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LEGAL.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA:

CHARLES R. METTEER, plaintiff,
vs.
CLARA BELLE METTEER, defendant,

Clara Belle Metteer, defendant will take notice that on the 20th day of August, 1887, Charles R. Metteer, plaintiff, filed his petition in the District court of Cass County, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer which are, to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony and the custody of the three minor children, the issue of said marriage.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of October 1887.

Dated Aug 22nd, 1887.

CHARLES R. METTEER,
24-4 by J. S. STRODE his Attorney.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

SARAH ELIZABETH COPELAND,
vs.
ISAAC OLIVER COPELAND,

To Isaac O. Copeland non resident defendant: You are hereby notified that on 11th Aug. 9th 1887, I filed my petition in the district court of Cass County Nebraska, in a suit therein pending, wherein you are defendant, the object and prayer of which is to declare null and void the pretended marriage of plaintiff and defendant, because of defendant's having a legal wife living at the time of said marriage; and, that said marriage was contracted in good faith on part of plaintiff, and that the issue of said pretended marriage be adjudged legitimate, and if the court find said marriage legal to obtain a divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty, and for the custody of the minor child Clarence C. Copeland. You are required to answer said petition on or before October 10th 1887, or your default will be taken therein.

SARAH ELIZABETH COPELAND,
BYRON CLARK, Att'y. for plf. 21-4

Council Doings.

MONDAY.

The city council met last evening in regular session, with a full board. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A petition was presented asking permission to the petitioners to work out their poll tax on Vine street between 14th and 15th. On motion of Mr. McCallen seconded by Mr. Webber the petition was ordered granted.

A petition was then presented asking that Herman Smidt be appointed supervisor of the sewer work about to be done. Mr. Greusel thought the city had enough men employed to get the work properly done, and Mr. Murphy proposed to call another bond election for the purpose of paying the officers. A motion granting the prayer of the petition was lost.

The finance committee reported that they had agreed with the *Journal* company to pay only one half their bills until their indebtedness to the city on account of overpayment was settled. The following bills were allowed. *Journal* $21.75, M. N. Morgan $30, Lincoln Benson $9.15, G. Humphry $22.65, Oscar Hurd $3.75, W. L. Bloven $4.50, J. H. Waterman $4.25, Knotts Bros $29.50, Wm. Osbourn $10.75, J. H. Jones $2, E. H. Lambson $35, Jono. Fitzpatrick $40, Plattsmouth Cass Co. $77.50, P. Merges $10, Daniel Burris $16.

The street commissioner's report for August showed a payment of $147.55 for labor.

The police judge's report showed only ten prisoners as before him for August. One was discharged, three were returned to jail for not being able to pay their fines and six paid their fines and were discharged. The fines collected ammounted to $15. The report was referred to the police committee.

The judiciary committee presented an ordinance extending the city limits to take in the Vallery 40, Walker 40, Richey 40 and other ground to the ammount of 180 acres. The ordinance was read the second and third times and passed under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Dutton said some arrangement ought to be made by which the street commissioner could pay his men every week, as some of them were quitting him because they had to wait so long for their pay. It was suggested that the street commissioner pay his men with poll tax money received by him and take their warrants and draw the money and pay the poll tax money to the treasurer at one time but nothing definite was done. It was also suggested that the treasurer be instructed to honor the name of the commissioner without first presenting the bill to the council for their approval, but the city attorney said the law would probably not uphold them in such a movement, and the question was dropped.

Mr. Greusel moved that the committee on fire and water be instructed to buy two water troughs to cost not over $50 each. Motion passed.

The city engineer gave the estimated cost of graning Fairfield hill. The cost to bring the sidewalks and rood to grade at 20cts per cubic yard was $2,240.

A lively discussion then took place as to the acceptance of the South Park property and settled upon laying of the water mains from 3rd street up Billings and Lincoln Ave. to the park. Mr. Murphy was strongly in favor of accepting the park and making the required improvements. He said the laying of the mains would give fire protection to the shops and a large number of residences, and best of all the city would have a nice park in town, which, in a few years could not be obtained at almost any price. Mr. Greusel said he was not interested in the park but was interested in protection for the shops, and moved the water company be authorized to lay mains past the shops—3200 feet. After a long discussion it was decided to lay 2400 feet and have the committee on fire see if it would pay to lay the extra 800 feet.

The board of public works reported that pursuant to instructions they had opened the bids for sewerage last Friday and let the job to Charles Harris of this city, and that last evening Mr. Haaris had given a written statement to the effect that he had miscalculated and could not fulfill his contract. On motion of Mr, Greusel the report of the committee was referred back and they were requested to report on the next two best bids this evening.

Mr. Dutton presented the following resalution which was adopted.

Resolved, that the committee on streets, alleys and bridges be and they are hereby instructed to open bridges and grade the right of way given by the Plattsmouth Land & Improvement Co. for a street west from Maiden Lane to the south east corner of the fair grounds to connect with the road opened by the county and that the same be put in condition for travel by fair time.

Mr. Haws, representing an Omaha Sioux Falls granite firm, had circulated a petition yesterday which favored Sioux Falls granite. He said his company would give a good bond and lay the pavement in thirty days after the letting of the contract. On motion of Mr. McCallen further consideration of the subject was left till this evening.

The special committee on printing reported the contract for the city ordinances awarded to Messrs Sherman & Cutwright of the *Journal*. The report was accepted.

The committee appointed to find out the pavement desired by the Main street property owners reported in favor of cedar blocks. But the committee failed to work in harmony and Mr. Murphy was the one who made the report. He also had a letter from John Fitzgerald of Lincoln, stating that cedar block was being used quite extensively in Lincoln and recommended it for Plattsmouth. As the report was given at the consent of only one of the committee it was dropped.

Mr. Jones complained that the road to his house was bad and he had about $21 in poll tax to work out on it but it wasn't enough. On motion of Mr. Dutton $25 of the road fund was ordered drawn to aid the grading of the street which is 11th between Oak and Vine.

TUESDAY.

Council met last evening in regular adjourned session, with a full board, for the purpose of considering a complete report of the board of public works on the bids for the construction of a system of sewerage for Plattsmouth, and also the report of the special committee appointed to canvas Main street property owners to get their preference for paving.

The board of public works reported that Charles Harris who had the lowest bid had reported himself unable to carry the work through. The bid of McMacken & Krohler, of Plattsmouth, was next; Thompson & Delaney, of Omaha, were third; the other bids the board reported as not acceptable on account of deficiencies or over-estimation. The board also advised the letting of the contract to the lowest bidder, but not till satisfactory arrangements had been made for the disposal of the bonds, and that the bidder file a good $15,000 bond.

Mr Weber moved the acceptance of the report and the letting of the contract to the lowest bidder provided he file a good and sufficient bond. Mr. Jones seconded.

In their report the board also stated that the bid of Thompson & Delaney was above the surveyor's estimate on the 5½ft sewer, and Mr. Greusel asked the city attorney if that did not kill the bid. Mr. Clark replied that if the bid was above the estimate the work could not be let, but if the part was immaterial it would probably not injure the bid, but if it was a principal part as it was in this case it was important. After considerable talk and making of motions, etc., Mr. Greusel asked if the retiring of a partner from a firm after the making of a bid, destroyed the bid, and was informed that it did. (It appears that Krohler had said something about withdrawing his name, but did not do so.) Mr. Greusel then moved that the board of public works be instructed to reject any and all bids and be authorized to re-advertise for new bids for the construction of storm water sewerage, all bids to be accompanied by a certified check for $1,000. The motion carried.

A very lively discussion then ensued between Weber, Murphy, Weckbach and Frank Carruth about the petition asking for cedar block pavement, and the question was finally dropped by the consideration of the report of the special committee being indefinately postponed, and a motion from Mr. Greusel to pave the 1st paving district with Sioux Falls granite carried, Murphy refusing to vote.

The treasurers report showed $7,836.11 in money, and $400 in collectable bills in his hands. The report was referred to the finance committee.

A general paving talk was then indulged in by Mr. Riley, of Omaha and the councilmen.

Mr. Weckbach then produced an ordinance requiring the curbing of Main street which was read a second and third time and adopted.

Council adjourned.

—Mrs Randolph, the famous fortune teller, has just arrived here. She tells the present, past and future. Her charges are low, being only from twenty-five up to fifty cents. Residence on Elm street between Tenth and Eleventh. No fortunes told Sundays. 21-tf

News of the Day.

The funeral of the nationalist who was shot at Mitchellstown, Ireland, was largely attended.

The house of commons spent yesterday in discussing the Irish troubles.

Heavy storms on the coast of Nova Scotia have caused much damage to vessels and loss of life.

Three soldiers at Trapani, Italy, were sent out to disinfect with carbolic acid. A mob attacked them, compelling one man to drink some of the acid, from which he died, and killed the other two.

The national prison congress is in session at Toronto, Ont.

Staffordshire, Eng., has 19,000 men on a strike.

The Missouri is taking part of Sioux City in.

A team belonging to Mr. C. Rooks, of Lincoln ran away, throwing Rooks and his wife out. Rrooks struck a stump and was killed.

Sergeant Geo. Jalourg died at Bellevue yesterday morning.

The Beatrice K. of L. endorses Judge Broady for their next circuit judge.

Crocker's Iowa brigade will hold a reunion Sept. 21 and 22 at Davenport, Ia.

Sir Charles Young, dramatic author, died suddenly in England Monday.

A Newark, N. J., tenement house burned Monday, cremating one of the occupants.

Charles Lock has assumed the proprietorship of the National Opera company at Philadelphia.

The Illinois supreme court has not yet taken any action in the cases of the Chicago anarchists.

Four thousand miners in the Shamokin (Pa.) coal districts struck Monday for higher wages.

The Lutheran conference Monday decided not to change the present form of its evening service.

Gov. Larabee and staff left Dubuque Monday for Philadelphia, to attend the centennial celebration.

There is still great excitement in Grass Point over the killing of Mrs. Seile while attending a funerial.

The pending sale of the Baltimore & Ohio telegraph lines to the Western Union company still hangs fire.

The Berne government has demanded the promulgation of the Mormon prohibition propaganda by Switzerland.

The Wyandotte jury in the case of George Hamilton, charged with train wrecking, Monday returned a verdict of not guilty.

Moonlighters Monday murdered Constable Whelepam and wounded one of his posse ner Ennis. Eight suspects have been arrested.

Thomas R. Knight, John A. Brooks and Henry Patz, convicted of manslaughter in the court of the Western district of Arkansas, have been pardoned by the president.

Three of the Boston furniture factories have granted the demand of their workmen for nine hours a day's work. The balance have refused, and their employes are out on a strike.

The experiments of making sugar by means of electricity at Ft. Scott, Kansas, have been pronounced successful.

The president thinks the press criticisms on the treasury department's refusal to accept the bonds, last Wednesday, are inconsistant as it saves a great deal of money.

The governor of Illinois has filed papers at Washington for the extradition of McSarigle.

—Misses laced serge shoes $5 and foxed 50 cents only, at Merges. 14tf

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

JENNIE E. ELLSWORTH, Plaintiff,
vs.
GEORGE W. ELLSWORTH, defendant.

To George W. Ellsworth, non-resident defendant: You will take notice that on September 7th, 1887, Jennie E. Ellsworth, plaintiff, herein filed a petition in the district court of Cass County, Nebraska, against you; the object and prayer of which are to secure a divorce on the grounds of abandonment and desertion for a period of two years last past, and failure to maintain and support; also, asking for the custody of the minor child of plaintiff and defendant, Nettie Loretta Ellsworth.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 17th day of October, 1887.

R. B. WINDHAM AND JOHN A. DAVIES,
25-4t. Atty's for plaintiff.

This space belongs to Joseph V. Weckbach. He is receiving so many goods and is so busy he cannot write an ad. for a few days.

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