AMES AVENUE IS TO BE PAVED

Petitions Have Been Signed for Mile of Paving.

TO CHANGE DOWN TOWN STREETS

Peritions Being Circulated to Repaye Jones and Tenth Streets-Intersection Fund is Running tow.

A petition for the paving and curbing of Ames avenue it in Thirty-sixth to Fortyeithth streets, the city limits, has been filed with the city clerk and referred to the engineering department for approval. The ontemplated district will comprise the longest stretch of pavement that has been laid in Greata in years under one petition. The stretch to be improved will be about a mile in length. Running from Thirtysixth street, the new pavement will afford a highway to Fontenelle park. For nearly a half mile the street paralllels the park

on the north side. An ordinance for the paving of the street will be introduced into the city council as soon as the signatures are declared sufficient However, it is not thought that the city will be able to start on the work this season because of inadequate funds for

Funds set aside for intersection purposes have been exhausted. In the event that the ordinance is passed Ames avenue will be one of the first to be improved next season. Promoters of the improvements have been circulating the petition since last October. The first signature was obtained on October 15 and the last on

Patitions for the changing of the character of the pavement on Jones street, from Seventh to Fourteenth streets, and for Ninth street from Leavenworth to Howard streets, are being circulated. Both these thoroughfares are paved at present with granite blocks. The petitions request that the blocks he taken up, a concrete base put in and the stone blocks replaced.

These petitions, if sufficient signatures are secured, will practically clean up the changes in the downtown section.

OMAHA HOTEL CLERKS DEFEND THEIR SECRETARY

Pass Resolutions and Name Delegates to the National Convention at St. Louis.

The Omaha hotel clerks have risen to the defense of the secretary of their association, Art W. Gird, and at the last meeting resolutions were introduced condemning the hotel journal in Denver which published an attack upon Mr. Gird, as a "disturbing element" in the national associaof "greeters." Mr. Gird is associate editor of the Omaha Hotel Reporter and as such took occasion to remark upon the candidacy of William Baldwin of Kanans City for the presidency of the greaters who are to meet in hallonal convention in St. Louis this month. He dared to say that some of the Colorado clerks were supporting Mr. Baldwin, and Edith M. Pray, editor of the Denver Hotel Reporter, wrote a long endtorial denouncing Mr. Gird as the writer of "sarcastic, unkind and untrue things about the hotel people of Colorado." The Omaha meeting, which was the executive session for the association of Nebraska and Iowa, passed resolutions against the editorial and backing Mr. Gird.

The Nebraska-lowa delegates have no definite intention of supporting William Baldwin, however, and are going uninstructed. The trip to St. Louis will be made in a special car and the delegates will make as much noise as possible for this section of the country. Omaha will be boosted as a place for the national convention two or three years from this summer. The delegates as elected were:

legates-William Anderson, Charles W. Miller, Joseph McCaffrey, M. H. Castie, Joe Keenan, Art W. Gird and T. J. McAvoy of Omaha; George W. Dauchy of Waterloo, Ia.; F. J. Walton of Lincoln. Jay P. MacLarty of Sioux City and J. W. Moore of Genoa, Neb.

Alternates-Frank Ruble, H. S. Perkins, Howard Delaney, Gus R. Broberg and C. George Stockman of Omaha; John D. Seater of Fort oDdge, Ia.; G. A. Bennett of Lincoln, R. C. Bowers of Hastings, Neb.; J. H. Luscombe of Waterico, la. George C. O'Rourke of Davenport, Is., and Wesley M. Allison of Burlington, la.

GOOD SAMARITAN LOSES TYPEWRITER AND MONEY

Helps Brother Operator Out of Hole and Comes Out Loser by the Deal.

W. O. Wilson, a telegraph operator in the Union depot dispatcher's office, was importuned by a fellow union dispatcher for aid. According to custom, Wfison, after seeing the brother's card, gave up his job for an hour or so that the man might be able to earn himself the price of a meal. When he returned, operator, \$2 which he had given him in advance as pay. and Wilson's typewriter had all taken simultaneous flight.

The name of the faithless member, who worked the double cross action on the protherty love rule, is Sittler, but he is known in many cities as Morrison, a "bucketshop" operator

MEN'S CLUB DINE THE WOMEN

Enjoyable Affair at Walnut Hill Mothodist Church, with Men as Cooks and Waiters.

The Men's club of the Walnut Hill Meth-Episcopal church gave a Ladies'-Banquet in the church pariors Thursday evening. This was the annual banquet cooked and served by men only. A reception was held in the auditorium while the table were being prepared. At 30, the guests lintened to the music of the orchestra led by Mr. Fellers while the white-clad waiters served the courses. The kitchen force got busy, and a very good home-product-three-course - banquet was enjoyed by the guests. The bill of

fare was selected from Omaha products. Mr. Colwell was the master of ceremonies. Mr. G. D. Boyd gave a toast from the men's point of view while Mrs. E. E. Hosman responded with a toast entitled "Taffy."

The program that followed was in every respect a credit to the entertainers representing the Dickerman School of Voice Development. All of the numbers were encored and the reading of Misses Sans and Scott were especially appreciated. The program consisted of the following selec-

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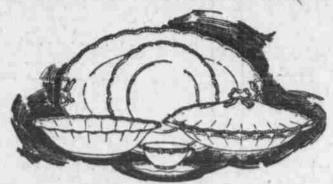
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