

HAVE HUNG UP THE CONTRACT

City Council Will Have Another Squint in Ketcham Furniture Company Methods.

SHALL THE CITY GET WHAT IT PAYS FOR

Question Which Seems to be Uppermost in the Minds of Council Members Reports of the Committee on the Company's Bill.

It will be some days before the Ketcham Furniture company gets \$20,000 of the city's money to apply on the city hall furniture contract, as the council has concluded to have a little time for the purpose of investigating the matter.

Last Tuesday night, George C. Whitlock, the resident agent of the company, asked for the payment of \$20,000. This was referred to the committee on public property and buildings and last night the committee reported back this communication, which was unanimously adopted:

Your committee to which was referred the communication of George C. Whitlock asking for an estimate of \$20,000 in favor of the Ketcham Furniture company, respectfully report that owing to the fact that the company has not yet furnished the furniture for which the money was advanced, we do not recommend that the communication be placed on file.

Then came another report from the same committee on a request to use a vacant room in the city hall, in which to store the furniture.

Your committee to which was referred the communication from the Ketcham Furniture company in regard to room for the new furniture, respectfully report that we have ordered the company not to ship any more furniture until further orders. We therefore recommend that the communication be placed on file.

This report was adopted.

Some Little Matters of Detail. The mayor returned without his approval four sidewalk resolutions. The documents were not dated and the veto was sustained.

The application of the city engineer and Board of Public Works to move into the new city hall was referred.

George L. Hearst was named for the position of license inspector. The appointment was rejected.

Mr. Lovry moved a reconsideration of the vote. The motion prevailed and the appointment was referred to the committee on finance.

The mayor recommended that the contractor hurry up and prepare for occupancy the balance of the offices in the city hall.

City Clerk Groves was instructed to give the Nebraska Central Railway company official notice of the result of the recent bond election, that the company might file its written acceptance within the forty-five days specified in the proposition.

Herman Koutze protested against the paving of Sherman street between Harney street and St. Mary's avenue.

The council approved the action of City Treasurer Bollen in the sale of the district improvement bonds.

The Board of Public Works submitted the plans and specifications of the proposed new viaduct along the line of South Sixteenth street. All of the papers in the case went to the committee on viaducts and railroads.

The semi-annual bill from the water works company for hydrant rental, amounting to the sum of \$38,055.51, was presented in the form of an ordinance. The ordinance brought out a large amount of discussion when it came up on its first reading.

President Davis urged that the ordinance should be referred with instructions to report at the meeting tonight. Mr. Elvaser urged that such action would be exercising undue haste. The bill was not due until July 1, and there was no law for paying it before that time.

The ordinance to pay for lands for park purposes was read twice and referred. The amounts which it is proposed to pay are as follows: The Richardson tract, \$24,271.10; the Dall tract, \$33,309; the Bemis park tract, \$50,000; the Bell tract, \$46,530; the Reed, Curtis and Edley tract, \$12,000; the Dall tract, ten acres, \$8,000; the Distin tract, \$50,000.

The fifteenth annual report of the public library board was presented and referred to the committee on finance.

For the Fourth of July. The committee having charge of the Fourth of July celebration invited the council to participate in the activities. The invitation was accepted. By resolution the council voted the sum of \$1,000 to aid in the Fourth of July celebration. Mr. Munro hoped that every dollar would be expended for the benefit of the people.

Mr. Lovry replied that the committee would account for every dollar of the money. Mr. Bruner voted "no," but as he had signed a paper asking the council to appropriate the money, he changed his vote. That made the vote unanimous and the resolution goes to the mayor for his approval.

By a resolution introduced by Mr. Prince an article was ordered located at the intersection of Sherman avenue and Corby street.

Protests and Requests. George A. Hensland informed the council that some time ago he had bid on furnishing lumber for the city. His bid was the lowest, but notwithstanding that fact, the contract was let to another party. He wanted to know why things were done in that manner on streets and alleys will look into the matter.

Several parties protested against ball playing on the vacant lots at Sherman avenue and Locust street. The committee on police will look after parties who congregate there to play ball.

Thomas Murray entered a protest against the city laying a permanent walk along the front of his Harney street property.

F. E. Korman wrote that he would furnish enamel street signs at 42 cents each. He said that J. P. Cooke & Co. had made a deal with him to furnish the signs and then they had tried to get lower bids from other parties. The contract with J. P. Cooke & Co. was presented and approved and they will put up the signs at 42 cents each.

A large number of the livermen petitioned the council to repeal the vehicle ordinance, so that they may be able to furnish for their carriages rented to families and saddle horses.

Mr. Lovry thought the license inspector was pushing things up the wall. A resolution was adopted, suspending the operation of the vehicle ordinance until such time as the committee of the whole could report back a new ordinance.

By for the Registrars. Mr. Munro moved a reconsideration of the resolution allowing the registrars of the late election \$8 for the entire time. Then he moved that the registrars be paid \$10.

Mr. Lovry thought it was a cheat. Mr. Prince said that the matter should be settled for all time.

Mr. Lovry remarked that the matter had already been referred.

Mr. Howell insisted upon having the opinion of the city attorney.

Mr. Lovry moved to amend the resolution and allow the registrars \$6 per day each. The resolution was withdrawn.

When the council meets in special session tonight City Attorney Conell will give his opinion upon this subject.

If resolution the council decided that hereafter all city officers should close at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The finance committee and the city attorney were instructed to ascertain if the county had paid to the city treasurer the city's share of the road fund, how much money there was due to the city and what prospect there was for the city getting the money.

On motion of Mr. Munro the ordinance ordering the relocation of sixty-eight fire hydrants was placed on file. Mr. Munro stated that there were errors in the ordinance and that a new ordinance would soon make its appearance.

The election booths, interfering with the travel on the streets in which they are now located, were ordered removed.

The petition to strike the words "maunure and refuse" from the garbage ordinance was placed on file, the council deciding that if the words were stricken out the ordinance would be invalid.

The tax collector was allowed \$25 per month for horse hire.

PAID A BIG LOBBY BILL. Five Thousand Dollars for Putting the Contract on the Council.

While it may not be in good taste to go down into the grave and turn over the corpse

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