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DOINGS OF THE DADS.

The City Council Decides to Investigate the Water Works—Bills Allowed, Etc.

The city council met in regular session on Monday night, with all the members present excepting Councilman Steinke.

After Clerk Kerr had read the minutes of the two preceding meetings, a communication from Mrs. Adelia O'Neil was read relating to the opening of south Fifth street south of the shops, and on motion of White the communication was placed on file and the street commissioner ordered to furnish the residents of that vicinity with sufficient lumber to build a small bridge.

A letter from Chas. E. Eddy, president of the Plattsmouth Water Co., to Mayor Newell, in which Mr. Eddy declined to give the city any relief in the way of reduction of hydrant rental was, on motion of Grimes, placed on file.

At this point White wanted the city to make a test in order to ascertain whether the pressure was such as called for in the water contract with the city. Gutech desired a chemical test of the water to find its purity, and Hinshaw moved that the committee on fire and water make such tests, which was carried unanimously.

A debate as to whether the cemetery should be mowed at the city's expense, or only the streets and alleys thereof, was finally settled by ordering the entire cemetery mowed by contract to be entered into by the cemetery committee.

The reports of the police judge and marshal were, on motion of Grimes, referred to police committee.

Treasurer Unruh's report submitted showed a total balance on hand of \$11,082.32. The report showed enough funds in the Parmele judgment fund to pay off the same, and it was so ordered on motion of Gutech.

On motion of White the five per cent penalty on delinquent paying tax on the Pronger property on Main street was remitted, as the owner desired to pay the same but objected to the penalty and heavy interest.

A general dissertation upon the evils of small boys was indulged in by nearly every member of the council, Grimes, White, Gutech and Barwick all testifying to the inherent spirit of cussedness prevailing in the city concerning neediness and mischievous destruction of property.

Claims were allowed as follows: Public Library, exp. \$2.50; Terra Cottis Co., mdse. 80; Peter Claus, labor. 2.25; C. L. Marshall, sal and labor. 12.80; A. L. Harkins, labor. 7.55; Ross Little, same. 2.10; N. Jones, same. 2.10; O. Gillson, same. 1.50; Jacob Hank, same. 1.80; M. McCool, same. 1.05; A. Broback, same. 1.35; Al. Britton, same. 1.20; L. Kilow, same. 1.10; Evening News, printing. 4.25; A. H. Weckbach, mdse. 2.45; Cass County, boarding prisoners. 3.50; Wm. Gingery, labor. 3.00; Jno. Murray, salary. 40.00; John Fitzpatrick, same. 40.00; I. H. Dunn, same. 50.00; Jno. Waterman, same. 2.50; E. E. Hilton, laying monuments. 3.00; Sam Archer, sand. 8.00; M. Blatt, hauling dogs. 2.50.

They Play Ball Today.

The much-talked-of game of baseball between the county officials of Otoe and Cass counties will be played at Nebraska City today.

The Missouri Pacific railway has made a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip between Plattsouth, Union, Nehawka and Weeping Water and Nebraska City, and a special coach will be attached to the morning freight.

AROUND THE COURT ROOMS.

George W. Covell, Esq., of Omaha, was in the city Monday on legal business.

E. H. Woolley, of Lincoln, was in Plattsouth the first of the week attending matters in the district court.

Attorneys Al. Timblin, J. E. Douglass and J. H. Haldeman, of Weeping Water, were in the city the first of the week attending district court.

The May term of the district court convened last Monday morning with Judge Chapman on the bench. The day was spent in calling the docket and hearing motions and special pleas. On Tuesday morning special matters were heard and court adjourned until yesterday, at which time the case of Sadie Kinsey vs. Walter Scott et al was tried and taken under advisement by the court.

Samuel Everett, a batchelor, living a short distance southeast of this city, has of late been observed by his neighbors to act very strange. On Tuesday last a complaint was filed charging him with insanity.

Judge Chapman has appointed C. S. Polk, J. L. Root, A. J. Graves, Byron Clark and B. S. Ramsey, as a board to conduct the examination of candidates for admission to the bar at the present term of court.

The encalyptus tree. The culture of the encalyptus tree has become very common in California. This tree is used for various purposes, the most common use being for fuel.

The Lincoln Asylum Investigation. In the investigation of the management of the asylum under Dr. Hay before the governor, Mr. and Mrs. Weart, former attendants at the asylum, but now located at the Norfolk asylum, testified to mistreatment of a patient named Mrs. Brown.

White Has Pure Ice. In addition to having an ice house well filled with the purest kind of channel ice obtainable, Witte & Co. have the most competent deliverman in the city.

Jury in the Hill Case Disagree.

After being out twenty-nine hours the jury in the case of the state vs. ex-Treasurer Hill was discharged by the court, for the reason that it was no nearer to an agreement on a verdict than when it first went to the jury room.

The whole community extends its heartfelt sympathy to the husband and surviving children in this, their sad bereavement. The funeral will take place from the family residence west of town at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The educational meeting. Superintendents Farley, Clarke and Crabtree went to Denver last week and arranged accommodations for the teachers of Cass and Saunders counties for the N. E. A. convention there July 8 to 12.

Chain Them Up. The mysterious leaving of their homes by married men of late has become an epidemic and from all over the country comes daily the stories of their sudden dropping out of their busy life and leaving their families without apparent cause.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1895. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

Leave your order for the season's ice with Poisall.

DEMISE OF MRS. VALLERY.

Mary, the Faithful Consort of Jacob Vallery, Sr., Crosses the Dark River—The Funeral Tomorrow.

Yesterday morning at 8 o'clock Mary, wife of Jacob Vallery, Sr., departed this life. She had been sick about one day with heart failure, superinduced by old age, when the messenger of death rapped at her door.

The deceased was born in Germany seventy-six years ago, and in girlhood came with her parents to Ohio. It was there she was married to her kind and loving husband, who still survives her.

The whole community extends its heartfelt sympathy to the husband and surviving children in this, their sad bereavement.

The funeral will take place from the family residence west of town at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. H. B. Burgess, officiating. She will be laid at rest beside her two children at Oak Hill cemetery in this city.

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Teachers of Saunders and Cass counties are requested to write to county superintendents as soon as they are reasonably certain of going as to be sure of a room.

A prominent Wholesale Grocer of Omaha. To the afflicted: Several years ago I discovered a slight falling and bleeding of the lower bowel which increased and became very distressing.

To Whom It May Concern: I am making a genuine effort to close out my business here, so that I can join my family in California soon.

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IN AND AROUND THE TOWN.

Dr. Marshall, DENTIST Fitzgerald block. Gering & Co., sell the Munyon remedies.

Leave your order for the season's ice with Poisall. Headquarters for cheese at Weckbach's grocery.

Two packages of Arbuckle's coffee, 45c, at McCourt's. New and fresh groceries every day at A. H. Weckbach's.

Miss Mollie Tucker and Mrs. T. L. Murphy were in Omaha on Monday. The "Plan Sifter" flour is the popular brand. Ask for it from your grocer.

Graham Bros.' toilet soaps—the finest in the world—at cost at McCourt's. Miss Ollie Jones and Mrs. Geo. E. Dovey were Omaha visitors on Friday last.

Leave your orders for job work with THE JOURNAL, an artistic job guaranteed. Tom Walling, abstractor of titles, Todd block. Guarantees accuracy of all his work.

When you paint your house, barn or vehicles, get the best paint. F. G. Fricke & Co. sell it. Money to loan by the Livingston Loan and Building association.

Apply to H. R. Gering, secretary. Other firms may come and go, but Herold & Son, the old reliable dry goods house, keeps on forever.

Ask Attorneys Byron Clark and C. A. Rawls how they like operating a sail boat on the Missouri river. D. W. Foster, one of the pioneer settlers in the vicinity of Union was a Plattsouth visitor on Monday.

Buy the improved Singer sewing machine. Anton Trillity, local agent, office in Unruh's furniture store. Miss Dora Fricke returned Tuesday from a short visit with her friend, Mrs. John Donelan of Weeping Water.

Judges of good cigars agree that the Exquisitos is one of the best nickel cigars in the market. Ask for them. The "O. K." bath rooms will remain open on Sundays until 12 o'clock (noon.) Best baths in the city. Price 15 cents.

Eagle and Eclipse bicycles sold by T. E. Parmele, agent. Agency at Smith & Parmele's drug store. See him before buying. Wm. Loughridge, the genial blacksmith at Murray, was attending to business in Plattsouth the latter part of the week.

George Dodge, wife and son Roy, last Tuesday evening departed over the C. B. & Q. for a months visit at their old home in Pennsylvania. McCourt has just received from his fruit farm at San Jacinto, Cal., a consignment of fine evaporated apricots, to be sold at 10c—cost laid down.

Choice canned fruits and vegetables, such as raspberries, strawberries, blackberries, plums, beans and peas—at 10 cents a can. Zuckweiler & Lutz. The Nehawka Register says: The citizens of Union do not care to shoulder the Cass county fair and the \$1,000 or more debt hanging over the society.

The Sherwin-Williams prepared paint covers most, looks best, wears longest, is most economical and of full measure. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co. Miss Gertrude Kerney, until recently stenographer in Byron Clark's law office, is now filling a similar position in U. S. Marshal White's office at Omaha.

The fern social at White's opera house last evening, given by the ladies of St. Agnes' guild, was a complete success. A snug sum was realized by the ladies. This is the best time of the year to paint your houses, barns and fences. F. G. Fricke & Co. keep a full stock of the best prepared paints in the market, at low prices.

A Story & Camp organ, in first class condition, good as new, to trade for a good fresh cow. Apply to Mrs. G. F. S. Burton, Marble street, Plattsouth, or postoffice box 103. Cols. Elge and Benscoter, the Bethlehem fishermen, captured an eighty-two pound cat fish at the head of "Sundown" island on Tuesday, and marketed it in this city.

Harvey Holloway has concluded to take part in the great six day bicycle race at the Coliseum in Omaha next month. The racing will be two and one half hours each evening. Capt. Mapes has received an invitation to bring company C to Elmwood on July 4th and there meet a company

from Lincoln. There will be some prizes for which to drill.—Nebraska City News.

The home of Myron E. Wheeler at Lincoln was partially destroyed by fire last week. Mr. Wheeler is well known in this city and his many friends will be pleased to learn that the loss is nearly covered by insurance.

The quarterly conference of the United Brethren church for the Hillsdale, Iowa, circuit will be held at the Bethlehem church on Saturday, May 25th. Presiding Elder Cronk, Rev. Preston and others will be in attendance.

Mrs. W. J. Bryan will address the woman's club of this city, next Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Samuel Waugh. She will be accompanied by her husband, who with her will visit their numerous friends here during the day.

The river has been raising steadily for the past few days, and a raise of eighteen inches since Sunday is reported. Rivermen believe this to be the commencement of the annual June raise, which is a few weeks earlier than usual.

On the evening of May 9th Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dovey entertained the five club at their beautiful home in this city. Enjoyment reigned supreme throughout the evening, and those present by their pleasant remembrance of the occasion can testify to the abundant hospitality of host and hostess.

The authorities of Mills county, Iowa, succeeded in placing Clay Connors under arrest at Pacific Junction on Monday, and he is now an occupant of the county jail at Glenwood. Connors was indicted by the Mills county grand jury for selling liquor contrary to law at Pacific Junction, and pending trial was released on bond. He then came over to Plattsouth and did not appear for trial on the date set, leaving his bondsmen in the lurch.

The Lincoln News says: A young man working on the farm of Thomas Allen, ten miles north of Eagle, accidentally shot himself in the forehead yesterday afternoon while toying with a gun. He squinted down the barrel and pulled the trigger. The ball made a jagged wound but did not enter the skull. He refused to give his name, saying, "I have a father and mother in Lincoln, but I don't want them to know what a d— fool I was monkeying with that revolver."

At the delightful residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Richardson, at Eight Mile Grove last Saturday evening occurred one of the leading social events of the season, in honor of their daughter Florence, who will, as soon as her school closes, take an extended trip to Denver, Salt Lake City and to many places in California. Besides the friends in their vicinity many young people attended from this city. With the exception of a mishap in which one of the carryalls from this city was overturned, but none of the occupants severely injured, the occasion was a very enjoyable one.

President of the Gosney Live Stock Company Writes: Gentlemen—I have for months been a sufferer from Itching Piles, and tried numerous so-called remedies which did me no good. I procured a box of MAGNET PILE KILLER, and I confess the first application gave me great relief, and while I feel I am not entirely cured, I believe that before I have the entire box used I will be well. To every one suffering with this unpleasant disease I sincerely recommend MAGNET PILE KILLER. Yours Truly, SAM GOSNEY, South Omaha, Neb. Pres. Gosney Live Stock Company. Nine days later Mr. Gosney writes: "I am entirely cured of the Piles and MAGNET PILE KILLER did it." For sale by Gering & Co. \$100,000 to loan. National Exchange Co. See adv't. another column. 14.

Farmers Attention. There is no doubt but what Cass county will have a good crop, and in view of this fact we will sell you Wall Paper, Paints and Oil. At prices too low to mention. You all know that "paint points to prosperity," so be sure and paint your house and barn. Gering & Co.