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**The First National Bank of McCook, Neb.**

**THE ISSUE.**

The recent declination of the terms of the new franchise ordinance prepared by the city council has by quite common consent forced the issue of municipal ownership upon the people of McCook. Both the republican and the Peoples' Water ticket recognize this issue by the adoption of resolutions pledging their nominees to municipal ownership, and the questions before the people of McCook are now

Whom shall we entrust this matter of acquiring or building a municipal plant with?

In the event of purchasing the present plant, what shall be the method and price to be paid?

Shall it be a new plant, its scope and details?

By renominating the present retiring councilmen, H. P. Waite and L. W. McConnell, the Republican caucus declares its faith and confidence in those veteran business men and councilmen to do this great and important task, and with its knowledge of the labor these men have performed in attempting to solve this problem, The Tribune believes this confidence is well placed.

They stand pledged to municipal ownership of the water works on the most favorable terms possible for the city.

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**Advertised List.**

The following letters, cards and packages remain uncalled for at the postoffice:

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**Movement For Municipal Ownership**

**PEOPLES' WATER TICKET.**

- For Mayor: JAMES McADAMS.
- For City Clerk: FRANK TRAVER.
- For City Treasurer: L. THORGRIMSON.
- For City Engineer: F. W. DEERE.
- For Councilman, 1st ward: W. A. MIDDLETON.
- For Councilman, 2nd ward: H. C. BROWN.
- For Members Board of Education: THOMAS MOORE. L. SUESS.

The movement for municipal ownership of the water works of this city crystallized Friday evening of last week, into the nomination of a city ticket upon that proposition solely.

James McAdams was nominated for mayor on the ticket which will be known as the Peoples' Water Ticket.

Councilman for the First ward, W. A. Middleton; councilman for the second ward, H. C. Brown.

City Clerk, Frank Traver. City treasurer, Louis Thorgrimson. Police judge, W. B. Whittaker. City Engineer, F. W. Deere. Members board of education, Lud-

wig Suess and Thomas Moore. The platform of the ticket is briefly and concisely as follows:

**PEOPLES' WATER PLATFORM.**

1st. For municipal ownership of a water plant for the City of McCook by purchase and extension of the existing plant at a reasonable valuation, or, the building of a new system of waterworks by the city.

2nd. Against the granting of a franchise to any company or corporation whatever for the construction and operation of a water plant for the City of McCook, upon any terms whatsoever.

3rd. As we view the above issues as the only ones before the voters of McCook at this time we are opposed to any policies whatever disturbing the present lawful status of any business affairs whatever.

F. W. DEERE.  
JAS. McADAMS.  
S. S. GARVEY.

The City Water Ticket's municipal committee is composed of W. A. Middleton, chairman; G. E. Thompson, committeeman for First ward; Frank J. Rolfe, committeeman for the Second ward.

C. G. Bosworth was chairman of the caucus, and W. A. Middleton, secretary.

**Democrats Endorse Peoples' Water**

McCook, Neb., March 20, 1911.

Pursuant to call the democrats met at the city hall. Meeting called to order by the chairman, and the secretary read the call. B. Hofer was elected chairman and F. L. Schwab secretary of the meeting.

Moved and carried to appoint a committee of three on resolutions. The chair appointed Ray Gale, Robt. Gatewood and F. L. Schwab.

A recess was declared for report of committee.

The committee reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, We, the Democrats of the City of McCook, were called together for the purpose of nominating a

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city ticket, we believe the water question to be the principal issue; and whereas the Citizens' party have nominated a ticket which we believe are in accord with our views on this issue, we do not deem it wise to place a third ticket in the field, therefore be it

Resolved, That we favor the Citizens' ticket and adjourn without nominations.

The following committeemen were then elected for the ensuing year:

First ward, Frank Real and S. S. Garvey; Second ward, B. Hofer and F. L. Schwab.

Moved and carried to adjourn. B. HOFER, Chairman. F. L. SCHWAB, Secretary.

**Piano Recital by Pupils.**

Last Saturday Miss Heckman's pupils gave a recital at the home of Mrs. A. M. Williams. This is the first of a series. The program was as follows, and The Tribune learns, incidentally, that the girls gave a fine account of themselves:

Elsie Moore, sonata in D by Haydn. Dorothy Williams, a study by Lemoine.

Ruby Lineburg, "Dance in the Meadow," by Rathbun. May Allen, "Child's Play," by Behr.

Corrine Hasty and Miss Heckman, "Under the Linden," duet by Hiller. Mildred Pennington, study by Kohler.

Ruth Callen, "Witches' Patrol," by Haddington.

Ethel Rozell and Miss Heckman "In Happy Song," duet by Kohler.

Helen Thompson, "The Dying Poet," by Gottschalk.

Virga Bruce, "Cheerfulness," by Bloese.

Izora Rolfe, "Polacca Brillante," by Bohn.

**Corder Foreman.**

Miss Cora Corder and Mr. George Foreman were married at the home of Engineer and Mrs. J. W. Hasty last evening. Rev. L. E. Lewis of the Methodist church performed the ceremony, which was private.

Mr. and Mrs. Foreman leave at once for their future home at Bushnell, Neb.

**Drew Large Audience.**

"Barriers Burned Away" pleased a fine audience in the Temple theatre, last evening. The play is a strongly religious one, based on the great Chicago fire, and the company gave a strong and harmonious presentation.

**Are Most Grateful.**

We are deeply grateful to the Degree of Honor, the neighbors and the friends for assistance and sympathy extended during the illness of our children. We thank you one and all. Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Askey.

The Tribune doesn't know just what the Burlington would do without the McCook division to furnish her officials on demand.

Pythian Sisters dance April 17.

For special on sauer kraut by the gallon see Magner.

E. N. Berry of Idaho Springs, Idaho, is home on a visit.

Present day coliffure is constructed on the grocer's butter display plan—the first tubs are butter, the rest dummies.

**The McCook Tribune.**  
By F. M. KIMMELL

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The Eastman bill providing for the location of an agricultural school in Southwestern Nebraska has been approved by Governor Aldrich. The bill appropriates \$100,000, which will not be available until July next. Holdrege and Cambridge are both candidates for the location—and McCook ought to be the place designated by the board of public lands and buildings, perforce of her importance and population.

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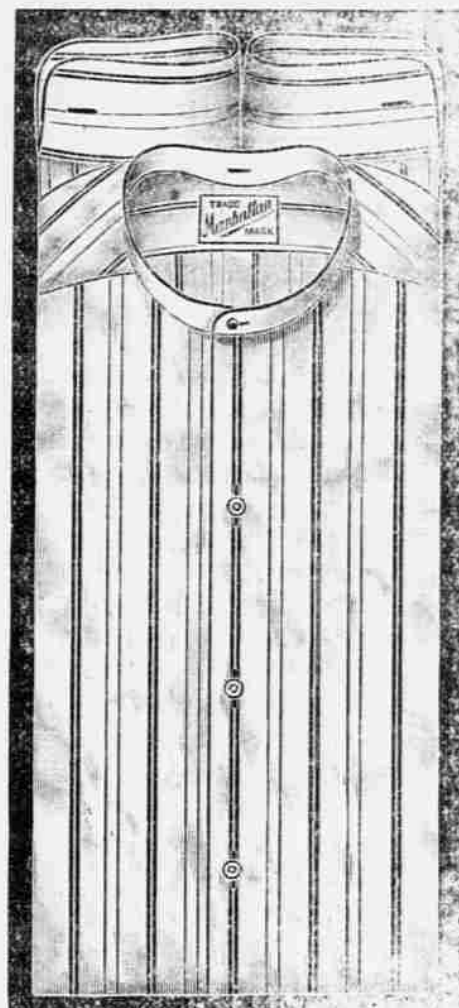
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