

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MUST FINISH UP CONTRACTS

Mayor and Council Serves Notice Deays Will Not Be Tolerated.

PAVERS AT WORK ON HARRISON STREET

Notice Served That No Removals of City Employees Must Be Made Without the Consent of the City Council.

There is to be no further delay in the completing of all contracts for public improvements, such as paving and laying of permanent sidewalks. This was the edict sent forth by Mayor Macrae and the newly elected aldermen at the meeting of the city council last night.

Contractor Wickham was ordered to complete the paving of Harrison street, and he informed the council that he had seventy-five men at work there and was prepared to put 200 men to work before the end of the week.

Alderman McMillan wanted sidewalks laid in the Fifth ward, and Alderman Crippen urged that the man who had the contract for five or six miles of sidewalks in the Sixth ward be required to go to work and lay them, especially the walks on Broadway between Thirtieth and Twenty-fourth streets.

As a result of the discussion the aldermen will meet as a committee of the whole this afternoon and make a tour of the city to investigate what improvements should be first carried out.

Dr. Mat. Tinsley, the newly appointed city physician, recommended as a result of the report of the grand jury that the city jail be repainted throughout, sanitary plumbing installed and the building be heated from the plant in the city hall, in connection with the city jail Mayor Macrae recommended that the second floor of the jail and patrol house be connected with a covered bridge, so that the jail might be used solely for the incarceration of prisoners and the department provided with offices over the patrol house.

Trouble Over Removals.

Two changes in the fire department had been announced in an evening paper and Mayor Macrae called upon Chief Nicholson and the committee on fire and light for an explanation as to why such changes had been made before being brought before the council.

The receipts in the police fund from saloon licenses, fines, etc., amounted to \$37,843.84, which was transferred to the general fund, and the balance of the fund for the year was \$231,526.53.

The receipts in the special fund for the purchase of the site for the Carnegie library were \$3,862.87, of which \$9,029.36 has been disbursed.

The receipts in the park fund were \$7,657.72, and of this amount \$7,981.52 was expended by the commissioners, leaving a balance of \$586.20 to start the new fiscal year with.

The improvement fund starts the new year with the handsome balance of \$5,254.31 to its credit, while the judgment fund has only a balance of \$165.35 to its credit.

The semi-annual meeting of the presbytery of Council Bluffs will be held in the First Presbyterian church, beginning this evening and continuing Wednesday and part of Thursday.

The presbytery will be opened this evening with a sermon by the retiring moderator, Rev. Henry Hostetter, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of this city.

The Woman's Presbyterian Missionary society will hold an all-day session in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church Wednesday.

Ernest Rhoads, the young man who fell from an Illinois Central passenger train Saturday evening after a wild ride from the Omaha depot to the Terminal bridge on the step of one of the vestibule coaches, died Sunday night at the Woman's Christian Association hospital.

Woodward Bros., the local architects in charge of the Carnegie library building, reported that sets of plans and specifications had been placed with the following contractors: Fred Herman, J. P. Weaver.

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The local contractors, they said, were busy working on their bids, which must be in the hands of the board by April 25.

John O'Hearn offered to purchase the brick in the sidewalks on the Pusey and Finney properties, and the president was empowered to sell them to him for \$5 on condition that they were not removed until after April 25.

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General Wood reports that he invited Sultan Taraca to meet him at Vicars on March 31 for consultation and that the sultan refused to come, and instead made extensive hostile preparations. Marching columns were ordered to their positions on April 2 to assemble the cavalry. The Vicars column was fired into all night, ten miles from Vicars and one killed, man was seriously wounded. The Marshal column was strongly resisted at the mouth of the Taraca river, although every effort was made to accomplish a peaceful landing; two American soldiers were killed and wounded. The combined forces assembled in the valley on April 4 and a large number of hostile forces were attacked before they were destroyed from April 4 to April 7. The troops then returned to their proper stations. Newcomb Company, Seventeenth Infantry, and Wombach Company, D. Third-Infantry, were ordered to march on April 7. Every effort was brought to bring the Moros to terms peacefully, but in each instance the troops were attacked before firing a shot and force was only used when peaceful methods failed and the enemy attacked us. The two chiefs who have been at the bottom of all the trouble on the east side of Vicars and who are now in hiding and they will be arrested if possible.

General Wade, to whom General Wade's report was made, and who transmitted it to the War Department, stated that the Moros in the Taraca valley for the last three months have been such as to render the above action absolutely necessary.

Grip Quickly Knocked Out. "Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of a grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Eggleston of Maple Landing, Iowa.

"Knees and joints aching, muscles aching, head stopped up, eyes and nose running with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a double dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grippe."

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FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Fair and Warmer for States of Nebraska and Iowa Today and Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, April 11. Forecast: For Nebraska—Fair Tuesday and warmer in west portion; Wednesday, fair and warmer in east portion.

For Missouri—Fair Tuesday and warmer in west portion; Wednesday, fair and warmer in east portion.

For Kansas, Colorado and Wyoming—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

For Illinois—Fair Tuesday and colder in extreme south portion; Wednesday, fair; north west to north winds Tuesday.

For Montana—Fair Tuesday and warmer in east portion; Wednesday, fair.

For North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair and warmer Tuesday; Wednesday, fair.

Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, APRIL 11.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Table with columns for Year, Maximum temperature, Minimum temperature, Mean temperature, Precipitation.

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1904.

Report of Stations at 7 P. M.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER.

Table with columns for Location, Temperature, Wind, Clouds.

Northwestern to Build New Bridge. HURON, S. D., April 11.—(Special.)—The Chicago & Northwestern Railway company has commenced excavating for a new steel bridge over the Jim river at this place.

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