

# TO BEGIN LAYING STONE SOON

## Chicago Avenue Macadamizing Coming Along Fine.

Work on the Chicago macadamizing is progressing nicely and the prospects are that the actual laying of the stone will commence within a very few days. The grading of the avenue is being pushed along fast and every effort is being made to get the street in condition for the actual macadam. The street is being graded up in the center and a nice, gradual slope being given to the sides so as to drain the water both ways from the street.

The creek which runs along the east side of the avenue from the head at the crossing of the Louisville road is being changed at Tenth street and swung across to the west side of the street at that point. There is three-foot concrete pipe being placed across the street to carry the water and the stream will run down the west side of the avenue to a junction with the creek bed at Rock street. This does away with the bridges across the creek at Tenth and at Rock and Ninth streets and will make the avenue straight and level throughout its length without any wooden bridges to cross. The improvement which this will make will be a valuable one and worth all it will cost.

The general appearance of the avenue is much improved by the projected work and it promises to be a very handsome driveway when it is completed. Those from out in the county who have been in the habit of driving to the city will be struck with the improved conditions which the new work will make and they will find the avenue one of the best roadways in the eastern part of the state, and one of the roads over which they can haul heavy loads with ease. In view of the large crowd which will be in the city on July Fourth the improvement will be a vast help and it is hoped to have it practically completed by that time.

### Some Automobileist.

Bert Spies who manipulates the keys on the Journal's large, modern and up to the minute Linotype, this noon got a thump on the bean which near ended his days. As is customary in journalistic circles, he was about to enter his large touring car and ride to his home for dinner when the dingbat or something didn't work and he concluded the machine needed "cranking up." He sprang lightly to the ground and seized the crank in his fairly like hands, giving it a prodigious swish when lo! and behold, the crank slipped and the young man tried to bust the watertank of the car with his head. The effort was not a success but it revealed new and unexpected portions of the celestial atmosphere to the gent who saw comets and shooting stars and rainbows and sun dogs and dog stars and what not. He rammed the portion of his nut back of the ear against the water tank producing this commotion and also lacerating and contusing said part of his anatomy. He secured a copious quantity of court plaster, using the pink or flesh colored sort and plastered himself together, returning to work this afternoon in the conventional automobile style—with bandages and plasters. He is not dangerously injured and aside from a violent headache it is not believed any serious troubles will ensue.

### Agent for Bankers Life.

R. O. Watters has resigned his position with the Burlington store department and accepted the Cass county agency of the old line Bankers Life Insurance company of Lincoln. Mr. Watters is a thoroughly capable business man and a man well versed in the life insurance business. That he will make himself a name with the Bankers is conceded by all who know him. He has many friends in the county who will be glad to meet him and who will give him every encouragement in his new line of endeavor. Formerly connected with the News of this city, Mr. Watters had formed quite an acquaintance over the county and this will also prove a good help to him in securing patronage for his company. The Bankers Life is one of the really strong and safely managed insurance companies in the country. It has been established twenty-four years and last year lead all old line companies in the amount of new business written in this state, it writing \$2,524,032.00 worth of business. It is endorsed by the best and strongest citizens of the state and a policy in it is considered equal to any in the big New York companies. Mr. Watters expects to give the matter his close personal attention and to see that all who patronize his company are well satisfied with the results of their investment.

### Appraising Damages

The appraisers of damages on the proposed road to Rock Bluffs have made and filed their report with County Clerk Morgan. The report awards damages as follows: S. D. Fitchner \$30, John W. G. -125 and an underground passage for cattle to the island, H. P. Sheldon -10, B. G. Decker -10, Julia A. Decker -60, Hans Kemp \$75, J. W. Dixon \$20, B. Golding \$5, W. L. Cable \$20, P. S. Hall \$75. These amounts are away below the claims filed. The appraisers are Messrs. C. H. Warner, C. R. Troop and J. E. Wiles, all prominent farmers of the precinct and excellent business men.

## RETURNS FROM WESTERN TRIP

### F. G. Egenberger Spent a Few Days in Denver.

From Monday's Daily. F. G. Egenberger returned this morning from his trip to Denver and other Colorado points. He remained behind after his companions, William Starkjohn and S. H. Shumaker returned in order to make a visit with relatives in Denver. Mr. Egenberger shares the general opinion of the others in regard to Colorado land and is not an enthusiast over it. He states that the land looks pretty enough to look at but it is too arid, there being no rain of consequence in the part of the state where the party visited which is in the eastern part along the line of the Rock Island. Crops are very short, the corn being practically destroyed by the intense heat of the past several weeks. The soil is a very sandy one and heats very easily. He also is of the opinion that water for irrigating purposes is too remote to be successfully used and does not incline to the belief that the land will ever attain any great value. He is much impressed with Denver which he pronounces a very fine and lively city. It is filled at this time of the year with parties of tourists and visitors and this adds greatly to its business. He had a very pleasant visit with his relatives, the Weckback's who formerly lived in this city and found them to be well, hearty and prosperous. Mr. Egenberger indignantly denies the statement of Mr. Starkjohn to the effect that he remained behind solely to use up the rest of the pork and beans which the boys left behind them. He asserts that he never got even a fair break on them, as the others ate them all up the first day, thanks to his excellent cooking. This statement is the only one on which the three gentlemen disagree as they are a unit on the land proposition.

Miss Mary Propst is a visitor today in Omaha, going to that city this morning.

### PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Nebraska, ss. Cass County, ss. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ANN M. DAVIS, DECEASED. To all persons interested:— You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court praying that letters of administration be issued upon the estate of Ann M. Davis, deceased; that a hearing will be had upon said petition on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m., in my office in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on or before which hour all objections thereto must be filed. Witness my hand and official seal this 23rd day of June, A. D., 1910. (Seal.) ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge, Ramsey & Ramsey, Attorneys.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Nebraska, ss. Cass County, ss. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM P. BAILEY, SR., DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, county judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1910, and on the 25th day of December, 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims, and one year and six months for the administrator to settle said estate. From the 25th day of June, A. D., 1910. (Seal.) ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge, Ramsey & Ramsey, Attorneys.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES AND NON-RESIDENTS DEFENDANTS. To the unknown heirs and devisees of Lewis Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Margaret Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Seth Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of John Q. Johnson, deceased; and to Solomon Borbee, Mrs. W. B. Leach, first name unknown, wife of W. B. Leach; Mrs. William Johnson, first name unknown, wife of William Johnson; Frederick L. Eaton; William P. Eaton; Simon F. Eaton; G. R. Henry; Greensberry R. Henry; A. Lazenby; Ambrose Lazenby, and Mrs. Ambrose Lazenby, first name unknown, wife of Ambrose Lazenby, non-resident defendants: You will take notice that on the 12th day of April, 1910, George M. Porter, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, in which you with others were named as defendants. The object and prayer of said petition is to quiet title in said plaintiff in and to lote ten (10) and eleven (11) in block thirty-eight (38) of the city of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, and to exclude the defendants from any interest therein. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of July, 1910. George M. Porter, By Burkett, Wilson & Brown, and E. F. Snively, His Attorneys.

ORDINANCE No. 478. AN ORDINANCE CREATING AND DESIGNATING PAVING DISTRICT No. 4, OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, STATE OF NEBRASKA, AND AUTHORIZING THE MACADAMIZING OF PEARL STREET THEREIN. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA: Sec. 1. That Paving District No. 4, of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, be and the same is hereby created and shall include the south half (½) of block thirty-six (36), and the north half (½) of block forty-three (43), and extending on Pearl street, from the west side of Sixth street to the west side of Seventh street, of said city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska. Sec. 2. That that portion of Pearl street, with said Paving District No. 4, is hereby authorized to be macadamized with crushed rock and thirty (30) feet wide in the center of said street, and ten (10) inches thick, with surface of said street to be on the grade prescribed at the time of lowering Main street in said city. Sec. 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law. Passed and approved this 17th day of June, A. D., 1910. Attest:— John P. Sattler, Mayor. W. B. Elster, City Clerk.

ORDINANCE No. 479. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PAVING, CURBING AND GUTTERING OF FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS BETWEEN MAIN AND VINE STREETS, AND AUTHORIZING THE PAVING, CURBING AND GUTTERING OF VINE STREET FROM THE EAST LINE OF FOURTH STREET TO THE WEST LINE OF SEVENTH STREET, INCLUDING PAVING OF INTERSECTIONS OF FOURTH AND VINE STREETS, OF FIFTH AND VINE STREETS, OF SEVENTH AND VINE STREETS, AND THE STREET AND ALLEY INTERSECTIONS OF THE EAST AND WEST ALLEYS, THROUGH BLOCKS TWENTY-EIGHT (28) AND TWENTY-NINE (29), ALL IN PAVING DISTRICT No. 3, OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, STATE OF NEBRASKA. WHEREAS, Three-fourths of all the owners of abutting lots on Fourth and Fifth streets, between Main and Vine streets, and three-fourths of all the owners of abutting lots on Vine streets, between Fourth and Seventh streets, all of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, have petitioned the city council of said city to pave, curb and gutter said streets, including the intersections of Fourth and Vine streets, of Fifth and Vine streets, of Seventh and Vine streets, and the street and alley intersections of the east and west alleys, through blocks twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29), in said Paving District No. 3, and

WHEREAS, Under direction of the mayor and council of said city, estimates of the cost of paving, curbing and guttering the streets, the street intersections and street and alley intersections, through blocks twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29), in said Paving District No. 3, in said city, have been made, filed with, and accepted by the mayor and council of said city, therefore, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, STATE OF NEBRASKA: That the following named streets, including street intersections and street and alley intersections, all in Paving District No. 3, of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, be and the same are hereby authorized to be paved, curbed and guttered, to-wit: Fourth and Fifth streets, from the north line of Main street to the south line of Vine street and Vine street to the east line of Fourth street to the west line of Seventh street, of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, and the intersections of Fourth and Vine streets, of Fifth and Vine streets, and of Seventh and Vine streets, and the street and alley intersections, and all curbing shall be of concrete. Sec. 2. That suitable paving brick, concrete foundation, shall be used in paving said streets, the street intersections and the street and alley intersections, and all curbing shall be of concrete. Sec. 3. That all paving, curbing and guttering shall conform in all respects to the plan, specifications and estimates of the mayor and council of said city. Sec. 4. That a contract be and the same is hereby authorized to be made and entered into for furnishing all material and labor necessary and for the construction and completion of all of said paving, curbing and guttering. Sec. 5. That before entering into any contract, provided for in this ordinance, the mayor shall invite bids therefor, by published notice, in some newspaper, to-wit: in this city, four weeks, which bids shall be opened, examined and acted upon by the mayor and council at any public or special meeting, the mayor and council reserving the right to reject any or all bids; provided, however, that no contract shall be entered into, unless the contractor shall execute and deliver to said city a bond with sureties to be approved by the mayor and council, in the penal sum of \$15,000.00, for the faithful performance of such contract, by such contractor, or in lieu thereof shall deliver to the mayor and council a certified check equal in amount of \$15,000.00, to be held by the mayor and council for said city, subject to the faithful performance of such contract, and a certified check equal in amount of \$15,000.00. Sec. 6. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed. Sec. 7. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law. Passed and approved this 17th day of June, A. D., 1910. Attest:— John P. Sattler, Mayor. W. B. Elster, City Clerk.

Threshing Machine For Sale. Owing to the fact that my work is in such shape that I will be unable to run my threshing this season, I have decided to offer the same for sale, and at a price that is right. This outfit consists of a 13 h. p. Gaar-Scott engine, one J. I. Case 32-52 separator, self feeder and wind stacker, also water tanks. This outfit will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. Frank Wally

Mrs. Fred Reznor departed this morning for Edgemoor, S. D., where she will join her husband and where they will make their future home. Mrs. Reznor was sorry to leave Plattsmouth and has many good friends here who will sincerely regret as she is a very popular lady.

## VERY HANDSOME HOME WEDDING

### Miss Cora Beach and Mr. Warren J. Byer Wedded.

From Friday's Daily. A wedding with exceptionally beautiful appointments took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Beach, 1426 L street, last evening, when their daughter, Cora, was united in marriage to Warren J. Byer of this city. About seventy-five guests were present to witness the ceremony. The two ushers, H. F. Gilmore and A. Vaughn, stretched white ribbon to form a passage from the stairway in the hall to the altar of palms and flowers arranged bay window of the living room, and while Wall's orchestra played a wedding march, the bridal party took their places. The Rev. J. W. Jones was followed by the groom, with the best man, Chas. Patrick of Aurora, Neb., who awaited the remainder of the party at the altar. The bridesmaid, Miss Helen Wightman of York, Neb., was followed by the maid of honor, the two sisters of the bride, the Misses Marie and Vinnie Beach, and last came the bride, who entered unattended. Soft music was played during the impressive ring service. The bride and groom knelt on a white satin pillow as they repeated the nuptial vow.

Miss Beach wore a magnificent trained princess robe of heavy white satin with overdress of white chiffon and trimmed with pearls. The bridal veil fell to the end of the long train. Her shower bouquet was of bride roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid was gowned in pink and white, while the maid of honor wore handsome gowns of pink satin messaline, elaborately trimmed with hand embroidery, pearls and point Venise.

The guests were received on their arrival by Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Beach, parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Byer, parents of the groom. Mrs. Beach wore a hand embroidered princess gown of violet chiffon satin, trimmed in point valiere lace, with gold beads. Mrs. Byer wore a black satin dress, trimmed in jet and lace. They were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Fee and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson.

The entire home was converted into a bower of palms and vines, a profusion of pink and white peonies giving color to the scheme. The porches were enclosed with canvas and vines and were brilliantly lighted. The orchestra was hidden behind a bank of palms and played choice music during the entire evening. Immediately preceding the ceremony, Miss Aagenbaum of Geneva sang a group of songs—"I Love You Truly" and "Beloved, 'Tis Morn," and later in the evening, "Adoration" and "Summer" from the "Cycle of Life."

In the dining room the scheme of pink and white was further seen in the appointments. Mrs. W. J. Boyer and Mrs. E. J. Wightman, both of York, Neb., and cousins of the bride, invited the guests to this room, where each guest after refreshments, was handed a favor in the form of a dainty slipper. The large array of gifts was unique in being displayed in the new home prepared for the young couple and just completed by the groom, a handsome colonial residence at 1515 L street, where the young couple will be at home after September 1. Here the guests repaired to inspect the gifts, chief of which was a grand piano, the gift of the groom to the bride. A gift of speed notice was the bride's linen chest of rare beauty and finish, in black walnut, which had also served as dowery chest to the bride's grandmother.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Byer have lived in Lincoln since childhood and have a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. The bride is well known as having been one of Lincoln's most successful teachers. The groom is a young business man.

The gifts of the bride to her attendant were handsome bands for the hair of imported rhinestones.

Among the out of town guests were the following: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wightman, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boyer, Miss Helen Wightman, Mrs. S. C. Cheney of York, Neb.; Mrs. F. S. McKibben, Memphis, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Schlonecker, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers, Pickering, Mo.; Mrs. Charles Patrick, Aurora, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Barber, Sterling, Neb.; Mrs. William Baird, Plattsmouth.—State Journal.

W. K. Shepherdson came down last evening from St. Joseph's hospital at Omaha where he visited with his wife. He is glad to be able to say that the prospects now is she will not have to undergo another operation and that she is getting along very nicely. He hopes to be able to bring her back to her home in this city in a short time provided no unfavorable change takes place in her condition. This news is very pleasing to her many friends here.

## Virginia of the Air Lanes

### A ROMANCE OF FLYING

... By ...

## Herbert Quick

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romances were crowded in evening clothes and waiters with trays. It was a gay scene, and Carson felt the pull of it as they stepped ashore. "Can I do anything more for you?" he asked.

"No, no; you must go now! But thank you a thousand times," said she.

"Psyche," said he fervently, "I shall never escape from the toils you have laid me into. Never!" He carried her hands to his lips, kissed them passionately and leaped into the boat. Virginia watched him amazedly as he darted away like a frightened tarpon, not toward his cabin in the dunes, but out through the entrance of the bay and off across the bay toward Point Clear. One more mystery to ponder over. (To be continued.)

### Landmark Goes.

Ashland, Neb., June 23.—Condemnation proceedings were begun in County Judge Slama's court at Wahoo this week by A. B. Fuller and Nelson Sheffer, representing, as directors, the Ashland drainage district, to remove the mill dam in Salt Creek belonging to James H. Snell's flour mill. Judge Slama appointed the following commissioners to meet in Ashland on July 8 and appraise the damages: W. J. Lehr and J. J. Johnson of Mead, John Schultz Sr., of Yutan, and W. C. Klotz, mayor; J. C. Hamilton and John Dolezal, all of Wahoo. The mill dam and were constructed in 1890. The contention of the drainage district is that its presence in Salt creek impedes the flow of water in Salt creek and backs it up and overflows the farms above in rainy weather. Snell asks for \$15,000 damages for the dam and \$20,000 damages for dam and mill together. The drainage district is willing to pay him \$10,000 for the dam. He will close down the mill permanently when the dam is removed.

### Found His Alfalfa.

Colonel J. B. Seybolt of Murray drove up from his home this morning in his touring car and was a passenger for Omaha over the Burlington. Colonel Seybolt has had quite an experience with a purchase of alfalfa seed which he made some time ago. He bought the seed through Zack Shrader at Beaver City and had it shipped him by freight. Time passed and the seed never showed up although he called at the local station for it repeatedly. This morning he happened to tell Cashier Lyle of what he was looking for and the latter remembered that there was a sack of seed at the freight house consigned to Mr. Cohoit. The sack was from Beaver City and had been unclaimed. Investigation revealed it as Colonel Seybolt's missing seed and he will take it home with him tonight. He was wondering what the man he had not remitted for it yet. However, he will explain the circumstances to him.

Miss Opal and Mary Sreeman of Clarinda, Ia., who have been visiting at Union with the family of George Saxon and with Mrs. Sreeman, passed through the city this morning on their way home.

## June Bulletin of Excursion Rates!

TO THE EAST.—Unusually low and attractive summer tourist rates are in effect every day to New York, Boston, Atlantic Coast and Canadian resorts, Niagara Falls, Detroit and vicinity. Also for desirable Lake tours with 30 day limits, and 60 day diverse tours of the East, including coastwise ocean trip. These rates afford the best chance in years to make that long desired Eastern tour.

WESTERN TOURS.—Very desirable tourist rates daily all summer to the Pacific Coast; for instance, \$60.00 round trip, and on special dates only \$50.00. A complete scheme of tours through Yellowstone Park for any kind of an outing journey; low excursion rates to Scenic Colorado, Big Horn Mountains, Black Hills and Thermopolis, Wyoming, one of the greatest hot springs sanitariums in the world.

CALL OR WRITE, describing your trip; let me help you plan it, including all the available privileges, etc.

W. L. PICKETT, Ticket Agent, L. W. WAKELEY, Plattsmouth, Neb. General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Burlington Route.

### Boy Starts Scare.

A small boy named Green was the cause of a great deal of commotion among the good people in the south part of the city last night. The young man was playing with some companions and one of them suddenly became obsessed with the idea that he saw young Mr. Green go hurtling through space to the bottom of a well near which the festivities were being pulled off. Said boy who saw things was some worked up and spread an alarm which brought about half of the city to the scene. He was sure that Green was at that moment at the bottom of the cooling depths of the well and so strongly did the urchin discuss the matter that people became alarmed and secured a lantern by the rays of which they examined the interior of the hole. The lantern failed to reveal any traces of the lad or to indicate that he had ever fallen overboard and the parties sought to find just what urchin started the tale. Their search was a vain one for each and every lad in the neighborhood solemnly averred that he wouldn't be guilty of shocking the good people with an old wives tale of that nature and they were duly peevish that anyone should even insinuate they would do such a trouble. Young Mr. Green is said to have showed up at his home later in the evening well, safe and hearty and to bear no marks of having tried to escape the ravages of the heat by immersion in a well. Had the youth who started the tale and gave the boys parents so bad a half hour, been located, well for him had he never been born for he surely would have received the bastinado until he howled for mercy.

### Steals Conductor's Clothes.

The following from the State Journal this morning relates to a piece of petty thievery which took place in Ashland several days since. Conductor Huddleston is well known in this city and has run in and out of here for some time past.

"Detective Smith of Lincoln, a Burlington secret service man, was in Ashland Monday rounding up hoboes and found a colored man reposing peacefully in the jungles along Salt creek, east of the station. On searching the sleeper the detective was amped to find the colored man was evidently in the good graces of the heartless corporation to an extent sufficient to provide him with an annual pass over Burlington lines. Examination, however, proved that the pass was the property of Conductor George Huddleston and further examination revealed the fact that the colored man had also appropriated the conductor's best summer suit and balters, after, it is charged, breaking into the way car of freight train No. 30, which was switching in the local yards. Detective Smith took the prisoner to Lincoln.

"The negro is now in jail in Lincoln. It is said that he has confessed that he took the freight conductor's clothes at Ashland. He will be taken to Saunders county for trial."

### Lion Fondles a Child.

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is some times great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup, and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of Croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C. "We always give it to him when he takes cold. It's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hemorrhages, Weak Lungs. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Glen Boedeker, the Murray banker and Dr. Alex Walker, came up this morning in the former's large touring car to spend several hours in the city on business matters.