



To Our Friends:---

At this joyous Holiday Season we turn in gratitude to you, our friend and patron. We heartily thank you for the good will you have shown us.

We extend you our most cordial greetings and best wishes for Peace, Prosperity and Happiness and for those whose happiness depends upon you.

Sincerely Yours,

H. M. SOENNICHSEN



GIVE TEMPORARY LIGHT INCREASE

ORDINANCE GIVING TEMPORARY INCREASE, WAS PASSED BY CITY COUNCIL.

GRAPPLING WITH INFLUENZA

And Allow Expenses For Firemen Attending State Convention At Fremont.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Last evening there was not a member missing from his place when the gavel of the Mayor rapped to order, and the reading to two sets of minutes was listened to with a commendable degree of patience. The first thing to challenge the attention of the law makers, was a request for an increase in rates for the electric current, this was deferred until under another head, and the regular order of business proceeded with.

Finance Committee Report.
The report of the finance committee showed the following collection of accounts, and were recommended to be paid by vote of council:

Bills Paid.	
John Zitka, road work.....	\$12.95
J. H. McMaken, sand etc.....	19.80

C. C. Barnard, dragging.....	9.00
M. Lutz.....	24.80
James Wynn, road work.....	6.30
Q. K. Parmele, road work.....	3.50
Luke Rennard, road work.....	33.25
Peters & Parker, keys.....	1.00
Peters & Parker, repairs on City Hall.....	62.50
F. R. Gobelman, work on City Hall.....	6.90
	\$210.00

Will Send Delegates.

Under the head of the Voluntary Fire Department, which the council at its last meeting had instructed the Fire and Water Committee, to attend the last meeting of the Fire Department, and council with them, the committee had to report, that they had been at the meeting, and had found, that the department was a weak sister in number of members, but that they were picking up, and would soon have a number of new members in and that the numerical strength of the department would soon be greater.

Embodied in the report, which was made by Councilman Harris from the Fifth Ward, he made a motion that forty dollars be appropriated to bear the expenses of two delegates to the state fireman's convention which is to meet in Fremont in January. This provoked much discussion, and was passed by every legislator voting for it, when the roll was called.

The Snow Ordinance.

The city attorney was asked to report upon his investigations, on the ordinance governing the matter of snow on side walks, and said

in substance, that the ordinances, touching that was so framed that the leaving of snow on the walks in front of one's resident or place of business, was made a misdemeanor, and was punishable by arrest and fine, for the one guilty of the offense, and that this did not apply to one who was a non resident, as they could not get service on such. Regarding the matter of taxing the removing of the snow from walks, to the property abutting, he said: "There was no laws on the statute which would allow this procedure, and therefore, what was supposed could be done in that line was now sanctioned by the law. The committee which had in hand the repairing of the city hall after the future, reported that it had been done and that the damage payment by the insurance companies, has provided for the repairs."

Light Ordinance Passed.

Then was taken up the matter of the increasing of the electric light ordinance, which was drawn to allow an increase during the months of January, February, March and April of 1919, and allowed an increase of ten per cent of all bills for the time, on current used for both light and power to private consumers. The ordinance after having been read by text the first time, was placed upon its reading by motion of Luschinsky and supported by Beeson, placed upon its second and third reading by title, under suspension of the rules. The vote was then taken which gave the Nebraska Lighting Company the privilege of charging the new rates, beginning with the first of the com-

ing year. One roll call all voted in favor of the passage of the ordinance.

It was claimed that this increase of the electric light would carry the gas, which is claimed to be the losing proposition through, until the company would begin making ice again in the spring. The matter is now disposed of, and is up to the company and the public for final arbitrament.

Appreciate Home Guards Service.

Mayor Schneider said, that when the first report of the signing of the peace protocol, the one which was not, the feeling ran pretty high and that there was danger of trouble, and of such magnitude, that the police power were unable to grapple with the question. He had appealed to Captain Rawls of the Home Guards, for protection, during that night, when things looked pretty bad for some elements, and the protection had been given in the shape of a guard sent by Captain Rawls. There was no bill presented for the services, and the Mayor stated that he thought it nothing more than right that a gift be given to the Home Guards company, in recognition of their efficient work. The motion to appropriate the sum of \$25.00 passed with every one eager to vote for same.

Influenza Relief Committee.

Mayor Schneider reported that there were numerous instances in the city where there were all sick at one house, and that it had been impossible to get anyone to care for those homes, and that the physician had to build fires when he went to call on his patients. This condition should be taken care of, and recommended something be done to alleviate it. Much discussion was had on the subject, and the matter was disposed of by the setting aside one hundred dollars, for the use of a committee, which should be created to look after such cases in the city. Many would be glad to pay the bills themselves, but as in many instances it was not a matter of paying, but being able to get the desired service. The motion prevailed, and the money was set aside.

Would Erect Monument.

Buttery in a neat address presented the matter of having set aside a plot of ground in the cemetery, for the purpose of erecting a monument to the boys from Cass county, who have given their lives, for their country in the late war. The motion prevailed which was offered for setting aside the ground, and the inviting the commissioners to erect the monument for all the Cass County boys.

Eczema spreads rapidly; itching almost drives you mad. For quick relief, Donn's Ointment is well recommended. 60c at all stores.

Last evening Morris Stander arrived in the city from Marion, Ia., where he has been for some time, working on a farm, but had the influenza so that he could not work very much, and after having gotten over that sprained both arms so that it kept him from work also.

Wm. Rockseim, and family departed this morning for Lincoln, where they will spend Christmas at the home of relatives and friends, that having been their home for some time and they having lived there until recently, when they came to Plattsmouth to make their home.

Robert Neill who has just been mustered out from the aviation school at St. Paul, arrived in the city this morning and is visiting at the home of the parents of Mrs. Neill. Gust Lowe and wife of this city and will visit until after Christmas.

M. C. Franks was a visitor in Omaha this afternoon, where she will visit with her mother.

Mrs. J. W. Parker departed for Omaha where she will visit with her daughter for the afternoon.

C. M. Parker and wife departed this afternoon for Omaha, where they will visit for the afternoon. Eugene Maurer and wife were visiting in Omaha with friends for Christmas, having gone there this afternoon.

Mrs. James Andrews departed this afternoon for Omaha, where she is looking after some business for the day.

Money to loan on city real estate by the Plattsmouth Loan & Building Association. See T. M. Patterson, Secretary. 3-21fd

Stomach Trouble.

"Before I used Chamberlain's Tablets I doctored a great deal for stomach trouble and felt nervous and tired all the time. These tablets helped me from the first, and inside of a week's time I had improved in every way," writes Mrs. L. A. Drinkard, Jefferson City, Mo.

WISHING A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

APPRECIATING THE MANY KIND COURTESIES EXTENDED THE NEWS GATHERER, IN

HIS ENDEAVOR TO MAKE A NEWSY PAPER

He Wishes All to Know Their Kindnesses, And Assistance is Greatly Appreciated.

For any concern, be it great or small, to publish a readable newspaper every day, week in and week out, and through times when there is plenty of news, and when there is dearth of items, it is a difficult task, and one man, however hard he shall work, can not cover any given territory, and gather the items of interest to the people, and it is the people we server, cannot accomplish the task, unaided. We have met with friends, who are hosts, who are willing to do all they can to aid in the making of a paper here worthy of the name, and fulfilling the mission of such an institution. We are indebted to their kindnesses, in the many ways which our friends have assisted us in gathering the best of news.

We want those friends who have so nicely assisted in making this publication the great medium it is, and has been, for that public spirit-

“AND there were in the same country Shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the Angel of the Lord came upon them; and they were sore afraid.

AND the Angel said unto them, fear not, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

FOR unto you is born this day in the City of David, a Savior which is Christ the Lord.” —Gospel of Luke 2:8-11.

We wish you a joyous Christmas,
C. E. WESCOTT'S SONS

ed and unselfish support, which they have given. For the future it will be our aim, to make the Platts-mouth Journal even better than it has been in the past, and we are certain, with the aid of our friends the public, we will be able to do so. When you have an item of interest, if you cannot see us, call us on the telephone, and we will be pleased to receive the news. This is your city, you make your home here, and as well, it is ours, and let us all work to make it the best town, for we have elected to live here, and let us have the best home paper, that it is possible to publish. Again thanking all for their friendship, for their co-operation and assistance, I am wishing all a Merry Christmas, and Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE REPORTER.

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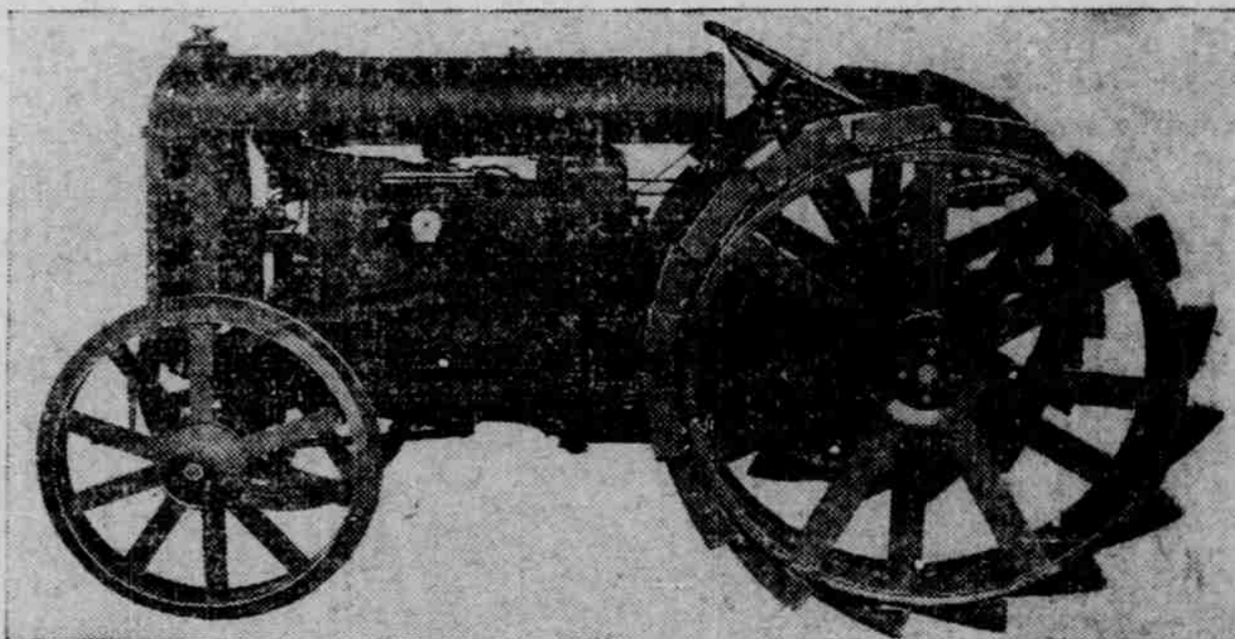
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Peace on Earth



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