

## Commission Considers Civil Defense Question

Chairman Melvin Todd of the Cass County Board of Commissioners Tuesday afternoon said the Board had persuaded Sheriff Tom Solomon to continue as Civil Defense director for Cass County until the Board had ob-

tained more information about necessary requirements and about cooperating with the State Civil Defense organization. Solomon had asked the Board in a letter to be relieved of the responsibility because of weight of law enforcement duties.

## Museum Is Open Again

The extensive repairs made necessary by the disastrous fire in June are now nearly completed and the County Historical Museum is again open to the public here.

Just a year ago, the opening of the Museum coincided with the King Korn Carnival and during that celebration was viewed by about 1,200 guests. A busy fall season followed; then, to save expense, the Museum was closed during the winter months.

The Spring Art Exhibit in late April ushered in the 1961 season. This was followed June 11 with the Civil War Centennial Celebration Program, featuring a re-enactment of the Mustering Ceremony of local, Co. A of the First Nebraska Volunteers, with Dr. R. R. Livingston as their Captain.

The Museum Committee had prepared a comprehensive exhibit of relics pertaining to the Civil War period, 1861-65, and had intended to keep this display in place until Dec. 1.

Then came the fire, June 23. The Museum Committee "will always be grateful to the many willing hands that, in the night so quickly moved the relics to the basement of the Methodist Church." The following day Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers moved the relics to the home of Mrs. V. W. Perry, Historical Society President, who lived just one block up the hill from the Museum.

"Thanks to adequate insurance and the fine cooperation of Young & Jose, Harold Austin Bob Farris, Frank and Dean Biles, the Museum Building is again in top condition. Mr. Biles and Dean laid the tile in record time donating their labor," Mrs. Alice Perry, Historical Society president, said.

Bruce Gold donated two display cases for use at the Museum. The Museum Gift Shop is open with a display of pottery. The Civil War Centennial Plates and the Historical Little Engine Plates, salts and peppers to delight the collectors and many other items are for sale.

Everyone is invited to visit the Museum. "Coffee and cookies will be served Saturday afternoon," the president said.

The Society invites the public to come and see, and join the Historical Society. "Your cooperation will help to keep the Museum in operation," Mrs. Perry said.

The regular meeting of the Historical Society will be Thursday, Sept. 28, at the Museum. The public is invited to attend.

## GROCERIES FRIDAY

The chairman of the Kitchen Committee today asked that persons who want to contribute groceries and eggs to the VFW Smorgasbord, bring them to the VFW Club Friday morning.

## Jeff Cloidt, 6, Struck by Car, Not Badly Hurt

Jeffrey Cloidt, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cloidt Jr., suffered abrasions and bruises when struck by a car Monday at 3:30 p.m. on Main Street near 11th Street.

The police report said the car driven by Donald R. Jordan, 31, Eldorado, Kan., was going east on Main when the boy "ran out from in front of a parked car and into the path of" the Jordan car. Jordan said "he didn't see the boy because of the parked car. He stopped at the moment of impact. The boy was knocked down but got up and ran back to the sidewalk."

Jeffrey was treated by a local physician. In an accident last Friday, cars driven by Joseph Sikora and Ray Walton, both of Plattsmouth, collided at 5th and Main Streets. Damage was in excess of \$150 to the first car, more than \$100 to the other.

## \$95 Collected For Cystic Fibrosis

The Cystic Fibrosis Campaign headed by Miss Rosemary Faben held a door to door soliciting canvas Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4.

Those who assisted Miss Faben were Linda Ford, Esther Ford, Gloria Rozell, Barbara Wysel, Cheryl Toman, Ray Ford, and Mrs. Wm. Faben. \$95.00 was collected and will be sent to the Otoe County Chapter for distribution.

Cass County does not have a chapter for this worthy cause as yet.

Part of the funds collected will be retained here at the University Hospital in Omaha, for research and treatment.

Anyone caring for any information upon this dread child killer disease may contact Miss Faben at 513 Third Ave. or Phone 3042.

## Wasica Dancers Here Friday

Friday night, at 8:30, the Wasica Indian Dancers will appear at the High School Football Field as a feature of the King Korn Carnival.

The Wasica Dancers' history dates back to January, 1958, when the group was formed to recreate Indian dance arts in as authentic a manner as possible. The dances to be presented here are those authentic ones. They are acquired through study, reading and actual observation.

The group carries a repertoire of at least 30 different dances. Since all Wasica Dances are interpretations of the real dances as performed by the Indians, none of them may be taught to any other person, other than members of the Wasica Indians.

The Wasica Indian Dancers are proud of the fact that they possess one of the largest drums owned by any dancing group. This drum measures six feet across.

Costumes for several dances are also held in high esteem. The Wasica Dancers are one of the few groups in the U. S. to perform the "Kachina" Dance.

In total value of cost and labor, the Wasica's display several thousand dollars at each show where they appear and even more hours of making costumes, equipment, scenery, rehearsals and study for the dances.

The idea of this group is aimed at preserving a fading art of a fading race.

The Dancers are made up of three separate tribes within the organization. Two groups are dancers and the other is in charge of drumming and chanting.

## Community Chorus To Meet Tuesday

The Plattsmouth Community Chorus will hold its first meeting of the fall season Tuesday evening, Sept. 26, at 7:30 in the High School Band Room.

All adults in the community interested in singing are urged to attend.

The group will plan the program for the year and begin rehearsals for a concert.

## Jury Has Yet To Hear Case

The jury in the current term of District Court rests again this week and has yet to hear a case. This week: Morehead vs. Ruback, damage, was settled out of court and the jury was waived in the case of Evelyn Fink, guardian, vs. Francis M. Casey, administrator, replevin. Judge John M. Dierks authorized Casey to turn over securities of the estate of the late Mr. Fink to the surviving son.

Next Monday, Adolph Fedde, et al. vs. the State Dept. of Roads, condemnation appeal, is docketed for trial.

## ENROLL AT MIDLAND

Janelle Meisinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meisinger, and Allan Hansen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hansen, both of Plattsmouth, are enrolled at Midland College, Fremont, as freshmen.

Miss Meisinger is pursuing a course in deaconess. Hansen is in engineering.

## Coronation, Parades KK Features



ROYAL FLOAT READIED—Members of the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce are shown as they worked Tuesday night to complete the float on which Her Highness, Miss Cass County of 1961, will ride in the King Korn Carnival parades here. Miss Cass County (also

Miss Plattsmouth of 1961) is Nancy Bulin of Plattsmouth. Shown from left are Helen Lesman, Mrs. Zulemma Dye, Mrs. Marie Richards and Mrs. Harold Smock. The ladies were working in Western Power and Gas Company's warehouse, donated for the float building.

## Annual Event Runs 3 Days

Tonight's coronation and three parades Friday and Saturday are big features of the 1961 Cass County King Korn Carnival which opened here today.

The coronation, with the Lions Club in charge of the event, begins at 7:45 at the Main Street platform.

To be selected and presented are the royalty for the annual Carnival—including a Queen from 13 Plattsmouth candidates and a King from the county outside Plattsmouth.

Queen candidates are Barbara Wylsco, Margaret Svoboda, Susan Sharp, Karlene Senf, Pat Markham, Suzan Lebens, Karen Keil, Janet Jacobs, Noveta Humiston, Sharon Harms, Jane Fauguet, Kay Casey and Joyce Buechler.

The King selection will be a complete surprise. There'll be a public reception for the new King and Queen at the Lions Community Building following the coronation.

Parades will be: 1:30 p.m.—Friday—The City and County School and Kids Parade.

7 p.m. Friday—The Farmers and Merchants Parade.

7:15 p.m. Saturday—The GI and Organizational Parade.

Opening today are the Flower Show at 106 So. 6th, the Inferno Auto Show (6 p.m.) at Cass County Motors, the Historical Museum (opening after renovation from fire damage) and the carnival midway.

The 4-H Stock Show opens Friday in a tent on Washington Avenue opposite Rubin Motors. Friday night's special features are a band concert, square dancing performance by the Plattsmouth Promenaders, and the appearance of the Wasica Indian Dancers at the athletic field.

Shows continue Saturday and other special features are Ed Kohrell and the Cass County Music Men (11:30), a entry dog exhibition, vocal by Vera Solomon, other special entertainment and, at 8 p.m., the annual talent show at the Main Street platform with Mrs. Don Freeburg and Beverly George in charge.

School will be dismissed Friday afternoon so youngsters can attend the Carnival and take part in the parade.

## ON HONOR ROLL

Karen Keil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Keil, Plattsmouth, was named to the summer honor roll at Commercial Extension School of Commerce, Omaha.

## New Dial Phone Equipment At Nehawka in Use Tuesday

New dial telephone central office equipment at Nehawka will replace the present dial equipment there next Tuesday, Sept. 26, at 10 a.m.

Marvin Pilfold, exchange manager of The Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company, said the change is in preparation for coast-to-coast direct distance dialing. This will become available late in 1963 when dial equipment is installed at Nebraska City.

All telephone numbers will change to seven numerals beginning with the prefix 227; for example, 227-2115. Seven numerals have been adopted as the national telephone numbering system which is necessary for coast-to-coast dialing.

A temporary directory will be published before the cutover to list the new numbers and dial stickers with new numbers will be mailed to all customers at Nehawka.

The new dial equipment has been installed in a new exchange building located a quarter block west and a quarter block north of the present office. The equipment doubles the capacity from 100 lines to 200 lines which will provide ample margin for growth, Pilfold said. The exchange now serves 223 telephones of which 97 are rural. This is an increase of 42% since 1934 when the original dial equipment was installed and a gain of about 7% in the last five years.

The new system will provide selective ringing on rural lines, Pilfold said. He explained this means that rural customers will not hear the rings of others on the line but only their own ring. This will be a single ring and not one in code of long and short rings as at present.

## New Grader for City Purchased

The City Council voted 3-0 Saturday, with one member passing, to purchase a new Adams 350 12-foot diesel motor grader to replace the city Street Department's present grader.

Bid price by Construction Service Equipment Co., Omaha, was \$18,275, less \$4,088.25 allowance for trade-in of the old grader or an actual cost of \$14,186.25.

Delivery is to be within two weeks. The bid was among six and was considered the best for the size grader the city wanted.

A Classified Ad in The Journal cost as little as 50 cents.

## Entry Blanks for Parade Available

Parade entry blanks for each of the King Korn Carnival's three parades can be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce Office or from Leonard Lutz, parade marshal, the Chamber Office announced today.

## THE WEATHER

Sept. 18, 19, 20, 1961

Date	High	Low	Prec.
Monday	74	52	.00
Tuesday	72	58	.00
Wednesday	62	58	.00

Forecast: Highs near 70. Lows in 50's. Cloudy.  
Sun sets tonight at 6:24; rises Friday at 6:11 a.m.



ACCIDENT SCENE—The scene of the accident which claimed the life of a State Highway Patrol member Monday north of here on the U.S. 73-75 by-pass looked like this shortly after the crash of the patrol car into another car and the semi-trailer. A tow truck operator was preparing to tow the patrol car away. In the



group talking at left are, from left: Deputy Sheriff Shrader Rhoden; John Zatopek, driver of the other car involved; County Attorney James Begley; Sheriff Tom Solomon and Harold Behymer of Kansas City, Mo., driver of the truck.



FIRST ARCHERY SUCCESS—Charles Thomason of Plattsmouth is believed to have been the first Cass County archer to bag his deer this season which began for bow and arrow hunters Saturday. He shot the deer Sunday morning on the Ralph Sullivan farm south of Plattsmouth.