

# The Plattsmouth Journal.

## CORONATION BALL DRAWS A BIG CROWD

### LARGE NUMBER PRESENT LAST NIGHT TO WITNESS BARN BAIN CIRCUS EVENT

## MISS NIEL CROWNED QUEEN

### As Result of Having Led in Popularity Voting Contest—Tom Walling Leads Men.

From Friday's Daily. Last evening the vicinity of Fifth and Main streets was packed with a dense assemblage of the residents of the city and vicinity and traffic through the crowd was impossible as the many hundred pushed for a point of vantage to witness the entrance of the queen of the carnival and her court. On the American Legion dance platform a throne had been arranged at the south end and facing Main street and here the ceremonies were held shortly after nine o'clock.

The queen and her attendants arriving at the platform it was necessary to secure a passage way from the cars to the platform as the huge crowd had grown to such an extent that it was almost impossible to get through the mass of people. From the car to the foot of the throne carpet had been spread and over this the royal party proceeded. Percy H. Field received the party as master of ceremonies and the procession was formed with the ladies of the court and gentlemen of honor preceding the queen, Miss Fern Niel, whose charming toilette of white was covered by the long flowing royal robes of purple velvet trimmed with ermine and the queen surely presented a very beautiful appearance and with the attractive and charming ladies in attendance made a picture of beauty.

At the throne the party was met by Tom Walling, who as the prince of good fellows, placed on the brow of Miss Niel the crown of queen. The ceremony was followed by the grand march and then by a spirited one step that was joined in by a large number and which marked the end of the coronation ceremonies.

The gentlemen of honor of the court were Edward Fullerton, George Dovey, Emil Hill, Carl Schmidtmann, Harley Becker and Aubrey Duxbury, while the ladies of honor were Misses Wilma Rainey, Verla Becker, Mary Wagner, Helen Roberts and Grace Nolting.

The golden crown with its sparkling gems was borne by little Miss Margaret Shallenberger while the train of the queen was carried by Misses Edith Quinton, Charlotte Field, Catherine Terryberry, Jacqueline Davis and Masters Carroll D. Quinton and Edward Egenberger. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the platform was turned over to the local post of the American Legion for a social dance and for which the "Ragoperators" unloosened some of their jazz music until the midnight hour and a large number took advantage of the occasion to enjoy the pleasant evening.

## HOLD TAXI DRIVER AS DESERTER FROM GUARD

From Friday's Daily. William Lovelady, taxi driver, 2707 Farnam street, was arrested as a deserter from the old Fourth Nebraska national guard when he appeared in police court Thursday to answer a charge of obstructing a fire hydrant with his automobile. Lovelady was recognized by Court Officer Martin L. Jensen, who was a second lieutenant in Company A, Fourth Nebraska. Jensen said that Lovelady deserted his company while the regiment was stationed on the Mexican border at Llano Grande, Tex., during the national guard mobilization in 1916. Lovelady's wife, Naomi, a night janitress in the City National Bank building, burst into tears when informed of his arrest. She at first denied knowledge of his desertion but later admitted he had confessed everything to her the night before they

were married in July 1917. He was 18 at the time and she, 17. "He didn't say he deserted. He only said he went away to see his mother who was dying from worry over his enlistment. After she died, he didn't go back." Lovelady will be turned over to army authorities at Fort Omaha. Police say the case comes under the war department's jurisdiction as the national guard was in federal service at the time of the alleged desertion.—World-Herald.

## SHIPS FINE DOG

From Thursday's Daily. This afternoon Dr. O. Sandin shipped to Endera, Neb., one of the fine thoroughbred water spaniel puppies that he has been breeding in this city. The little animal is one of the finest seen in this city and is a thoroughbred of pedigreed stock. The puppy has been purchased by M. H. Hiner of Endera and the new owner feels very fortunate in securing the fine little animal. Dr. Sandin has had very good success in his handling of the thoroughbred dogs and a number have been purchased by parties all over the state.

## WEEPING WATER LOSES ITS MAYOR

### Fred H. Gorder, Who for Many Years Presided Over Destinies of His Home City, Resigns.

From Friday's Daily. The citizens of Weeping Water are at present without a head to the municipal government as the result of the acceptance of the resignation of Mayor Fred H. Gorder, which was made on July 19th and which became effective on July 26th. Mr. Gorder has filled the position of mayor of our neighboring city for a great many years and has become as familiar with the business affairs of that city as with his own private business and in his resignation the city of Weeping Water loses a very valuable servant. The resignation has been in contemplation for some time and covers a part of the division that has arisen in the city and which Mayor Gorder hoped might be overcome, having devoted his efforts unceasingly in that direction. In speaking of the event the Weeping Water Republican publishes the following data:

Weeping Water, Nebraska, June 18, 1920.

George H. Olive, City Clerk.

To the Honorable City Council: The time has come that I must comply with the statement I made at special meeting of City Council April 22nd, 1920, in the presence of Councilmen Tefft, Marshall and Swindle. I also made this statement in my office May 3rd, 1920, in the presence of Councilmen Willes, Marshall and Swindle. I have been holding over to this date, hoping that the division started before election would improve. It seems to me it is getting worse and it makes it a hard task to act as mayor with such a divided people so am pleased to retire and hope it will be the means to get everybody in line for a better town.

FRED H. GORDER.

July 19, 1920.

Honorable City Council: I filed my resignation with City Clerk June 18th, 1920, and no action was taken so will ask you to kindly accept resignation as mayor to take effect July 26th, 1920, and oblige.

FRED H. GORDER.

July 19th—At special session of City Council, Councilman Colbert moved resignation of Mayor Gorder be accepted. Motion carried.

## A SAD ACCIDENT

The little eighteen-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rau, living about five miles southwest of South Bend was drowned in a water tank on the place on Monday evening. When the body was found life was extinct. The funeral occurred Wednesday afternoon from the Evangelical Lutheran church north of Murdock of which Rev. Peters is pastor. Mr. Rau is a nephew of Herman Mann of Manley and Mrs. Rau was formerly Miss Sarah Campbell, of South Bend. She attended the Louisville high school a few years ago and her family is well known in this vicinity and their many friends extend deepest sympathy to them in their great shock and sad loss.—Louisville Courier.

## COACH SHOP TAKES LEAD IN CITY LEAGUE

### WINS FROM LOCOMOTIVES BY SCORE OF 9 TO 3 IN A VERY LOOSE GAME

## LOCOMOTIVES GO TO THIRD

### Freight Car Shops Retain Second Position While the Locomotives Go Down to Third

From Thursday's Daily. Last evening the long standing tie in the Burlington shop league was removed when the Coach Shop violently wrestled the lead in the league from the Locomotives by the score of 9 to 3. The victory came easy to the coach handlers as they were at no time in danger of losing the lead accumulated in the opening stanza of the conflict. The opposing slab artists were Mason and Herold and in the battle Mason was the more fortunate as he received excellent support from his team mates and exercised good control over the ball in the pitches. Twelve of the Locos were struck out and two hits gathered off the delivery of William Harvey while Pete secured eleven strikeouts and was touched for seven hits.

In the opening round Nelson, the first up for the coach shop secured first when Janda at the initial station failed to field the ball and was followed by Gradoville who was hit by Herold and given first base, O'Donnell then placed one to short that Schulhof failed to connect with and Nelson scored. Mason then put the game on ice by a three sacker to center that brought in both Gradoville and O'Donnell and he was able to score later. Shinn was retired; Cavander to Janda and Peter struck out Kalina and Howe, ending the tragedy. For the Locomotives Schulhof was struck out, Niel retired on a grounder to Howe at first and Burbridge was also struck out.

The third was productive of two more runs for the Coach Shop. Gradoville opened with a two sacker to center and was followed by O'Donnell who repeated with a single to the same garden and which brought in Gradoville. Mason hit safe over second and tallied O'Donnell but died on the bases as Shinn, Kalina and Howe were also whiffed.

The Locomotives were able to garner one in the fifth act when Hula hit safe to center and was followed by Wilson with a safety to first that advanced Hula and when Cavander jabbed a safe one to the first base line Hula made home and while the race was close between the throw and the runner Empire Stinson called the runner safe which gave the Locos the first run of the game.

The sixth went fifty-fifty with both teams securing two scores. Glaze opened with a fly to Janda at first and was followed by Max Pries who placed a safe hit to the right garden and advanced when Nelson grounded out to Janda at first, Gradoville hit safe to left and scored Pries and later tallied on a wild heave to the third base. For the Locos, Burbridge was out on a fly to Kalina at second, Herold drew a walk and was able to pilfer second and scored when Janda hit safe to right field. Janda scored on the out of Hula at first base and Wilson closed the inning by a strikeout.

In the seventh the ninth and final run of the coach shop was secured. Mason hit safe through second and was followed by Shinn who flew out to Skalak at third and when Kalina hit to third base Mason was caught at second but Kalina was able to score on the throw made to catch him on the bases. Howe was given a walk but was tagged by Skalak while attempting to steal the third base. The tabulated score of the game was as follows:

Coach Shop	AB	H	PO	A	E
Nelson, cf	3	0	0	0	0
Gradoville, c	3	2	12	0	0
O'Donnell, ss	4	1	0	3	0
Mason, p	4	2	0	1	0
Shinn, 3b	4	0	0	2	0
Kalina, 2b	3	0	1	0	1
Howe, 1b	3	0	8	0	1

Wooster, rf ----- 2 0 0 0 0  
Glaze, lf ----- 3 0 0 0 0  
Pries, rf ----- 1 1 0 0 0  
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27 7 21 6 2

Locomotives	AB	H	PO	A	E
Schulhof, ss	4	0	0	2	0
Niel, cf	3	0	0	0	0
Burbridge, c	3	0	12	0	0
Herold, p	2	0	0	1	0
Janda, 1b	3	1	5	0	1
Hula, rf	3	1	0	0	0
Wilson, lf	3	0	1	0	0
Skalak, 3b	3	0	2	2	0
Cavander, 2b	3	0	1	2	0
-----	27	2	21	5	3

## RETURNS FROM COAST

From Friday's Daily. Last evening Waldemar Soenichsen and wife returned home from an extended tour of the Pacific coast and after a most enjoyable stay in the coast country covering from southern California to Seattle. Mrs. Soenichsen made the trip to the coast via auto with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Rosencrans, Miss Mary Rosencrans and Blythe, and was met at Los Angeles by Mr. Soenichsen. From that city the party motored to Seattle for a short stay and thence to Portland, Oregon, from which city Mr. and Mrs. Soenichsen returned home. Mrs. Rosencrans and Miss Mary will remain at Portland for a more extended visit while Blythe is expected to return home within the next ten days.

## NEHAWKA VILLAGE BOARD ORGANIZES

### Selects Officers and Starts Municipal Government—Serious Accident and Other Happenings.

The new municipal government of Nehawka has been launched very successfully and an excellent array of officers picked to guide the destinies of that city in the next year. The new village board selected by the board of county commissioners met a few days ago and selected their officers as follows: Chairman, Vilas P. Sheldon; Clerk, J. E. Steffen; Treasurer, Frank Boedecker. The board named as the streets, alleys and bridges committee, R. C. Pollard, Dr. J. W. Thomas and George C. Sheldon and this trio of hustlers will see that the streets and street improvements are kept up to the minute in the little city. For the position of city attorney the board secured the services of C. E. Tefft of Weeping Water as the peaceful people of Nehawka have not had any attorney come to dwell in their midst. In order that the city can progress as it should the board decided on a levy that would insure the sum of \$2,500 per year that will be devoted to the public improvements which the people feel they are entitled to and to secure which was one of the chief causes of the incorporation of the village.

A rather serious auto wreck occurred on Thursday near Nehawka when the car of Fred Rose was run into by the machine operated by a tractor dealer of Ashland. The accident occurred near the Elbert Norris farm where the tractor agents had been demonstrating and as he came into the roadway he crashed into the car of Mr. Rose. As the result of the accident, Ellen, the little 10-year-old daughter of Mr. Rose who was in the car with him, had her right arm fractured at the elbow and was hurried into Nehawka where the injured arm was set.

Publisher A. B. Rutledge, who between preparing the weekly happenings for the edification of his readers of the News-Ledger, is engaged in the raising of fine thoroughbred chickens, a few days ago discovered an unusual freak in the egg line at his poultry house. This was two complete eggs all in one and both of the eggs were complete in every detail. The outer egg was of large size and had a yolk and was in perfect condition and in the center of this egg was a second egg that was perfect and enclosed in a shell of its own and also with its own yolk. This is rather unusual and had not the egg been shown on exhibition it might be figured as a rival to the snake stories but it is the real truth as can be vouched for not only by the Nehawka editor but the Journal man as well.

Five line of stationery and correspondence paper at the Journal

## CLARENCE L. BEAL MEETS AN ACCIDENT

### BURLINGTON SWITCHMAN HAS FOOT TAKEN OFF MAKING A FLYING SWITCH

## INJURED EARLY THIS MORNING

### No One Present at Time of Accident but Belief is Young Man Was Struck While Alighting.

From Thursday's Daily. While engaged in his duties in the local yards of the Burlington this morning, Clarence L. Beal, one of the third trick switchmen, met with a very severe accident that resulted in the loss of the right foot, the member being severed just above the ankle joint. The accident occurred shortly after 5:30 and there was no one present at the spot at the time, as other members of the switching force and the switch engine were at the lead from the shops to the depot where they were engaged in kicking cars down into the west yard.

Clarence, as far as can be learned, was riding one of the cars down into the west yard and had gotten off to throw a switch for the car as the indications point to this fact, and had evidently been struck a glancing blow on the side of the head by the car, as he had a large bump on the side of his head when found, and this blow and knocked him from his feet with the result that his right foot was caught on the track where the wheels and truck of the car passed over it severing it at the ankle joint.

The traveling painters who have been engaged in work at the Burlington station for the past few days were living in a bunk car near the scene of the accident and heard the cries of the injured man and one of the painters, Foreman Baxter, hastened out and found Clarence lying along the edge of the platform and at once removed him and summoned help to care for the injured man.

As soon as the accident was discovered the injured leg was protected as well as possible and Clarence hurried to the office of Drs. Livingston, where the wound was dressed and the injured young man made ready to be sent to the hospital, being taken by auto to the Immanuel hospital in Omaha for treatment and further care.

The accident occurred just a few feet north of the yard office at the north end of the platform at the passenger station and at the time there was no one near to witness the exact manner in which Mr. Beal was injured. The friends of the young man who was so badly injured learned of the accident with the most profound regret and throughout the city the misfortune brought a deep sense of regret and sorrow, as Clarence is one of the best known and popular young men in the city and while he has suffered a very serious accident it is fortunate that it was not more serious.

## BROKE HIS ARM WHILE TRYING TO RIDE A HOG

On last Monday afternoon, Bruce Fleischman looked the world square in the face and assayed that he would have a little fun and try a few cowboy stunts. The animal of his choice for the high bucking buck was a fairly good sized hog. So he proceeded with all the assurance in the world that he was a real broncho buster and landed squarely on the back of said hog. With a squeal and a mighty lunge the hog was moving some and Bruce landed all sprawled out. After an examination of himself he discovered that he had a pain in his wrist and a physician took an X-ray examination, finding one bone broken and the other one bent. The injury was given attention and he is getting along quite well. Bruce is the son of Charles Fleischman.—Elmwood Leader-Echo.

Journal want ads pay.

## LOSES WIRE CABLE

From Friday's Daily. A. S. Will yesterday suffered the loss of 180 feet of white metal cable, a very high priced non-rustable metal cable and which some person or persons successfully made away with, while the Will's family were at dinner. The cable has been used by Mr. Will on his bottom land near the river and was brought up to the barn which is located near the Missouri Pacific right of way on the west side of the farm and the cable was left lying on the ground while the family partook of the noon meal. On returning to the barn after dinner the cable was found to be missing and no trace could be discovered of the missing cable. The cable was lying near the highway and it is thought that some passerby decided to enrich themselves by pilfering the chain and seem to have successfully gotten away. Chief of Police Manspeaker was first notified of the theft and later in the afternoon the loss was reported to Sheriff C. D. Quinton who at once got in touch with the neighboring cities but without a great deal of success.

## SEYBERT-MARSHALL WEDDING CELEBRATED

### Well Known Young People of This City Are United in Marriage at Botkins, Ohio.

From Thursday's Daily. The Journal has just received a copy of the Botkins (Ohio) Herald, which contains the account of the marriage of Miss Frances Seybert and C. A. Marshall, Jr., which was held in that city on Wednesday, July 21st. The account of the wedding was as follows: "Mr. C. A. Marshall, Jr., and Miss Frances Seybert, of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, who has been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bull, Mrs. Bull being a sister of the groom, were united in marriage by the Rev. Searbrook of the Methodist church at the residence Wednesday evening at 5 o'clock. After the wedding ceremony a 6 o'clock dinner was served. They will remain the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bull for a brief visit after which they will locate in Dayton, Ohio, where Mr. Marshall will continue his work with the National Cash Register company."

## PURCHASES NEW STORE

From Thursday's Daily. The South Park store of A. G. Bach, which for more than thirty years has been conducted by Mr. Bach has been sold by the owner to the firm of Bach & Libershall, who a few months ago purchased the Main street store of Mr. Bach. The new owners will at once assume the management of the store and conduct it in connection with their main store and it will continue to serve the people of the south portion of the city as it has in the past as Messrs. Bach and Libershall will have their usual large and complete stock at the Lincoln avenue store kept strictly up-to-date for the accommodation of their patrons.

Fine stationery, Journal office.

## DEATH OF MRS. NANCY JONES THIS MORNING

### Aged Resident of This City Passed Away Very Suddenly at Her Home at 1:30 O'Clock.

From Thursday's Daily. The community was profoundly shocked this morning to learn that another of the pioneer residents of the city had been summoned to the better world, Mrs. Nancy Jones having passed away at 1:30 o'clock this morning at her home at Third and Vine streets from a sudden hemorrhage of the brain that brought almost instantaneous death. The daughter, Miss Olive Jones, had been aroused and was waiting on her mother when the sudden attack came on that resulted in her demise.

The death of Mrs. Jones has come as a very severe blow to the daughter and many old friends who have known and loved this estimable lady during the many years of her life in this community.

There will be no arrangements for the funeral until the arrival of the son, Dal Jones, of Chicago, who will arrive here tomorrow morning, and the granddaughter, Mrs. Floyd Ralston, of Kansas City, who will be here this afternoon.

## TO HOLD FUNERAL

From Friday's Daily. This morning Rev. A. V. Hunter departed for Adams, Neb., where he was called to preside at the funeral services of James Lydolph, a young man who had been a member of the Methodist church during the pastorate of Rev. Hunter a few years ago. The young man died there yesterday while engaged in work in the harvest fields. From Adams, Mr. Hunter goes to Crawford where he will preach on Sunday for the congregation in that city. The members of the congregation at Crawford have been very desirous of securing Rev. Hunter for the church in that city but the members of the congregation in this city have urged his return here the coming year. Owing to the absence of Rev. Hunter from his charge there will be no preaching service at the church here Sunday but Sunday school and Epworth league services will be held at the usual hours.

## ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEET

From Thursday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon the ladies of the Royal Neighbors of America held a very pleasant meeting at the M. W. A. hall and which was quite largely attended by the members of the order. During the afternoon the lodge received a number of new candidates who were initiated into the mysteries of the order and became full fledged Neighbors. The ladies also held the drawing for the very handsome hand made table runner, which had been prepared by Miss Helen Hill and donated to the lodge and in this Miss Freda Klinger proved the most successful and was awarded the prize, holding No. 160, the lucky number. Dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were also served during the afternoon which was very much enjoyed by all those in attendance.

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