, Char- Children, Lincoln, were taken the present day conditions of Speech and an extra mathema- Plattsmouth City Schools will Grade School Playaround. The les E. Ault, Warren Mammoran, into custody at 4th and Main in our schools in order to encour- tics class to the high school pro- have an instructional staff of 60 Board recognizes that present Fred Fischer, Henry Eggert and Plattsmouth by Sheriff Tom age constructive leadership tow- gram, two additional teachers teachers with an anticipated en- endeavors have not been comard the various issues and prob- have been required to satisfac- rollment of approximately 1,400 pletely satisfactory. However, pupils

Junior High Adjustments The Maintenance Program The 7th and 8th grades, fre-

o'clock tonight in regular ses- made for them. The girls told for stimulating interest from quently labeled the Junior High eration is the maintenance pro- tential must be deferred until autorities they lived in a park the general public as a result of School, will again be depart- gram. This department has been more urgent demands for the A special meeting will be held at Nebraska City for five days this instructional paper; and, in mentalized. Our program this and will continue to be an ex- finances of the educational pro-Tuesday night to have a bid let- and nights before coming to consequence, perhaps your pre- year will be similar to that pro- pensive category in the school gram have been met

The superintendent of the purposeful questions to the cause of the increased enroll- nance supplies are soaring in- People in the Columbian disschool administration relating to ment in the 7th grade, the ser- clusive of labor expenses. These

scholarship. She has been a 4-H member and a member of Rainbow for Girls. She attends Methodist Church. Miss Murdock-Sharon Pans-

ka, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Panska, was chosen by the Lions Club. She is a 1959 grad-

groups. She reecived a PTA

ericanism, James F. Begley; 1959-60 fiscal year and set the enter Lincoln General School of Nursing in September, Miss Weeping Water-Connie Rector, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rector, will be a senfor in school this fall. She attends Methodist Church and has been active in youth groups. school activities, FHA, Rainbow .1.50 mills for Girls and music groups of

Burglary Attempt Fails Burglars failed to gain entrthe school. She was class secre- ance to Green's Service Station tary and president in school, at the Murray corner Friday She was named at a contest and morning. Burglars attempted to dance sponsored by the Ameri- gain entrance by prying two can Legion and VFW last Friday. windows and then the north

Miss Avoca - Paula Ludwig door but failed to get in.

Miss Louisville

Nancy Gauer

required. Hence, at prseent, we of our equipment is old and demaintenance expense in the high school building the old Colum-

The Athletic Program

The Board has been the recipient of criticism relating to

ies should be sufficiently ade-

Central Playground Project

A second source of critical observation has been the Central since we must operate within budgetary controls, completion

Another area for our consid- of the project to its ultimate po-

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