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# Plattsmouth Fournal.

a 1937. The sinking fund of the district NEW MASONIC

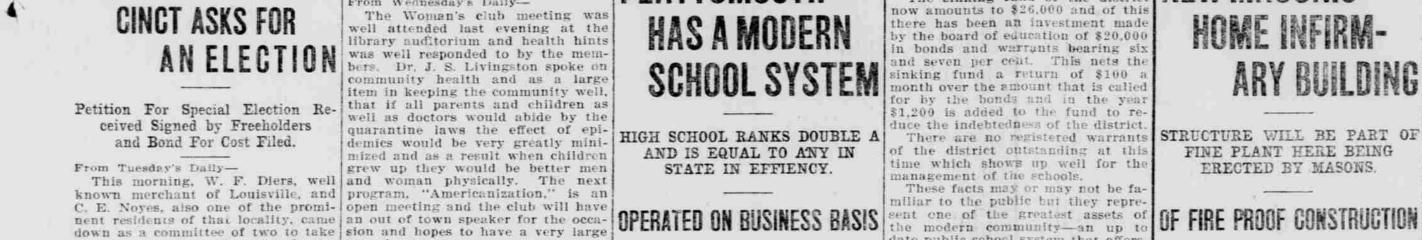
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LOUISVILLE PRE-

#### PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1925.

in 1937.

retires in 1936 and \$15,000 retiring



PLATTSMOUTH

the first steps in seeing that Louis- attendance. ville precinct is pulled "out of the mud.'

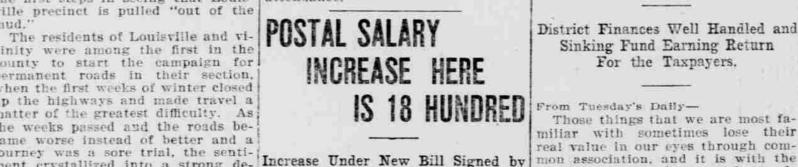
cinity were among the first in the county to start the campaign for permanent roads in their section, when the first weeks of winter closed up the highways and made travel a matter of the greatest difficulty. As, the weeks passed and the roads became worse instead of better and a journey was a sore trial, the sentiment crystallized into a strong de- Increase Under New Bill Signed by mand for some adequate remedy. There followed meetings at Louisville as well as at Weeping Water and Springfield to boost the con- From Tuesday's Dallystruction of good roads and from

ville. The decision of the Louisville peo-

ple to secure permanent roads of are easy to secure there, has been a each and which Postmaster Holmes crushed rock or gravel, both of which long step toward getting good roads The resident freeholders of Louis- from \$1,800 to \$2,000. in that section.

county commissioners call a special election in Louisville precinct in a short time for the purpose of voting which the postal department expects which the postal department expects bonds in the sum of \$28,000 for the to bring in the sum of \$59,900,000

With the petition, comes the bond crease in the salaries, signed by a large number of the resi-last two sessions of congress and the last two sessions of congress and the North Central association, following prevented in time of The Omaha line



President Coolidge will Bring Neat Sum to Employes.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

From Wednesday's Daily-

The

have here that goes to make the city Through the provisions of the po a pleasant place to live in and helps these meetings comes the visit of the tal salary bill just passed by con- maintain the community as worth From Tuesday's Dallygress and signed Saturday by Presi- while.

dent Coolidge, the employes of the local postoffice will receive an increase of something like \$300 a year states will mean in increase in salquips them for the battle of life. from Lincoln. aries at the Plattsmouth office of From the Plattsmouth schools there The change from the Omaha line

The bill as signed will mean an ville precinct filed today in the office of County Clerk George R. Sayles, a petition asking that the board of the covered by increases in postal

The measure has been before the

desire to create a better understand-

ing of Plattsmouth and some of its

nal is giving a resume of what we

date public school system that offers free of cost, to the boys and girls of this community an education of real

District Finances Well Handled and worth and value.



assets and institutions that the Jour- Nebraska Gas & Electric Co. Makes Cut Over Yesterday onto its Own High Tension Line.

The juice that supplies the elec-The first of these that will be dis- tric current for this city over the bussed is the Plattsmouth city wires of the Nebraska Gas & Elecschools where the youth of the com- tric company is now coming from the munity receive their education that high voltage line of the company

have gone many notable figures in was made yesterday when the cutstate and national affairs in various over was completed and the 66,000 professional and specialized work voltage line started in to supply the

The service here has been secured In the Plattsmouth public school from Nebraska Power Co. at Omaha ystem there is every effort made to for a number of years, the line thru bonds in the sum of \$28,000 for the purpose of surfacing the highways in that precinct. keep the schools at the highest point, this county taking the current from ssociations in the country. Platts- given good service, barring, of mouth schools are enrolled in the course, accidents that could not be

TRILETY OCCURS

Passes Away At Home of Son

In Lincoln Suburb.

AT HAVELOCK

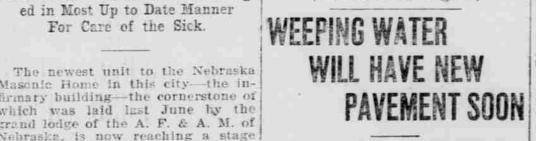
the bed rock. There will be ample accommodation to care for forty patients in the rooms of the infirmary in addition to those for the nurses and employes in the administration department. On the three floors there runs a

that reach thirty and forty feet to

ong corridor from which opens the boms that will be occupied by the patients, each of these rooms being Youth Calls to Battle and Conflict arranged with a large double winow that insures plenty of sunlight and ventilation. In heating these rooms the radiators are fastened to the walls so that no dirt can possibly From Tuesday's Dally-

perature, open up. In the rooms set aside for the pa-

Three Stories and Basement Arrang-(Continued on Page 6)



where an adequate appreciation of Enterprising Little City will See that the beauty of the structure as well the Main Thoroughfares are as its splendid equipment can be se-Fitted with Paving. cured. The building is one that is a credit both to the great Masonic or-

From Wednesday's Dailyder and to the constructors of the difice, as well as being something say feel a pardonable pride in num- are preparing a program of street im- crowd had grown to proportions of

and will give them what has long The exterior of this building, the first of the new units arranged for

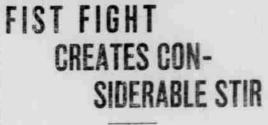
streets. the final Masonic Home that will It is the decision of the city govsome day occupy the spacious ernment and the citizens in general grounds, is now completed and preo have six blocks in the main porcents a most imposing appearance to ion of the city paved with concrete passersby along the streets or Webof the type that has been used so ter boulevard and is one of the first

For Care of the Sick.

f the city.

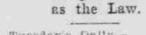
successfully in Plattsmouth, includbjects to catch the eye of the travng the curb and gutters that will eler as he comes from either the east or the north along the new boulevard. Constructed of natural Bed-

There are a large number of the ford, silverdale and carthage stone, streets in the residence section of it is striking in resemblance to an ancient castle with its turreted stone immings of the roof. The main



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Draws Out Spectators as Well



gather under them and they are also Saturday evening the usual peaceautomatically controlled, maintain- ful atmosphere of our attractive liting an even temperature in the build- the city was rent asunder shortly afing at all times. On reaching the ter 9 o'clock and which called out required amount of heat they shut the local gendarmerie to participate off and on the lowering of the tem- in the excitement and adding to the storm and turmoil.

> Earlier in the evening two young men of the city had become somewhat strained in their relations as the result of some remarks made which, it is claimed, were intended jest, but which one of the party took up seriously and invitations were exchanged to retire to some spot far from the maddening crowd where the affair of honor could be settled with man's primitive weapon-the unmailed fist.

As the principals moved out to the location selected-Washington park, just west of the O. K. garage-they were followed by several of the youths of the city who had secured information of the proposed "mill"

The citizens of Weeping Water and when the party was opened afwith their usual progressive spirit ter the usual preliminaries, the ering among the great institutions provement this year that will be the a very nice "gate" if the promoters most extensive they have undertaken had thought to collect admission.

Whether or not there was a been needed there, a system of paved knockout or any blows struck will never be known definitely, as those who attended the affray are not

"putting out" any information concerning the battle, but reports received indicate that only two blows were struck, one of which was effective.

The boys were just going good when the local gendarmes in full aford the proper amount of drain- force arrived at the scene and added more tumult than the fight itself, as the spectators commenced to flee in several directions toward the exits Weepng Water that will be arrang- from the park, the retreat being as ed with a coating of gravel, which terrifying as the flight of the clown

the bond proposition is defeated the bill passed last year providing for cost is defrayed.

the county the bonds should carry president and was replaced by the ing. by a very heavy vole and being pass- present measure that received the ed upon at the special election will executive approval. be the only matter to be passed upon and should win easily.

### BRIDGE OPEN NEXT WEEK

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The Platte river auto and wagon bridge which has been out of commission for the past two weeks as the result of damage caused by ice floes, is being given a thorough overhauling by the owner, T. H. Pollock, and who will have it in the best possible shape when it i opened for travel for the summer season. The work is being pushed as rapidly as possible but Mr. Pollock, pioneer residents of this city. who had been is peful of getting the bridge in commission by the last of

this week, has decided that it will not be possible to use the bridge until sometime the first of the coming week. While the bridge is closed there is extensive repairs being carfirst expected.

#### TAKES CHARGE OF POULTRY HOUSE HERE

From Tuesday's Daily-

ity, third. Sam a Moye. of Council Bluffs, Iowa, who has been interested here in the poultry business for some time, this. Ellen Sheehan, 15, district 96 through an agency, has taken over of Manley, was first prize winner; the management of the branch here Hilda Mann, 13, district 96 of Manin person, arriving here yesterday ley, second, and Mildred Stanley, 11, and is now in full charge. of district 96 was third.

Roy Benedict has been the manager here for Mr. Moye and now re-tires to give over to the owner the state spelling contest which will be which have both been medernized active handling of the business. Mr. Moye states that he expects Omaha, May 8.

the Iverson building on the south side of Pearl street between 6th and Th streets and where heating with the W. Eaton of Omaha and the judges Were Miss Marie Kaufmann, Miss are the school buildings with the The deceased was 7th streets, and where he will be able to handle poultry, eggs, cream and hides, buying and shipping to market. Later he expects to handle the From Tuesday's Dailypoultry in car lots.

To a representative of the Journal, resident of this city in the future.

## HOLDS PLEASANT MEETING

From Tuesday's Daily --

most delightfully entertained yesship day and for which there was Omaha assisting in the care of his from taxation. a very pleasing attendance of the father.

ladies of the society and one new member enrolled in the ranks of this worthy organization.

Owing to the extensive business From Tuesday's Dailysession of the afternoon there was no social features or program given, the ladies at the close of the regular routine business being entertained by visiting and a general good time.

The charming home made the occasion a most pleasant one, the large homelike fireplace with its glowing fire adding much to the comfort and enjoyment of the ladies.

At a suitable hour the hostess. action of the court. assisted by Miss Sarah Baird, served very dainty and delicious refreshments that added much to the afternoon of rarest pleasure.

## BIRTH OF LITTLE DAUGHTER

From Tuesday's Dally-The announcement has been re-

ceived here by friends of the birth of a daughter, Mary Wendell, to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Marvin at Upland, California, on February 22nd, the little Miss sharing the honors of the ay with the father of his country. Mrs. Marvin was formerly Miss Luthe Gass of this city, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gass and grand- for the work. The enrollment of the daughter of J. S. Wendell, one of the high school is 275

WINNERS IN SPELLING CONTEST tem that is one of the latest features

From Tuesday's Daliy-

RECEIVES SAD NEWS

On Saturday, Miss Alpha Peterson, schools is George E. DeWolf, one of son, Frank Trilety, at Havelock county superintendent of schools. the best known and most capable messages from that place to rela held the county spelling contest school executive in the state. has required more time than was here, the written contest being held In the business management of the

at the local high school building school district there is a board of and in which Howard Pool, aged 9 education composed of five members, of district 48 was the first, Hilda Searl S. Davis, president; Mrs. S. S. Mann, 13, of district 46 at Manley, Chase, secretary; Frank A. Cloidt, was second; Dorothy Brink, 13, of Dr. Frank L. Cummins, Mrs. W. A. St. John's parochial school of this Robertson.

The general business of the school The oral spelling contest was held district is one of the largest items in t the district court room and in the city's affairs and is operated on a strictly business basis In the plant of the Plattsmouth school districts there are eleven erected at a cost of \$125,000; the

The contests were conducted by R. use have been kept in the best of

building. The expenditures of the school dis-

trict amount to \$70,000, which includes all of the expenses of main-Anton Hasson of this city was taining the system, salaries, upkeep

called to Omaha yesterday by the and interest. In the various items Mr. Moye states that he expects to serious illness of his father, who is of expense in the past year there move his family here in the early well advanced in years and whose was \$50,000 paid out in salaries; summer and will become a permanent condition is growing very serious. fuel, \$2,000; water, \$300; light, The aged man has been engaged as a \$350; special improvement tax, fisherman and was taken sick a few \$340; insurance, \$1,000; repairs and official truant officer of the county, while the steps of the stairs as well days ago at his home in east Omaha upkeep, \$2,000; books and supplies,

and been steadily growing worse \$3,500. since he was first taken down. Mr. The school derived \$1,200 from The ladies of the W. C. T. U. were Hasson is also the father of Rudy fines and penalties, from the returns Hasson, well known wrestler, now from school lands through the state, wood and from the Platte to the exterday afternoon at the pleasant challenging Wayne "Big" Munn for \$5,000, and from non-resident stuhome of Mrs. William Baird, the the heavyweight championship of dents the sum of \$5,500. The reoccasion being the annual member- the world. Anton Hasson is still in mainder of the funds are derived ty.

The school has enrolled in its various buildings 1.025 students and each year sees the number attending school increasing, more and more of the students completing their high school.

school work instead of dropping out This morning at the office of the of school at the close of their grade celk of the district court it was anschool training. nounced that Monday, March 16th to learn of the operation of the busi- had a number of complaints, he is would be naturalization day at the

ness affairs of the district that is going to have them brought to the opening of the March term of the district court. The federal examiner bringing in a return to the taxpayers attention of the county attorney if that in the whole building there is will be present on this occasion and and assisting in materially reducing the delinquency is continued. examine the applicants for their the indebtedness of the district, the citizenship. There are sixteen appli-

larger part of which is covered in the cation for final papers awaiting the bonds for the new high school build-There is outstanding now, 1 ing.

#### at the Journal office. of twenty years, \$50,000 of which Bend.

NATURALIZATION DAY

The Omaha line will be operate the prescribed requirements as to the wage increase but not the in- class work, the number of periods as heretofore and supply lines out of From the general sentiment over crease in rates, was vetoed by the and subjects to be followed in teach- this city to the west and in case of emergency could be booked on to

DEATH OF LORENZ

fied with all preparatory work. There are eleven instructors in the high school and the courses taught

normal training, domestic science and manual training. There is also pervision of penmanship in the ch school as well as the grade shools of the city, these being un; Former Resident of Plattsmouth der special instructors well qualified

The Plattsmouth schools elso From Tuesday's Dolls -maintains a junior high school sys-

The death of Lorenz Trilety, forof the modern public school system. mer Plattsmouth resident, occurred The superintendent of the city Sunday evening at the home of his kitchen will be flanked by large some matters of business, and as they principals in the battle, was set at

There are also places arranged on a raised portion of the sidewalk tives here this morning conveying STY.

ROUNDS UP DELINQUENTS

From Wednesday's Daily-

the sad news. and steam table that will be needed, suffering a very severe injury to the The deceased made his home in Adjoining the kitchen to the north left side of his head. A gash several this city for a great many years, be-Adjoining the kitchen to the hord lich and or make out that required George wright received so and the is a large and pleasant dining room inches long was cut that required for the charge of disturbing the ing at one time an employe in the that will be arranged for the nurses medical attention to dress and prov-Burlington shops and later retiring and others employed at the new ed very painful. The injured man peace, from active work and spending the ast few years resting from his long building. Through this section of was able to return home unassisted, the building there is a large hall and but will carry the marks of the acci-

uties Mr. Trilety was 73 years of age opposite the kitchen will be found dent for several days yet. and was born in Bohemia, coming to the store rooms and lavatories for

this country as a young man and has the cooks and kitchen force. Startsince made his home in the west por- ing from the basement are elevators for handling food for the patients, it tion of the United States. Seven years ago the deceased with being arranged so that the food may buildings, valued at \$225,000, in- his wife moved to Havelock where be prepared in the main kitchen The winners in these contests will cluding the high school building they have since resided with their placed on the elevator and taken to son and family. Mr. Trilety is sur- any of the upper floors on portable vived by the wife and four children, steam tables, which, on reaching held at Technical high school in which have both been modernized. Frank Trilety of Havelock, Mrs. their destination, are connected with and the ward buildings that are in Charles Matous and Mrs. Roy Wade steam, keeping the food warm. The of Omaha and Mrs. Frank Steppat of | tables are so arranged that they may be rolled to any of the diet kitchens The deceased was also an uncle of or dining rooms on the upper floors

Anton J. Trilety and Mrs. James The passenger elevator in the Rebal of this city. building is large enough that is will The funeral services will be held accommodate a bed and the patients Wednesday at Havelock and the in- may be easily transported to any of terment made in that city.

the rooms in this manner or taken to the operating room on the third floor of the building.

There is also magnificent stairway that connects all three floors Tom Svoboda, constable from the and the basement, this being arrangcourt of Justice Weber and also the ed with concrete and iron banisters

has been busy the past month round- as the floors in the halls and part of ing up the delinquent school child- the rooms are composed of Terrazzo ren and his scene of operation has composition of chipped white mar-

extended from Plattsmouth to Green- ble highly polished. 'The walls of the interior as well treme southern portion of the counas the ceilings are finished in white the smooth finish being used in all For the month there were twentysave the living rooms of the nurses two cases of delinquent children to and attendants which are completed be looked after and brought before in sand finish plastering.

the school authorities for investiga-In the halls the concrete base of tion as to why they had not been in the flooors have been laid in steel frames which have a border of the There were several in this city, Mr. Terrazzo finish and the center of the Svoboda reports who were rounded halls will be covered with the heavy up and reprimanded and as several linoleum that is laid into the six It may be of interest to the public are "hard boiled" cases where he has foot space provided, making a solid portion of the flooring.

Incidentally, it may be mentioned no wood, save in the window and door frames and the structure thruout is all fireproof.

The partition wall are of the hol-For Sale-R. C. Rhode Island Red low tile, the floors of concrete and \$65,000 in bonds, bearing five per and White Wyandotte cockerals .- composition, while the entire struc-Business forms of all kinds printed cent interest, which run the period \$1.50 each .-- Julius Reinke, South ture is supported on gigantic concrete and steel trusses and pillars

has been tried out and entirely ade-ling over holes and pitfalls in get-Webster boulevard and the sunken quate to the needs of the less travelting away from the vicinity. The gardens that are to be created just ed streets of our neighboring city. scene was one of terror, the dark-This improvement will place Weepnorth and east of the new building. ness of the night, the cold wind ing Water in the front ranks of the ying between that structure and the blowing, the cries of the departing oulevard. The entrance way is of small municipalities and prove a spectators as they struggled on in he Gothic type and formed of the most pleasing addition to the general the dark, to which was added the plan that has been adopted of makshouts of the "law" made the occaing that city modern in every way, sion one that will long linger in the While the building has three which is the goal the enterprising tories there is also a large basement minds of those present. It is reportcitizens there have been pushing for ed that one of the officers who had hat makes practically four stories

has proven very successful where it

the past several years. o the structure, being complete in very minute detail for the purpose SUFFERS SEVERE FALL that it is intended as the place to are for the sick and ailing.

At the south end of the basement ill be the kitchen, large and com-

entrance to the building when com-

pleted will face the new John R.

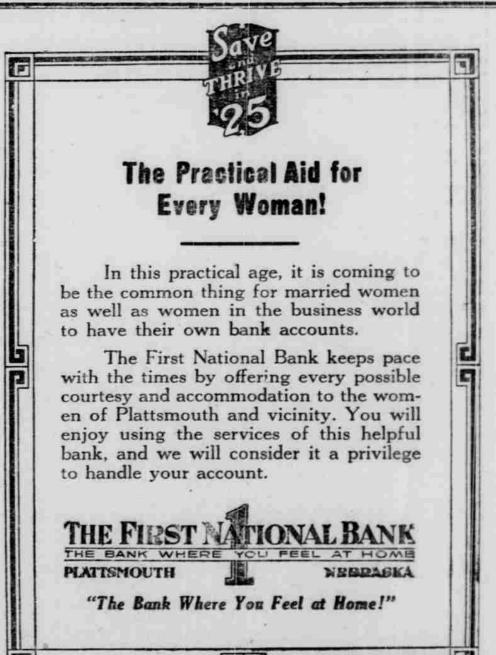
white Bedford stone.

From Wednesday's Dally-

drawn his revolver, was charging the right flank of the retreating column when he fell in a small hole and the weapon was hurled some distance away, where it was found Asbury Jacks, one of the old veter- by one of the boys and restored to

A number of those who were on are permanent ice boxes large best of shape the last few days as enough to care for a large array of the result of an accident that he sus- the scene were rounded up and brot provisions and so arranged that they tained in Omaha on Friday. Mr. in to the city jail to give their names may be filled without bringing the Jacks, in company with Carl Dooley, and were then released. Bail of the ice into the kitchen. One side of the had gone to that city to look after two boys, alleged to have been the ranges capable of caring for all the were walking in the main section of \$15 and they were released, going future cooking needs of the infirm- the city, Mr. Jacks caught his foot on their way rejoicing. This morning the aftermath of the affair took for the sinks, dish washing machines and was hurled to the concrete walk, place in the chambers of Judge William Weber when Walter Vanderpool was fined \$10 and costs, while

> All the home news delivered to your door for 15c a week.



modius in every way. Here there ans of the civil war, is not in the the officer in question.

The high school of this city is serve as the generator for power and graded as double A, as high a rank light.

as any in the state and graduates from this school are entitled to enter any university or college, duly quali-

re: college preparatory, commercial



FOR SALE