

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Mayor's Veto of Resolution of Withdrawal Stands Sustained.

RESOLVES TO SUPERVISE EXPENDITURES

Hascall Offers a Plan Whereby All Employment or Other Acts by Heads of Departments Must Be by Permission.

For the first time in nearly a month the city council held a regular meeting last evening for the transaction of general business, and a large accumulation of routine matter was disposed of in an expeditious manner.

The mayor's veto of the Hascall ordinance to withdraw the city from further participation as intervenor in the contention of the rival fire and police boards before the supreme court, was taken up and acted upon in spite of the opinion of the city attorney that the council had waived its right to overrule the veto by failure to act before the adjournment of the meeting at which it was presented.

To Repeal Expenditures.

The following resolution by Mr. Hascall was adopted: That the various departments of the city government be and they are hereby directed not to incur any obligation or do any act that will require the expenditure of money without first having the approval of the city council authorizing any such act;

A resolution by Mr. Karr providing that in the period during which the mayor and city council may be restrained by the recent order of the judicial committee court from making the tax levy for 1903, all salary claims of city employees shall draw 7 per cent from the 5th day of the month in which they shall become due until such time as warrants are issued.

The formal report of the mayor upon the work of the board of review was presented, but as the matter it contained had already been dealt with by the council, the report was merely placed on file.

EUCLID MARTIN'S HOT AIR

Oppressive Taxes Have Nothing to Do with Failure of Promised New Warehouse to Materialize.

"Did you see that announcement of Euclid Martin's to the effect that the Parlin, Orendorf & Martin concern would not build a new warehouse it had been promised?"

Major Moore's communication advocating the purchase of the water works, which was published in full at the time of its presentation several weeks ago, was referred to the committee on fire, water and police.

Belt Line May Build Spur.

The ordinance granting the Omaha Belt Line railway the right to build its proposed spur track across seventeenth street, was given its third reading and passed.

The following certificate of the comptroller as to funds in the hands of the city treasurer was placed on file:

ORD. Neb., Feb. 2.—To the Editor of The Bee: I enclose clipping from the Ordinance, an editorial that bears the earmarks of being prepared by the tax department.

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IOWA HEALTH BULLETIN STATE BOARD OF HEALTH SAYS

"WHAT TO EAT" is highly interesting and of great value to all our readers who are acquainted with this weekly publication.

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REPORT OF CITY ENGINEER

Annual Statement of Andrew Rosewater of All Work Last Year.

BRINGS OUT SOME INTERESTING FACTS

Most Striking Feature of Progress in Public Work is Gradual Elimination of Wooden Pavements.

The annual report of Andrew Rosewater as city engineer has been sent to the mayor and city council. The report is as follows:

I herewith submit to you an abstract of contract work designed and supervised by the engineering department during the year 1902. In addition to this the usual routine work of preparing ordinances, specifications, estimates, etc., has been performed.

The most striking feature of progress in public work is the gradual elimination of the old wooden pavement and substitution of asphalt and concrete pavements in their place.

Exclusive of the wooden blocks we now have in Omaha seven miles of concrete pavement in round numbers, thirty-five and one-half miles of asphalt, twenty-one miles of stone, thirteen and one-half miles of brick and one and three-fourths mile of macadam.

Our sewer mileage is steadily increasing, having reached 100.7 miles at the close of the year. The investment in Omaha public improvements covers:

Grading of streets, \$1,000,751 Sewerage, \$1,940,941 Paving, \$1,340,941

Investment in park grounds and park improvements will increase the total to \$4,282,633.

Against this there is a total debt for disbursements and interest on bonds of \$1,340,941, leaving a net surplus of \$2,941,692.

The preliminary steps to acquire the right-of-way for the Saddle creek main sewer, with a roadway, are now being completed.

During the coming year, as is shown in appended tabular data, the old ten-year contract of the Barber Asphalt Paving company under which the city has been operating on all streets, it will be necessary to make some proper provision for maintaining this pavement in good and serviceable condition.

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FIGHT TO SECURE UNION. Central American States War Among Selves with View to Ultimate Combination.

PANAMA, Feb. 3.—The situation in Salvador is growing worse. Troops are constantly leaving for the Guatemalan frontier.

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FILE COAL COMBINE EVIDENCE

Attorneys Present Statement on Which Illinois Prosecution Will Rely.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The agreed statement of facts upon which the state's case against the Retail Coal Dealers' association of Wisconsin and Illinois will be tried was made public and placed on file in Judge Horton's court tonight.

Incorporated in the statement are the constitution and bylaws of the association, which are said to be closely patterned after those of a prominent lumber dealers' association, and a copy of a "lookout" list containing the names of persons permitted to purchase coal of members in carload lots or manufacturing purposes.

Tragedy Occurs in Mansion. Waiter Calls Housekeeper to the Door, Shoots Her and Then Drinks Carbohic Acid.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—A man named R. Bidlich, a waiter, went to the residence of Bernhard Heinecke, president of the Illinois Cattle Feeding company today, and asked for the housekeeper, a woman named Garlin.

ASKS AID FOR STARVING. Governor Van Sant Receives Alarming News from Finland, Norway and Sweden.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 3.—Governor Van Sant today received cable advice stating that the famine conditions in Finland, Norway and Sweden were much worse than before.

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ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—A man who styled himself "Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable F. Seymour F. Barrington, of His Majesty's Horse," and said he was of noble family and had great wealth, was today found guilty of disturbing the peace and fined \$500, or in default one year in the workhouse.

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Take Things As They Come. When you buy soda biscuit in a paper bag, take them as they come; stale—soggy—spoiled. Don't blame the baker. Don't blame the grocer. Don't blame anyone but yourself. When you buy Uneeda Biscuit in the In-er-seal Package with red and white seal—take them as they come; fresh—clean—good. Credit the baker for baking them. Credit the grocer for keeping them. Credit yourself for buying them. Uneeda Biscuit 5c NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

GIVES RESULTS JUSTICE. German Government Agrees to Admit Excluded Religious Order. MUST COME AS INDIVIDUAL RESIDENTS. No Chapters or Institutions Will Be Allowed Under Direction of Much Hated Organization in Fatherland.

BERLIN, Feb. 3.—The German government has decided to readmit the Jesuits who have been excluded from Germany since July, 1872.

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TABLE AND KITCHEN. Selected Menu. DINNER. Raw Oysters. Horseradish. Fried Pickled with Sauce Hollandaise. Stewed Tomatoes. Rice. Potatoes. Cucumber Salad. Coffee. Whipped Cream. Orange Shortcake.

MARKING OF CHOWDER. Congress Chowder—A writer describes how Daniel Webster introduced this fish chowder to the Washingtonians.

WOMEN HANGED IN LONDON. Recommended for Mercy on Account of Sex, but Home Secretary is Inmovable.

DIES TO ESCAPE ARREST. BUCHAREST, Feb. 3.—M. Mareno, a former official of the finance ministry and a banker, who was about to be arrested in connection with the lottery scandals discovered last month, threw himself under a passing train today and was killed.

MASSACRE IN ALGERIA. CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 3.—The Porte has notified the British government that it has reports showing that the Macedonian committee is organizing seven large bands for the invasion of Macedonia in the spring.

BRITAIN LIFTS CASTLE EMBARGO. LONDON, Feb. 3.—The Board of Agriculture today removed the prohibition against the entry into Great Britain of live cattle from Argentine and Uruguay.

ENDS HEADACHE'S TORTURE. Lazy livers and sluggish bowels cause headaches. Dr. King's New Life Pills remove the cause or no pay. Only 25c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

What to Eat To-day. Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit perfectly nourishes the whole body. It can be prepared in 250 different ways. Split, toast and use it as bread. With cream it is superior to all other cereals. Save this Recipe: One pint oysters, 1 cup milk, 1/2 cup cream, 1 1/2 tablespoons butter, 1 1/2 tablespoons Entire Wheat Flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon paprika, and 5 SHREDDED WHOLE WHEAT BISCUIT. Cut an oblong cavity from the top of the biscuit 1/4 inch from the edge, move the top and all inside shreds, forming a basket. Dust these lightly with celery salt and paprika and heat through while you are preparing the oysters. Prepare a sauce by blending in the blender the butter, flour, salt and paprika, then add the milk and cream, and stir until thick and smooth, then cook the oysters until plump, add to the sauce and fill the biscuit baskets. Serve at once. Sold by all grocers. Send for "The Vital Question" (Cook Book, illustrated to cents) Free. THE NATURAL FOOD CO., Niagara Falls, N. Y.