

Howard Street Straightening Plan Protested

L. V. Nicholas Oil Company Objects to Addition of 10-Foot Strip to Property Line on South Side

The L. V. Nicholas Oil company has written City Commissioner Joseph Koutsky a letter in which objection is made against the proposed plan of straightening Howard street from Seventeenth to Eighteenth.

The Koutsky plan, which has been informally approved by the city council, contemplates adding a 10-foot strip to the north side of this block and extending the property line 10 feet on the south side.

Would Interfere With View. L. V. Nicholas, president of the protesting company, does not remonstrate against straightening the street on the north side, but he contends that the proposed extension of the property line on the south side would interfere with the view from his company's office building at the southeast corner of Seventeenth and Howard streets and, therefore, would affect its value and desirability.

Plan Worked Out. The plan that has been worked out by Mr. Koutsky, the city council concurring, is that the east 143 feet of the 10-foot strip that will be acquired on the north side of the street shall be bought from the H. A. Wolf company for a consideration of \$20,000 and the west 143-foot strip shall be exchanged for a similar strip on the south side of the street.

"Murder" of Ice Man Branded Fake by Detective Chief. Acting Chief of Detectives John Pezanowski said Wednesday that through collusion with an Omaha girl, Charles McCoy, iceman, 1708 South First street, set the stage for a cause of suspicion that he had been murdered so he could get away from town. Mrs. McCoy declared McCoy "disappeared" once before. She arrived in Omaha from Sioux City Wednesday.

Dealers Fined for Selling Inferior Milk and Cream. Five milk dealers were fined \$10 each by Judge Wappich in police court Wednesday after they had been arrested and convicted of selling milk and cream below butter fat standard. The dealers fined were: George Neilsen, East Omaha; A. Frederickson, 6202 North Forty-second street; A. Petersen, 4602 Center street; A. Dahl, 4946 Hickory street; Nels Christensen, Florence.

Brief City News

Paving to Start This Week—Paving on Dodge hill and adjoining streets is expected to start this week, according to City Engineer Herman Beal.

Painters' Picnic—A picnic and basket lunch will be given by the Master Painters and Decorators' association at Elmwood park next Saturday.

Harding Sends Regrets—Mayor Dahlman received a message from President Harding Wednesday expressing regret that he would be unable to attend the big air meet which is to be held here in November.

Looking for "A Sap"—Omaha police are looking for A Sap, who rented a typewriter from the Underwood company, 1721 Douglas street, recently. Machine and man have disappeared, the company reports to police.

Must Fight or Work—Al Greenwood, "pug" who said he helped train Jack Dempsey for his last big fight, was arrested Tuesday night charged with vagrancy. He was told to "fight or go to work" when released by Judge Wappich Wednesday.

Soldiers Disappointed—Soldiers at Fort Crook, who had applied for discharge under the recent ruling of congress reducing the army from 220,000 to 50,000 men are disappointed. Wednesday orders were received to discharge only 30 per cent of the men who applied for discharge.

Sues Old Associates—Suit for \$1,871 against the Nebraska Retail Liquor Dealers' association was filed in district court Wednesday by F. C. Poppenhagen, who declares that according to an agreement judgments against the individual dealer were to be paid pro rata among the members of the association. Poppenhagen declares the agreement was not fulfilled.

Detectives Dig—Detectives dug and dug in a weed patch at Tenth and Hascall streets Wednesday morning after an excited man had rushed to the police headquarters and reported that as he was cutting weeds he came upon two new-made graves. After they had dug until weary, they gave up the job as they discovered nothing.

Jewel, Flower, Color Symbols for Today

By MILDRED MARSHALL. Jewel, emblematic of sorrow, is today's talismanic gem. The ancients believed that it protected its wearer from the causes of sorrow, if worn against the flesh. Like the pearl, jet loses its lustre if not worn frequently. For those born on some anniversary of this day the opal is the natal stone. It brings to them the promise of great worldly possessions, and a life of ease and luxury. Today's fortunate color is yellow, and to the woman who wears it, it signifies unexpected happiness. The flower for today is the golden nasturtium. It is believed that its presence in a house drives away sorrow.

Girl, 10, Sells Vegetables From Garden for Milk Fund

Little Lassie Goes a Long Way Several Times a Week to Tend to Her 'Crops.'

Selling vegetables from her garden is the way in which Helen Selmdridge, 10, earned money to donate to The Bee milk and ice fund. Not content with this, Helen came into The Bee office yesterday to inquire whether she could not take some poor, sick little baby for a ride in her daddy's new automobile.

"I thought it would cool the baby off these hot days," she said. Helen deserves more than usual credit for her enterprise, since her vegetable garden is not near the family home at 1518 Lake street, but in East Omaha. Several times a week she goes out with her father and helps work in the garden.

The little girl has earned \$16 already. She gave the first 50 cents to The Bee fund and has pledged another such sum for next month.

Other contributions are as follows: Previously acknowledged \$908.24 A. A. Mallory 5.00 Virginia Schuler 5.00 Helen Selmdridge 5.00 Total \$923.24



Mother of Drowned Boy Unable to Attend Funeral

Mrs. Algot Anderson, 1019 South Twenty-sixth street, mother of Reuben Anderson, 17, who was drowned near Tekamah, Sunday, was unable to attend his funeral Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Anderson became so hysterical as the time approached for the services that she was ordered removed to the Fenger hospital by Dr. Lloyd Kinyoun.

A hook on a throwline probably cost the lad his life. Robert Childs, 18, 2504 Pierce street, the best swimmer in the party of boys, heard Reuben's cry for help. As he went into the water, a hook caught

his leg. After futile efforts to extract the hook, Childs pulled it out with his teeth. When he arrived where he had last seen Reuben, the lad had gone down.

Guard Regiment Nearly Complete

Medical Detachment to Be Inspected Monday by Federal Officers.

The medical detachment of the First Regiment Nebraska National guard will be inspected and recognized Monday night, July 25, by the federal government. Maj. Allyn Moser is in command of this detachment.

When this outfit receives recognition the entire First Nebraska regiment—known in combat organization as the 134th infantry—will be complete. However, the regiment can still accept enlistments in both line companies, headquarters company and medical detachment and the officers hope to have the regiment recruited to maximum strength for the encampment at Camp Dodge, Ia., August 17 to 31.

Arrangements for the camp have been completed. The men will live in barracks. Half of the time will be spent on the range. Colonel Thomas is arranging a series of athletic events and concerts for the boys while at camp. Young men interested in the organization should apply at the recruiting tent in front of the court house in charge of Sergt. L. C. Lankton.

Oil Man's Wife Sues for Separate Maintenance

Mrs. Minnie Macoubrie filed an answer and cross petition for a decree of separate maintenance in answer to a suit for divorce filed about 10 days ago by her husband, William A. Macoubrie, president of the Nebraska Farmers' Co-operative Oil company.

In her petition Mrs. Macoubrie avers that had it not been for her child she would have committed suicide. She also declares her husband is "paying money to another woman." She makes other allegations of neglect.

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- Dessert forks, set of 6, \$4.25
- Oyster forks, set of 6, \$2.50
- Salad forks, set of 6, \$4.00
- Cold Meat forks, each, \$1.25
- Pickle forks, each, \$.90
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