

THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE CITY DADS

ALLOW USUAL RUN OF BILLS—
TRANSACT MUCH OTHER
CITY BUSINESS.

COAL PRICES ARE DISCUSSED

From Tuesday's Daily.

When the minutes had been disposed of at the regular monthly meeting of the city dads last night, the first thing to pop up for consideration was a request by T. H. Pollock for permission to erect a tool shed for the use of the workmen who are to build the new garage on lots 1 and 2 in block 43, and also to store material on the streets abutting the lots, while the building is under construction. Luchinsky moved to grant the request, his motion being amended by Johnson to place the matter in the hands of the Streets, Allies and Bridges committee, with power to act.

Following this was a petition signed by T. H. Pollock and J. W. Sage, asking permission to pave Sixth street between Pearl street and the alley south, with concrete, which called for some discussion relative to what material would be best. The matter was finally disposed of by a motion by Johnson, seconded by Beeson, that the matter pass into the hands of the same committee as the former request. Then came a petition by Fred B. Speck, Belle K. Speck and A. Neslotke, asking that a walk be constructed on the east side of Eighth street, from Chicago avenue to where the alley should be on the block south of the avenue, and on the south side of block 54, abutting lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, and on the west side of lot 6. On motion this petition was referred to the Streets committee, which also included the city attorney.

Chief of Police's report showed a total of six cash fines paid and one released. There was no report from the street commissioner. The city clerk's report showed the following collections made:

A. G. Cole, coal chute.....	2.00
A. P. Gobelman, bus. tax.....	3.00
Ray Poor, bus. tax.....	4.50
Max Berger, bus. tax.....	3.00
B. Hankinson, junk dealer.....	25.00
M. F. Chaplain, street show.....	5.00
Millie Curtis, walk.....	62.18
Mrs. A. Anderson, cem. lot.....	10.00

Total\$114.68
Commission50

Paid to Treasurer.....\$114.18
The Police Judge's report showed cash fines collected \$38.25, costs \$18.00, total \$56.25. The treasurer's report showed credits to the amount of \$22,104.55, while the overdrafts showed \$7,098.06, leaving a net balance of \$15,006.49.

Report of the claims committee recommended the non-payment of the claim of T. L. Amick for \$15.00 for chasing a speeded car with the chief of police July 4th, as he had no jurisdiction outside of the city. The claim of J. E. Barwick for \$11.20 was allowed, it being for the premium on the insurance policy covering the city hall.

Mr. Bestor of the Streets committee reported that he had investigated the petition for a walk in South Park, which had been signed by Mrs. C. Cummins, and that the title did not rest in her, though she had paid some taxes thereon, and recommended that the walk be not put in, when the street commission stated it had already been put in. So the matter was dropped.

Mr. Buttery, of the police committee asked why the ordinance regarding cut outs and tail lights was not enforced and why speeders are not being caught, saying that if necessary another man should be hired. The mayor reported that many arrests were made for speeding, to which Mr. Buttery replied that a great many more should be made, as much speeding is going on, endangering the lives of pedestrians, especially of school children.

The Finance committee reported claims for payment as follows:

Bruce & Standaven, street.....	\$342.50
Water Co., hydrant rental.....	920.00
M. Lutz, salary street.....	42.00
Alvin Jones, police.....	35.00
F. R. Gobelman, general.....	8.00
M. Archer, salary, general.....	30.00
Telephone Co., general.....	3.20
John Aitka, street.....	25.00
Q. K. Parmele, bus. tax.....	60.00
Water Co., drinking fount's.....	21.36
John Geiser, streets.....	14.75
John Jessup, streets.....	27.50
James Winn, streets.....	25.00
Lute Renard, streets.....	60.00
M. Kearnes, streets.....	25.00

Mr. Luchinsky called attention to the complaints of citizens about the running of the dances after midnight on Saturday night, and moved that the police be instructed to have same stopped, which was carried. Mr. Bestor asked that the streets committee be empowered to make connection from end of sewer on Chicago avenue to clear curb, which would be about twenty feet. The same was granted. Attention was called to the grading by the Burlington on Cass street, and that it would be necessary to have culvert tile placed soon so that damage would not result from back water at this point, which was ordered done by the street commissioner. Mr. Beeson, of the Fifth, called attention to a concrete culvert order in June, not having been installed as yet, which was explained by the statement that the work had been held up pending knowledge of just where to place it.

THE COAL QUESTION.

Probably the most important single thing to come before the meeting last night was a discussion of the coal situation. Mayor Sattler opened discussion of the matter at this juncture of the meeting by calling the attention of the council to the situation and said he thought it well to bring it to the attention of the council at this time. He said that although the government has established a schedule of coal prices and that the same should have gone into effect all over the country the first of October, there has been no change in prices here, and that he believed the matter should be investigated, in order to ascertain where the fault lies and take steps to remedy it. He said that the people with ample means had laid in their winter's coal supply already, and that we should see to it that the poor people are not charged extraordinary prices for the coal which they must have. He stated that Illinois block coal, the best, costs \$2.35 at the mine, the freight charges are \$2.35 to \$2.50, and the coal here is selling for \$8.50, while at Omaha it is selling for \$5.50. He said that by an arrangement the coal was hauled through this city from the east to Omaha, then freight added from there to this point, which would be another dollar per ton, and that unless such a practice is discontinued it will be necessary to go before the Inter-State Commerce commission and have it stopped. Councilman Nestor said that Illinois lump coal is selling at Murray at \$6.50 per ton. Mayor Sattler stated he understood that on account of a strike President Wilson had granted an increase of 50 cents at the mines. Varndron moved to appoint the judiciary committee to look after the matter, while Johnson moved to amend by making it a special committee, which motion was carried, and the mayor appointed C. A. Johnson, R. F. Patterson and M. Mauzy.

While speaking on this proposition Wm. Weber said that the council was selected for the service of the people and that he believed it was their duty to look after the interests of the people, also that unless the coal dealers sold at reasonable prices it was the duty of the city to take the matter in hand. Mayor Sattler said he believed in the dealer getting a reasonable profit, but unless they made reasonable prices he was of the opinion that the city should buy the coal and sell it to the people at fair prices.

Harry M. Wilcox asked for permission to place a brick walk across the parking in front of his house in order to get out to the curb, which was granted.

Councilman Vorndron offered a resolution to have the walks on the east side of lot 12 in block 43 and lot 1 in block 52 leveled up, as they were somewhat uneven.

There being nothing more the council adjourned.

SIXTEEN MORE NAMES CERTIFIED BY LOCAL BOARD

OUT OF FIFTY ADDITIONAL EXAMINED LAST WEEK TO COMPLETE QUOTA

We Are Still a Few Men Short—
Hope to Fill Without a Second Extra Examination.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The following names have been certified to the District Board by the local exemption board as those out of the last fifty examined who are fit for service and have not been discharged:

Carl W. Olander, Weeping Water.....	189
Fred Harold Huff, Louisville.....	192
Wm. Max Schildmeyer, S. Bend.....	199
Walter Wilmer Olson, Greenwood.....	200
Wm. K. Fox, Jr., Plattsmouth.....	201
K. A. Fredrickson, Weep. Wat.....	203
Caleb T. Noell, Weeping Wat.....	205
Jose Garcia, Louisville.....	208
Clyde Harvey Trimble, Eagle.....	209
Mike Cross, Weeping Water.....	211
Guy Eligaub Rung, Alvo.....	212
Joseph Edward Rau, Manley.....	215
Thos. E. Mason, Nehawka.....	216
Nicholas Limpach, Greenwood.....	222
Henry John Wulf, Eagle.....	230
Olin Albert Kitzel, Alvo.....	232

COMING AGAIN.

Allman Comedy Company.—Big Tent Theatre.

Is coming back to Plattsmouth for one week's engagement starting next Monday, October 15th. It will be remembered the Allman Comedy Company is the most popular show troop that ever showed in Plattsmouth. This is the third time for Mr. Allman to show in Plattsmouth. This year we are promised the best bunch of artists Mr. Allman has ever brought to our city. Mr. Guy Astor, the leading man is a well talented man and is a favorite all along the line with Allman show this year.

Miss Evelyn Kincade, the dainty little leading lady, is a clever little actress and is loved from the little children to the old folks. All new people on the stage. All new plays new vaudeville specialties. New music this year is promised. If it is cold next week, the big tent will be properly heated by several charcoal solomanders carried especially for this purpose. Ladies are free Monday and Wednesday nights. The big tent will be located on Washington Ave. same place as last year. See big ad in this paper for program for the week. Doors are open at 7:30. Show starts prompt at 8:15, so be there early to get good seats.

WILL ASSIST IN REVIVAL.

The United Brethren church at Pickrell is conducting a revival which is in progress at this time, and the crew of evangelists, which carry with them a special singer, from some cause, the singer has had to go elsewhere during this campaign, leaving them without a singer or one to take charge of it. The minister at that place knowing of the ability of Rev. E. H. Pontius in that line, called upon him to help in the matter and this morning he departed for Pickrell, to take charge of the matter. He will be away about ten days.

ENTERTAINS FOR HER FRIENDS

Last evening, in honor of her friend, Miss Grace Thompson, of Sabula, Iowa, Miss Helen Egenberg entertained a number of mutual friends of herself and Miss Thompson, on the eve of the latter's departure for her home in Iowa. The evening was very pleasantly spent and all present were pleased to wish Miss Thompson a pleasant journey home, and extend to her in invitation to make more visits to Plattsmouth.

IN DISTRICT COURT.

From Tuesday's Daily.

A case was filed yesterday in District court, wherein William Latrom brings suit for the quieting of a title to certain lots in the village of Eagle against Frank Davis and others.

HAS RECEIVED HIS NEW CAR.

From Tuesday's Daily.

A. J. Beeson, who some time ago purchased a new Ford car, with an extra winter top, has received the car, and has also had the new top put in place, giving the car the appearance of one of the regular model Ford Sedans, and a fine looking automobile. This will give the Judge and his family, who live out in the country quite a distance, a good deal of comfort when the weather gets cold and stormy.

PERSONS EXEMPTED AND DISCHARGED BY BOARD

From Tuesday's Daily.

The following are the names of persons in the supplemental list of fifty examined last week, who have so far been exempted or discharged:

For Failure to Pass the Physical Examination—Henry Vromin and Owen R. Deles Denier.
For Dependency (Wife, Children or Parents)—Herbert P. Opp, Cornelius DeJung, Jennings B. Siever, Peter Rounka, William H. Mason, Carl Cedric Cross, Charles D. Adams, Will H. Smith, William S. Wentencamp, Edward Long, Carl R. Richard, William Jourgeson, Edward J. Jochim, Emil G. Rosenow, Eror A. J. Christensen, John H. Steffens, Michael F. Rabb and George Jourgeson.

REMINISCENCES OF EARLY DAYS IN PLATTSMOUTH

W. H. Kikendall, of Eddyville, Nebraska, who has been visiting with relatives near Weeping Water for the past few days, was brought over yesterday afternoon to catch the train here for his home, by Torrence Flemming, of whom he is an uncle. A few years ago Mr. Kikendall was interested in a lumber yard at Murray, which he later sold and moved to Eddyville. Mr. Kikendall says that in his section of the state, west of Kearney, they have been having plenty of rain and the fall seeding is doing its very best. He spoke of the corn crop in and about his neighbor as being fine and says many fields give promise of yields running as high as sixty bushels to the acre.

While waiting for the train, Mr. Kikendall remarked to the Journal reporter that thirty-five years ago he saw some men sitting just north of the present passenger station, along the railroad track, fishing in the channel of the Missouri river. This would bring the river very close to the bank on this side but when we came here just three years later, the water was sweeping around near that point. Mr. Kikendall was traveling auditor for the T. W. Harvey Lumber company, which had a string of yards from here to Nebraska City and extending west to Broken Bow. The Plattsmouth yard was soon afterwards sold to H. A. Waterman & Son, the father of John Waterman, senior member of the Waterman Lumber & Coal company.

Mr. Kikendall found much pleasure in his reminiscences of the old town as he then knew it, and spent the time until his train arrived with a portrayal of conditions as "they used to was."

MRS. JESSE CAHOON HAS TYPHOID

Mrs. Jesse Cahoon, who has been confined to her home for the past few weeks with typhoid fever is very sick at this time, and is receiving much care and careful nursing, with the hopes of her showing improvement. Her many friends in this city would be pleased to learn of any change for the better in her condition, and anxiously await any indication of improvement.

WILL VISIT IN CHICAGO.

Miss Margaret Scotten departed this morning for Chicago, going via Omaha and was accompanied a portion of the way by her friend, Miss Grace T. Thompson, of Sabula, a niece of Mr. E. B. Thrall, who has many friends, and Miss Margaret Scotten will stop at her home for a short visit on her way to Chicago, where she goes to visit with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Weber and family.

Journal Want-Ads Pay!

PASSING OF THREE PIONEER LADIES HERE

ONE BY ONE THEY ANSWER THE CALL AND SCARCE EACH YEAR BECOME THESE

LONG RESIDENTS OF COUNTY

Who Braved the Privations and Hardships of An Early Day to Develop Homes and Advantages for Their Children and Children's Children.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mrs. Annie Beardsley Livingston Passed away at Plattsmouth, at 7:45 a. m., October 10th, 1917, Mrs. Annie Beardsley Livingston, in her 82nd year, widow of Dr. Robert Ramsay Livingston and mother of Mrs. Theodore and Stuart Livingston, Mrs. Annie Britt and Mrs. William Clement.

"Just say that I have gone; my friends do not need the story of my many years among them," was the oft repeated request of the departed friend, and, although so much might be told of one who for more than fifty years had been a friend indeed to all to whom she was known, in deference to her wishes we leave the record written only in the hearts of those who loved her.

The simple ritual of her church, and the placing of the dear body beside husband, mother and children, who have preceded her, will end well the more than half century of life in the home she had helped to found.

The funeral services will be held in St. Luke's Episcopal church at 4 p. m., Friday, October 12th.

Mrs. Emelia Pauline R. Heisel

At her home in this city, after a lingering illness of many years, Mrs. Emelia Pauline Robelman Heisel, widow of the late Conrad Heisel, who died in 1909, passed away.

Amelia Robelman was united in marriage with Conrad Heisel in the year 1859 in the city of St. Louis, coming immediately to this city, which has been her home ever since. Mr. Heisel, in company with Henry Boeck, came to Plattsmouth in 1856, returning to St. Louis two years later to wed Miss Robelman. Mrs. Heisel was a member of the German Presbyterian church and leaves five children, they being, Amelia, George, Fred, Anna and John. Another daughter, Matilda, died two years ago.

The funeral will be held from the late home Thursday, October 11th, at two o'clock, the Rev. H. G. McCuskey officiating. The burial will be at Oak Hill cemetery, west of the city.

Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Wiles.

This morning at about four o'clock the Death Angel called for Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Wiles, and found her prepared to go. Bidding good bye to the friends here her spirit, which had been one of ministrations, throughout her entire life, took flight to that home where sorrow is known no more.

Miss Nancy Elizabeth Linville was born near St. Joseph, Missouri, on May 10, 1841, moving while still a small child to Mills county, Iowa, where she lived until October 30, 1856, when she was united in marriage with Isaac Wiles, and they came to Plattsmouth, settling on the farm where she passed away this morning lacking about six months of being seventy-seven years old. There were born to this union five sons and four daughters, all of whom were at her bedside when she departed from this world. They are A. L. Wiles, of Shubert; E. M. Wiles of Minatare; T. Frank Wiles, of Omaha; Luke L. Wiles, of Plattsmouth; I. R. L. Wiles of St. Louis; Mrs. B. B. Dean, of Glenwood; Mrs. D. Errett, of Athena, Oregon; Mrs. J. H. Hall and Mrs. M. A. Hall, of Plattsmouth.

Mrs. Wiles has been a life long member of the Christian church, and always a member of the church at this place, she being the first one to

receive the ordinance of baptism in this church, and of this state.

The calling of this good lady is the garnering of a fully ripened sheaf of the choicest of wheat. Her life has been a benediction to all who have had the pleasure of knowing her, and with her passing all within the range of her acquaintance have lost a loyal and loving friend.

Her husband, Captain Isaac Wiles, while some years her senior, is hale and hearty, and like the good wife who has gone, is without an enemy, and loved by all who know him. He is now left to travel the way unto the end alone.

The funeral will be held from the home at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Luther Moore, who formerly ministered to the local Christian church, of which the deceased was a member. He will be assisted by Rev. A. J. Hargett, who is the minister here at present. The casket will be open to friends from 12:30.

MEETS NIECE IN OMAHA

Mrs. Christ Parkening was a passenger to Omaha this morning, where she goes to meet her niece, Mrs. C. Eichart, of Los Angeles, California, who is to pass through Omaha today from a visit at Saint Paul, Minnesota, at the home of a sister of Mrs. Parkening, Mrs. Charles Madennes, and will be in Omaha for some four hours between trains. Mr. Parkening goes to visit with her niece during this time, as she will then hurry on to her home in the west.

COMPLIMENTS OF JOSEPH E. SMITH

Joseph H. Smith, who is at the Soldiers Home at Leavenworth, Kansas, has sent this office a paper, containing the report of the Adjutant for October the fifth, which we give below, from the Leavenworth (Kansas) Times:

Adjutant's report October 5, 1917: Present for duty, 1,035; on extra duty, 239; absent with leave, 684; sick in G. H. I., 24; absent without leave, 26; total present and absent, 2,603; Assigned temporarily at Post 81. Vacant beds in the barracks, 298; vacant beds in the hospital 714.

MEETING VERY PATRIOTIC

This morning C. A. Johnson and E. P. Lutz returned from the convention of the Building and Loan associations which has been in session at Hastings for the past few days. They report a very interesting time, and especially as to the matter of patriotism. At the meeting there was subscribed \$2,000,000 for the purchase of Liberty bonds. Reports all over the state are to the effect that the Building and Loan associations are prospering.

WILL MAKE HOME HERE

Frank M. Sanders, of Minden, a member of the Masonic order, of that place, arrived in the city last evening, and will make his home in Plattsmouth for the present. For a long time Mr. Sanders has been a member of the A. F. & A. M. and he comes to be a member of the family of Masonic brethren at the Masonic home here.

COLLINS OIL COMPANY ENTERS LOCAL FIELD

With today there comes to Plattsmouth a new industry, and one that should share in the patronage of our people. For some time now the one oil company here has had no competition, but commencing today the Collins Oil company enters the local field for business, with Frank W. Elliott as manager. Mr. Elliott has had considerable experience in the oil business, and should be in position to handle the business in good shape. A few days ago Mr. Elliott made a trip to Knoxville, Iowa, where the general offices of the Collins company are located, returning Tuesday night with a motor oil truck, with which to serve his patrons, and is thus in position to begin business immediately. The Collins company is not a new concern, it having been located in many towns over southeastern Nebraska for a good number of years. It looks to us as though Mr. Elliott should be able to make a success of this proposition.

RETURN FROM THE MOUNTAINS

Mrs. S. L. Cotner, daughter Gladys, and son, 'Bud' who have been visiting in the west, spending some time in Denver, and other Colorado points and also having visited for a few days at Salt Lake City, Utah, with friends, and took in the great mountain scenery, which that portion of the country affords, arrived home last evening. They say, while away, they saw some great sights and have a most enjoyable time, but that they liked the looks of Plattsmouth pretty well, and were glad to get home.

RETURNS FROM THRESHING.

Albert Sergun, returned this afternoon from a stay of nearly two months in the western portion of the state, where he was engaged in threshing in Custer county, near the towns of Calloway and Arnold. Mr. Sergun, says that in the forty days of work, which they worked, while away, that the machine turned out 35,000 bushels of all kinds of grain. The wheat, which was badly frozen did not yield very good, but the other grains, were a fairly good crop. While there he threshed wheat, rye, oats and barley. He left his outfit there and will return next fall for another campaign.

WILL USE THE RIFLE RANGE.

The Rifle Range, which has been lying idle for the past few years, and been in the hands of caretaker, Frank Bashus, will be used again, beginning Monday and will continue to be used until the weather gets so cold that it will not be possible to practice. On Monday there will arrive three hundred soldiers who will practice at the range at various distance targets for three weeks, after which they will be taken to some other place, and another company of four hundred will arrive to take the place of the first company, and they will remain as long as the weather will allow of their practicing.

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