

STRICTLY PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George Porter spent Monday visiting in Ansley. Charles S. Shaw, of Callaway, was a city visitor Friday. E. T. York, of Lexington, was in the city Saturday.

John Turner made a business trip to Ansley Monday. W. H. Morrell, of Callaway, was in the city Monday.

J. M. Horn and wife of Cumro, were city visitors last Saturday. Aubrey Martin went to Kearney and back in his auto Monday.

F. M. Green and wife, of Ansley, were in the city Saturday.

Chas. Bowman and wife were passengers for the east Sunday evening.

E. C. Gibbons, of Comstock, was in the city on business Monday.

J. E. Evans and Fred Pickens, of Berwyn, came up from Berwyn Saturday.

A. P. Dobesh, who lives south of Ansley, was looking after business in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Haumont, of Elton, were in the city Friday.

Miss Junie Cline, of New Hope, visited with Miss Leota Huffaker the first of the week.

Rev. W. X. Xanders went to Kearney Tuesday evening expecting to return this morning.

Snyder Bros. and a group of their friends went up to Merna in their autos Monday afternoon.

Mrs. I. P. Bell, of New Helena visited with her daughter, Mrs. Ross Moore, for a few days the first of the week.

D. C. Reynolds, of Eddyville, was in the city Monday and Tuesday looking after county business.

G. L. Hompes, loan examiner for Woodward Bros., of Lincoln, was in the city last Thursday and passed favorably on some farm loans made by Ross Moore.

Ross Pickett made a business trip to Lexington last Thursday. Wm. Worth went to Columbus Tuesday evening on business.

Deputy Assessor W. D. Hall, of Sargent, came over to this city Friday to turn in his books. W. S. Mattley, of Ansley, was in the city on business Monday and Tuesday.

The Rev. Geo. Baily, D. D., of Washington, D. C. will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening.

Charles Gadd is visiting his parents in the city. Charles may stay here and play with the Broken Bow base ball team this summer.

Misses Margaret and Johanna Foley, of Merna, stopped off in the city Monday on their way to Knox county where they are going to visit relatives.

Will Kennedy, of the firm of Miller & Kennedy, went to Omaha Monday evening. While there he will purchase two car loads of buggies and machinery.

Edmond Rourke, of Merna, and Pete Mullin, of the real estate firm of Mullin Bros, left Monday evening for Southland to look over some Lincoln county land.

Den Sweeney and son, of the West Table, were in the city Monday to take in the Decoration day exercises. They report the crops on the West Table as doing nicely.

Charles Grabert, of Merna, who shipped a car of cattle to Omaha last week stopped in the city Tuesday on his return. Mr. Grabert was very well satisfied with the price he received for his cattle.

Elsie Saville, of the University School of Music, will give lessons in piano and harmony. Seventy-five cents for forty-five minute lessons. Address Ansley, Nebr.

Through an error the burglar alarm in the Broken Bow State bank went off late Monday evening. The sounding of the bell caused some excitement, but further than that it was of no consequence.

The Broken Bow business college base ball team was defeated Saturday by the Prairie Hill nine by the score of 9 to 6.

I. H. Hatfield, secretary, of the Security Savings and Loan Association, was in the city last Friday closing some farm loans through the agency of Ross G. Moore. Mr. Hatfield was favorably impressed with the improvement being made in the city and the prospect for the future growth of the city.

The stakes for the coming Nebraska State fair, September 6-10, closed with all eight races satisfactorily. Not less than ten horses were named in any one of the events and the management concluded to let them all go. Six of them are for \$1000 purses. The entries in the last races were extremely gratifying.

Miss Pearle Hunter is installing a hot water plant and a complete sanitary plumbing equipment in her new house near the south side school house. The Presbyterian parsonage and the residences of Dal Campbell, Thomas Adams, Tom Myers and F. M. Olmsted, will all be equipped with complete sanitary plumbing this spring and summer. This work is all being done by Anderson and Forney, the young men who purchased the tin shop of W. P. Rogers near the southwest corner of the public square. These men have had several years experience in the business and their work is giving excellent satisfaction.

Drink "Blue Ribbon" coffee. Roasted fresh every day. 24-1f.

An Ordinance granting unto John W. Early, his successors and assigns, the right to erect, lay, build, acquire, maintain and operate a plant for the generation, manufacture and distribution of electricity for light, heat and power, and steam and hot water for heat and power and for the purpose to erect and maintain all necessary buildings, poles, wires, conduits, pipes, transformers and other necessary equipment for the carrying and distribution of electricity and heat, including the right to place all pipes, conduits and other necessary appliances for the distribution of the same along the streets, alleys and other public places in the city of Broken Bow, Custer county, Nebraska, where it may be necessary to erect and maintain the same, and establishing rates and fixing forfeitures and penalties.

Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Council of the City of Broken Bow, Nebraska.

Section 1. That John W. Early, his successors and assigns be and hereby is authorized and empowered with license and the full right to erect, lay, build, acquire, maintain and operate an Electric, Light, Heat and Power System in the City of Broken Bow for profit with the right to erect place change, remove and maintain poles, fixtures, conduits, pipes and all other means of support and stringing wires laying underground pipes under along, over and across streets, avenues alleys public grounds and ways and all public property in the City of Broken Bow and all the additions thereto, and to be hereafter annexed, with poles, fixtures wires transformers, overhead construction and to lay and maintain underground conduits and pipes to construct the necessary manholes make house connections and to distribute pipes from such underground conduits in and through the streets and alleys of the City of Broken Bow as may be necessary for the purpose of establishing, conducting, maintaining and carrying on the business of Light, Heat and Power Service both aerially and underground, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter stated.

Provided that the said John W. Early his successors and assigns at fault, as the case may be shall be and remain solely and exclusively responsible for all damage to person and property that may occur by reason of any negligence or unskillfulness in carrying on such work, or in the subsequent repair or changes therein and the said John W. Early his successors and assigns, as aforesaid, shall hold safe and harmless the said city of Broken Bow in its municipal capacity for any and all loss or damage of any kind or description by reason thereof, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter stated.

Section 2. The work of constructing such plant or system shall be begun within sixty (60) days from the date of the acceptance of this ordinance, and the power house and equipment shall be complete and in operation within eight months from the date of said acceptance, provided, however that if delayed in the progress of such work by strikes, legal proceedings or other unavoidable cause or causes, then the limitations as to the commencement of the work and the completion thereof is hereby extended for such period as the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns may be so delayed.

Section 3. That the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns shall not charge or collect for electric current service from any person or persons who shall be consumers of current, in excess of the following schedule:

Table with 2 columns: Wattage (e.g., 1000, 1500, 2000) and Rate (e.g., 10 cents, 15 cents, 20 cents per 1000 watt hrs. per mo.)

There shall be a minimum rate of \$1.00 per month for each installation, it being understood that single offices shall be included under residential lighting.

For Commercial Lighting, 15 cents per 1000 watt hrs. from 1,000

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There shall be a minimum rate of \$1.00 per month for each installation, the following rates may be charged at the option of the consumer to-wit:

- 1. Hour demand service per day .20 c per K. W.
2. Hour demand service per day .16 c per K. W.
3. Hour demand service per day .13 c per K. W.
4. Hour demand service per day .10 c per K. W.
5. Hour demand service per day .08 c per K. W.
6. Hour demand service per day .07 c per K. W.
7. Hour demand service per day .065 c per K. W.
8. Hour demand service per day .06 c per K. W.
9. Hour demand service per day .055 c per K. W.
10. Hour demand service per day .05 c per K. W.

And the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, shall establish, maintain and operate without expense to the said city of Broken Bow, five (5) electric arc lights of 2000 C. P. each or five (5) arc lamps of incandescent lights, at the option of the said City at such place or places as the City Council of said City may direct.

All street lighting to be on an all night service upon a moonlight schedule.

Section 4. All renewals of lamps shall be furnished consumers at actual cost thereof by the said John W. Early, or his assigns.

Section 5. That in the pursuance of the rights herein granted the said John W. Early his successors or assigns, are hereby required to so locate poles and other structures in streets, avenues and alleys, along the streets and alleys inside the line of curbing or the outer sidewalk line along either outside line or side of alleys so as not to impede public flow of water or create a nuisance within said town, except when the said John W. Early his successors or assigns, are in and about the construction or repair of the said plant.

Section 6. All poles posts wire and other fixtures, pipes and conduits shall be located and subject to the limitations hereinafter provided due regard being had to the convenience and welfare of the said John W. Early his successors and assigns.

Section 7. Said John W. Early, or his assigns, shall at all times when requested by the proper city authorities, permit the poles and fixtures to be used for the purpose of plugging and maintaining thereon all wires that may be necessary for the use of the Fire Department or Police of the city. Said poles and wires shall be so placed as not to interfere with the ordinary traffic and all primary wires shall not be less than 25 feet from the ground.

Section 8. If the work is not prosecuted with reasonable diligence for the construction of the said Light, Heat and Power System as provided in Section 2 of this ordinance and shall not be completed within the time herein specified, excepting that part pertaining to the underground conduits, and pipes for heating, and under the terms herein specified, in that event every right and privilege herein granted shall be wholly forfeited, that is to say that the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns shall within eight (8) months after his acceptance of this grant franchise and privilege have constructed and in operation an Electric Light System in the City of Broken Bow, or the right to do so shall be wholly forfeited as aforesaid; provided that said forfeiture shall not apply when such suspension of diligence or construction is caused by such a public calamity as fire, windstorm or steet storm or a public calamity of analogous nature.

Section 9. Before constructing any portion of the work herein authorized the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, shall file with the City Clerk or Mayor of the City of Broken Bow a plan showing the location and character of the proposed work for the said Electric Light System, and the said work shall be performed in accordance with the said plan and thereafter when the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns shall determine to construct any additional part of the work herein authorized, or if more changes in the original plans before such construction is finished, or erect or construct heating service, or any other part of this grant, he shall file with the City Clerk or Mayor of the City of Broken Bow showing location and character of such changes or additional work.

Section 10. That the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, shall within (10) days after the passage of this ordinance, file with the City Clerk his acceptance in writing of all the conditions, privileges and easements contained therein, and shall at the time of the filing of said acceptance deposit with the Treasurer of the City of Broken Bow One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars lawful money, the same to be forfeited to the City of Broken Bow in case of a failure to comply with Section 2 of this ordinance which said One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars shall be returned to the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, upon the completion of the said Electric Lighting Plant according to the express conditions of this franchise and the acceptance when made by the said John W. Early his successors and assigns, shall constitute a valid and binding contract between the said City of Broken Bow and the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns concerning the terms, provisions and stipulations contained in this ordinance.

Section 11. This ordinance to be effective from and after the date of the acceptance of the same by the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, for the full and complete period of Twenty (20) years from the date of the acceptance thereof by the said John W. Early his successors and assigns. Provided that the said City of Broken Bow shall have the right and option on giving one years notice, at any time after the expiration of Ten (10) years from the date of taking effect of this franchise, to purchase the said Plant at a fair valuation to be determined by a Board of Arbitration consisting of six (6) persons, two (2)

to be chosen by the said City of Broken Bow Two (2) to be chosen by the said John W. Early his successors and assigns, and Two (2) to be selected by the Four (4) so chosen as above. The cost of all such arbitration shall be equally divided between the City of Broken Bow and the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns.

Section 12. The Power House shall be of first class construction throughout designed with the idea of symmetry as well as utility. The capacity of the plant and system shall be sufficient to furnish continuous and first class service. A generator to be installed to start with of 100 K. W. capacity. The engine to be of the latest approved standard design for electric light and power service. It of steam to be of sufficient power to carry a load of 50 per cent above rated capacity of generators, and boilers to be of sufficient capacity for same. If of gas or oil the engines to be of sufficient capacity to carry a load of 60 per cent above rated capacity of generators, to be equipped with devices to minimize the noise and smell of exhaust.

The Building. The power house shall be constructed of brick laid up in cement mortar. Exterior walls to be 13 inches or 3 bricks thick re-inforced by means of 7 inch pilasters. Concrete floors 4 1/2 inches thick shall be laid throughout the entire building. The interior height shall not be less than 13 feet at the lowest portion. Smokestack to be set on a brick stub outside of building and connected to the boiler breechings through hole in brick work. The exterior brick work on the building shall be laid up in colored mortar making a neat and attractive exterior. The roof shall be covered with a standard asbestos roofing material.

All exterior lines to be of copper insulated with a triple braid, saturated with weather proof compound, all of which to be up to Roebing standard. All wires to be supported by standard insulators and due precaution taken to be kept free from all other wires, guys, trees and grounds of any nature, and equipped with sufficient lightning arrestors so that the lines and apparatus may be amply protected from all abnormal potential thereby insuring continuous operation.

Section 13. Poles shall be Class A, from 25 to 40 feet in length and not less than 6 inch top, except the 25 ft. poles. The primary wire poles will be 30 ft. by 6 in. in arc poles 35 ft. by 6 in. All poles will be roofed, shaved and painted, set neatly and plumb so as not to be unightly. The primary pole lines shall be built in the alleys and rear of dwellings and business places so far as practical and all current service entrances be preferable at the rear.

Section 14. Allowance for arc lamps not burning shall be made by the parties hereto as follows: If the following night after the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, has received notice that a lamp is not burning, the lamp is not lighted, the said John W. Early his successors and assigns, shall pay forfeit of 25 cents for each night thereafter that lamp is not burning; provided that such lamp is not extinguished by such a public calamity as fire, windstorm or steet storm or a public calamity of analogous nature.

Section 15. That no electric wiring or construction work, whether exterior or interior, shall be done by any person or persons without first obtaining permission of the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns, after satisfactorily evidencing the knowledge and qualifications of an electrician and the said John W. Early, his successors and assigns shall have the right and power to reject any and all electric wiring or construction work that shall be improperly and unsafely installed or constructed. It is agreed that the Rules and Specifications of the National Board of Underwriters shall be taken as a standard.

Section 16. That all machinery installed and used in said plant must be new and a statement from the Manufacturers of said machinery must be furnished stating that said machinery has never been used.

Section 17. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law. Passed, approved and ordered published, April 28th 1909. W. A. George, Mayor.

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