

DEMANDS CONSIDERATION OF CLAIM FOR \$15,255.56.

Mrs. Lillian Wickersham, administratrix of the estate of Maxwell B. Wickersham, has made a demand on the county commissioners for a consideration of a claim she has filed against the county for \$15,255.56 as damages for the death of her husband, who was killed in an auto accident near Fremont slough during the fall of 1917. The claimant recites that though she filed the claim September 27, 1917, and repeated requests have been made for an audit and consideration of the claim, no action has been taken. The claimant now demands that the commissioners forthwith consider, audit, pass upon and make a finding upon said claim as by statute in such cases made and provided.

It is evident that the claimant demands action on the claim so that if an award made by the commissioners is unsatisfactory an action can be started in court. Wilcox & Halligan represent the claimant.

Freight Traffic Drops.

During the past week or ten days there has been a tremendous decrease in freight traffic over the Union Pacific, and as a result ten freight crews have been pulled off on the Second district and the same number on the Third. This is the heaviest decrease in business the road has experienced in several years. Whether traffic conditions will improve much during the summer is problematical.

H. Dixon & Son, opticians, grind their own lenses.

Miss Clinton to Wed.

Miss Hildegard Clinton arrived home Wednesday from Camp Grant, Ill., after seven months service as a student army nurse. Miss Clinton enlisted in the Army Nursing Corps in August of last year, and was called for service at the outbreak of the influenza epidemic, reporting at Fort Riley on October 14th. About two months ago she was transferred to Camp Grant, Ill. The urgent need for nurses is now past and Miss Clinton asked for, and received, her discharge in order to become the bride of Dean Richardson, A. R. C., of Fort Riley. The wedding will take place Sunday.

Track Meet This Afternoon

The first annual high school Olympic track meet will be held at the fair grounds this afternoon at three o'clock. The events are 50-yard dash, three entries from each class; 25-yard dash, three entries from each class; tug of war, each class to have a team; tug of war between Junior High and Senior High; relay race, ten boys to the team; boxing, eight blind folded boys with feet tied together in circle at same time; tussle between boys of 9th and 11th grade and 10th and 12th grade.

An admission of 10 and 20 cents will be charged, the proceeds to go to the Cadet camp fund.

Louis Kelly left Wednesday night for Omaha where he will visit friends and perhaps decide to locate during the summer.

The name of Dixon on a piece of jewelry means quality and satisfaction.

PRESENT PETITIONS FOR TWO PAVING DISTRICTS

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday evening petitions were presented for two paving districts; one on east Fourth, the other on west Fourth. The east Fourth district extends from the east line of the city park west to Pine and includes the two blocks on Pine from Fourth to Sixth, a total of twelve blocks. The west Fourth district extends from Locust to Washington avenue, a distance of ten blocks.

The petitions were accepted by the city council and the next move will be the publication for thirty days of a notice authorizing the formation of the district, and then those who have a protest to file against forming the district can do so. If fifty-one per cent of the property owners of either of the districts sign a protest, the formation of the district will be killed, and the paving will not of course, be done.

A majority of the property owners of the district have the right to say what material may be used and the council will designate the width of the paved street. There seems to be a division of opinion as to the width of a paved residential street, some contending for forty feet, others thirty-six, while a few favor the full fifty-four feet. Personally we think thirty-six is ample, thus allowing a nine-foot extension of the parking between the outer sidewalk line and the curbing. This is equivalent to setting the residence nine feet further back from the street.

If a thirty-six foot pavement is laid of brick with cement base—the same as is used in the business district—the cost would be about \$375 for each sixty-six foot lot to which would need be added the cost of putting in new curbing and filling in with dirt the extension of the parking on the outside of the walk.

Mrs. Harry Dixon has returned from Omaha where she had been visiting her daughter for several weeks.

Harry I. Block returned last evening from Columbus where he spent several days looking after his ladies' furnishing store in that city.

Call 212 and you will be in touch with the cleanest store in town. We deliver \$5.00 orders or over. Dick Stegeman.

Secretary Strelitz, of the Red Cross, has received twenty medals which will be awarded to women who have put in eight hundred hours in Red Cross and war work service.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Healey and children have returned from Omaha to North Platte to make their home. Mrs. Healey and daughter arriving Tuesday and Mr. Healey and Darrell yesterday.

The Edison has been accepted by the music critics all over the world to be the only phonograph that reproduces music faithfully. Can you rely upon their judgment in purchasing an instrument? Come in and we will tell you why. Dixon, the Jeweler.

Up to yesterday only eighteen dog owners out of 694 had taken out the necessary license to protect their animal from the dog-killer. It looks therefore as though the killer has a busy time ahead of him, and that an enlargement of the dog cemetery will be necessary.

Presbyterian Church

The First Presbyterian church will observe "Mother's Day" and the pastor will preach on "Mother" at 11 A. M. Mothers are especially invited to be present as the guests of the children at that hour. The pastor will preach at 8 P. M. Sunday School 10 A. M. Good music by the choir. Mrs. Gilfoyl will sing a mother's song at 11 A. M.

GRADUATING EXERCISES WILL BE HELD MAY 29th.

The high school graduating exercises will be held at the Franklin auditorium Thursday, May 29th. There are forty-two in the graduating class, as follows:

- Rola E. Boutwell
- George Chamberlain
- Wima L. Coates
- Faye Cypher
- Clara K. DeRoif
- Della Powell Evans
- Earl F. Foster
- Margaret Esther Fredericksen
- John A. Gates
- Kathryn Berenice Harley
- Eva Hoagland
- Theodore F. Jeffries
- Myrtle D. Kenworthy
- Anna Lindemeyer
- Alice Berniece Mathewson
- M. Muri Maupin
- Helena M. Meyers
- Paul C. McGrew
- Ralph V. McGrew
- Donald B. Newton
- Joseph P. Pfizer
- Bessie Rannie
- Nina Lovell Rasmussen
- Helen V. Reed
- Reede S. Reynolds
- Walter C. Reynolds
- Donald B. Reynolds
- Marguerite Roberta Roddy
- Ruth Rebecca Rudat
- Helen M. Sandall
- Patricia Agnes Schott
- Helen M. Selbert
- Doris Sillarsen
- Helen Isabelle Smith
- John F. Soltew
- Clara M. Sorenson
- C. Harold Spencer
- Florence Nova Trexler
- Elsie M. Waltemath
- Dorsey G. Willis
- Charles I. Wright
- Charles H. Yost.

Wm. E. Shuman went to Denver last evening to attend to some important litigation in that city.

For Rent—Three rooms and bed, 521 west Tenth. Phone Red 1017. 34-2

Guy Swope and Harry Porter started out yesterday afternoon and in less than two hours secured five hundred dollars for base ball purposes, fifty men each subscribing ten dollars.

Don't buy anything but a standard phonograph. We have the Edison and the Columbia, both wonderful toned instruments. See Dixon before buying and you will never be sorry.

Leave a few more things to dispose of which will be sold on the streets Saturday afternoon. Wm. Allbee. 1p

The regular monthly meeting of the Lutheran Brotherhood will be held Monday night, May 12th, at the home of Harry Samuelson, 229 south Vine street. Members and friends invited.

First Lutheran Church.

Morning worship 8:30 o'clock with sermon appropriate to "Mother's Day." Sunday school at one o'clock.

Due to the absence of Rev. Hess from the city, your pastor will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday evening. Services at 8 o'clock, with subject, "The Supreme Charity of the World." Members please take notice.

REV. C. FRANKLIN KOCH, Pastor.

REVIVAL MEETINGS OPEN WITH SPLENDID AUDIENCE

A splendid audience greeted the evangelists last night at the beginning of the revival meetings at the Christian church.

Mr. Tuttle proved himself a real leader and the singing was enjoyed by all. The choir loft was filled to the limit and arrangements are being made to enlarge the space. The two solos, "Little Woman O' Mine" and "Just a Word With Jesus" were rendered in a masterful way and well received. The music each evening will be made an important part of the program.

Mr. Knowles seemed to be at his best and his sermon of thirty-five minutes held the audience in attention perfectly. His subject, "The Church and the New Age," presented a very practical and important opportunity of the church. He showed conclusively that the world needs a good and same program of christianity that will apply to and solve perfectly the world's problems in every phase. He eulogized the church in its great and splendid service rendered the army in Y. M. C. A. and Red Cross work which added so much to the general morale of the American forces overseas. He urged a program of just such real service for the church in the great reconstruction day.

The meetings will begin each evening at eight o'clock. While this seems a little early it is thought best to hold to that hour and the people are urged to gather at that hour and enjoy the splendid song service.

Subject this evening will be "Pleading Responsibility." This may strike home but will be good for "what ails you."

B. L. Lambert returned this morning from Kansas City where he had gone to meet his son Jim who was to have been discharged from service at Camp Funston. Upon arriving at Kansas City Mr. Lambert found a telegram awaiting him stating that Jim had been discharged at an eastern camp, and accompanied by Mrs. Burt Lambert will reach home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Albee who leave in a few days for Iowa to make their home were tendered a farewell party Wednesday evening at their home in the Fourth ward by about forty friends and neighbors. The evening passed very enjoyably and at the close Mr. and Mrs. Albee were presented with a token of remembrance.

Dr. L. J. Krause, Dentist, room 3 McDonald Bank building.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Notice to Water Consumers on East 5th street and on Dewey street between 5th and 4th streets:

Either tonight (Friday) or tomorrow night residences on east 5th street from Locust street to Cottonwood street and business houses on Dewey street from 6th street to the alley between 4th and 5th street will have the water shut off from 10 o'clock p. m. until such time as leak on main on 5th street is repaired.

The fire whistle will be blown the same as for a fire but without sounding the ward, at 9:30 p. m., so that parties may draw off sufficient water for their needs as after the water is once shut off it cannot be turned on until repairs to main are finished which may be 10 hours later.

HERSHEY H. WELCH, Water Commissioner.

Miss Thea Hansen entertained a number of friends at a theatre party Wednesday evening and it was very much enjoyed.

The new additions at the outskirts of the city on the east are showing quite a bit of activity this spring and a number of new homes will be erected. Construction has begun on several, among them being a fine bungalow erected by W. J. Tiley. Recently Joe Knapp, Lee Simon, James A. Selby, Eugene Collicott, Carl Simon, Mrs. Opal B. Walz and C. H. Coghill have purchased lots in these additions. All of these parties intend to build homes upon the lots purchased.

LOUIS BENNISON

— IN —

'Oh, Johnny'

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