

MORE ELECTRIC LIGHTS

WIRKLY TOLD.

COUNCIL ORDERS E. H. OLSENHAUER \$75
Damages—Communication from Mr.
J. B. Strode Read before the Meeting
—Other Important City Legislation
Transacted.

The regular meeting of the city council was held last evening. All the members were present.

Minutes of meetings held on January 23 and 24 were read by Clerk Kerr and approved.

Reports of the police judge and city marshal were referred to the police committee, while the report of the city treasurer was handed to the finance committee.

The report of Clerk Kerr, in which he gave a statement of the collections for the month of January, was also referred to the committee on finance.

A communication was next read from Congressman J. B. Strode, in regard to the resolutions recently passed by the council in opposition to the holding of another exposition in Omaha during the coming summer. Mr. Strode reports that the document reached him a little too late to be of any service. He states, however, that he appeared before the ways and means committee of the house on last Tuesday and made an argument against the government giving any recognition to the proposed exposition. Congressman Mercer also made an argument in favor of his resolution. In conclusion, Mr. Strode said that the committee by a unanimous vote, laid the matter on the table, and he thinks the matter now dead so far as congressional recognition is concerned.

The claim of E. H. Heitzhausen for damages to the amount of \$675 was again taken up. This matter caused quite a little discussion. Mr. Sattler moved that the report of the claims committee, which recommended that Mr. Heitzhausen be allowed \$157.05, Mr. Hinrichsen, however, moved to amend that he was of the opinion that \$75 would cover the actual damage sustained. The amended motion prevailed.

The matter of placing electric lights at the corner of Eighth and Elm and Ninth and Elm streets was taken up. Mr. Sattler thought that other portions of the city were equally in need of more lights, and after some discussion it was agreed that one additional electric light be placed in each ward.

White, of the claims committee, stated that he thought the simplex claims ought to be paid by the county, and moved that some action be taken with that end in view. It was shown that the people of Council Bluffs had decided the question in a similar way. The matter was referred to the judiciary committee.

The claims committee reported favorably upon the following bills:

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| L. Kildow, labor..... | \$ 1.80 |
| P. J. Hansen, salary..... | 40.00 |
| H. Rathman, work..... | 75 |
| C. Hinrichsen, same..... | 75 |
| M. McCool, same..... | 1.05 |
| L. Kildow, burying dogs..... | 75 |
| Plattsmouth Gas and Electric Light company, lease for January..... | 233.33 |
| Public library, exp..... | 36.50 |
| E. Kildow, services..... | 40.00 |
| Chas. Hasson, salary..... | 10.00 |
| M. Morrissey, same..... | 50.00 |
| John Murray, same..... | 34.50 |
| Daily Post, printing..... | 5.50 |
| M. Archer, uncollected fees..... | 8.10 |
| B & M railroad, freight..... | 4.20 |
| J. M. Jones, services..... | 60.00 |
| Chas Dabb, same..... | 45.00 |
| A. W. Heckbach, coal..... | 74.40 |

After some discussion in regard to the freezing up of the water mains and the advisability of getting a few more water gauges to test the pressure, a motion to adjourn unanimously prevailed.

Early Closing of Stores.

We, the undersigned business men of Plattsmouth, appreciating the efforts of Rev. Dr. Stratton and his co-workers in seeking to build up the moral and religious standards of the city, do hereby agree to close our places of business at 7:30 p. m., beginning Tuesday, February 14, excepting Saturday evenings, as long as special meetings shall continue.

G. E. Westcott & Son Zuckweller & Lutz
S. E. Hall & Son Phil Sauter
F. T. Davis Co. Snyder & Co.
F. J. Morgan A. H. Weckbach & Co.
I. Pearlman L. B. Eggenberger
J. C. Tutt John G. Cole
Wurz & Coffey Wm. Herold & Son
A. Bach Patterson & Kunkmann
B. Elson John T. Coleman
E. G. Dovey & Son C. L. Holloway
Ehinger Hardware Co. John I. Unruh
E. Jackson Jonathan Hartt
F. A. Oliver & Co. B. A. McElwain
W. Schmidtmaier Kuhnen Bros
A. Clark August Gorder
M. L. Johnson Wm. Morrow
Straight & Stattert L. H. Rainey
F. M. Clark Robt Sherwood & Son
Joseph Peter Klein & Co
A. J. Trinity J. C. Boone

Editorial Note.

LINCOLN, Feb. 14.—(Special to THE NEWS)—Following is the vote today:

Allen, 56; Hayward, 36; Webster, 10; Thompson, 10; Field, 4; Weston, 4; Foss, 1; Hainer, 1; Adams, 1; Van Dusen, 1; Cornish, 1.

As soon as the weather will permit work will be started on Sherwood & Son's new brick building, next to the Leonard building, on Main street. The structure will be 22x70 feet, two stories high, with a full plate glass front and will be a great addition to that portion of the city. Contractor L. G. Larson will have charge of the work and will push it to rapid completion.

In the future W. L. Street, agent for the Singer Manufacturing company, will be found in W. K. Fox's stationery store.

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case you still sleep, and effect pump and control ease. Price, 25 cents.

"Honest" 5 cent cigar is the finest ever manufactured in town. Fred Hawksworth was down from Lincoln last night to attend "Mr. Bob."

Attorney Byron Clark returned this morning from a business trip to Chicago.

August Gorder is making extensive repairs on his residence on Third street.

Mrs. Maud Rennie is home from a visit with friends at Omaha and Council Bluffs.

Charles and James Philipot from Mt. Pleasant precinct were Plattsmouth visitors today.

Mesdames Sam Patterson, D. C. Morgan and A. E. Reinhardt were Omaha visitors today.

Janitor work of all kinds, satisfaction guaranteed by Telfer & Shepard, 616 Vino street.

The Ebinger Hardware company is selling skates at cost. Now is the time to get your skates.

Expressman Ryan is again at his post of duty at the Burlington depot after a week's vacation.

The NEWS office is the best equipped job office in Cass county. First class work done on short notice.

Mrs. John A. Donelan of Weeping Water is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. White.

Dr. Shipman will be at his office in the Leonard building, over Schippacasse's, at all hours, day or night.

The revival services at the Baptist church will be continued all this week by Rev. Hull. Everybody invited.

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See Mrs. H. D. Travis as Aunt Beccie, maiden lady, whose sole aim in life is to benefit cats. At White's Hall Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Tickets are now on sale at Lehnhof's for the home talent play "Mr. Bob." Admission 25 cents, children 50 cents. No extra charge for reserve seats.

Mrs. E. Slattery (nee Maud Foxwell) departed this afternoon for her home at Chadron after a pleasant visit of a month in this city.

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The convention will be held at the school house. Respectfully,

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SHE DYED HAIR, HE WHISKERS.
How a Husband Punished His Wife for Disobeying His Injunction.

A good story is going the rounds in Washington of the disastrous results which followed a wife's disregard of her husband's objections to peroxide. There were several tints in the wife's crown of glory and she had decided that "inasmuch as it was nearly all blonde anyway the best thing she could do was to peroxide the whole lot. On broaching the subject to her liege lord, however, she was met with such decided disapproval as to put a damper on her plan for a time. By way of squaring things the husband gave her a handsome check and told her to get a new dress. When this garment came home from the tailor it was immediately tried on and there and then she decided that yellow hair and that gown would "just match splendidly." Next day she had the job done, and it must be confessed that she did not admire herself quite as much as she had expected. When her husband came home from the tailor he gazed in amazement at the transformation, but did not say much, and the wife congratulated herself on taking it so easily. Hubby was unusually silent, however, and she feared the coming storm. Next morning he went to his office in anything but an amiable mood. He sat for half an hour tugging savagely at his auburn beard and mustache, and finally decided on a course of action. An hour or so before his usual quitting time he visited a barber shop, where he had his beard and mustache dyed a poisonous looking black. The natural paleness of his face was hugely exaggerated by the stygian hue of his hirsute adornment, and he looked like a photograph taken after death. Then he went home and burst into the house with a grisly attempt at a cheery grin and a bluff manner. His wife met him in the hall. "How d'ye like it?" he asked her. "Great, ain't it? Real thing, eh? Thought I'd have it fixed up as a sort of contrast to you, know. Now we're both ornamental around the house, too. You look like an orange-padded boudoir and I look the cross section of an oil stove. Oh, ain't we a lovely bunch?" Then he caught sight of himself in the mirror over the mantel and fell into a chair and howled mirthlessly. After several hours of pleading she induced him to sneak around to a late-closing barber shop, where he had his beard and mustache removed. She cannot, in return, have her dear yellow hair shaved close to her head, of course, but he has her promise in typewriting that she will let the peroxide wear off, never in this life to be renewed.

Program of School Board Convention.

Following is the program of School Board convention to be held at Woepfle's, February 25, 1899:

10:30 A. M. Should the Board Hire the Teacher Before the End of Month?

11:00 A. M. Is the Free Text Book Law a Success? F. F. Everett, Weeping Water.

1:30 P. M. Are Teachers' Wages High Enough? Turner Zink, Wahashawka.

2:30 P. M. Transferring Funds from one District to Another—Will It Work Successfully? G. P. Foreman, Alvo.

3:00 P. M. Question Box. (questions may be written or oral, and you need not sign your name.) County Superintendent.

An opportunity will be given for general discussion of each topic.

Several directors have suggested

that it would be an excellent idea for

members of the school boards to meet

and discuss important matters con-

nected with their work, hence this ex-

periment. Farmers can get away

about as well in February as any

month in the year. We want as many

districts represented as possible.

J. H. Murphy and wife returned last

evening from Rulo, having been in

attendance at the funeral of the lat-

ter's father.

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The next regular meeting of the

United Moderns will be held Tuesday,

February 14, at the K of P. hall.

Members will please remember

the date. By order of presiding of-

ficer.

Dr. Sawyer's Little Wide Awake

Pills give purity of body and vigor of

thought by perfectly regulating the

bowels and curing biliousness, inactive

liver and constipation. A. W. At-

wood.

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suf-

fered agony for thirty years, and then

cured his piles by using Dr. Witt's

Witch Hazel Salve. It heals injuries

and skin diseases like magic. F. G.

Fricke & Co.

John Crabbill has removed his watch

repair shop in with W. K. Fox, the

stationer, where he would be pleased

to see all of his former customers and

many new ones as want reliable

work done.

Read the advertisements in the

NEWS and trade only with those peo-

ple who solicit your patronage. These

are the live merchants that do busi-

ness on the principle of quick sales

and small profits.

Superintendent T. H. Pollock of the

water works states that there has been

more water used during the recent

cold snap than during the the lawn

season. The company has been exer-

cised considerable trouble in securing

water and unless there is economy

exercised on the part of patrons they

will not be able to pull through until

additional machinery can be secured

with which to pump water.

WANTED—A fire insurance man of

good record can secure a permanent

field position in Nebraska State

business experience and send references.