

### Paving Bids Show Slight Advance Over Month Ago

**National Construction Firm Sweeps Competitors Off Feet With Low Estimates.**

Bids on about \$500,000 worth of paving, opened by the county commissioners yesterday, were slightly higher than bids offered a month ago.

The National Construction company swept eight competitors off their feet with low bids.

On Military road, for three miles, the high bid on concrete is \$3 a square yard and low bid, \$2.49; asphalt, \$2.99 and \$2.94; bitulithic, \$3.35 and \$2.99; brick, \$3.87 and \$3.42.

Two miles on road 52, from Center to Dodge street: Concrete was priced at \$3.02 for the high bid and \$2.49 low; asphalt, \$2.99 and \$2.87; bitulithic, \$3.35 and \$2.80; brick, \$4.04 and \$3.42.

Briggs road, northwest of Florence, two and one-half miles: Concrete, \$3 and \$2.59; asphalt, \$3 and \$2.84; bitulithic, \$3.35 and \$2.99; brick, \$3.84 and \$3.32.

Maple street, west of Benson one and one-half miles: Concrete, \$2.59 and \$3; brick, \$3.98 and \$3.52; bitulithic, \$3.35 and \$2.99; asphalt, \$3.

The slight increase in the bids, according to Lou Adams, county engineer, is due to the longer hauling and the difficulty of obtaining water.

Only a month ago the county commissioners awarded about \$600,000 worth of paving contracts. Several commissioners expressed an opinion that concrete would probably be laid on the projects offered yesterday.

One hundred and sixty moving picture companies operate at Los Angeles.

### Dog Hill Paragangs

By George Bingham.

Poke Earley complains that his wife has contracted the bad habit of nudging him in church every time



the preacher says anything right harsh about him.

A woman rode with the mail carrier to the Calf Ribs neighborhood this week. He says she talked all the way there, the only time she stopped being when she asked him who lived at different houses along the road.

A mule driven by Yam Sims got frightened at its shadow this morning and ran away. Yam accompanied it part of the way.

### Honor Conferred on 23 Central High Students

A group of 23 Central High school seniors were given memberships in the National Honor Society of High Schools at a meeting in the school auditorium yesterday.

This society, established through the efforts of J. G. Masters, principal of Central High school, at a meeting of the National Association of Secondary Principals in 1919, is to the high school graduate what the Phi Kappa is to the college graduate.

Mr. Masters explained that to be honored by a membership in this society required more than scholarship. Character, leadership and service are the recognized attributes of value, he said. The selection of the 23 honor seniors was made by a committee of 12 faculty members.

### Common Sense

**Have You Marriageable Daughters or Sons?**

Certain periodicals are urging young men to marry. They state that the small number of marriages is an alarming fact, meaning as it does that fewer men are thinking of establishing a home, and fewer girls are fitting themselves to be home keepers—instead, the girls are educating themselves to fill the places of men at increased salaries.

The man of today has to have more money than the man of a generation ago had to have before he will be looked upon with favor by parents with marriageable daughters. Fathers, who began with \$500 or less when they married, insist that prospective sons-in-laws must have thousands.

Parents are not willing to have their daughters start in a small way. Girls are making more demands than in years gone by, so that a man must possess a great deal of courage or a great deal of money and bright prospects if he dares to mention marriage to the lady of his choice.

One of the reasons why men do not accumulate more money now-a-days is because the girls cost so much to entertain; even the high school boy has to pay from \$1 to \$5 an evening for entertainment or he is considered a piker; and the money must come out of his dad, or the boy's own earnings.

Money that boys earn should be put at interest and make more money.

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### Huller Sues Wife Who Lost Divorce

**Cafe Owner Names Ex-Proprietor of Pop Stand as Corespondent.**

Mrs. Mary Huller, 401 Grover street, who obtained a divorce by default, it being set aside later by District Judge Sears, was herself sued for divorce yesterday by Michael Huller, wealthy Douglas street cafe owner.

Huller names Elmer McNally, former owner of a pop stand, as co-respondent. Judge Sears also vacated the decree McNally obtained a month ago.

Huller charges in his petition that his wife has been cruel for the past seven years.

On the witness stand at the last hearing, Mrs. Huller admitted that she kept company with McNally for five years, but only at the request of her husband.

The Hullers were married in 1898. One son, Michael, Jr., 22, attends Creighton college, and a daughter, Adelaide, 20, is a graduate of Central High.

Read The Bee all the way through. You will find it interesting.

Huller names Elmer McNally, for-

### Wife of 19 Days Discovers Husband Acused of Bigamy

Mrs. John H. Hiddings, 33, 2202 North Twenty-first street, after 19 days' honeymoon, discovered yesterday that her husband is accused as a bigamist. According to Omaha detectives a telegram has been received from the sheriff at Rockport, Mo., asking that Hiddings be held. The other Mrs. Hiddings is on her way to Omaha, it is said.

**Child Hit by Auto**  
Madeline Hartley, 3213 Leavenworth street, was struck by an automobile while at play near Twenty-

ninth and Leavenworth streets at 2 yesterday afternoon. The motorist picked up the little girl, took her to Nicholas Senn hospital, where a scalp wound was dressed, and then took her home. The girl was not seriously hurt, hospital attendants said.

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**Constance Talmadge**

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**"The Primitive Lover"**

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