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Paving Prospects in This Vicinity Very Promising

Closing of Gap in Highway North of City Assured and Sixth Street Paving Is Possible.

The paving prospects in this immediate vicinity this season seems to be good and should result in the work of completing highway No. 73 and 75 through this city and to the north.

The finishing of the paving from the end of the present paving to the Platte river bridge is now assured and the state and federal departments in a short time should be able to get active work under way for the closing of the gap of roadway that has been cussed and discussed by the users of the highway for the past two years. The work will necessitate some changes in the course of the highway and straightening out the course of the highway as much as possible.

The repaving of Sixth street, also one of the notorious bad spots on No. 75, is a matter that also will receive consideration now that the funds from the federal government are made available for the use of the state in assisting in paving in cities through which the main federal highways are located.

Highways No. 73 and 75 extend through the entire city in the districts along Chicago and Washington avenues and Pearl and Vine streets. The paving on Sixth street, one of the oldest in the city was laid many years ago when the present day truck and auto travel was not even dreamed of, having only a dirt and sand cushion for the paving and which has with the travel become a series of bumps and hollows.

The state and federal departments can allow the paving of the highways through the cities which are a part of the federal system and with the funds that are to be made available for Nebraska this two block section of the highway should be one of the projects to be taken care of this year.

HAVE PICNIC PARTY

The sodality of the Holy Rosary parish in this city held a very pleasant picnic party on Tuesday evening. The groups of the young people gathered and hiked to the home of Miss Antonia Vanek, president of the sodality, located in the south portion of the city.

The members of the jolly group participated in the fine picnic supper and at its conclusion entered into the program of games and entertainment and which was featured by the ball game. In the ball game the team of Pather Kaezmarek was defeated by the team of Miss Plontek by the score of 4 to 2 in a hard fought contest.

Later, as the evening approached, the members of the party hiked homeward feeling that the occasion had been one of the greatest pleasure to all of the members of the jolly group.

ST. JOHN LADIES MEET

The ladies of the St. John parish of the Catholic church, met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. G. Bach for a general business meeting. The ladies spent the greater part of the afternoon in the discussion of the plans for the cafeteria that is to be held Saturday at the room in the Journal building, Fourth and Main streets. The ladies discussed the menu for the event as well as other details.

The altar society of the church also held their business session at the same time and brought up several matters of importance.

At the conclusion of the afternoon the pleasure of the ladies was heightened by the serving of dainty refreshments.

ARRIVAL OF LITTLE SON

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tschin near this city was made very happy Wednesday by the arrival of a fine eight pound son and his mother and little one are doing very nicely and the occasion has been one that has brought a great deal of happiness to all of the members of the family circle.

POSTOFFICE ABANDONED

The discontinuance of the postoffice at South Bend, one of the old time settlements of Cass county, has been ordered by the postal department. The postoffice at "the Bend" was established in the early history of Cass county and has served the residents of a large area in the north-west section. Hereafter the residents there will be served with mail from Ashland in Saunders county on the rural routes and the postoffice eliminated at South Bend. The removal of the postoffice will leave this pleasant little country village merely a station on the short line of the Burlington.

Estimated Valuation of Cass County Shows Decrease of \$10,000,000 Over That of the Previous Year—Await Action of State.

The report on the assessed valuation of Cass county for the year 1933 has been completed by the county assessor and transmitted to the state tax commissioner at Lincoln.

The report as made to the state shows tangible property of \$29,935,546, and the intangible property of \$1,452,387, making a decrease in the tangible property of \$8,882,384 and that of the intangible of \$591,154.

The estimated valuation of the county as made at the office of the county clerk, basing the reduction of railroad valuation at 20 per cent and the real estate at 25 per cent, is \$33,542,500, which is some \$10,000,000 short of the valuation of last year which was \$43,458,380.

The state board will take action on the matter of the valuation reductions and the results given to the different counties to permit the levies to be made sometime in August.

The counties of the state have all shown decreases in valuation and in varying amounts and if the Cass county returns are not varied from the estimate, this will represent the amount that will be used as the basis of the levy.

SECURES AN ACQUITTAL

The hearing of the complaint filed in the county court charging Mrs. Gene Mason with the sale of liquor, was tried on Wednesday afternoon before a jury in the court and resulted in the acquittal of the defendant.

The complaint had charged the defendant with having sold the liquor to O. L. Moffitt, evidence man, who was the witness against the defendant who denied that she had sold the liquor to the man as charged.

At the time of the arrest on Tuesday afternoon the officers had failed to find anything in the way of liquor at the Mason home and the only evidence was that of the liquor allegedly purchased there, with the story of the evidence man.

The defendant was represented by Attorney C. E. Martin and who made an able presentation of the case and it was but a few minutes after the case was given to the jury that they returned a verdict of "not guilty" and releasing the defendant from all charges.

HOG PRICES UP, PACKING PLANTS REHIRE HUNDREDS

June was one of the heaviest months in volume of hogs handled in the history of the Omaha packing plants. The increase is attributed to rising prices. As a result, the three large packing plants reported rehiring hundreds of men who had been laid off during the past year.

Both Armour's and Swift's showed increases of more than two hundred each on their June payrolls, while Dold's added 50 workers, and increased the number of working hours of the entire staff.

"Business is definitely better," E. S. Waterbury, general manager of Armour's, said Wednesday. "While this is always a busy season, the increase last month was unusual."

L. O. Barr, general manager of Swift's and Solon Burkhardt, general manager of Dold's, gave similar reports.

Plan Planting of Vegetables for the Needy

Late Planting of Vegetables Will Allow Large Amount for Winter Supplies.

In planning for the forthcoming winter which probably will see much relief work still necessary despite the improving conditions, W. G. Kieck, chairman of the Red Cross, has hit on a plan that may make for a great asset in this work.

Mr. Kieck has the plan for securing all the available lots and tracts of land in the city that is not under cultivation to be placed in service for the raising of the late vegetables, that can be stored and issued as needed to those who may require aid and relief.

There are many vegetables, turnips, carrots and others that can be planted now and make a crop by late fall, crops that can be stored for the future use of the relief workers.

It is the plan of Mr. Kieck and the other leaders in this work to have those who are not working at this time help out on the cultivation of the crops and also use those who may be confined for small offenses in the county or city jails placed at the work on the vegetable tracts, helping them and providing for the winter.

Those who have land that they would care to place as the disposal of the relief bodies can get in touch with Mr. Kieck, Judge A. H. Duxbury or W. M. Barclay and the matter of planting and cultivating the crops will be looked after by the proper committees and workers.

This is a good move and one that should have the hearty co-operation of the residents of the city as it goes a long way toward helping out on a relief program for the winter.

ESTABLISH STAR ROUTES

The removal of the train service from the Auburn-Omaha line of the Missouri Pacific, via Oteo, Avoca, Weeping Water, Manley, Louisville, Springfield and Omaha, has made necessary the establishing of mail routes to serve these communities.

The postal department has inaugurated a forty-five mile star mail route that will in the future take care of the delivery and collection of mail from the various towns that are not served by the railroad mail service in the future.

The trips will be made six times a week and M. W. Grefe, of Louisville, has been awarded the contract for handling the mail and the amount of his bid \$1,100 per year.

A similar route has been established in Oteo county, operating from Nebraska City to Brock, through Dunbar, Lorton and Talmage.

PURCHASES COAL BUSINESS

The Clويد Lumber & Coal Co., located on South Fourth street, has completed the negotiations for the purchase of the building and the coal business of C. E. Hartford, which has been located at Third and Main streets for the past years.

The new owners of the business will continue the operation of the Hartford plant at its present location and Mr. Hartford will remain there as the manager for the next few months at least.

Mr. Hartford has not been in the best of health for several months and feels that he will dispose of his interests and enjoy a well deserved rest for the years that he has spent actively in this line of work and which has kept him quite closely confined.

MARRIED AT DES MOINES

The announcement has been received here by the members of the groom's family, of the marriage of Miss Evelyn Whitehead to Mr. Edward Yelick, the wedding occurring on June 17th at Des Moines, Iowa. The bride is a member of the class of 1933 of the East Des Moines high school. Mr. Yelick has been employed at Des Moines for the past year and a half at one of the large garages in that city. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Yelick of this city and a member of the graduating class of 1929 of the local high school.

GREENWOOD TO HAVE 3.2

From Friday's Daily
The village board of Greenwood at their session this week granted the license to several of the business houses there for the sale of the 3.2 beer when it becomes legalized by law on August 10th. The licenses have been issued to A. F. Webke, W. L. Hillis and Ray McNurlin, who will serve the beverage at their eating houses as soon as the law will permit them.

The licensing in the incorporated towns will be by the village boards or city councils, but in the county and towns that have local governing bodies the license must be by the board of county commissioners.

Power Company Team Wins from the Christians

Undeclared Light & Power Co., Takes 10 to 3 Contest from Opponents—Many Errors.

From Friday's Daily
Last evening the American league had the only activities in the kitten-ball circles of the city, a large crowd being present at the old ball park to witness the victory of the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power Co. team over the Christian church by the score of 11 to 3.

The game in the opening innings was a fine exhibition of playing on both teams, but in the succeeding innings the many errors of the Christians gave their opponents chances to score, while the churchmen were held by the air tight and fast fielding of the power company players.

Charles Nelson of the Christians pitched a fine game, but the support waning in the last two innings allowed the score to be piled up on his team.

The opening inning was scoreless and in the second the Power company scored the first run of the game when an error permitted Earl Brittain to reach first and score later.

In the third the Christians made the score one alike when Marquette was safe on an error and scored on the error of Ault, these two being the only bobbles on the part of the power team.

The Christians started a rally in the sixth that netted them two scores but were soon checked by the heavy scoring of their opponents.

The box score:

Light & Power Co.—	R	H	E
Schlieske, 3b	2	1	0
Brittain, D., 2b	1	0	0
Thimman, ss	2	2	0
Kalasek, lf	1	1	0
Brittain, C., cf	2	0	0
Ault, 1b	0	0	1
McCarthy, ss	0	2	0
Recek, c	1	0	0
Harold, p	0	0	0
	10	6	2

Christian Church—

	R	H	E
Nelson, p	0	1	1
Hoffe, 2b	1	2	1
Sutton, c	0	2	0
Winnscott, 1b	0	1	3
Minnier, ss	0	1	1
Mendenhall, 3b	0	1	0
Carey, ss	0	1	2
Minnier, rf	0	1	0
Nelson, cf	0	0	2
Marquette, lf	2	0	0
	3	10	10

GIVEN BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

On Wednesday evening Mrs. Richard Beverage, assisted by Mrs. Louis Hennings, entertained in honor of her sister, Miss Edna Warren. The event was a surprise arranged for the birthday anniversary of Miss Warren and who was unaware of the pleasant time arranged until she arrived at the Beverage home.

The evening was spent in bridge and in the playing Mrs. Lon Hedge was awarded the first prize, Mrs. Floyd Gerbeling the second and the consolation prize by Mrs. L. W. Niel.

In honor of the occasion Miss Warren was presented with a number of very handsome and attractive gifts as tokens of remembrance from the jolly party of friends.

At an appropriate hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses to mark the completion of a very happy evening.

Death of Mrs. P. C. Stander at Denver Today

Well Known and Prominent Resident of Louisville, Dies as Result of Stroke.

From Wednesday's Daily
This morning at a hospital at Denver occurred the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Stander, widow of Peter C. Stander, for years a leader in the business life of Louisville. The death came as the result of a stroke suffered while Mrs. Stander was at the Colorado city to enjoy a visit with her sons, Drs. Thomas and Theodore Stander. This was the third attack of a similar nature and the patient sank rapidly until death came to her relief.

The deceased was a daughter of Thomas W. Shryock, a resident of this city in the early eighties and who with the family later moved to Louisville and where the family have since resided.

There are surviving the death of Mrs. Stander, nine children, Mrs. O. W. Low of Filley; Mrs. Margaret Kumm, of Centralia, Illinois; Mrs. Chester White and Miss Edith Stander, of Louisville; Miss Dorothy Stander, Minneapolis, former teacher here; Dr. Theodore and Dr. Thomas Stander, Denver; Frank Stander and John Warren Stander, of Louisville, the latter being at this time on the Boy Scout trip to the south and who is expected home Sunday to be with the members of the family. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Anna L. Seiver of Marquette and Mrs. L. Susan Fiddock of Elsie.

There will be a short service held at Denver Sunday and the body, accompanied by the members of the family in the west, will leave for Louisville where the party will arrive Monday. There will be a funeral service held at Louisville on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HAS EYE INJURED

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Krachtwin, residing in the west part of the city, was the victim of a very unusual accident a few days ago and which yesterday necessitated a delicate operation to relieve the lad. The boy was stung in the eye by a bee and which inflicted a painful injury and one that it was feared might cause permanent injury to the eye. The lad was taken to the office of a local physician and the stinging removed from the eyeball. The operation was very successful and the injured boy is doing nicely and it is hoped that in a few days that the injury to the eye may be entirely relieved.

BUSINESS SHOWS UPLIFT

One of the signs of the increasing volume of business in the country at large is the increasing demand on the local plant of the Norfolk Packing Co. for their well known and popular lines of canned goods. The company has just received an order for 3,400 cases of peas from the state of Texas and which will be prepared and sent to the southland at once. The company has a large demand for their lines from all sections and have a large supply sent to Denver each week to the large groceries and wholesale houses of that city.

ARRIVAL OF LITTLE ONE

Thursday morning at the John Ledgway home on Winsterstein hill, a fine little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Haase of Lincoln, who with the mother is doing very nicely. Mrs. Haase was formerly Miss Edith Ledgway of this city and the many friends here will join in their congratulations to the happy parents and well wishes to the little one.

TO SPEND WINTER HERE

R. G. Baldwin, of Kansas City, Missouri, a nephew of Mrs. A. D. Asch of near Murray, has arrived here and will remain for the rest of the summer and winter with the aunt. Mrs. Asch and her nephew were in the city for a short time today looking after some business affairs.

DRAWS DOWN NINETY DAYS

The case of the State of Nebraska vs. Frank Kozak, charged with the sale of intoxicating liquors, was taken up Thursday afternoon at the court of Judge A. H. Duxbury where the plea of guilty of the defendant was heard. Mr. Kozak was charged with having sold liquor to B. A. Kennedy, an evidence man, on the 3rd day of July at his home in the west part of the city. The court after hearing the facts and the plea of the defendant, imposed a sentence of ninety days in the county jail for the defendant, this being the second offense of this nature that the defendant has been charged with.

Union Lady Observes 90th Anniversary

Mrs. Rachael Pell, Long Time Resident of Union and Vicinity Is Honored on Birthday.

Mrs. Rachael Pell, a resident of Union and vicinity for three-fourths of a century, observed her 90th birthday anniversary Thursday, July 13. A family reunion in recognition of the day was held at her home.

Although fast approaching the century mark Mrs. Pell lives an active life. She lives by herself, looking after her own household to a great extent, and only Monday returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Etta Ellsworth and family, 309 Fifth corse, Nebraska City.

Mrs. Pell has a long line of descendants living. Her five children are Jesse Pell, Omaha; Mrs. Lydia Metcalf, Oteo; Mrs. Alice Hughson, Plattsmouth; Mrs. Eddie Pearsley and Mrs. Mary Leidy, Union. She has 22 living grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild, Mrs. Lavina Opp, 78, Omaha, and Mrs. Etta Ellsworth, 76, Nebraska City are her sisters.

Mrs. Pell was born in Auglaize county, Ohio, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ervin. The family came to Iowa when she was 15, and soon after crossed the river to Union. She was married there in 1863 to Henry Pell. She has been a widow 22 years.

An anniversary dinner attended by many of her relatives marked the day.

ENJOY A PLEASANT OUTING

From Friday's Daily
Last evening the members of the Queen Esther society were entertained most pleasantly at the country home of Mrs. Bernard Meisinger, who was assisted by Miss Germaine Mason as associate hostess.

The young ladies met at the Methodist church and from there were taken by cars to the Meisinger home where the evening was spent in a social way and enjoyed to the utmost by the twenty ladies who were present.

LOST HIS CLOTHES

One of the casualties of the Boy Scout tour of the south, reported from Atlanta, is the loss by Warren Reed, Plattsmouth member of the group, of his clothes bag on Stone mountain, where they camped from Saturday afternoon until Monday. The loss left Warren with only what clothing he had on, and it has been necessary to rush him additional wearing apparel at Chattanooga in order that he may go to church on Sunday.

PURCHASES CREAM STATION

The cream station which has been operated by Max Pfitzmeier, at the corner of Sixth and Pearl streets, was disposed of Thursday to Kenneth Wales, of Tekamah, who took over the plant at once. Mr. and Mrs. Wales are now here to make their home and expect to be settled in a short time in the community where they expect to make their future home.

From Friday's Daily
Louis Buskirk of Louisville was in the city today to spend a few hours and while here was a caller at the Journal office to renew his subscription to the semi-weekly Journal.

Wildcats Stage Comeback to Win from Ofe Eagles

By Score of 24 to 16 the High School Stars Stage a Swatfest Against Foes.

KITTENBALL STANDINGS (National League)

	G	W	L	Pct.
BREX	4	3	1	.750
Wildcats	4	2	2	.500
Presbyterians	4	2	2	.500
Ofe Eagles	4	2	2	.500
American Legion	4	2	2	.500
Fetzer Shoe Co.	4	2	2	.500
Red & White	4	2	2	.500
Methodists	4	1	3	.250

From Monday's Daily
The Krefci Wildcats in the National league last evening staged a comeback that swept the Ofe Eagles off their feet and gave the high school stars a 24 to 16 victory that they well deserved by their excellent playing.

The Wildcats, who were first at bat, started in to propose to take a lien on the contest and opened up on Dwyer, hurled rof the Eagles, with a barrage of hits that netted them a total of four runs, which held the lead for them as the Eagles came back in their half of the first for a total of three tallies.

Both teams had a hitting spree in the second with several bobbles on the part of both teams and when the inning was finally closed there were six runs scored on each side.

In the third frame the Wildcats started to draw away from their opponents, they scoring four runs while the Eagles were held scoreless.

The Wildcats massed five runs in the sixth inning to make the contest pretty well sewed up and despite the hard fight of the Eagles in the last of the seventh they were held to three runs and the contest was over. In the last inning for the Eagles all of the outs were made on flies to Ronne, playing the center field position, who took all the chances without a bobble.

For the victors Armstrong played a fine game in the receiving position and Knoflicek, pitching, was effective in the pinches.

For the Eagles Ray Kriskey was the most effective in the fielding and at the stick.

Home runs were made by Ronne, (2), Armstrong, Timm, Vanlandingham and Donat for the Wildcats and Robert Hirz and Dwyer for the Ofe Eagles.

The tabulated score of the battle:

Wildcats—	R	H	E
Vanlandingham, ss	3	3	0
Donat, lf	4	4	1
Armstrong, c	3	3	0
Timm, 3b	3	3	1
Forbes, cf	2	1	1
Ronne, cf	2	2	1
Knoflicek, p	1	0	0
Forbes, J., ss	2	0	2
Taylor, rf	2	0	0
Rummel, 1b	2	2	0
	24	18	6

Ofe Eagles—

	R	H	E
R. Hirz, lf	2	1	1
R. Kriskey, 3b	4	3	1
Ofe, 2b	3	2	1
Lohnes, ss	1	0	3
B. Kriskey, c	0	0	1
Dwyer, p	2	2	0
Price, cf	0	3	0
H. Hirz, rf	1	1	0
Fackertis, 1b	1	0	1
Sedlak, ss	2	2	0
	16	17	8

HAS A FINE GARDEN

Tom Slayman of the Nebraska Basket Co., has one of the finest truck gardens in this portion of the state of Nebraska, the garden being located on a tract of some seven acres just east of the Mercerville school. The ground was made ready for planting by being disced and the seed planted and it has proved a most effective way of seeding as the ground has retained the moisture in fine shape during the hot dry spell. The long rows of tomatoes, cabbage, onions and other vegetables presents a fine sight to the passerby and the entire garden has been kept clean of weeds by the members of the family who have labored to help make the garden such a splendid success.

This fine garden is an example of what a little energy and work will do and as the result it is one of the finest garden plots in this locality.