

ANNEX TO THE TRAIN SCHOOL

Board Orders Two-Room Addition to the Present Building.

LANTERNS FOR SIGNAL CORPS

Secretary Burgess and President Rice Delegated to Climb the Stairs Labor Day and Adjudge the Meeting.

weeks in order to allow Steadman to secure papers showing his age.

Charges were preferred by Chief Donahoe against Officer J. F. Starr for failing to patrol his beat. The hearing was set for next Monday. Annual leaves of absence were granted to Detective J. H. Savage, Sergeant A. Vanous and Officer Frank Murphy.

Three new firemen were appointed to the police list. They are J. H. Van Wagenen, John Q. Adams and William Cohen. At next Monday night's meeting the board will examine applicants for the police department.

PALMER RAISES FIRST FLAG

President Rice and Secretary Burgess Will climb the stairs to the top of the city hall the evening of Labor day, go through the time-honored formalities of calling the Board of Education together and adjourning it, and then climb down again. The board tendered them the honor at the meeting last night and it was accepted as gracefully as possible. It is all because on that evening the elevator conductors will be off duty and enjoying a holiday, and the statute requires a board meeting on that date. Nothing aside from business of a routine nature transpired at the meeting last evening except that the construction of a two-story frame annex to the Train site, at an estimated cost of \$1,000, was authorized, and a formal motion was ordered entered designating the new Vinton street school building as the Vinton school.

Through the courtesy of Captain L. B. Wildman, former commandant of the United States Signal corps station, the cadet battalion has acquired two signal lanterns for use of the high school signal corps. The battalion has endeavored to have government property of this kind assigned for its use, but unsuccessfully. A letter from Captain Wildman, read at the meeting, stated that he had purchased and repaired one station lamp and one field lantern, which he desired to present through the board to the battalion. The gift was accepted and the secretary ordered to express the thanks of the board to the donor.

Statement of Finances.

Reports presented from the treasurer and comptroller showed \$26,616 available for warrants in the general fund and \$17,134 of unobliged funds on deposit.

An effort to secure a raise in salary for George H. Parker, engineer at the high school, by instructing the secretary and president to employ him for one year from August 20, at \$50 per month, failed to prevail, and a contract for ten months at \$50 was ordered entered into. The contract increases his present stipend from \$50.

An estimate of \$27,750 to the Capital City Brick and Pipe company on the Vinton building was allowed, also an estimate of \$500 to Rutherford & Jensen and one of \$200 to F. Johnson for grading. The resignation of Harry Harlan Powell as kindergarten director was received and accepted.

Repairs on the several school buildings were ordered as follows: Saunders, \$2; Long, \$2; Central, \$34; Columbian, \$2; Mason, \$11.50; High, necessary shade fixtures; Monmouth Park, necessary engine repairs. Claims to the amount of \$2,967.50 also were allowed.

The report of Secretary Burgess is as follows:

Appertained.	Remaining.
Advertising	\$ 20
Architect's services	1,000
Books	1,000
Cartage	400
Census enumeration	1,000
Construction	35,000
Draftsmen and kindred	2,000
Dergarten supplies	1,000
Electric expenses	1,000
Electric power	250
Express and freight	100
Fuel	500
Furniture	20,000
Improvements	4,500
Interest and exchange	10,000
Janitors	40,000
Light, fuel and gas	50,000
Mail, telephone and telegraph	1,000
Office books	1,000
Officers and clerks	14,000
Printing	2,000
Rent	100
Repairs	20,000
Special taxes	1,000
Stationery and supplies	20,000
Miscellaneous	2,000
Total	100,000
Add for bonds, redemption fund	50,000
Add for insurance fund	1,000
Total	151,000
1st Month	
First Ya.	
1906-07	
Advertising	100
Architect's services	1,000
Books	100
Cartage	100
Census enumeration	100
Construction	100
Draftsmen and kindred	100
Dergarten supplies	100
Electric expenses	100
Electric power	100
Express and freight	100
Fuel	100
Furniture	100
Improvements	100
Interest and exchange	100
Janitors	100
Light, fuel and gas	100
Mail, telephone and telegraph	100
Office books	100
Officers and clerks	1,000
Printing	100
Rent	100
Repairs	100
Special taxes	100
Stationery and supplies	100
Miscellaneous	100
Total	100
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Electric expenses	100
Electric power	100
Express and freight	100
Fuel	100
Furniture	100
Improvements	100
Interest and exchange	100
Janitors	100
Light, fuel and gas	100
Mail, telephone and telegraph	100
Office books	100
Officers and clerks	1,000
Printing	100
Rent	100
Repairs	100
Special taxes	100
Stationery and supplies	100
Miscellaneous	100
Total	100
Cash in general fund August 1, 1907	100,000
General and other outstanding	100,000
Balances in site and building	100,000
Total August 1, 1907	300,000

Comparative statement of expenditures for the first month of the fiscal year 1906-07, with the first month of the fiscal year 1907-08:

1st Month	1st Month
First Ya.	First Ya.
1906-07	1907-08
Advertising	100
Architect's services	1,000
Books	100
Cartage	100
Census enumeration	100
Construction	100
Draftsmen and kindred	100
Dergarten supplies	100
Electric expenses	100
Electric power	100
Express and freight	100
Fuel	100
Furniture	100
Improvements	100
Interest and exchange	100
Janitors	100
Light, fuel and gas	100
Mail, telephone and telegraph	100
Office books	100
Officers and clerks	1,000
Printing	100
Rent	100
Repairs	100
Special taxes	100
Stationery and supplies	100
Miscellaneous	100
Total	100
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Officers and clerks	1,000
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Rent	100
Repairs	100
Special taxes	100
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DEATH RECORD.

William Winkelman.

NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 20.—(Special)—William Winkelman, once an Omaha bookbinder, who was doing carpenter work on one of the new state buildings at Peru, and who fell from a second-story building, died in the hospital in this city. The body was taken to Peru last evening for interment. By his fall he broke his back and was brought to this city and operated upon. It was found necessary to remove two vertebrae, when it was discovered that the spinal cord was very badly bruised. He leaves a wife and two grown daughters, who are residents of Omaha. He lived in Omaha for twenty years.

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Judge Steadman to Allow Appeal.

DETROIT, Aug. 20.—John Steadman, judge of the circuit court, will allow an appeal by Arthur Smith, who was fined \$100 for failing to pay his fine of \$100 for failing to appear in court to answer charges of assault and battery.

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