

CURRENT COUNCIL BLUFFS

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CONFERENCE OVER LIGHTS

Extension of the Gas Mains Still the Question Which Holds Up Contract.

NO CONCLUSION REACHED BY COMMITTEE

Light Towers Also Discussed at the Meeting, but Discussion is as Far as It Went, Toward a Settlement.

Sitting as a committee of the whole the city council last night took up and discussed the proposed lighting contract with the Citizens' Gas and Electric company, but nothing was arrived at.

Another conference between the committee on fire and light and the officers of the lighting company will be held, the result of which the committee is expected to report at the adjourned meeting of the city council next Monday night.

A considerable portion of last night's session was devoted to the discussion of the extension of the company's gas mains in certain parts of the city. Councilman Hendrix said his constituents in the Sixth ward demanded that the mains be extended on Avenue B from Thirtieth to Thirty-fourth street. Councilman Wallace demanded that they be extended to Habbit Place, at the end of East Broadway, while Councilman Kersten insisted that they be extended throughout the Fourth and Fifth wards.

As a result of the discussion of this phase of the question the committee on fire and light was instructed to confer with the lighting company as to these proposed extensions and report back at the meeting of the city council next Monday night.

At Councilman Wallace's suggestion a clause is to be inserted in the lighting contract requiring the company to extend its mains when so directed by the council and when a "reasonable" number of persons are secured on such extensions.

The question of abandoning the electric light towers and replacing several of the arc lights with thirty-two candle power incandescent lamps was discussed, but nothing decided upon.

WATERSTEAD IS READY FOR WORK

Water Company Ready to Assist Him in His Labors.

William Kiersted, the hydraulic engineer of Kansas City, engaged by the city to compute the value of the water rights and to furnish an estimate of the cost of the construction of a new one, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Kiersted is ready to begin work at once.

In speaking of his plans Mr. Kiersted stated that his first work would be along the line of preliminary investigation and taking an inventory of the plant and property of the waterworks company. How long this would take Mr. Kiersted was unable to say. In this work of making an inventory Mr. Kiersted will be assisted by an engineer to be employed by the waterworks company. Manager Hart of the waterworks company has offered to extend all the assistance in his power to Mr. Kiersted and all maps and other records of the company will be placed at his disposal.

Shortly after his arrival Mr. Kiersted held a conference with the members of the special waterworks committee, of which Councilman Wallace is chairman.

Getting Ready for Carnival.

At a meeting of the Council Bluffs Street Fair and Carnival company held last evening in the office of President Victor E. Bender the first steps towards making preparations for the annual street fair to be held the week of September 3 to 10 were made.

Correspondence is to be entered into by Secretary George S. Wright with three carnival companies whose representatives are expected here next week to look the ground over and confer with the officers of the company. Secretary Wright was authorized to secure the usual mile or so of eight-foot canvas fence to enclose the carnival grounds.

It was decided to begin awarding the various concessions next week, when a plot of the booths will also be ready, it being the intention of the management to have everything completed and in readiness by the opening day of the street fair.

If the plans of the management meet with success, it is intended that the street fair and carnival will surpass any of the effects of former years.

Germans to Celebrate.

The German-American citizens of Council Bluffs and Pottawattamie county will celebrate "German day" in this city this year. This was decided upon at a meeting held last night in the rooms of the Commercial club.

For the last few years the German society, the Sons of Herman, have observed October 3 as the anniversary of the settlement of Germanbluffs near Philadelphia. Two years ago the anniversary was held in Council Bluffs and last year in Manning. This year it was to have been held either at Minden or Avoca, but neither of these towns considered themselves able to handle the crowd and they finally devolved the duty of entertaining it.

The date for holding the celebration was not determined last night, but probably will be at an adjourned meeting to be held next Tuesday night in the rooms of the Commercial club.

These were appointed a general committee on arrangements last night: Theo N. Peterson, Henry Sperling, A. Becker, editor of the Free Press; A. Kramer and August Boyan.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported to The Bee July 5 by the Title, Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs:

Mark L. Williams and wife to G. A. Clark, s. s. w. d. 1/4 sec. 16, T. 25 N., R. 21 W., \$100.00.

Walter J. Miller, s. s. w. d. 1/4 sec. 14, T. 25 N., R. 21 W., \$100.00.

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TALK OF CONTEST IN POLK

Cummins May Lose the Delegation from His Home County.

CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS QUESTIONED

Asserted That Primary Law Inhibits Selection of Delegates by Any Person in This Case Deputed to Cummins.

Western Iowa College Commencement.

Commencement exercises of the Western Iowa college were held last evening in the commodious rooms of the institution, in the Merriam block, formerly occupied by the public library. Hon. Emmet Tinley of this city delivered the address and Miss Caroline Conklin and Mrs. Lincoln H. Hayes contributed to the enjoyment of the program, the former with a violin solo and the latter with a vocal solo. E. P. Miller, president of the college, presented the diploma. Rev. James O'May, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, offered the opening prayer, while Rev. G. W. Snyder, pastor of St. John's English Lutheran church, delivered the benediction. Three notices would be issued by Chairman Miller in a few days.

The date for the convention at which the party will name a county ticket was not fixed, but it was determined that it would not be held until about the middle of the month. The convention will be held after the democratic state convention in Waterloo.

Our Saturday Specials.

1 lb. granulated sugar, 51; Washburn & Crosby's Gold Medal flour, 11 1/2; 10 bars good soap, 2c; Sapolin, per bar, 7c; salmon powder, 1 1/2; can Dr. Price's baking powder, 2c; quart Mason fruit jars, dozen, 5c; tumblers, per dozen, 2c; granite colander, 25c; 5-qt. granite kettle, 15c; 10-qt. granite dish pan, 27c; 4-passenger lawn swing, \$5.95; gas stove oven, \$13.95; hammocks, up from 75c; fancy cuts of beef, pork, veal or mutton; peaches, apricots, plums, pineapples, watermelons, muskmelons, tomatoes, lemons, oranges, bananas, fresh vegetables, etc. No delivery of sugar alone. J. Zoller Mercantile Co., phone 320, 100-102-104 Broadway.

Pineapple sale today. We have extra large ones, two dozen to the crate, at only \$1.90 per dozen. Bartel & Miller, Tel. 259.

MINOR MENTION.

Clark's sodas.

Day's suit druggs.

Stocking sale.

Fine engraving at Leffert's.

Ed Rogers' Tony Pearl beer.

New location, 20 Pearl St., Maloney.

Plumbing and heating, Kirby & Son.

Wholesale and retail clothing, W. J. Lewis.

Real estate and investment, Talk to Leffert about it.

See Duncan & Dean's Dutch Auction, 35 1/2 S. Main.

Men's & Boy's suits at S. A. Pierce & Co.'s, Broadway and Main street.

Position is waiting for any after taking a course at the Western Iowa college.

George Hoagland has the Kansas Shall Brick. All hard brick. Get his prices.

35 pairs men's tan shoes, \$4 and 35 shoes for men, \$3.50. S. A. Pierce & Co., Broadway and Main street.

See Stephen Brock for silk and fine play, sewer pipe, fittings and garden hose. \$2.50 buys a pair of new 8 1/2 Regent tan shoes at S. A. Pierce & Co., Broadway and Main street.

Picture frames made to order. Hundreds of patterns to choose from. C. E. Alexander, 33 Broadway.

City Electrician J. Rice will attend the meeting of state health officers at Waterloo next week.

White and Standish sewing machines for sale at Williamson's, 17 So. Main St.

Machine sewing was issued yesterday to John Hawkins, aged 27, of Jerome, Ariz., and Vada Davis, aged 17, of this city.

When buying pianos you run no chances on price or quality at A. Hospe Co.'s, 33 South Main street, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Men's tan shoes, \$4 and 35 shoes for men, \$3.50. S. A. Pierce & Co., Broadway and Main street.

To the chicken raiser: Don't scrap with your neighbors. Fence them up. We have the best fence material in the country fence ever carried in the city. C. Hafer.

We wholesale ice cream. Shipped to all parts of the state. Special prices on the retail trade. Ice cream, 15c per gallon. Council Bluffs, Ia. Tel. 364.

We have the finest line of sample numbers in the city. Shaded, Shaded & Lane Marble and Granite works, 211 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

The case against Melvin Head, charged with assault and battery on Peter Knecht, was dismissed in Justice Field's court yesterday on the defendant paying the court costs.

40 pairs of men's tan shoes, \$3.50 and \$4 and 35 shoes for men, \$3.50. S. A. Pierce & Co., Broadway and Main street.

Miss Anna Nelson, who was paroled from the Missouri State Penitentiary, was before the Commissioners on Monday morning, July 6, and was granted a 30-day stay, as she is unable to pay her fine. The board of prison directors is expected to order her released on bail.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Seasonably Quiet Conditions Appear in Many Commercial Departments.

JOBBERS EARLY IN PRIMARY MARKETS

Preparations for an Unprecedented Fall and Winter Trade in Progress—Decrease in Number of Failures.

NEW YORK, July 6.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade will say tomorrow:

Seasonably quiet conditions have appeared in many commercial departments, the first week in July invariably bringing the minimum of activity in foreign trade, but preparations for an unprecedented fall and winter trade are well advanced. Preparations for an unprecedented fall and winter trade are well advanced. Preparations for an unprecedented fall and winter trade are well advanced.

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OUR LETTER BOX

Elmwood Park's Editor.

State Convention in Denver Nominates William D. Hayward for Governor.

Denver, July 6.—It was learned tonight that the socialist party of Colorado held a convention in this city on the Fourth of July and nominated a full state ticket, headed by William D. Hayward, secretary-treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners, now in prison in Idaho, for governor.

Remainder of the ticket is as follows: Secretary of state, H. C. Darrah, Colorado Springs; Treasurer, J. W. Sawyer, Grand Junction; Auditor, John M. Martin, Denver; Attorney general, I. Tarkoff, Montrose; Lieutenant governor, A. H. Ploatin, Telluride.

Superintendent of public instruction, A. L. Lynch, Wellington.

Regents State university, D. J. H. Morrow, Denver; Dr. E. H. Graeb, Denver. Judges of the supreme court, F. Woodside, Colorado Springs; John M. King, Denver.

Congressman-at-large, Guy E. Miller, Telluride.

Tariff War in Balkans.

VIENNA, July 6.—Servia having declined to make concessions in the matter of Austrian imports, the government of Austria today closed the frontier against Serbian cattle and ordered the enforcement of the autonomous customs tariff on other imports from that country.

Augustus St. Gaudens Recovers.

WINSTON, Va., July 6.—Augustus St. Gaudens, the sculptor, who is ill at his summer home in Cornish, N. H., and who has not been confined to the house since his arrival at Cornish a few days ago at his home today it was stated that Mr. St. Gaudens had recovered from his illness.

Graves Cleveland Better.

PRINCETON, July 6.—Former President Grover Cleveland, who is ill of indigestion at his home here, went out for a walk this morning for the first time since his arrival at his home today it was stated that Mr. Cleveland would be out in a day or two.

CITY TAXES NOT SO LARGE

Half Million Credited to June and Quarter Million Carried Over to July.

June produced \$47,000 city taxes, of which \$30,000 was on real estate and \$17,000 on personal property. Last year \$30,000 was collected during the same time, greater exertions being made to gather the cash. This thing something like a quarter of a million was carried over from the rush of the last day to entry in July.

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