

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

City Council Takes Action on the Mad Creek Sewer Proposition.

CITY ATTORNEY ORDERED TO REPORT

V. M. C. A. Asked to Present Waiver From Property Owners Before Securing Permit for Temporary Building.

When the city council met last night, the city engineer again brought up the question of sewer by offering the following resolution:

Whereas, On November 7, 1935, a special election was held for the purpose of voting on the issuance of \$500,000 bonds for the building of a general sewer system and, whereas, the same were not carried, and because said sewer was not wanted but in opposition to the manner in which the same was to be constructed, especially the Mad Creek sewer, and

Whereas, There is on file in the city clerk's office, a contract between the city of South Omaha and the Union Stock Yards company relative to the building and maintaining of certain pipe lines for the sewer by the Union Stock Yards company, therefore, be it resolved, That the city attorney be and he is hereby authorized to report to the mayor and city council at its next meeting on the propriety of the same, and also to the city council, and to the necessary steps to be taken by them to compel the Union Stock Yards company to fulfill its contract with the city.

The resolution was adopted without any discussion.

Secretary Marsh of the local Young Men's Christian association asked permission to construct a galvanized iron building in the rear of 43 North Twenty-fourth street to be used as a gymnasium. This building is to be thirty by sixty feet and is to be built of galvanized iron. Mr. Marsh stated that the association had leased the ground floor and basement in the brick block at 43 North Twenty-fourth street in order to provide a room for the association members. He said he had applied for a permit to erect frame buildings within the fire limits. Councilman Adkins suggested that Secretary Marsh secure a statement from the owners of property on the east side of Twenty-fourth street between M and N streets to the effect that they do not object to such a building as the one proposed. If that statement is filed permission will be granted.

John McGowan was allowed \$125 as a partial estimate on the curbing of Missouri avenue. The city has given \$75 in the third estimate on grading Sixteenth street from I street to Missouri avenue, and Johnson & Skow were allowed \$200 as first estimate on the new fire department building.

An ordinance was introduced for the laying of a permanent sidewalk on the north side of Madison street from Seventeenth to Nineteenth streets.

The curbing and gutting ordinance for Twenty-third street was read for the first time and sent to the judiciary committee. The curb lines on J street from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-seventh streets are to be established by ordinance.

Ordinances were ordered drafted for the laying of sidewalks on Twenty-seventh from A to J streets and on Twenty-eighth from A to J streets. The ordinances were approved and the city fathers adjourned.

Another Concrete Mixer

Parks, Johnson & Parks, the contractors who are putting down the pavement on Twenty-fourth street, secured a second concrete mixer from the factory, and last evening it was being placed in position at Twenty-fourth and J streets and will be ready to use today. Great quantities of material are being unloaded along the street and everything possible is being done to hasten the work. No great amount of attention is being paid to the putting down of the brick block, only about a dozen men working at this. Attention is being centered in getting the concrete base down before the weather prevents the working of cement. Jim Parks says that if he gets the base down he can lay the brick even if the weather is cold. All the men who want work can find it on this paving job now. The city inspectors are watching to watch the work and that all of the material used is first class. If the weather holds good this week the pavement will be down from A to F street and the concreting done on the south side of the street. The contractors are being congratulated on all sides on account of the rapid work they are doing. As a general thing paving operations in South Omaha have dragged along until the people became tired seeing the street torn up. Now the rapid work is causing a great deal of surprise.

With two mixers at work the contractors say that they can put down six blocks of concrete a week.

Surveying for Viaduct

Monday afternoon a party of about five engineers, accompanied by City Engineer Beal, started to make surveys for the viaduct to be built across the tracks at U street. This viaduct will start at Twenty-fourth and U streets and its western terminus will be somewhere in the neighborhood of Twenty-seventh and Y streets.

How hard a mother has to coax before she can get her child to take its first step. It is just as hard to get a child to take its first step into a new world, especially one suffering from a serious illness.

take the first step to health. There is a lack of confidence and perhaps a crushing sense of hopelessness and discouragement which presses and oppresses the sufferer.

In spite of doubts and fears you will take the first step to health when you use Golden Medical Discovery. It never fails to help. In ninety-eight cases out of one hundred it never fails to cure. Never mind about the symptoms. Obsolete cough, bleeding of the lungs, spitting of blood, emphysema, tuberculosis, lung cancer, which if neglected or unskillfully treated terminate in consumption, have all been perfectly and permanently cured by Golden Medical Discovery.

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The exact location of the western end of the bridge will be determined only when the party of surveyors return to work. A representative of the Union Pacific who was in the city yesterday said that it was the intention of the company to go right ahead with the building of this viaduct. More room in this portion of the city is needed for trackage, and about the only way to get it is to build this bridge. The structure is to be steel, similar to the O street viaduct. In case the weather permits, work on this viaduct is to commence at once.

Opening Twenty-Fifth Street

C. W. Miller of the Municipal Park Improvement club stated last evening that practically all arrangements had been completed for the opening of Twenty-fifth street from A north to the boulevard. The Omaha city council has settled with the K.P.R. in its plan to open Twenty-fifth street. It is the engineering department of Omaha will set the stakes today. Mr. Miller further stated that the property owners and others interested in the opening of Twenty-fifth street expected to pay for the grading. Members of the club who worked on this proposition for about a year and are greatly pleased at the outcome.

Two New Damage Claims

Two damage claims against the city were filed last evening. One is filed by Margaret Hoken and the other by Jennie Murray. Both women declare under oath that they fell into a cesspool near Twenty-eighth and R streets and were quite severely bruised and injured, besides ruining the clothing they wore. Notice is served that the city is to be held for damages, but the amount claimed is not stated. The city legal department will investigate the matter today and file a report of the findings with the city clerk during the week.

McGowan Stops Work

Contractor McGowan has stopped work on the curbing of Missouri avenue and has moved all of the tools away from the material. The avenue is curbed from Thirteenth street west to Twentieth street. Mr. McGowan says that there is no use of his trying to lay the curb from Twentieth to Twenty-fourth streets this winter, as the spring rains will wash it out. He will not put this curbing in position until the pavers are close behind him. Between now and spring the street car company will have ample time to secure material for the heavy rails to be laid, and after the spring rains the contractor can make arrangements to put the remaining block to be used. Both of these contractors declare that it will not take long to put down the pavement after a start is made in the spring and the street car company get its new rails laid. Mayor Koutsky has had his new office smoothed down so as to be passable during the winter.

Buckley Complaint Filed

Assistant County Attorney Murdoch has filed a complaint in police court against James J. Buckley, alleging that he held up and robbed Raymond Kieck in Albright on the night of November 8. Buckley was located at Fremont and brought back on Saturday. When arraigned before Acting Police Judge McKay yesterday, Buckley pleaded not guilty and his preliminary hearing was set for Wednesday. Buckley's companion has not yet been located by the police.

Using Drag Net Again

The attempt of two men to blow the safe of Fred Hefflinger at his saloon, Thirtieth and Q streets, Sunday night has caused a warning to be issued to the Briggs issued orders to the night patrol last night to arrest all suspicious characters, and especially those who are found hanging about saloons at a late hour at night. While considerable petty thieving has been going on of late, no robbery has yet occurred in the neighborhood. The police declare that there is no excuse for men being idle in South Omaha at this time and if a man is not working he must give a good excuse or go to jail.

Magie City Gossip

William Kerr is attending to some business at St. Joseph, Mo.
Mrs. George F. Walker is visiting friends at St. Joseph, Mo.
R. C. Howe, general manager of the Armour plant, is confined to his home with a cold.
Miss Emma Copley has been appointed chief operator at the telephone exchange.
The ladies' aid society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a rummage sale at Twenty-fourth and Q streets on Saturday.
Robert Hall and Miss Maggie Murray are the winners of a prize in the home of Miss Murray, Twenty-fifth and Q streets.
Arnold Dickman of the South Omaha High school football team, who was injured in Saturday's game, is reported to be getting along nicely.

HITCHCOCK SENDS NO WORD

Secretary of the Interior Has Not Advised Baxter of Any Investigation.

An official connected with the office of the United States district attorney said Monday no intimation had been received from Attorney General Moody relative to an investigation of that office in the matter of the Bartlett Riots and W. G. Constock cases. He said: "Even were the course intended by the attorney general in this case, I know no intimation of it. The investigation, if any, would be undertaken by special inspectors and this office would know nothing of it until their report had been submitted. However, nothing has been received from the attorney general that would indicate he contemplated such an investigation."

It was learned Monday morning that all of the old indictments pending against cattlemen for illegal land fencing will be brought to the attention of the federal courts and that additional indictments may be found against most of them, not counting the new offenders whose cases are being investigated by the grand jury.

NEGRO ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Hangs Himself With Suspenders in City Jail But Police Cut Him Down.

Charles Harris, colored, who lives at Sixteenth and Cass, attempted to commit suicide in the city jail last night by hanging himself with his suspenders. The police discovered his condition and cut him down before any serious harm had been done.

Harris came into the station corridor in the evening, crying, and asked the police to help him find his wife, who was missing. As he was thoroughly intoxicated and unable to tell a coherent story, the police locked him up.

ALL HIS CLOTHES STOLEN

Only a Collar and Sock Left Visitor Who Picks Out Wrung Hotel.

There may be worse experiences in life than waking up in a strange hotel in a strange city with all of one's clothes except one collar and a half hose, but there are any worse than that Sam Bevedige declares he is yet to meet them. Bevedige told the police he had faced bullets, fought games, tipped off a roof, been chased by a building, tripped up on a banana peel, and seen many ups and downs of life, but during all his travels he had all his clothes stolen until he reached Omaha.

WHY McDONALD RAN BEHIND

Greevy Attributes It to Fact that W. J. Broatch Managed His Campaign.

OMAHA, Nov. 20, 1935.—To the Editor of The Bee: My attention has been called to an article, under the heading of "Quits Business, but Not Politics," in which article Mr. W. J. Broatch announces his candidacy for the majority and is quoted as saying, "I worked hard for McDonald for several months and made the deals in the campaign, but that is as far as it goes."

Mr. McDonald's majority over Mr. Flynn was 42. The rest of the Douglas county committee was elected by majorities and pluralities ranging from 1,200 in 1932, so the other successful candidates have something to be thankful for, and that is that Mr. Broatch did not "shuffe the cards and make all the deals" for them.

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FIRE RECORD.

Fire Loss at Bonesteel.

NORFOLK, Neb., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—The fire loss at Bonesteel, S. D., as a result of a huge blaze there early in the morning yesterday, resulted in damage of \$3,000 to William Krotter & Co., whose elevator and lumber yard were burned. The fire started in the elevator and another lumber yard were threatened but a strong wind saved them. This is the second big fire for Bonesteel within two weeks and the causes of each are mysterious. There were 20,000 bushels of grain burned. The loss is well insured.

HYMENEAL.

London-Kittredge.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Jack London, author and war correspondent, was married to Dorothy Kittredge of Newton, Ia., last night by Justice J. J. Grant.

Cornell-Barash.

William H. Cornell of South Omaha and Anna E. Barash of Ottumwa were married last night by Rev. E. Conble Smith at the latter's residence, 308 Burt street.

Tracing a Robber.

NORFOLK, Neb., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—A report from Wakefield says that the robber who escaped during the battle with a posse that was sent there recently, known as "Yorkie" Lynch and "Kid" Parker were taken for dynamiting the Matella saloon, allowing their partner to make a getaway, slept all that day in a haystack on the farm of Gustave Heinrich and returned to Wakefield, where he was being hunted, that night since the action.

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The trial of the case of Charles L. Jones against the Union Selling company was begun before a jury this morning in the circuit court Monday morning. Suit is brought to recover on a contract in the shipment of quantities of clothing. The case has been pending in the United States courts.

Articles of incorporation of the Hyman Grain company have been filed with the county clerk. The incorporators are W. J. Neely, Fred Hynes and J. M. Hynes. The capital stock is \$50,000 and the business of the company will be the handling of grain of any kind or other security, or otherwise, will be conducted in Omaha.

Miss Rose Humphreys of Platteau, Ind., who is transferring from the Burlington to the Union station this evening, had the unfortunate misfortune of losing all the money she had with her and her railroad transportation. She had \$20 in cash, a check for \$10, and a long receipt for \$100 in Shenandoah, Ia.; these she notified of her plight.

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of Mother's Friend so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This remedy is always applied externally and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

Hotel Clerks Have Meeting.

The meeting of the Omaha Hotel Clerks' association was held in the Murray hotel last evening. There were a large attendance of members and considerable business was transacted. Special applications for membership were received. Among the members present was Mr. Parke of the Grand

Street Car Takes Off Toe.

William Lockhart, who stays at his barn in the alley between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, was injured by the street car last night in a collision with a street car. The car struck his toe and he was taken to the hospital. The car was driven by one of the regulars.

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FOUND UNCONSCIOUS IN STREET

James Kiernan Suffering from Injuries, but Cause Cannot Be Ascertained.

A rather mysterious accident occurred at Sixteenth and Cass streets last night, between 9:30 and 9:45, James Kiernan, who is thought to be employed by the Nebraska Clothing company, was found lying in the street near the track of the Sixteenth street car line, suffering with what is feared to be a concussion of the brain. Blood was gushing in streams from his left cheek and another under his chin. There were other marks on his body. He was first discovered by Tom Falconer and was taken into Tom Hart's saloon. The police surgeon was summoned and took the man to the police station in an unconscious condition.

It is uncertain how he was injured—whether he was struck by a street car or run down by some vehicle. At 10:45 he was taken to the Clarkson hospital. An examination showed that there was no fracture, but a severe concussion of the brain is thought to be a menace to his recovery. It is thought that there was one eye witness to the accident from the remark that he made to some bystanders after he was discovered. This man had several little children with him. He disappeared before the police arrived, so his statement was lost. The detectives are looking for the man, in order to discover the cause of Kiernan's injuries.

At last reports from the hospital the man had not regained consciousness.

DEUEL TO MAKE NO FIGHT

Report of Resisting Election Results in Pronounced Nonsense by His Deputy.

Some one started the rumor about the court house that Harry Deuel, or some other man now in office, had declared at the recent election, would resist any attempt by the new officers to take possession. This on the ground that the recent election was void because of machines being used to record the vote.

Mr. Deuel was in office when his deputy said to him, "I have not heard of such a proposal," said the deputy, "and I do not believe Mr. Deuel has, either. It is just nonsense."

Like Wild Animals

That roar and rend you are the pains of Bilioussness. Kidney Trouble. Cure guaranteed by Electric Bitters; 50c. For sale by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

George Arkwright, a prominent merchant of Beatrice, is an Omaha visitor.

W. J. Lehr, Mend; John Anderson, Elgin. At the Pastors: H. C. Carring, Columbus; W. O. Hendrick, Norfolk; George P. Bissell, Central City.

At the Millard: C. A. Barnes, Alton; W. L. Sumpter, St. Paul; G. Ryan, Grand Island; H. M. Day, Beatrice.

J. W. Metcham of Central City. F. P. Morgan, H. A. Danon of Ogallala and R. B. Ward of Fremont.

Superintendent Davidson returned Sunday from Oakland, where he addressed the Burt County chert association.

William Burk, friend; E. M. Crump, Fairbury; W. J. Courtwright, Friend; Ira Wolf, Union; T. Hayes, Nebraska City, are guests at the Her Grand.

F. A. Good, Cowles; Mrs. J. M. Stewart, Lincoln; J. P. Badmore, Papillion; W. R. Arnold, York; O. H. Conrad, Broken Bow; are registered at the Murray.