

THE CITY DADS MEETS IN REGULAR SESSION

The Main Questions Discussed Were City Lighting and the Rights of the City to Bottom Lands.

From Tuesday's Daily.
The session of the city council last evening at the city hall drew out a full attendance of the membership, despite the fact that this was one of the busiest evenings of the month for the business men, and the members of the council discussed at length the different subjects that were brought to their attention.

A petition was read by Clerk Nemets from W. M. Barclay, asking the city to place grade in order that he could place in a permanent walk along lot 6, block 45, on the east side of Fifth street. On motion of Lushinsky this work was ordered done under the supervision of the streets, alleys and bridges committee. Councilman Hallstrom stated that he was willing to have the work done, but did not favor the city going ahead and doing the work, and in case that it was necessary later to lower or raise the walk, to have to go to the expense of making the change. Mr. Lushinsky explained that he had this in view in referring the matter to the committee in order that some agreement as to this might be reached with the present owner. Councilman Bestor arose at this time and inquired as to whether or not agreement made with the present owner would be binding on anyone who might later purchase the property. The motion of Mr. Lushinsky finally prevailed, however.

A communication was also received from Dr. O. K. Boehman, asking the city to place in a permanent sidewalk along lots 1 and 2 in block 95, and releasing the city from all responsibility in the matter, and to go ahead and do the work. The motion carried without a dissenting vote to have the work done at once.

The reading of the report of the finance committee, containing an item from Dr. Cummins for some \$3 for treating Officer Frank Neumann, provoked a discussion among the different members of the council. Councilman Harris arose at once on the reading of the report and inquired as to the bill and what business the city had to do in paying for the medical attendance for the police officers of the city. Clerk Nemets informed Mr. Harris that the bill was for dressing the injury that Mr. Neumann received when he was hurt in the auto while on the way to the Masonic Home to look after the chicken thieves. Councilman Lushinsky stated that he thought that if the officer was injured in the discharge of his duties it was only right that the city settle for the claim. Harris was still very much opposed to the allowing of the claim, as he stated it would establish a bad precedent for the future in paying other bills. Chairman Patterson of the finance committee then made a motion to allow all other bills with the exception of the Cummins bill, which was referred to the police committee for further investigation. Councilman Johnson stated that he did not see any good reason for turning the bill down, as he thought it only the right thing to do to settle the claim. The motion of Patterson was finally carried to refer the bill to the police committee, with Hallstrom and Johnson voting nay.

The report of City Clerk John Nemets for the month just closed showed that the sum of \$1,646.71 had been collected during the month for the different paving taxes and the occupation tax, and the sum had been turned over to the city treasurer. Chairman Bestor of the street, alleys and bridges committee arose and gave a verbal report on the condition of affairs on Mercer avenue, and stated that the committee had looked over the situation there and found that in some places the avenue was quite narrow and would probably fill up with snow in the winter season, but he thought that the city was not in shape to buy land along the road to widen it, and if the persons fencing up the road would not give the required width for the roadway he was not in favor of the expenditure of a sum of money for this purpose. He asked that the committee should be given further time to consider the matter.

Mayor Sattler stated he thought the committee should visit the avenue and prepare a written report covering the matter and submit it at the next meeting of the council.

The fire and water committee, through the chairman, Mr. Johnson, submitted a report covering the pe-

tion of C. W. Homan for a private sewer from his residence on Chicago avenue to the city sewer, and reported that as the sewer was open for a distance the committee could not recommend the granting of the petition, as it might cause the city to be liable for damages from the fact of the sewerage becoming offensive to the health of parties residing in that part of the city. The report of the committee was adopted by the council.

Councilman Harris of the cemetery committee stated that he had been informed by the sexton that the planks used in the lowering of bodies at the cemetery had become old and worn, and he would like to have them replaced, and on motion of the councilman from the Fifth ward the city will purchase three 6x10 timbers to be used for this purpose.

Councilman Lushinsky reported that the concrete work at the end of the subway was in bad shape at the present time and almost impossible for teams or automobiles, and he thought the city should take some steps to have this fixed, as it was one of the important entry ways into the city and through which the travel from Iowa entered here.

Councilman Johnson arose and stated that if the city did not have any rights in the land on the river bottoms he was not in favor of paying out money for improvement, if the land there was in the county, and not the city limits.

Councilman Bajek stated that in his opinion, as this was one of the chief means of entrance into the city, he thought it no more than right that the city fix it up in proper shape, as the cost would not be great.

Councilman Hallstrom, in addressing the council, stated that as the subway was under the tracks of the Burlington he thought they should make the repairs there. He did not favor the city making the repairs if they were not to have any claim on the land along the bottom.

City Attorney Tidd at this time asked permission to address the council, and stated that he had been waiting to press the case until he could learn the attitude of the railroad company in regard to claiming the land and whether or not the city would be compelled to litigate with them, but had been assured that the railroad company would not interfere in the case. He stated that he was convinced that the city had a just claim on the land under the rulings of the courts, and he would serve notice on the parties holding the land to vacate, and if they did not he would have the fences removed and the city enter upon possession of the land as their property. Mr. Tidd cited a case passed upon by the Nebraska supreme court from Dakota county, which covered a claim similar to the one here, and stated that if the council did not order otherwise he would proceed with the case at once.

The Nebraska Lighting company, through its representative here, submitted figures to the council in regard to the street lighting for the coming year. The matter was discussed at some length by the members of the council, and it was decided to give the light committee further time to investigate the matter of service and cost in other cities of the state.

The finance committee of the city council reported the following claims, which were adopted with the exception of the claim of Dr. Cummins, which was referred to the police committee for investigation: Plattsmouth Water Co., fire hydrant rental, \$860; Nebraska and Iowa Steel Tank Co., one steel culvert, \$73.68; A. Wesch, dirt to city, \$19; Weyrich & Hadraba, supplies to police, \$4.98; Ben Raine, salary, \$75; Peters & Richards, crossings and sidewalks, \$32.04; Frank Neumann, salary, \$65; John Fitzpatrick, salary, \$20; M. Archer, salary, \$30; Nebraska Lighting Co., street lighting, \$141.40; Dr. E. D. Cummins, services to Frank Neumann, \$3; Mural Parmele, street sprinkling, \$38; Plattsmouth Water Co., water for drinking fountains, \$3.10; Waterman Lumber Co., lumber to city, \$17.25; William Hiner, street work, \$8; W. A. Tompkins, same, \$29.60; Mike Lutz, street commissioner, \$35.70; William Gobelman, street work, \$47.20; Alvin Jones, same, \$15.80; Charles McBride, same, \$22.50; Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Co., rents for September, \$2.20.

The council then adjourned and reconvened to pass on the equalizing of the tax for the curbing and guttering in district No. 5.

Mrs. William Haesler, Mrs. John Lesley and Mrs. Harry Johnson departed this afternoon for Fremont to attend the grand lodge of the Degree of Honor meeting in that city this week. Mrs. Johnson will visit at Missouri Valley with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Grybasky, before returning home.

Jack O'Brien, Tom Ryan and Jim Brady, who are not natives of Spain, as their names might indicate, were also up for a hearing before the judge on the charge of vagrancy, and the judge after considering the case decided not to detain the boys from their southern journey and gave them thirty minutes to travel, which they did, and left Plattsmouth far behind them in their rush to a warmer climate.

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NEBRASKA CHAPTER NO. 3, R. A. M. RECEIVES A KIND REMEMBRANCE

From Wednesday's Daily.
Nebraska Chapter No. 3, R. A. M., of this city a few days ago received a gift that will be highly prized, as it comprises a trio of former members of the Masonic fraternity of Plattsmouth. It is a photographic enlargement of the portraits of Ex-Senator S. L. Thomas; his son, W. L. Thomas, and his grandson, Claire Thomas. These three gentlemen—grandfather, father and son—were all taken into the Royal Arch at one time at Long Beach, Cal., and the ceremony was one of the most impressive ever held by the lodge there, and was attended by a number of the leading Masons of southern California. The picture will be highly prized by the lodge here, and is on exhibition at the Maury drug store before being placed in the lodge room and has already attracted a great deal of attention.

BERT REED WITHDRAWS AS THE PROGRESSIVE CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

From Wednesday's Daily.
The news was received in the city this morning from Elmwood, announcing that Bert Reed of that place, who was a candidate for the office of sheriff on the progressive ticket, had decided to withdraw from the race. The withdrawal had not been filed at noon with the county clerk, but as the law allows them fifteen days before election to withdraw it is very probable that it will be filed in the next few days. Mr. Reed was a candidate at the primary on the republican ticket, and while defeated for that nomination received sufficient votes on the progressive ticket for the nomination. The withdrawal of Mr. Reed leaves only two candidates, John Wunderlich on the democratic and Sheriff Quinton on the republican ticket.

TWO MINOR INJURIES AT THE BURLINGTON SHOPS

From Wednesday's Daily.
Two employees of the Burlington shops were placed on the retired list this morning through two minor injuries that, while not serious, will keep them from their duties for a few days. Ed. Rice suffered an injury to the ring-finger of the left hand while operating an emery wheel, and the end of the finger suffered from contact with the wheel.

J. W. Hale, who operates a saw at the shops, also was the victim of a slight accident while engaged with a helper in ripping a board at the saw. The board flew back and rapped Mr. Hale a neat blow on the right hand, inflicting an injury that will allow him a short rest from his duties.

SEVERAL CASES IN POLICE COURT; OFFENDERS ALLOWED TO PROCEED ON SOUTHWARD

From Tuesday's Daily.
Judge M. Archer yesterday afternoon enjoyed a rush of business that brought forth several violators of the peace and quiet of our little city, and to all justice was meted out in a manner that will prove most beneficial to all concerned and the city itself. John Harrison and a boon companion had succeeded in accumulating a large size and quite noticeable "jag," which they were greatly enjoying when the hard hearted police removed them to the bastle to spend a short time reflecting over the rapidly vanishing liquid "joy ride." John, when brought before the judge, produced several large silver dollars that were sufficient to placate the feelings of outraged justice, and he was sent on his way rejoicing, but his companion was sent back to the cold, unfeeling prison to languish until \$20 and costs have been satisfied, as the judge, considering he was an old offender, decided he would be safer in jail than out.

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IN PLATTSMOUTH FORTY YEARS AGO

Items of Interest to Our Readers Cleared from the Newspaper Files of Many Years Ago.

Orr & Thomas got \$60 in premiums for best Devon cattle at the state fair.

State Grange Master Wm. B. Porter took \$30 on best sow and pigs at the state fair.

Peter Merges, our boot and shoe man, took the highest diploma for the best made custom boots at the state fair. Good for Merges.

D. C. Flemming, of the firm of Flemming & Race, Weeping Water, called on the Herald last Friday. Mr. F. had just been east to purchase another large stock of goods for his firm.

Mrs. Johnson, wife of Peter Johnson, and mother to D. N., L. F. and O. E., is very low and not expected to live.

Mrs. J. R. Dille has left us for eastern Ohio to spend the winter and perhaps longer. The attractions of the old home are strong and the wives must go back now and then to see the "folks," have a good time and "get some peaches," though the days for going back east to get peaches are now among the things that were in Nebraska.

SOMETHING NEW UNDER THE SUN IS AN ADAMLESS MINSTREL SHOW MONDAY NIGHT

To refute an old adage, C. M. Dalton will introduce what promises to be the only new thing under the sun, an Adamless musical show. The idea of the conceit originated in the brain of Miss Doris Dale, herself a pioneer in the art of entertaining. She has collected a bevy of pretty, fresh, sweet, young girls to whom she has imparted her ideas consummating in a clever show which she is pleased to style the "Merry Minstrel Maids." The program which they will offer on the occasion of their first appearance here, presents a sparkling array of novelties which runs the gamut from an all-girl minstrel first part, presided over by Miss Dale in the capacity of interlocutor, to the presentation of the very newest of classic dances interspersed with several pretty musical oddities introducing the entire company of girls. The minstrel maids will indeed mark an innovation in the annals of local theatrics, for we are assured that they, on the occasion of their visit, will come as the one real sparkling event of the current season. At Parmele theatre Monday night, October 19.

Certainly Some "Pipe."

Edward Donat of the Peerless bar has a very rare article on exhibition at his place of business that he values highly through long personal association. It is a pipe that was secured in Austria in 1881, and has since been used by Mr. Donat in his hours of leisure in wooing the fragrance from the tobacco. It bears a strange resemblance to the far-famed Missouri corn-cob, but we have it on strong authority that it was presented to Mr. Donat by one of the arch-dukes.

A Lame Back—Kidney Trouble Causes It.

And it will give you even worse if not checked. Mrs. H. T. Straygne, Gamesville, Ga., was fairly down on her back with kidney trouble and inflamed bladder. She says: "I took Foley's Kidney Pills and now my back is stronger than in years, and both kidney and bladder troubles are entirely gone." For sale by all druggists.

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NOMINATIONS TO DATE FOR PRECINCT OFFICERS

List of Candidates for Justices of the Peace, Assessors and Constables in the Various Precincts.

In the nominations for the different offices throughout the county the more important county offices have to a great extent over-shadowed the smaller ones in the different precincts, but to the residents of these precincts the offices are very important, and the Journal has secured the filings for these offices as far as made in the office of the county clerk:

Tipton precinct—Road overseer, Carl J. Sack, by petition; constable, Henry Wetenkamp, democrat; justice of the peace, A. H. Vanlandingham, democrat.

Greenwood precinct has so far made no filing for any of the precinct offices.

Salt Creek precinct—Road overseer, John Lomeyer, by petition; assessor, John Mefford, by petition.

Stove Creek precinct—Road overseer, Albert Wallinger, democrat; Onke Fisher, republican; assessor, S. R. James, democrat; constable, John Moffet, democrat; John Morford, republican; justice of the peace, William Leffler, democrat; A. W. Neihart, republican.

Elmwood precinct—Road overseer, William Rush, democrat and republican; assessor, W. O. Schewe, democrat; Herman Schmidt, republican; constable, S. Leis, W. Richards, democrats; W. O. Gillespie, J. M. Bosworth, republicans; justice of the peace, George Skiles, J. Wood, democrats; F. M. Ball, Charles Ward, republican.

South Bend precinct—Road overseer, Dave Campbell, republican; William Richards, by petition; assessor, M. E. Bushnell, republican; William Richards, by petition; justice of the peace, Fred Weaver, republican.

Weeping Water precinct—Road overseer, Joseph Seent, republican; assessor, Robert B. Jameson, republican; constable, Theodore Davis, republican; justice of the peace, Torrence Fleming, republican.

Center precinct—Road overseer, Andrew Krecklow, democrat; assessor, August Pautsch, democrat; constable, James Murphy, democrat; justice of the peace, Theodore Harms, democrat.

Louisville precinct—Road overseer, H. V. Pankonin, democrat; J. M. Hoover, republican; A. J. Dietrich, by petition; assessor, John Group, democrat; J. G. Schoeman, republican; constable, Charles Reichart, L. Boedeker, democrats; F. J. Pettit, republican; justice of the peace, James Brobst, Theodore Amick, democrats; J. P. Wood, republican.

Avoca precinct—Road overseer, E. H. Norris, republican; assessor, J. W. Brendel, democrat; Walter Cole, republican; constable, Ben Mohr, Geo. Peters, democrats; Carl Schroeder, republican; justice of the peace, Milton G. Keedy, democrat; George D. Maseman, E. H. Norris, republicans.

Mt. Pleasant precinct—Road overseer, William Renner, democrat; R. B. Leffler, republican; assessor, Albert Heneger, democrat; Wilson Gilmore, republican; constable, Z. W. Shrader, democrat; Edward Ruby, Will Philpot, republicans; justice of the peace, Charles Herren, democrat; J. W. Philpot, M. C. Walker, republicans.

Eight Mile Grove precinct—Road overseer, Louis Keil, democrat; John Busch, republican; assessor, G. P. Meisinger, democrat; J. O. Ward, republican; constable, John Spence, democrat; Walter Schneider, republican; justice of the peace, Sanford J. Reams, democrat; John Wolff, republican.

Nehawka precinct—Road overseer,

R. B. Stone, democrat; John A. Whiteman, republican; assessor, N. Opp, democrat; W. A. Kirkpatrick, republican; constable, A. W. Platt, republican and democrat; justice of the peace, C. M. Chriswiser, democrat; George C. Sheldon, republican.

Liberty precinct—Road overseer, Fred Clark, democrat; assessor, J. T. Reynolds, democrat.

First Rock Bluffs—Road overseer, William Rex Young, democrat; assessor, George Smith, democrat.

Second Rock Bluffs—Road overseer, Frank Slagel, democrat; W. A. Baker, republican; Walter Byers, by petition; assessor, George Smith, democrat; constable, John Wurga, democrat; S. D. Fitchorn, republican; justice of the peace, Ed. Worl, democrat; Mark Furlong, republican.

Plattsmouth precinct—Road overseer, C. F. Vallery, democrat; assessor, G. W. Snyder, democrat.

Weeping Water City—Police magistrate, P. S. Barnes, republican; assessor, H. G. Race, democrat; E. B. Taylor, republican; constable, R. D. McNurlin, democrat; C. S. Newlon, republican; I. W. Teegarden, republican; P. S. Barnes, republican and by petition; E. B. Taylor, republican.

HENRY SNOKE, CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER THIRD DISTRICT, VISITS OUR CITY

Henry Snoke, democratic candidate for county commissioner from the Third commissioner district, came over last evening from his home at Eagle to spend a few days here in Plattsmouth interviewing the voters and becoming acquainted with the citizens. Mr. Snoke is one of the best citizens in his section of the county, and while not so well known here in the eastern part of the county is one of the leading citizens of Tipton precinct, and if chosen to the office of commissioner will bring to that office splendid qualifications. He is easy to approach and every resident of Cass county will find him always ready to listen to their requests. He is also a successful, level-headed man who will devote to the office for which he is a candidate his whole time and energy, and is a man large enough in intellect to realize that the interests of the whole county are in his hands and will administer his office with that object in view. The voters of Cass county certainly will make no mistake in electing Mr. Snoke as the next commissioner from the Third district.

AGAIN ON TRAIL OF DRIVERS OF VEHICLES WHO HAVE NO RESPECT FOR OTHERS

The police committee of the city council are again on the trail of the drivers of vehicles who do not comply with the rules of the road in driving their cars or teams and wagons along Main street in the manner that is prescribed by law. The police have been instructed to take the matter up and try and straighten them out in order to avoid accidents through the driving of the vehicles along the wrong side of the street as well as in leaving their teams unhitched along the street. The movement is a very good one and in their efforts the police should have the aid and co-operation of the drivers in trying to avoid accidents that will sooner or later occur through the practices.

Notice to Hunters.

All parties found trespassing or hunting on my farm one mile north of the cemetery, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. This notice means just what it says, and the wise men will heed it.

Henry Hilbert.

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THE DORIS DALE MINSTREL MAIDS AT THE PARMELE THEATRE MONDAY NIGHT

The Doris Dale Minstrel Maids that will appear in this city at the Parmele theatre on Monday evening numbers a collection of most pleasing artists both in the musical and dancing line, whose work has been a revelation in the different cities where they have shown. The latest songs, choruses, solos, duets and quartettes will be furnished by the ladies comprising the company. All manner of dancing, including the Scotch, buck and wing, tango, serpentine and toe dancing, as well as a number of the classic dances, will be introduced during the evening's entertainment that will prove a most delightful feature of the minstrel. The company of lovely and accomplished players are governed with one of the finest sets of costumes ever carried by any company appearing here in recent years, and to miss this will be to miss one of the best attractions that will be here for many months.

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