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rom Saturday's Daily:

The meeting of the Norfolk Business Men's association last evening was not so largely attended as the importance of the subjects under consideration deserved, yet those present were all business men very much in earnest in their efforts for the welfare of the city.

The first matter brought up was the forthcoming hearing before the state board of transportation, which takes place in this city June 27, of the case A Certain Remedy for wherein complaint is made against the charges of the C. St. P. M. & O. for handling freight between this place and South Sioux City. After discussion motion prevailed that the railroad committee be empowered to employ an attorney to assist the association, such action to be with the consent of the executive committee, and that the president appoint a committee to solicit funds to pay said attorney.

The Yankton railroad was discussed, and an expression was asked as to whether the Business Men's association would lend its assistance toward voting bonds in this precinct, should they be asked by the new company. Those present were nearly unanimous in the sentiment that Norfolk could afford to grant the aid to secure the road.

W. P. Williams, agent of the Royal Union Mutual Life Insurance company of Des Moines, Iowa, was present and made a proposition to the association to build an opera house. His proposition in brief is that his company will put canvassers in the field to write life insurance, and that all money received as premiums in this vicinity within a year will be invested in an opera house in this city. The money so received will be named by the association, and kept on deposit for the construction of the building. The size and character of the house is to depend wholly upon the amount of insurance that can be written, but judging from experience a house entirely satisfactory, seating about 1,000 people and equipped with all modern conveniences, could be put up for \$10,000. In the amount to be invested, Mr. Williams was willing to consider the money received for the sale of seats on the opening night. He stated that when \$3,500 had been received from premiums, his company would be willing to guarantee to put up the building, provided the Business Men's association would agree to lend night seats and to securing the remainder of the premium money on insurance.

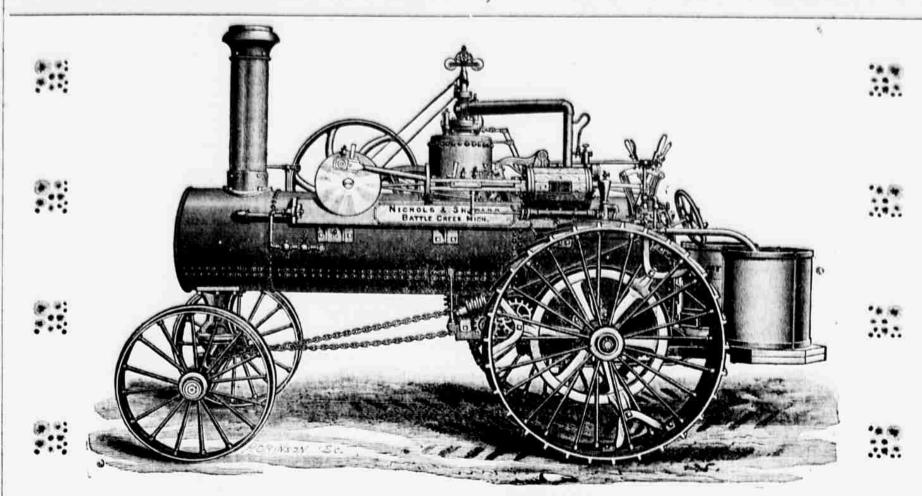
After considering the proposition, it was voted as the sense of the association that the same be accepted and that the agent be assisted in raising the money

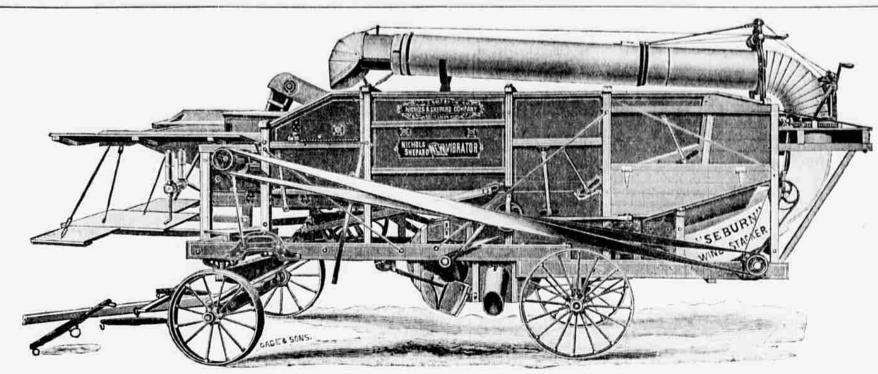
over the situation. The company is building an opera house at York on a coast. similar plan, which when completed done, Norfolk can do.

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