

BUSINESS OF THE CITY

Council Met in Regular Session Last Evening.

NAME THE ELECTION BOARDS

Men Who Will Serve in Ward Polling Places—Will Ditch and Clean Ditches—Take Action on Buildings and Permits in Fire Limits.

[From Saturday's Daily.] The city council met in regular session last night with the mayor and all the councilmen present but Tyler.

Mr. Wilkinson of the street and alley committee suggested that the ditches along the streets be cleaned out thoroughly as soon as the ground can be worked sufficiently. Mr. Pasewalk stated that the committee desired to complete the Park avenue ditch as soon as the frost was out of the ground, and thought that they could dispose of enough dirt to bring the necessary money. These matters were left with the committee to look after.

The committee on public works suggested that the pumps at the waterworks should be put in repair before warm weather sets in. The committee was authorized to make needed repairs and purchase such new valves as are necessary.

The fire and police committee reported that they had two of the nozzles for the fire department repaired and had ordered repairs for the other, and the company from which the city had purchased the last hose had offered to furnish new couplings for the hose if the old ones were shipped in to them, and that they were making arrangements to ship them one-half at a time.

The mayor stated that the ordinances regarding the stacking of hay in the city limits seemed to be sufficient and that all persons who were violating the same had been notified to comply with the law and all had expressed a willingness to do so.

The special committee on the Union Pacific railroad water supply reported that they had interviewed the agent and he had promised to take the matter up with the company and would report as soon as possible. The probable cost of a two-inch meter would be \$50. The committee was continued.

The request of Mrs. Louisa Asmus for a permit to put up a frame addition to the rear of her store building was read and the permit was granted, providing that the addition be constructed of brick or other fire-proof material in compliance with the ordinance.

A motion prevailed that H. C. Satter be notified to comply with the ordinances and either veneer his building on Sixth street with brick or remove it outside the fire limits.

O. W. Rish asked for and was granted a plumber's license for the balance of this year and all of next year, the same to be delivered when the rules and regulations governing the matter have been compiled with.

The following judges and clerks at the city election to be held on April 5, were appointed by the council:

First ward—Judges, John Oesterling, C. F. W. Marquardt and J. W. Edwards; clerks, W. H. Widaman and August Steffen.

Second ward—Judges, Wm. Ahlman, Julius Degner and Henry Van Horn; clerks, Max Asmus and W. L. Kern.

Third ward—Judges, W. H. Law, J. S. McClary and D. C. Herrington; clerks, H. L. Spaulding and H. E. Gerecke.

Fourth ward—Judges, John Koerber, J. S. Burnett and Leon Z. Lee; clerks, Allen Wilkinson and L. Hershiser.

The clerk was instructed to notify each of the appointees of the action of the council.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Burt Mapes is in Hoskins. Spring must surely be here—Bock beer is.

W. M. Robertson has gone to Omaha.

A. J. Durland went to Hoskins on business.

W. J. Horistan was down from Plainview yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Peter were in the city yesterday from Creston.

Mrs. L. E. Pilger of Pilger is in the city to be at the bedside of her father, J. H. Sexton, who is seriously ill at the Queen City hotel. C. W. Rogers, a nephew, also of Pilger, is likewise here to see that Mr. Sexton has proper attention.

Robert Dale, a Madison county pioneer, is dead at his home near Tilden, aged eighty years. He came to the county when it was in a raw prairie state and has seen it rapidly develop into one of the best agricultural and stock sections of the west.

W. C. Day of Battle Creek is a good guesser. A graphophone was raffled off last night at the Superior store. A bottle containing corn was opened. A. C. Stears and H. D. Watt counted the grains. There were 933. Mr. Day gets the talking machine.

The mercury showed a minimum of twenty-three degrees last night and frost and ice was in evidence this

morning, but the sun rose bright and clear, with a promise that some real spring weather of the desirable sort will soon be on tap. There will undoubtedly be some fine days between now and Easter, and after that spring should be here most all the time. A week from Sunday is Easter.

Norfolk has been remarkably free from disease and epidemics during the winter, but with the approach of spring there has developed an epidemic of the grip and colds that threatens to invade every home before its course is run. The smallpox that has had a run of several seasons here has practically died out and there is not now a case in the city, neither are there scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles, whooping cough, or cases of the mumps that have been manifest during several seasons past, so that with the colds and the grip at the close of the season Norfolk is getting off very fortunately.

BREAK HOSPITAL GROUND

First Spadeful Turned for New Institution.

VERY LITTLE FROST IN EARTH

The Manager of the Company Says That They Pay Union Wages—Carload of Tools Coming From Des Moines is Delayed.

[From Wednesday's Daily.] Ground was broken yesterday for the new Nebraska state hospital for the insane in Norfolk. It was the beginning of work upon the only state institution in the northern half of the state and the first insane hospital to be built on the cottage plan in the west.

The ground was broken for the administration or main building. The contractors found very little frost in the earth and believe, if everything goes well, that they will have the cellar for the structure dug out by the end of the week. The excavating has been let to W. P. Dixon.

Just at this time the company is held up by delayed transit in a carload of tools which were shipped from Des Moines last week. The Union Pacific has had a tracer out today for the missing car. When this lot of working apparatus arrives the scaffolding will be erected and the work will be hastened. It will be necessary for the company to finish by October 1, and in order to do this a large force of men must be constantly employed.

"We will probably hire from fifty to seventy-five men all of the time," said W. B. Hester, manager for the company in Norfolk. "We had expected to be forced to import more than we will need to, having found a great many in Norfolk who are available. We only need to import a few expert workmen. We now have forty or fifty men cleaning bricks."

"What about the trouble with the men who went out to clean bricks?" was asked. "There was no trouble," said Mr. Hester. "We had formerly planned to pay our men by the day. There were a large number of old men and boys wanting work and it was evidently unfair to pay them all alike. So we determined to pay them at so much per thousand. It is true that some of them who went out, turned around and came back. The reason, in many cases, was that they lacked tools. We required each man to bring a hatchet along with him."

READY FOR COLLEGE BASE BALL

Two Games to be Played on Eastern Diamonds Today.

[From Wednesday's Daily.] New York, March 25.—College base ball for the season of 1904 makes its debut on the athletic stage today with games between Yale and Trinity at New Haven and Princeton and the University of New York at Princeton. These contests are, of course, but little more than practice games and it will be several weeks yet before the sport is on in earnest.

The advent of the real spring weather has brought the nines out on to the diamond in full force and at most of the big Eastern colleges the teams are ready for actual play. The number of dates that have been arranged for the next few weeks indicate that a large part of the preliminary practice in preparation for the important games of the year will be in the nature of games with weaker teams. The result of the games in which Yale and Princeton engage in today is awaited with considerable interest as both institutions expect to have strong nines this year.

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

The issue at Long Pine this year will be, "Shall there be saloons or not?" A caucus was held for the first time in years. P. J. Murphy and J. C. Castle were nominated.

Rev. Father Haley of Wayne is in the city to deliver tonight at the Church of the Sacred Heart, his lecture on "The Life of Christ." It is anticipated that the address will be one well worth the hearing.

C. E. Saunders, now at the head of the cigar department for E. E. Bruce, and a well known traveler in this section of the state, was in Norfolk today. Mr. Saunders travels now only when he chooses.

MADISON HAS BIG PARTY

Elaborate Costume Ball on St. Patrick's Day.

SENATOR ALLEN A HOD CARRIER

One of the Most Brilliant Social Functions Yet Known in the County Seat, Which all the People of the Upper Ten Attended.

[From Saturday's Daily.] Madison, Neb., March 19.—Special to The News: For some time past it has been announced that there would be a dance take place in the Hein opera house on the 17th of March. Invitations in a very neat and appropriate style had been sent out and it was announced that all taking part in the dance should appear in costume appropriate to the occasion, therefore great preparations were being made by all classes to see how varied and well this could be done. This was not to be a masquerade dance, but one of costume, each representing an Irish character as nearly as the individual idea could make it. The house was beautifully and tastily decorated in colors fitting for the occasion, hence it is not necessary to say the predominate color was green. The costumes began to arrive early in the evening and with the expectation that something was going to happen worth seeing. A large number of spectators had arranged themselves in comfortable seats placed for the purpose and they were surely not disappointed. As one after another of the costumes arrived it began to dawn on the spectators that it was going to be something unusual. The members of the orchestra were decorated to kill. Dick Foresyth wore a green rosette bow on the lapel of his coat that stuck out a yard on each side of his shoulders and the streamers hung to the floor. McGuinness had the advantage of most as it was not necessary for him to make much change. However, he made a very presentable appearance of an old time bog trotter, and every member was very appropriately fixed up pending the time for the grand march. Those present took the opportunity to introduce themselves to their friends and admirers and to join in a waltz or two-step as their fancy struck them, but very soon the house crowded and a call for the grand march was heard, and each couple took its place, with a couple from Humphrey and a couple from Madison to lead off. Of all the sights ever seen this would cap the climax. People representing ever heard of. Here are a few of especial mention. First there were six couples from Humphrey whose costumes were very elaborate as they were imported direct from the auld sod especially for this occasion. Then came Senator Allen with his magnificent physique and looked a giant Mick hod carrier, and leaning upon his arm what seemed to be a mere pigmy in stature. Then a very striking contrast. Then a very striking contrast. Willis E. Reed was the pigmy this time and trying to lead a lady who looked seven feet tall and six feet wide. Then there was J. Donovan, Dr. Condon, Mr. Mattison, Mr. Grant, Mr. Ed Fricke, Mr. Hume, Mr. Frazer, Paul Brinkman and numerous others and for a nice neat dapper young swell Irish gentleman of the upper crust Mr. A. Scannell took the dough. Then for a tall specimen of a genuine Irish peasant who looked for all the world like he had just been transplanted with his black thorn shillelagh in his hand, Mr. Pierce was that same; then two Irish policemen Buddy Nicholson and Mr. Cato took the honors; then Ed O'Shea, Dr. Smart and others too numerous to mention. Among the ladies Mrs. W. E. Reed was especially good. She looked as if she had just arrived from across the pond and so complete was her make-up that the most intimate friends did not know her. Then the real old Irish washer woman, Miss Long. But the very prettiest and most tasty dress of green was worn by Miss Hume. Miss Allen was very neatly attired and made a striking appearance, also the Misses Snaure, Fricke, Wills, Grant, Spence, Fayes, Horshams and among the other ladies were Mrs. Mattison, Mrs. Foresyth, Mrs. Donovan, Mrs. Smart, Mrs. Brinkman and Mrs. Wolfe. A native would have been puzzled to know whether it was a representation of Ireland or a function being held in the court of Austria, so brilliant and dazzling were the effects. It lasted till the wee' sma' hours of morning, each departing for his home declaring it was the most elaborate event in the history of Madison.

Dance at Ainsworth.

Ainsworth, Neb., March 19.—Special to The News: St. Patrick's day was celebrated here with a grand ball at Ainsworth hall. There was a prize offered for the two raggedest in the hall, which was won by Barry Swett and Mrs. Willis Ogden. Mr. Swett received a fine cake and Mrs. Ogden received a fine gold ring. The music was fine and everybody enjoyed the dancing until 2 a. m. The hall was crowded.

Fined for Shooting Song Birds.

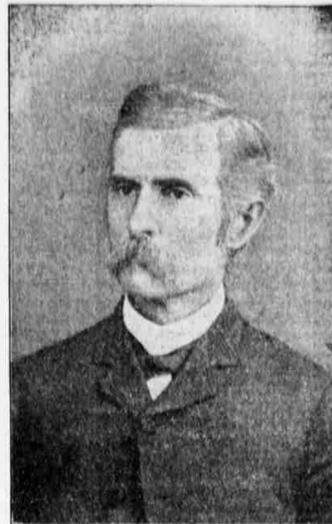
Plattsmouth, Neb., March 18.—G. E. Young, a special game warden, caused the arrest of G. H. Harks for shooting song birds.

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FACTS WORTH MENTIONING

By Dr. Caldwell.

Several years ago, while in private practice, I thought it wrong to advertise, simply because I had been told so and had not had experience enough to know better. After a while I discovered a valuable plan of treatment in certain cases, and fortunately obtained a large number of patients, enough to fully test my plan and prove its success. I thereupon prepared a lengthy paper upon the subject and read it before the state medical society. What was the result? A half a dozen members took the floor to say what the treatment had been for a hundred years back, and to claim that the old treatment, though unsuccessful, should be continued, notwithstanding that the new treatment had been successful. I thought differently and continued to use the new method, and made remarkable cures of cases that had been pronounced incurable. My business increased rapidly as each person that I cured told some friend, who came in turn and was cured. Each patient advertised me a little. What then? In that large city there were not more than 400 cases of the kind. I cured every case that came to me and then had nothing to do except the ordinary business of a local physician. I knew there were hundreds and thousands of others elsewhere, who might be cured if they only knew; and I advertised. Cured hundreds of others and I have advertised ever since. I have relieved more suffering, cured more patients, made more people happy, and done more good generally because I have told the people what I can do, and I shall go on with the good work as long as my strength will permit. I advertise because I have something worth advertising. I have made myself competent by years of special study and experience, and by the expenditure of large sums of money. By advertising I place before the people the facts which enable them to know what I can do. I thereby reach thousands, who, given up by local physicians or unsuccessfully treated, give themselves up as incurable. I cure them and thereby enlarge my field of usefulness. By no other way than advertising could these people have known that they could be cured. Every thrifty and prosperous business in life, save those of law and medicine, advertise freely. Lawyers do not, for they only use in business what others have made for them years before. They only do what has been written. "Regular" doctors do not advertise for the same reason. They have nothing new, nothing which someone else has not written or told them of, they get their knowledge from the books. A man may read medicine until he is blind and then know nothing of it. To be successful he must apply his own mind. Make his own researches, and to do that he must have room and opportunity. He must have cases, hundreds of them, and compare results. If he does not do this he is a machine without novelty, skill or ingenuity, still plowing with a wooden plow, still traveling on foot or horseback, and ignoring the advantages of steam, living but not learning. The same is true of a lady doctor.

Below you will find published the names and addresses of some of the recent cures that I have made. These people's afflictions were, under the ordinary physician's care, considered hopeless, and no prospects for a cure:

Mrs. Kate Schall of Albion, Neb., cured of catarrh of head and stomach.

Mrs. William Zuerg of Blue Vale, Neb., cured of nervous heart and female disease.

Mrs. J. E. Connelley of Akron, Neb., cured of cancer of long standing.

Mrs. Augusta Seydon of Pender, Neb., cured of nervous liver and stomach disease.

Mrs. Ella Scothman of Wayne, Neb., cured of rheumatism, female disease and skin disease.

John Harper of Columbus, Neb., cured of heart disease, stomach and liver disease.

Emma Stalke of Clark, Neb., cured of skin disease, heart trouble and dropsy.

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