

PICKED UP ABOUT THE CITY.

Another Addition to be Made to the Gas Bill.

A COMMITTEE WITH POCKETS.

Architect Myers Secures Counsel and Gets Ready to Fight Mrs. McNamara's Complainant Falls to Appear, Mortuary.

Seven Hundred Dollars More.

At the recent meeting of the council that body ordered paid and placed in the general appropriation ordinance...

In looking into the matter, a Her reporter discovered another important make which will have to be remedied at the same or possibly later, perhaps when the mayor sends in his message...

It has been further learned that as between the books of the controller and those of the gas company, up to the point covered by each, there is a difference of some over \$100, caused by a difference of understanding in the accountants of the latter in making their reports.

A POKKETING COMMITTEE. There is a number of complaints filed every day with the board of public works because of the absence of crosswalks where even new sidewalks have been laid.

FAILED TO APPEAR. Mrs. McNamara's Accuser Not in Court.

Yesterday was the time set by Judge Shields for a hearing in the Nellie McNamara case who is charged by her own father, with insanity.

BENCH AND BAR. DISTRICT COURT. CONFESSION OF GUILTY.

Joseph Martin was tried for grand larceny. The prosecuting witness was May Vaughn, keeper of a disreputable dive on North Eleventh.

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employed by the Union Pacific. He returned to Omaha in 1869, and entered the wood business, in which he continued for two years. At that time, Captain Geisler, now dead, was running a saloon in the basement of what is at present the Omaha Savings bank.

Notice to Contractors and Builders. There will be a meeting of the Builders, Contractors and Material Furnishers' Protective Association on Feb. 21, 8 p. m., at Central hall, 109 South 14th street.

IS AN ENABLING ACT NEEDED? Revising the Old Law Granting Ground to the Government. The bill introduced by Senator Manderson as also Representative McShane in congress for the erection of a government building here provides for the condemnation of property for a site of the same.

Stock of Union stock yards company, limited, of Omaha, Neb., for sale in quantities to suit purchasers by Swift & Co., 74 Exchange building, Union stock yards, Chicago, Ill.

Kent's Activity. Christian Jensen and Christian Honore raised a noise in the office of the board of public works yesterday especially for the entertainment of Street Inspector Kent.

Will Probably be Settled. There is little doubt that the Rounds-Rothacker fight will terminate with satisfaction to all parties concerned and without further litigation.

Real Estate Transfers. Wm G Albright and wife to Wesley Williams, lots 18, 19, 20, blk 2, 1,050

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SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

James Maloney is going to visit friends in the east.

Leo Trull leaves for Chicago to-day on business for the firm.

O. W. Perley of Yutan is on the market with a cow of cattle.

Mons Neilsen of Hartington came in with a car load of cattle.

John Bratt of North Platte came in to look over the yards.

P. B. Bannister and Bob McDonald are up from Muscatine, Ia., visiting friends.

By an order of the "poor" committee, Mrs. Laundry, who is ill and in want, goes to the poor farm.

Another attachment was issued against M. H. Isle for \$11.25. It came from Justice Levey's court.

John Kilzour had \$5.00 for meat bought from Crow & Cavanaugh. Justice Levey said so and went.

Street merchants are busily engaged in pumping their collars free from the water caused by the recent thaw.

And now they are expecting changes in the police force, and who is going to lead out and who are coming in?

J. D. Thomas secured a change of venue to Justice O'Connell's court, in the suit brought against him by Ed Wilson, but he first had to pay Justice Levey \$17.45 cost.

Bruen & Carpenter came the nearest to keeping up with the times. They put cinders instead of gravel in front of their lively stable, and its tires still clean place in town.

Exchange hotel guests yesterday were: William Fullbright, Cunningham, Neb.; J. Walter, Plainville, Neb.; J. Bratt, North Platte, Neb.; E. G. Wilson, Waltham, Neb.; C. B. Clark, Chicago stock yards.

The streets just now are not only impassible, but dangerous. A crevasse about four feet deep was formed in Omaha, and this morning one of Garwood's teams started into it and were extricated with difficulty.

The wagon was left—and so was the driver, who sat there for some time, but he got out, for it required an hour's work to free it.

Albright is making all preparations for a spring boom. Contracts are now out for the erection of upwards of 150 buildings during the coming season.

Being sixteen fronting the depot, fifty for the Gate City Company, and sixty for the Alburgh. Contracts were given to the H. B. Winchell, corner of these streets, but in addition to them, there is a large number of buildings to be erected by the individual owners.

A tunnel will also be completed in about four weeks.

Late Saturday night Myrtle Bryan, a fifteen-year-old orphan, arrived in a South Omaha, a stranger, and without either friends or money.

Fortunately she fell among good Samaritans, and a lady in the name of Mrs. Plummer, who resides in the Sisters of St. Joseph's hospital. Her story is a simple one: Five years ago her parents died in Hamilton county, Florida, and she was left in the charge of an aunt, who, eighteen months ago, removed to Glenwood, Ia. From there she went to service, and six months ago was engaged by Mrs. Plummer, who resides in the hospital, to come to Omaha.

Saturday afternoon her mistress put her in charge of a farm hand named Jake Smith, who brought her to the hotel in the street, and she heard of an uncle of her's, and named Reuther Bryan, living in Omaha, and on the point to the ticket agent was given a transportation across on the dummy, but not knowing when she had reached her destination, she telephoned to the agent.

Then she told her story to the conductor, who telephoned ahead to Christ & Lowry, of the Delmonico hotel, who met her at the station and placed her in the hands of Mrs. Christ. There she remained until yesterday morning, when City Marshal McCracken, who had been notified, made arrangements to take the sisters of St. Joseph's hospital, and she reached there during the afternoon.

Opening of the Midway. Wednesday evening, February 22, (Washington's birthday) the citizens of Kearney have tendered to the proprietor of the Midway a grand banquet and ball, in honor of the formal opening of the public hotel to be erected on the corner of the Midway.

The opening of the Midway is a matter of interest not only to Kearney but throughout the state, the citizens of our neighboring towns are invited to participate in the festivities of the occasion.

Refreshments will be served from 6 p. m. until 9 p. m., when the spacious dining rooms will be closed and turned over to those who desire to dance.

The Apollo Club Concert. Holders of tickets for the concert of the Apollo club this evening are now reserving their seats at Boyd's. The following is the programme:

Three Chasers. FAULT I. Train Apollo Club. Leslie

Trios—"Memory." Apollo Club. Leslie

sanse maintained by the employees of the Hanson park stables of the horse railway. On Woolworth avenue, west from Park avenue there is but one sidewalk, that on the north side. The condition of this sidewalk is bad enough in muddy weather. With an eye only to their own convenience the employees at this barn have placed a small platform near this sidewalk and upon this they wash the horses with the stream from a hose. The consequence is that for a space of twenty feet the sidewalk which is on a steep incline is continually in a muddy and impassible condition. Ladies who are compelled to pass over this walk must wade through mud and water and many times run the risk of being completely drenched while the animals are being washed. The people in the vicinity think that there is not the slightest excuse for the maintenance of this nuisance, and the sooner it is abated the sooner will the residents of the neighborhood rejoice.

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