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## Hold Final Rites for Leland Wood

Lincoln Youth Who Was Killed at Estes Park Laid to Rest in Wyuka Monday Afternoon.

Funeral rites for Leland Wood, young Lincoln musician and former Murray resident, whose life was terminated when he fell from a cliff at Estes park, Colo., Friday, were held at East Lincoln Christian church Monday afternoon. The remains were laid to rest in Wyuka. More than seven hundred friends, relatives and associates gathered to pay last tribute. The floral offerings covered the casket.

The funeral sermon was delivered by Rev. Jack Leonard. The services at the church and at the grave were in charge of Rev. Mr. Leonard and Rev. Oscar Johnson. The obituary

was read by Rev. J. W. Hilton, former pastor of the East Lincoln church. Instructors of the University School of Music presented several musical numbers. Until the time of his death Mr. Wood was a member of the faculty of the school.

In his sermon, Rev. Mr. Leonard said the heights attained by Mr. Wood were a result of his fine character. He said his character was built on five distinct responsibilities, first his responsibility to his self-development, second, to his friends, third, to his country, fourth, to his home, and fifth to his Maker.

The services were opened with an organ prelude by the church organist. A string quartet composed of Prof. Carl Frederic Steckelberg, first violin; Ernest Harrison, second violin; Lee Hemingway, viola, and Herbert Gray, cello, played "Andante Contabile" by T. S. Techarowsky. A violin selection "Ave Maria" by Schubert, was given by Professor Steckelberg. Professor Steckelberg and Ernest Harrison gave an organ and violin duet, Largo from the "New World Symphony," by Dvorak. At the close of the services Mrs. Ralph Stone and Mrs. Jack Leonard sang a duet, "Some Time, Some Where," and an organ postlude was given.

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Manley	12	5	7	429
Louisville	10	4	6	400
Eagle	11	3	8	273

Dr. Carl Schmidtman, who has been at Chicago and Cleveland for the past several days, returned home yesterday and this morning departed for Omaha where he will resume his professional work in that city.

The Journal appreciates your interest in phoning us the news. Call No. 6 any time.

## City Council Grinds on the City Business

Through Lack of Available Funds, Purchase of a Truck for Street Department Held Up.

From Tuesday's Daily—  
The session of the city council last evening was rather drawn out and with little of any overshadowing importance to come before the body for their action.

Owing to the condition of the road funds of the city the plans for the purchase of a truck for the use of the street department was temporarily laid on the table until some future time when the funds might warrant the city in going ahead with the work.

A communication was received from the O. M. Campbell company, of Lincoln, the auditors of the city books for the past year and which was in reply to an inquiry as to what had become of city warrant No. 13 for \$727.72 which was held by the Eagles lodge, but which was not reported in the audit as outstanding. The auditors stated that the warrant had not been found in the audit of 1924 and therefore had been omitted in the 1925 audit, but if the city desired they would make a special effort to trace this down, although it would entail a great deal of work.

On motion of Luschinsky the council ordered the auditors to get after the location of the warrant, so that the proper record might be made.

Chief of Police A. R. Johnson reported that there had been twelve arrests made and fines and costs amounting to \$240 collected during the month of July.

The report of the city clerk, Miss Minnie Klinger, for the month of July showed that the sum of \$353.85 had been collected at her office.

The report of City Treasurer Kirkham for the past month showed an amounting to \$10,000 overdrawn, a balance of \$41,194.02 and registered warrants for \$83,459.37. The funds of the city in round numbers were deposited in the banks as follows: First National, \$13,000; Plattsmouth State, \$12,000; Farmers State, \$15,000.

The finance committee of the council reported the following claims as correct and which were ordered paid:

Nebraska Gas & Elec. Co., street lights	\$247.56
Nebraska Gas & Elec. Co., electric meters	57.99
Nebraska Gas & Elec. Co., lights city hall	2.02
Lincoln Tel. Co., rent and tolls	8.35
George Taylor, street work	52.37
John Kuvika, same	32.00
William Reed, same	38.42
M. B. Allen, same	43.20
Walter Byers, same	38.42
John Geiser, same	10.15
J. N. Elliott, same	66.00
John Zitka, same	22.00
Bestor & Swatek, mds.	43.39
Platts, Motor Co., repairs and supplies	41.70
J. N. Elliott, gas and oil	8.00
John Iverson, repairs	2.25
Iowa and Neb. Steel Tank Co., culverts	178.91
McMaken Transfer Co., moving safe	9.98
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	25.86
Tidball Lumber Co., material	25.60
Claus Boetel, burying dogs	1.95
L. Smetana, work at cemetery	24.30
S. Krejci, same	28.35
Wes Kalasek, same	28.35
Joe Sedlak, same	20.25
J. F. Warga, supplies	41.60
Platts, Water Co., moving fountains	14.70
Bruce and Group, setting stakes	16.00
Bestor & Swatek, supplies to police	3.90
Plattsmouth Steam Laundry, supplies	.97
H. L. Gamer, batteries	2.00
J. F. Warga, gloves, etc.	41.69

Police Judge William Weber reported that he had collected \$208 in fines and \$31.50 in costs for the month of July.

On motion of Councilman Luschinsky of the fire and water committee David Elberole was removed from the city and has just returned, was reinstated as the driver of the fire truck.

The ordinance No. 649 creating the electric district on Sixth street was read for the second time and on motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed on its third reading and passed. The council also ordered the engineers to prepare the plans and specifications for the construction of the electric lines.

On motion of Councilman Tidball a section of land near Webster boulevard and Elm street was transferred to the custody of the park board to be beautified and improved as the board might see fit.

On motion of Councilman Tidball a number of amounts in the various funds were ordered to be used in the paving and sewer districts in the retirement of registered warrants that were now outstanding in the various districts.

Councilman Kunsman of the streets, alleys and bridges committee prepared and presented estimates of three small pieces of work that was very badly needed on North Sixth street, including the proper placing of crossings on the east side of Sixth street at Locust and Elm streets and also the widening of the Sixth and Vine street intersections. This was adopted and the mayor and clerk authorized to prepare the call for bids for the same.

Councilman Schutz again called the attention of the council to the condition of the Fourth and Main street crossing on the north side of the street where a bad bump has been formed. On motion the clerk was authorized to notify the contractor

to have the same repaired or to notify the bonding company that had protected the work.

Mayor Johnson stated that he had talked with Mr. Bekins, the owner of the Coates block and who was very desirous of having the street on the west of his building repaired or repaved. The owner had stated that he was willing to have the paving done but that other of the property owners preferred the repairing of the street and which was necessary for the best interests of the property in that locality. It was decided to have the streets, alleys and bridges committee go ahead and have the work carried out in the best way possible to give a smooth street for the residents there.

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## FARM BUREAU NOTES

Copy for this Department furnished by County Agent

### Better Crops News

These men will be with the Better Crops Special in its two weeks journey over the Union Pacific lines in Nebraska, August 9 to 21 inclusive. D. L. Gross and P. H. Stewart, extension agronomists, F. D. Keim and T. H. Gooding of the agricultural college will be the crops and soil men with the train during the entire trip. W. W. Burr, head of the crops and soils department, and L. L. Zook of the North Platte Substation will be on the train at the time. Mr. Gross will talk about wheat smut control, Mr. Stewart about alfalfa and sweet clover, Mr. Keim about early plowing and seeding, and Mr. Gooding about good seed. Professor Burr will talk about Nebraska's Experiment station and her crops and Mr. Zook will talk about the work at the North Platte station of interest to western Nebraska farmers.

R. E. Holland, district extension leader, will represent the extension service west of North Platte. H. G. Gould, district extension leader, will take his place in his district west of North Platte.

W. W. Magee, president of the Nebraska Crop Growers Association, will represent that organization of farmers.

H. M. Bainer, director, F. P. Manchester, assistant director, and R. P. Clark of the Nebraska Wheat Improvement Association.

E. N. Manners will alternate as representatives of the State Board of Agriculture.

Ralph Cole will represent the marketing specialists of the college.

Rudolph Sandstedt will provide special entertainment in the program.

E. N. Manners will take the pictures under the direction of Dr. C. E. Condra, who will be with the train a part of the time.

L. R. Snipes will assist in the exhibit cars.

H. Howard Biggar will represent the press of the state.

### Tractor Demonstration.

The following makes of tractors were used in the demonstration on the farm of R. C. Wenzel near Eagle: McCormick - Deering, Minneapolis, Hart Power and John Deere. As dry as the ground was, all the tractors did good work in the plowing tests. The depth plowed was 7 inches.

## TELLING THE PUPILS SCHOOL

Emphasizing the fact that school students and the public generally, cannot be too well informed on public utility matters, Vernon M. Riegel, state superintendent of public instruction for Ohio, has sent a letter to all school superintendents in the state suggesting that they arrange for utility speakers to address the student bodies, as follows:

"It is always helpful to be able to give students in the later years of school authoritative information about forces and factors which condition our economic life. There is woeful ignorance as to the functioning structure of modern industrial society. In this industrial society our public utilities hold a somewhat unique position.

"The public cannot be too well informed on public utility matters and needs information on all phases of the problems involved. There has been organized a committee on public utility information for the purpose of disseminating information from the utilities' standpoint about four of these industries, electric light and power, gas, telephone and electric railways.

"The department of education does not want to thrust speakers on the public schools. It does however, want the schools to know that this committee is ready to send speakers—men and women experienced in public utility work—to schools upon request. There would, of course, be expense attached to these addresses before student bodies."—Telephony.

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## Black Hills Gold Rush was Big Time Fifty Years Ago

Old Residents Recall the Intense Excitement That Drew Many From Here to Deadwood.

The observance of the fiftieth anniversary of the finding of gold in the Black Hills and the opening up of the city of Deadwood and other points in that territory, brings to the old time residents here a vivid picture of the intense excitement that prevailed in this locality when first word of the finding of gold came here.

This city was still quite an outfitting point for various expeditions to the west in 1876 and the gold seekers bound for the Black Hills found a great deal of their supplies here before they started out to the west to seek fortune in the gold fields and to play a part in the stirring and dramatic settings of the wild west town of Deadwood, then rated as the wickedest city of the west and where all of the colorful features of the frontier life was at its full flush.

There were some fifty or sixty from this city who heeded the lure of the gold rush and teamed to the scene of the activities in the "Hills" but of these there were few who had any success in making a stake from the gold fields. At the time there was a firm, McQuire & Curtiss conducting a business here and both partners closed out their business and hit for the newer northwest fields. V. V. Leonard, Fred Black, Will Wise were among the better known of the residents here who made the trip to the gold fields. P. P. Valley, member of one of the prominent families of the county was a pioneer in the Hills and he was so well pleased with the country that he located there and has since made his home in that section and had an active part in the development of the country that he had chosen as his home.

The larger part of the Plattsmouth people returned home after the close of the first wild rush to the scene of the mining fields and made their home here.

## Say Juror Destroyed Evidence in Aimee Case

Officials Find Two Grocery Slips Were Stuffed Down a Drain Pipe

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 9.—The two grocery slips held as evidence in the investigation of the Aimee Semple McPherson disappearance case, and which vanished while being examined by the members of the county grand jury, were destroyed by being thrown down a drain pipe in a room adjoining the grand jury room, it was learned today.

Information is said to be in the hands of District Attorney Asa Keyes as to the disposition made of the evidence. Following a conference held today by Keyes, Judge Keetch, and other officials with an accused juror, it was said that criminal action may be taken in connection with the loss of the two slips.

Officers had found the slips in a cottage at Carmel-By-The-Sea, which

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had been rented by Kenneth G. Ormiston, former radio operator at Angelus Temple. The day following the disappearance of Mrs. McPherson, Ormiston appeared at the cottage with a woman, whom he named only as Miss X.

Investigating officials said they were told the woman resembled Mrs. McPherson, this being denied by Ormiston. The handwriting on the slip was said to be that of Ormiston's companion.

Loss of the two grocery slips will not hamper the investigation materially, officials said, since photostatic copies had been made.

## KEARNEY PIONEER DIES; EX-SENATOR

Kearney, Neb., Aug. 10.—James E. Miller, 89, pioneer westerner and former legislator, died Monday after a long illness.

Mr. Miller first came to Nebraska in 1860, from Iowa. He passed thru the state at that time on his way to Colorado to search for gold. He later enlisted in the army and served throughout the civil war, participating in many of the major conflicts. In 1873 he came as a homestead-

er to Bugalo county. He farmed until 1904 and retired, locating at Kearney. Here he was elected a member of the state legislature in 1898 and 1900, serving in the senate.

His two sons, Attorney John A. and J. E. Miller, rector, live here. Arrangements for the funeral are incomplete.

### SUFFERS ATTACK OF ILLNESS

From Wednesday's Daily—  
A. S. Christ, the well known furniture dealer, was taken quite sick this noon while at his lunch at the Royal cafe and suffered a severe spell that necessitated the calling of medical assistance to give him relief as he was suffering very much from shortness of breath and for a time was in very serious shape.

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