

Oity Council Holds Another Important Special Meeting.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR MORE PAVING

Name of L Street Changed and an Ordinance Passed Providing for the Resurfacing of Twenty-Fourth Street.

Wednesday witnessed the last of the special council meetings for the week. An jailors will not be bothered so much about ordinance was passed changing the name of L street from Twentieth to Twentyfourth street to Missouri avenue. This is done in order that one paving district from Thirteenth street to Twenty-fourth may be created. A paving petition is now in circulation and will be handed in to the city council shortly. Ordinances pertaining to this paving will be hurried as as the law will permit in order that the work may be completed before

The most important ordinance passed was one regarding the repairing of the ordinance was signed by the mayor last evening and will be published today. It from A to Q streets and transfers funds from a number of miscellaneous funds which have been accumulating for years, to a repair fund created especially for this work. City Engineer Beal submitted a statement to the council showing the amount of material and the cost. It will take 33,384 square yards of pavement to cover the surface and the estimated cost is \$38,391. Then 500 cubic yards of asphalt binder will be used, the cost being estimated at \$3,000. For concrete base, 200 cubic yards will be used and this is estimated at \$2,100. Resetting 4,000 lineal feet of curbing is estimated at \$400, making the total of \$43.591. This work means that the roadway will practically be repayed, with the exception of the three blocks from N Cushing is business agent. to Q streets. There is no money available for repaving, but the city authorities assert that they can easily find the amount needed for repairing the street.

Teachers' Examination Papers. The teachers' examining board has about completed the papers submitted by those taking the examination for teachers' certificates. A report showing the standing of each one of the sixty-six who underwent the examination will be made to the Board of Education at a meeting to be

Delanney-Calkins. At noon Wednesday Dr. Emile L. De-lanney and Miss Alma M. Calkins were married at St. Martin's Episcopal church, Twenty-fourth and J streets. Rev. Irving . Johnson of Minneapolis performed the The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion and many friends of both bride and groom witnessed the ceremony. The bride and groom are among South Omaha's best known young people. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at home of the bride's parents, Twentythird and D streets. Last evening Dr. and Mrs. Delanney left for St. Louis and other southern points. They expect to be gone about a month. After August 1 Dr. and Mrs. Delanney will be at home at 1302 North Twenty-third street.

Notifies Liquor Deniers. Chief of Police Briggs visited a large number of saloons yesterday and notified the proprietors to call at once at the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners, for their 1904 liquor licenses. While all of the liquor dealers have paid their money and have treasurer's receipts, few have called for their licenses. In the past it was the custom for the city clerk to deliver the licenses, but under the police board

Will Reopen Poultry Department. Within a couple of weeks Swift and Company will reopen its poultry department, This department has been closed down for a number of months, and the space it oc-



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Don't put yourself in this man's place, but keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. It is certain to be needed sooner or later and when that time comes you will need it badly; you will need it quickly. Buy it now. It may save life, Price, 26 cents; large also, 50 cents.

cupled was used for other purposes. Now AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA cupied was used for other purposes. In for the handling of poultry. Buyers go through the country and make purchases, shipping in here a carload at a time or in smaller lots by express. Here the chickens are fed for a time and then killed, dressed and placed in cooling rooms until needed for either local consumption or shipment to other points.

> Jail Screens Placed. Heavy wire screens were placed over the outside windows to the city jail yesterday afternoon. These screens have been required for some time, but for some reason or another there was delay in having the screens put in. Now with every window covered with a heavy screen the passing in of contraband articles to the prisoners. The wire in the screen is quite heavy and cannot be easily broken, so that there is little danger now of prisoners escaping by way of the window route or articles of any size being passed into the

Lotus Club Outing. This evening about twenty-five couples of the Lotus club will go to Manawa for an outing. Special cars will leave Twentyfourth and B streets at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon and run directly to the lake. ments have been mad Arrange boating, dancing, etc. During the evening the members of the club wil dine at the provides for the repairing of the pavement pavilion. An enjoyable evening is looked forward to by those who propose accompanying the party.

Magic City Gossip. John Blunk, Thirty-sixth and U streets, eports the birth of a daughter. South Omaha grove No. 59. Woodman circle, will give a lawn social Friday evening at the residence of A. J. Nodean, Fifteenth and W streets.

Miss Cox of Aurora, Neb., is in the city, the guest of Miss Cora Holmes. Paul Perrego of Chicago is in the city for a day or two visiting relatives. Miss M. Florence Smith has gone to St. Louis to visit the fair for a month.

Cushing is business agent.

Rev. Irving P. Johnson returned to his home at Minneapolis last evening after a few days' visit with friends here.

This evening the Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will give a social at Highland park. Excellent music has been engaged for this occasion.

June salaries for employes of the city were allowed by the city council at a special meeting held yesterday. Warrants are now being issued and can be had today upon demand at the clerk's office.

These building permits were issued yes-

These building permits were issued yesterday: Peter Pequer. Thirty-ninth and U streets, dwelling, \$600; Peter Pequer. Thirty-ninth and R streets, dwelling, \$600; W. E. Carter, Twenty-second and H streets, dwelling, \$2,000.

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F. O. Vredberg, aged 63 years, died at his home, Forty-second and V streets, Tuesday. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. at the residence. Interment at Laurel Hill cemetery. Deceased was a member of Patton lodge No. 173, Ancient Order of United Workmen, of Omaha.

ADVANCE OF THE NEGRO RACE Rev. Philip Aklis Hubert Lectures to Large Audience at Zion Baptist Church.

Rev. Philip Aklis Hubert, a noted colored preacher and educator of the south and financial secretary of Morgan college at Lynchburgh, Va., and the Paul Quinn college of Waco, Tex., occupied the pulpit at the Zion Baptist church, 2215 Grant street, last evening. Rev. Mr. Hubert has been in the city about two weeks and will stay two weeks longer in the interests of tal institutions he represents. Mr. Hubert, office of A. L. Bergquist, secretary of the | who is an eloquent speaker and a striking example of what education can do for the colored race, chose for his theme last evening "God and the Colored Race; or an KILPATRICK'S TENT RUINED Argument Showing Very Palpably and Clearly that the Colored Race Is as Wind Demolishes the Giant "Top" and Closely Identified with God as Any Other

Mr. Hubert said in part: Race." "The progress of the race is consequent ruling those to whom licenses have been upon identical creation. We must view the granted must call on the secretary for the race from a religious and moral standpoint; we must consider it from physicganatomical and ethnological \$1,000 a minute.

pened antagonistic to its progress. race must take cognizance of its personal advancement; then the advancement of the race as a whole will follow as a natural consequence. The longevity of the race establishes its permanancy as a race. It matters not what social causes may be inected into the race, it does not deteriorate, but rather it strengthens through the fires

of adversity. "All things considered there is no parallel in history to compare with the negro's progress during the past forty years, and the tendency is, with the present industrial improvements, the race will continue to improve at an increased ratio. This is my

A large attendance listened to Mr. Hub-

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City Treasurer Defends Tax Van Condemned by Real Estate Exchange.

SAYS IT WAS NEEDED WITH SOME MEMBERS

Tells of Foreible Methods Necessary in Collecting Taxes of Real Estate Man Who Vowed Vengennee Against Treasurer.

Action by the Real Estate exchange in declaring the exhibition of City Treasurer Hennings' collection van in "bad taste and entirely unnecessary" has called forth a trenchant reply from Mr. Hennings. He asserts that his method of inducing the prompt payment of taxes has produced \$2,000,000 for the city during the last few years and declares the action of the exchange was brought about through personal Ill-feeling on the part of some of the leading members whom he found it necessary to coerce into paying their taxes.

The treasurer withholds the names of the tax shirkers in the exchange, but says they will be furnished if desired.

out the facts concerning the episode which Treasurer Hennings believes to be at the bottom of the present criticism, his records show that in 1901 he collected personal taxes delinquent for twelve years from one of the men who is an officer of the exchange at this time, a distress warrant being used, coupled with the threat of attachment of personal property and removal in the van. After this point had been reached the real estate man went to the city hall, paid the taxes and, shaking his fist under the nose of the treasurer, declares he would "fix him."

Hennings Explains the Case. In the opinion of Treasurer Hennings the long-delayed attempt to "fix" has been started. The treasurer gave out the following statement defending his position:

In 1901 the Omaha Real Estate exchange went on record as endorsing my system of collecting delinquent taxes.

On April 21, 1900, the Omaha Commercial club, in a letter, said: "Motion unanimously adopted endorsing your course in pressing collections of delinquent taxes and hope you will continue your effort in this direction with energy and success."

On May 5, 1903, the good people of Omaha re-elected me with a majority of 3,125 votes, thereby endorsing my plan and saying, "Continue to do your duty, and if necessary collect with the van."

I have been city treasurer for over four years, during which time the van was on the streets for twenty-two days, with the following result:

Under the former treasurers 55 per cent of personal taxes were collected, while under my plan 95 per cent. This is an increase of 40 per cent, which would amount to \$160,000 on the 1904 levy and would be a saving of almost \$2,000,000 during a period of ten years, if the interest on the basis of 25 per cent is included.

As every other large city, Omaha has some tax shirkers. These are the people whom I have been after, and the kicking comes largely from this class.

Some of the most prominent members of the Real Estate exchange have refused to pay back taxes until I attached their goods, and at that time they threatened they would fix me. If desired, names will be furnished.

Ninety per cent of the annual tax levy is appropriated and set aside before the tax list reaches my office, and the warrants issued monthly are registered for interest to stop this? per cent and get the city on a cash basis, it becomes necessary to use my method and enforce collections of delinquent taxes.

In conclusion would state that several members of the Real Estate exchange called upon me yesterday and today and stated that had they been present they would have fought the passage of the resolution. lowing statement defending his position: In 1901 the Omaha Real Estate exchange went on record as endorsing my system of

Great Show Will Be Given Free

at Krug Park.

The short stormy spell Wednesday afterioon cost the Kilpatrick Bros. show over Their mammoth tent, standpoints; this is absolutely necessary to fifty-five feet in height, was almost comget an intelligent understanding of the pletely demolished, and the dancing poles question. The negro question is not at all and fixtures were smashed like so much a serious ore, in spite of all that has hap- matchwood. The guy ropes parted and the whole tent was only saved from being "One of the prime essentials is that the blown away by the center pole, which stood fast. The storm lasted about four minutes and in that time canvass men, performers and all available men were commandeered into service. They attempted to hold down the stake ropes, but the wind awept them from their hold, and it was only by the merest chance that no one was injured.

The tent is on a hillock at the Krug Park grounds and had no protection from the wind, and in a liffy the great structure was rent from top to bottom. The tent is the largest circus tent in the world. As Klipatrick Bros. had made a contract with the Krug Park people to give the performances, all that could be done at so short a notice was done and performances given in Krug Park avens. Time did not permit the loop-the-loop to be erected and this was not given last night, but it is programed for tonight's performance. Out-

their performance free of charge. There will be no extra admission to the Krug

FONTANELLE SOCIAL SESSION

Club Listens to Some Speeches and Indulges in Light Refresh-

The Fontanelle club met Wednesday at 1320 Farnam street, third floor, front, don't ring. It was a social session, but whether in celebration of Tom Blackburn's first night out since his return from California or the home-coming of Wattles and Brome from the Chicago convention was not made quite clear from the proceedings. All three of the gentlemen named acknowledged the compliment from the club when they were called upon to utter words.

R. B. Howell called the assembly to order and introduced Lieutenant Governor thrust upon him unexpectedly, found himself short of words in which to express his self short of words in the eloquence that he lenew was concealed to the eloquence that he lenew was concealed to the conclusion that six months in a city does not necessarily mean a knowledge of the worled of the world of the world and the ways of the world in the head left world and the ways of the world in the world of th McGilton as the chairman of the evening.

which represents the worst of the party," he said. Mr. Blackburn was the next member to

talk, but he said very little, confining his remarks to an expression of his gratitude for the welcome given him on his return from California with a wife. Harry Brome, who came next, sought to

impeach the testimony of his recent colleague, Mr. Wattles, by declaring that the Fontanelle club represents no faction in the republican party.

After Mr. Brome's speech a fifteen-min ute recess was taken for refreshments, which consisted of sandwiches and claret badge of honor, for the reason that the torney English, who was present. lican ticket after it is nominated.

side of the cost of the tent Kilpatrick ing that which is best in the party and that Bros. lose some \$3,000 by having to give we will always be fighting that faction had her identified by her viotim.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

HROCH PLEADS NOT GUILTY Boy Denies Charge of Manslaughter on Arraignment for Death of His Father.

John M. Hroch, indicted for manslaughter in the killing of his father, John Hroch, was arraigned before Judge Sutton yesterday afternoon and pleaded not guilty. Young Hroch was brought in from the jai by a deputy sheriff and was met in the lemonade. About half of those present took | counsel, L. J. Platti and V. F. Kuncl. courthouse by his widowed mother, his advantage of the recess to get away, and Judge Day being engaged in hearing the consequently when Howard Kennedy, jr., argument of the Dennison case the arand W. F. Gurley spoke about half of the raignment was made before Judge Sutton, benches were empty. Mr. Gurley said he who placed the amount of the bond at considered his membership in the club a \$2,500, which was satisfactory to County Atorganization stands for the principles of Hroch and Mr. Kunci signed the bond and supporting and voting for the entire repub-

Document Forms Chief Topic of Discussion at International Associa-

tion of Horseshoers' Convention. The report of the secretary of the International Association of Journeymen Horseshoers continues the main subject for consideration at the convention of that association at Labor temple. From this report constant references are made to subcom mittees and special committees and these comprise the essential business of the assoclation meeting at this time. The election of officers is not looked for before Satur-

Last evening the delegates were given dance and entertainment at Courtland Beach by the local trades unions. This evening an open meeting will be held at Labor temple, to which all the horseshoers of Omaha have been invited, regardless of whether they are affiliated with the unions or not. A program of addresses by prominent labor leaders has been provided.



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