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# **Proposal Revived in Congress** for Canal Through Nicaragua to Bulwark National Defenses

## 'Big Ditch' to Supplement Panama Channel Would Cost 722 Million and Would Require 10-15 Years' Work

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years to complete arrangements with

WASHINGTON (UP)-World poli- the Nicaraguan and Costa Rican gov- Schleifert who is seriously ill and tical tension and the recent demands ernments. The canal would utilize a other relatives and friends. in the United States for more ade- section of the San Juan river which

quate defense measures has given forms part of the natural border benew impetus to the consideration of tween the two republics. Distance 172.8 Miles a new inter-oceanic canal on the Nicaraguan route.

Many army and navy officials feel miles between Greytown on the Atthat such a caual is an important lantic side to Brito on the Pacific road which had then recently been An event of more than usual inter- their names will go down in the VAGRANT PREFERS COLD. and even necessary adjunct to the side. It would be 49 feet deep in run through Manley. Mr. Pautsch est was the debate on the proposed school bistory alongside names of nation's defenses. Others believe all places and 125 feet wide. that defense of two canals might

that is advocating construction of enough to handle larger vessels. It is pointed out, for example, that the waterway as a public works

of the recession. Roosevelt a bill Izac introduced in

Of Strategic Importance The principal stress is being

army engineering corps who made extensive survey of the proposed canal route from Brito to Greytown several years ago, said in an interview with the United Press that such

 advantage to the United States from a military viewpoint.

mate of the total cost of the canal at \$722,000,000 still held good and that no changes had taken piece since his report was made, which

"Strategically, it would be much better to have two canals than one.' he said. "The probability of a surprise attack would be much less if we had canals in both Panama and Nicaragua."

undertaken throughout the entire Sultan estimated the Nicaraguan

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### VISITED WITH HIS SISTER

## MYNARD COMMUNITY CLUB

The Mynard Community club held Mrs. Herman Schleifert, mother of Arnold and Oris Schleifert who make their regular monthly meeting on their home in Louisville, has been Friday night at the community buildand still is very ill. Her condition is ing with a large number present to such that much concern has been enjoy the excellent program. had as to her recovery. Mrs. Schlei- Mrs. Carl Grosshans, vice-president

fert has two brothers, August Pautsch presided owing to the illness of Glenn Local Quintet Clicks Well - Last ers wrote in his name at the general has for the past twenty years been of Louisville and Louis Pautsch of Wiles, the president. Juno, Wisconsin. The brother, Louis Rev. Paul Dick led the group sing-

Pautsch accompanied by Wm. Ray- ing to fittingly get the meeting provickle, arrived at Manley last week gressing in the spirit of good fellow- From Saturday's Dallyand visited for a number of days, Mr. ship. The songs were from the new

coming especially to visit Mrs. Mary been purchased.

and which was under the leadership score of 29 to 24. Louis Pautsch resided at Manley of William F. Nolte,

in honor of the Missouri Pacific rail- that community.

on his return to Wisconsin met with constitutional amendment to provide former greats of the gridiron and the The Panama canal is only 110 a large degree of prosperity and he for a national referendum on the basketball court, divide naval forces in an emergency, feet wide. Talk of larger battleships has engaged in big business since matter of declaration of war except Plattsmouth started in the first chuck, 52-year-old Russian, prefers

quarter to take a strong hold on the his little rock cave on the side of There also is a group in congress has emphasized any new canal wide the time he was in Manley and has in the case of invasion. prospered. Among other things The affirmative was taken by Rev. game, with Reed. Hayes, Wooster Mount Reyal to all the hostels in Mon which he has done during the time Paul Dick and Marian Wiles and and Rebal accounting for a basket treal.

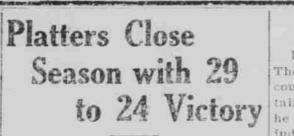
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Plattsmouth seemed to be const

The Plattsmouth Reserves at Papil. Jug considerably in the last quarter

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Game on Local Court for Wooster, Miller and McCarty.

It was a game they couldn't lose, inated at the primary. Although the mail and later secured other cars that for one year in 1887. When here The first portion consisted of num- as it marked the ending of three laws are silent in this respect as to permits her travel over the route. fifty-one years ago he organized a bers by the Cole orchestra and a glamorous athletic careers, those of non - political ballots 'Thompson': The story contained a picture of

baseball team which won distinction piano solo by Whipple Leonard, one Wooster, Miller and McCarty. The ounsel said the general election the veteran lady mail carrier, she The canal would extend for 172.8 and was called the M. P. ball team of the talented young musicians of three seniors played their last game statutes should apply. as Plattsmouth high athletes, bur

lection.

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## SAYS HAS RIGHT TO OFFICE

LINCOLN, Feb. 25 (UP)-Edgar The Lincoln Journal of Wednesday Thompson of York asked the supreme had a very interesting story of one of court in a brief on file today to sus- the residents of the town of Wabash. tain the district court ruling that one of the prominent towns of westhe is entitled to position of county ern Cass county in the years gone. judge because a majority of the vot- concerning Miss Myrtle Woods, who

the mail carrier out of Wabash.

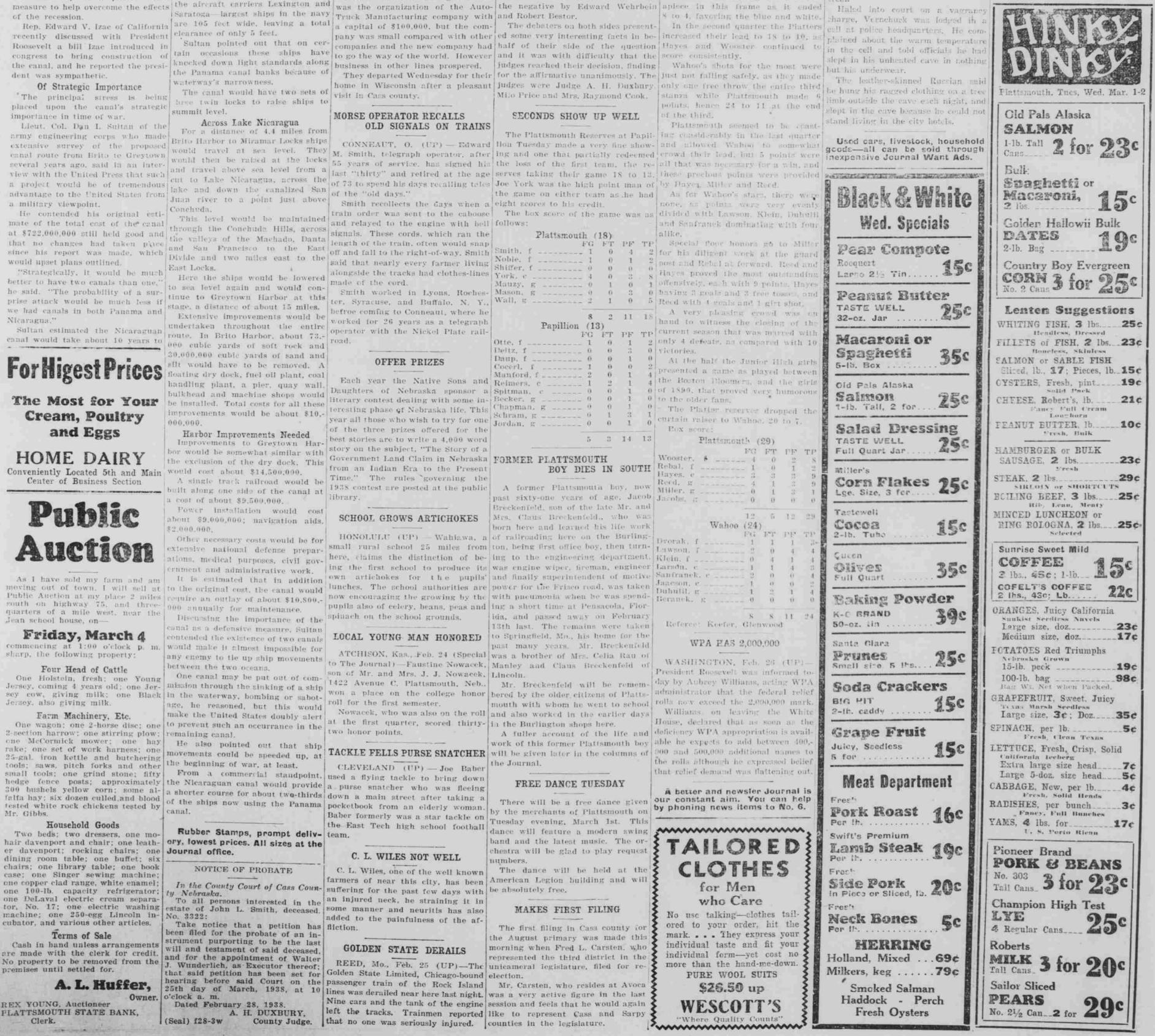
Thompson's attorney who appealed The story related how she had the case, failed to state sufficient driven a horse and buggy to deliver facts in his election contest to con- the mail, how she had struggled with The Plattsmouth high school bas- stitute a cause of action. The attor- the storm of winter and the bad build and an additional two to five Rayviele visting his friends and Louis song books that have just recently ketball team ended a successful sea- ney, John Deizlinger, said that the roads that then prevailed practically son last evening, as they scored an York county clerk erred in leaving all the year around. It related her The west side had the program impressive victory over Wahoo, by a a blank for voters to write in names experiences with the first Ford car

of persons other than those nom- that she had purchased to carry the

being one of the four in the state. Long back to the time when she first began carrying the mail a wonder-LIVES N ROCKY CAVES ful change in the character of the own of Wahash could be written.

MONDAY, FEPRUARY 28, 1938

Rock surfaced roads are putting Plattsmouth in closer touch with a rich farm territory.



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25-gal, iron kettle and butchering tools; saws, pitch forks and other the beginning of war, at least,

chairs; one library table; one book case; one Singer sewing machine;

REX YOUNG, Auctioneer FLATTSMOUTH STATE BANK,

