

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

One Troublesome Problem Concerning Election Disposed Of.

VOTING MACHINES SHOW VERSATILITY

Part Can Be Locked and Voting Continue on Bond Proposition After Regular Election Is Closed.

Ever since it was decided by the city officials to hold a special election on November 7 for the purpose of submitting the sewer bond proposition there has been some uneasiness in official circles about the counting of the ballot on the voting machines.

Yesterday A. S. Powers, a representative of the United States Standard Voting Machine company, called on City Clerk Gillin and explained to him how the machine could be worked for the bond proposition only, after the polls close on the regular election.

After the explanation by Mr. Powers the city officials felt much relieved. There will now be no hitch in the election as far as the machines go.

Storm Damage Heavy. Not nearly all of the damage done to the streets by the storm of Monday night has been reported.

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Five tax schedule books, neatly bound, for the year 1906, are ready for delivery to the city treasurer.

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OMAHA MEN AND THEIR HOBBIES



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Third Ward—First precinct, A. East, Twenty-first and Railroad avenue; Second precinct, Joe Karnelius, Thirty-fourth and L streets.

Fourth Ward—First precinct, P. A. Burke, 121 North Twenty-sixth street; Second precinct, Kilkenny building, 323 Q street.

Fifth Ward—First precinct, Edward Stone, Bradford Kennedy Lumber company.

GOSSIP OF THE POLITICIANS

Republican Managers Working to Get Out Big Registration.

PREPARED TO WAIT ON MR. DREXEL

If County Clerk Persists in Refusing Acceptance of Committee Nominations Mandamus Will Be Resorted To.

Men in charge of the republican organization are devoting much time to preparations for getting out the registration Thursday.

Secretary Greevy of the republican county committee has filed a list of over 200 names of men suitable for appointment as election board officers with Clerk Broadwell of the district court.

As this is the last day permitted by law for filing party nominations with the county clerk the officers of the republican county committee will make a last demand on County Clerk Drexel for the acceptance of the nominees for minor offices made by the committee.

State Representative S. C. Barnes and Committeeman Thomas Wiley, have been placed in charge of the republican county headquarters at 1712 Farnam street, by the officers.

As to the apparent apathy among the democrats County Chairman Cosgrove has this to say: "We have abandoned the old shouting, roaring, windy style of campaign."

County Attorney Decides to Class Lesser Crimes by Negros.

Apparently owing to the fact that juries will not convict of the higher grades of crime colored persons who are brought into court charged with cutting other persons of color, the county attorney's office has adopted the plan of accepting pleas of simple assault in such cases.

City Treasurer Hennings does not propose to let Billy Kierstead get any the better of him with the candidates on the republican ticket.

The Eleventh Ward Republican club will meet Wednesday night at 408 Hamilton street.

At the meeting of the board of governors of the Pontanelle club, held Tuesday night in the club rooms on Farnam street, a large representation of the board was present.

When Amelia Lillja became Mrs. Alvirna Ranney a year and a half ago, here in Omaha, she held a mortgage for \$1,500, given by Mr. Ranney on lot 12, block 1, Millard place.

At the meeting of the Forest Lawn Cemetery association held Tuesday afternoon in the company's offices, 622 New York Life building, Herman Koutsky, O. C. Campbell and M. H. Glis were elected trustees for a term of three years.

Plans for the new park which will be in the entrance to a lodge for the superintendent as well. The public vault is reported as being a great success and has been useful on numerous occasions.

From the time the cemetery was laid out there have been 8,544 interments. The original plot was 320 acres and of this twenty-two acres have been sold, leaving 298 for future use.

Enclosures Put Up by Cattlemen on Government Ranges Are Being Removed.

The office of the United States district attorney is in receipt of advices from a number of special agents of the land department now in the cattlemen country that many of the cattlemen are taking down their fences surrounding public lands.

Official announcement was made Tuesday by the Burlington of the letting of the contract for the construction of fifteen miles of road from Fremont to the Big Horn Basin country.

This road will run through a country irrigated by private enterprises and will pass through the Mormon towns of Lovell, Bryon and Crowley. It will run through the county seat of Big Horn Basin, county, to Worland. The proposed terminus is situated in the center of 65,000 acres of irrigated land, and as sixty acres of irrigated land is equal to 100 acres of ordinary soil, there will soon be a dense population in this district, which is naturally tributary to Omaha.

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NEW OFFICES AND SHOPS

Union Pacific at Work on Latter and Planning for Former.

HEADQUARTERS' DESIGN NOT FINISHED

Architects and Officials Are Still Perfecting Details of Outline—Two Locations Are Under Consideration.

Construction of the new buildings of the Union Pacific shops is in progress and plans for the erection of the new general office building—a dream of years—are under way.

So it is certain a new general headquarters building is coming in the near future. Where it will stand is not known as yet, but two sites are said to be in view.

The first shop building to be constructed will be the office building and laboratory. This will be a two-story brick structure, with offices for Superintendent of Motive Power and Machinery McKee, offices for the superintendent of cars, Mr. Harriman.

The Blacksmith shop will be the finest in the world, according to experts who have seen the plans.

Engine Stripping Shed. The stripping shed in the third building and will be 6x12 feet. An engine is taken right into the stripping shed and all brass and fixtures stored in separate compartments.

Northwestern Steals a March. Word comes from Fremont that a surveying party is in the field working on a new line from Fremont west to tap the Alliance branch of the Burlington, presumably about Broken Bow.

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MASON GETS THREE YEARS

Man Who Entered Girl's Apartments at Night Goes to the Penitentiary.

J. L. Mason, convicted by a jury of an attempted criminal assault on Miss Lillian Youngquist while she was sleeping in a tent at the Seventh Day Adventist camp meeting on the night of August 14, was called up for sentence Tuesday afternoon in the criminal court.

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Health—Economy.

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NO BOND FOR CROWE YET. Bail Delayed, Though Prisoner's Attorney is Hopeful Matter Can Be Arranged. Former County Attorney James P. English, Pat Crowe's attorney, said yesterday afternoon there was nothing certain to be said in the matter of bond just now.

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