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REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

Copies of Reports to City Council for Month of January, 1914.
List of Claims Allowed

WATER AND LIGHT DEPARTMENTS

Month Ending Jan. 15, 1914

Receipts	
Light	\$2042 78
Power	92 72
Deposits	102 50
Merchandise	306 72
Freight Refund	11 08
Interest	3 12
St. Lighting	287 88
Pumping	205 36
	\$3141 16

Disbursements	
Merchandise	\$1210 41
Deposits	81 75
Power Plant Labor	259 35
Coal	579 57
Lubricants	3 86
Power Plant Sup. & Exp.	26 85
Maint. of Distr.	28 50
Maint. of Po. Plant Equip.	13 85
Maint. of Meters	5 00
Advertising	37 45
Customers Prem. Exp.	92 50
Salaries	175 00
Office Sup. & Exp.	64 95
Po. Plant Equip.	12 25
Meters	204 64
Interest	60 00
	\$2855 93

Cash Acct. Overdrawn, Dec. 15, 1913	\$ 13 60
Receipts	3141 16
	\$127 56
Less Disbursements	2855 93

Cash on Hand Jan. 15, 1914 \$271 63
Amount of discounts allowed for prompt payment of bills 202 85

Water Department

Receipts

Water	\$ 416 05
Merchandise	58 80
Meter Repairs	2 75
	477 60

Disbursements

Merchandise	37 60
Cost of Pumping	205 36
Maint. of Distribution	71 63
Salaries	60 00
Customers Prem. Exp.	20 00
Maint. of Meters	11 28
Pump at Septic Tank	250 00
	655 87

Cash on Hand Dec. 15, 1913 1599 13
Receipts 477 60

Less Disbursements 655 87

Cash on Hand Jan. 15, 1914 \$1420 86

Report of Police Magistrate for the Month of January, 1914

Fines	\$ 85 00
Marshal Fees	16 50
Total	\$101 50
Receipts from City Scales	\$ 12 95

Report of City Treasurer for Month of January, 1914

Receipts

Balance	\$223 21
Miscellaneous Licenses	27 00
Marshal Fees	16 80
Scale Receipts	12 95
	\$279 96

Disbursements

None	
Balance on Hand	\$279 96
Registered not paid for want of funds	\$8091 35

City Claims Allowed for the Month of January, 1914

Percy Cogswell, city treasurer's salary	25 00
Gregg & Son, coal	7 75
S. A. Foster Lumber Co., lumber	8 40
O. A. Grannum, labor	44 32
Newberry's Hardware Company Mdse.	11 55
Geo. Gadsby, Mdse.	3 50
H. M. Anderson, labor	1 80
Alliance Creamery & Produce Company, coal	2 93
St. Joseph Hospital, care of patient	10 00
Nebr. Telephone Co., phone rent	4 10
A. D. Rodgers, mayor's salary	16 67
H. J. Ardian, labor	7 50
Joe Witowack, special police	5 00
A. D. Rodgers, groceries post-house	69 80
J. D. Emerick, salary clerk	25 00
J. D. Emerick, state statutes	5 00
L. Westover, city attorney's salary	20 83
C. W. Jeffers, salary and message	85 35
L. W. Curtis, salary	74 65
J. H. Carlson, salary street commissioner	75 00
Gregory Zura, salary weighmaster	25 00
I. L. Acheson, mdse.	3 26
Geo. Simpson, labor	1 80
Rowan & Wright, coal	11 00
L. E. Pilkington, labor	2 00
G. R. Bell, special police	2 50
F. J. Brennan, mdse.	10 75
Coyle restaurant, board prisoners	20 00

Wm. Maunier, scavenger work	10 75
Wm. Maunier, labor	4 50
Lowery & Henry, auto hire	1 50
Dr. L. W. Bowman, salary and medicine	20 00
Gray & Guthrie, bond premium	7 00
Herald Publishing Co., publishing	4 55
City Light Department, street lamps	11 74
City Light Department, street and city lighting	298 68
City Light Department, pumping septic tank	48 60
Alliance Times, publishing	6 83

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The International Brotherhood of Painters will erect a monument in honor of its founder, John T. Elliot, in Baltimore.

The railroads of the United States employ 1,599,000 persons and have an annual pay roll amounting to \$1,243,113,172.

During February all locals of the International Typographical Union will nominate candidates for international officers.

The organized bricklayers in Boston are now receiving \$28.50 a week, which is an increase of more than \$8 over the scale paid in 1898.

The Porto Rican legislature has enacted a law regulating the work of women and children limiting the hours of employment and protecting them against dangerous occupations.

Three candidates are in the field for vice president of the International Typographical Union. They are Walter W. Barrett of Chicago, Edwin L. Hichens of Cincinnati and S. M. Shrewsbury of Nashville.

The International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America may not hold its next convention in Indianapolis because of the alleged hostile attitude of the business men of that city towards organized labor.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature of Manitoba to prohibit the employment of white women and girls in any factory or place of business owned or managed by Japanese or Chinese.

In England during the year 1912, according to a report recently issued by the Board of Trade, the aggregate increase in wages amounted to \$895,000, which was distributed among 1,818,000 working men and women.

Fifteen thousand colored men in Paris are reported to be forming a trades union to resist the efforts of the white workmen, who are alleged to be attempting to prevent the colored men from getting an increase in pay. The union will include chauffeurs, hotel porters, domestic servants and others.

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