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THE DELEGATION NOT AUTHORIZED

Men Who Did Not Get to go to Washington, Refuse to Allow Expenses For the Three.

THE COMMITTEE REPORT

Keokuk Lantern Club Petition Received by the Council and Referred to the Committee of Whole.

The city council held an interesting meeting last evening with Mayor pro tem presiding and but seven aldermen in their seats.

At a meeting of the committee of the whole held several days ago, it was decided that the mayor should appoint an alderman to accompany him to Washington and the city pay the expenses.

When the committee report came up before the council, the aldermen reiterated their former agreement, back dated and left the three delegates to the national capital with the pleasant thought that when they get back there will be no money coming to them.

The petition of the Keokuk Lantern Club, asking the city for \$500 for lighting the streets for the past two months, was referred to the committee of the whole and the amount will probably be allowed at the next council meeting, providing the members of the club get busy and talk to the aldermen and influence them to vote for an appropriation.

The following bills were allowed: Monthly salaries \$2,038.32; Board of health 149.25; Bridge account 23.36; General expense 434.40.

Fire account	181.71
Market account	8.75
Nuisance	22.10
Park account	32.55
Police account	199.16
Sewer account	192.24
Sidewalk account	577.27
Street account	337.31
Water works account	693.77

Petitions and Communications.

There were an extra large number of petitions received, including claims for \$1,750 from the city, the following asking for city money: G. W. Fanning \$500; F. C. Overton 200; G. J. Hall 50; Amanda Ginyard 50; Keokuk Lantern Club 500; And nobody got a cent.

The petitions were received and disposed of as follows: From Keokuk Lantern Club asking \$500 for its fine work during the past two months. Referred to the committee of the whole.

From Rev. Thos. O'Reilly asking that the taxes for 1908 be cancelled on the following church property, lot 5 in block 121, lots 7 and 8 in block 89, lots 7, 8 and 9 in block 129. Petition granted excepting for the last three lots which are vacant property and not being used for school or church purposes.

From Ed Steffen and others asking for a sanitary sewer in the alley between Bank, Timea, Third and Fifth streets. Referred to the sewer committee.

From Keokuk Water Works company asking permission to build a clear water tank on the river front in front of their pumping station. The council recommended the leasing for twenty-five years at \$5 per year of a piece of ground thirty-five feet square to the company. Alderman Lindstrand voted against this.

From the C. B. & Q. Ry. Co. asking permission to change the highway at the south end of the Des Moines river bridge. Petition granted providing the company agrees to maintain the road.

From G. W. Fanning objecting to the assessing of a special tax for gutters in front of his property. Referred to the committee of the whole.

From F. C. Overton, same objection. Same course.

From Amanda Ginyard asking \$50 damages for overflow on lots 7 and 8 in block 26. Kilbourne's addition. Referred to the judicial committee.

From W. B. Collins asking the city clerk to provide a book for the recording of city contracts. Referred to the committee of the whole.

From Miss K. L. Gambert objecting to the ordering of a gutter in front of lot 8 in block 131. Referred to the street committee.

From G. J. and Katherine Hall asking \$200 damages for four shade trees removed while Des Moines street was being brought to grade. Referred to the street committee.

From Ida F. Davis and Nancy E. Fulton protesting against a special tax for a gutter in front of lot 2 in block 98. Referred to the committee of the whole.

From G. W. Fanning and F. C. Overton, each claiming \$500 from the city as damages, because of the building of the gutters in front of their properties and for which they have filed protests and refusals to pay. Referred to the committee of the whole.

From H. J. Vogt asking for an extension of time to put down a permanent sidewalk ordered in front of lot 7 in block 4, R. P. & W. addition. Petition granted.

Fred T. Kerns was granted permission to conduct a saloon at No. 12 North Water street. Aldermen Annable and Lindstrand voted against this. Henry Sanders was granted permission to remove his saloon to No. 226 Main street. Aldermen Annable, Brown and Lindstrand voted against this. Ald. Brown thought that the library commissioners should be consulted before the council grant permission for a saloon to move right next to the library.

Officers Reports.

The following officer's reports were received and all filed: Chief clerk of the council reported 1577 inclusive to the amount of 43,138.92 during November.

The clerk of the Superior court reported collecting \$24.40 in city taxes and \$1.75 in civil cases during November.

The calaboose keeper reported 89 lockups and 269 meals served during November. There were 24 sleepers, 15 drunks and 12 lockups on suspicion.

The city attorney reported that he had made an investigation, as ordered by the council, and had found that all of the railroads, generally were violating the city ordinances regarding switching on the levee. He also found that the C. B. & Q. Ry. Co. was charging an extra 10 cents per ton for switching upturn where the charge should be but \$3 per car according to the ordinance.

On the switching clause, the argument was brought up that the railroads could not switch into the coal yards without coming up across Main street during the day time.

The question was referred to the railroad committee, city attorney and city marshal, to see if something can not be done to put a stop to the blocking of the crossings at the foot of Main and Blondeau streets by the railroads.

Reports of Committees.

The judicial committee reported against the petition of E. H. Loewenstein and asked further time on the petition of Abraham Yeiser. The report was adopted.

The committee of the whole reported in favor of the mayor appointing two delegates to go with him to Washington this week to attend the waterways convention, the city to pay the legitimate expenses. They recommended that the sixth ward sewer be referred back to the sewer committee, and that the city attorney and engineer investigate the lease between the city and the K. & W. for the ground on the levee. They asked

Other Items.

The sum of \$150 was allowed for the purpose of cleaning the paved streets as soon as the weather permits.

The street supervisor was instructed to enforce the ordinance regarding the removal of snow and ice upon sidewalks.

A resolution was adopted that the electric company clean the arc light globes.

The city engineer was instructed to make the repairs ordered between the street car tracks on the crossings and charge the same to the company which has failed to do the work.

A resolution was adopted that the city engineer serve notice on all firms which have made excavations in the streets, and who have left chucks holes and bumps in the street, to put the same in proper shape, or the same will be done by the city and charged to the firm. A committee of three consisting of Aldermen Brown, Johnson and Swanson, was appointed to look into this matter and see that the work is really done.

Further time on the proposed moving of the Curtis statue.

Alderman Lindstrand objected to that clause in the report as to the sending of the delegation to Washington. He said that he wanted to go on record against this. Alderman Brown made a short address on this topic. He said that he also wanted to go on record as being against sending delegates away to conventions until the council settle what business is before it. Alderman Tighe said that he was in favor of sending the mayor to Washington, but not to send other delegates.

On the vote that this delegation clause in the report be thrown out, Alderman Off was the only one who voted to keep it in. All other aldermen voting to adopt the committee report excepting this clause, the three delegates now at Washington, the mayor, O. A. Talbot and T. J. Hickey will have to pay their own expenses. After the meeting a telegram was sent to the delegates notifying them that the city was not paying the freight and to be careful of their expense bill.

The street committee reported against the petition of Mrs. Keppel and Mrs. Donahue, to eliminate the curbing on the brick paving on Johnson street between Eighth and Ninth streets.

The engineer reported that the railroads had raised the tracks at the foot of Main street, so that it was an inconvenience to the public. The city marshal was instructed to order the nuisance abated.

A resolution for the improvement of Bank street from Eighth to Twelfth streets, by brick paving, 26 feet wide was referred to the street committee.

The clerk was ordered to certify to the board of supervisors that the 1907 tax of Mrs. Margaret Dunn had been exempted on account of age and infirmity and had been so since and not reported, through an oversight.

The special tax was levied for the construction of a number of cement sidewalks recently ordered, put in and accepted by the city.

Some Sewer Business.

The special tax for the construction of the sanitary sewer from Seventeenth street between High and Concert to Fifteenth street, which has been completed, was not levied, nor the work accepted, for there is a two foot ridge down the alley, left by the contractor and until that is fixed, the city will not accept the work.

A resolution of intention was adopted for a sewer from Seventeenth street between Bank and Timea to Fourteenth street. Aldermen Brown, Lindstrand and Seeman voted against this. A similar resolution was adopted for a sewer from Thirteenth between Timea and Des Moines to Fourteenth.

A number of other resolutions of intention were adopted for sanitary sewers, which will be acted upon at the January meeting of the council.

On one from Nineteenth to Twelfth between Des Moines and Palean, Alderman Brown voted against it.

One was adopted for an 8 inch sewer on Seymour between Twelfth and Thirteenth.

from Main to Johnson street. A request for an arc light at Fourteenth and Carroll street was referred to the light committee. Council adjourned at 10 o'clock.

PERSONAL MENTION FROM DONNELLSON

Comings and Goings and a Few Society Events Chronicled by Our Correspondent.

DONNELLSON, Iowa, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Russell Wilson who was again operated on Thursday, is reported to be getting along as well as could be expected.

Edward H. Wiegner of Farmington spent Sunday at home.

Ed. Seyb was a New Boston visitor several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meinhardt returned home Wednesday morning from a several days stay at St. Joseph, Mo.

Miss Irma Holdefer was a Farmington visitor Monday.

There will be no services at the G. E. church next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Kries will preach at Warsaw, the Sunday School will be held at the usual hour, 9:30.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt and children spent Sunday at Peter Fruchs.

Miss Anna M. Wiegner was a Farmington visitor Wednesday.

Chas. Meinhardt has sold his house on Main street to James Cruckshank. Mr. Meinhardt and wife will move to St. Joseph, Mo., about April 1st.

Laura Seyb returned home Saturday morning from a week's visit in New Boston.

News is scarce this week, the roads are bad and not many come to town.

Miss Lella Mattern of Keokuk visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dora E. Wiegner returned home Saturday evening from a several days visit in Farmington.

Mrs. H. A. Trump entertained some friends at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Mehl has returned home from a visit with her son, Clyde and wife at Agency City, Iowa.

Mrs. R. Klinger and daughter, Lulu, left Thursday morning for Kirksville, Mo., for a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Korn.

Miss Ruth Snider returned to her studies in Salem Wednesday, from a several days visit at home.

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TRIBUTE TO WILLIAM GANLEY

Passing of a Well Known Vincennes Citizen Calls Forth an Eulogy.

VINCENNES, Iowa, Dec. 8.—Once more your correspondent has to record the death of one of Vincennes' prominent citizens, Mr. William Ganley of this place.

Mr. Ganley was born on the 6th day of January, 1857, in Warren county, Ohio, and he was about two years old, when his parents moved to this state. He was in business in Vincennes for over 25 years, and somewhat over a year ago he sold out and went

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into the grain business. His long and arduous duties undermined his health and for that reason he sold out and went into the grain business, buying grain at Vincennes and the surrounding towns.

At the time of his sudden taking away, he was contemplating a trip to Arizona and New Mexico for the benefit of his health. He thought a change in climate would be of benefit to him.

He is survived by his brothers, Thomas of Keokuk, Iowa, John, James and Francis, and sisters, Mrs. Timothy Connell, of Keokuk, Iowa, Mary and Mrs. E. B. Sargent, who mourn his great loss.

On Saturday morning, November 21, he arose as usual. About 9 o'clock a. m. he complained of feeling very bad, and his physician, Dr. James R. Wedel, was sent for. Dr. Wedel worked with him for over two hours, but with all his medical skill he passed away at 11 a. m. His sudden death came as a great shock to his immediate relatives and friends in the community.

Mr. Ganley counted his friends by the hundreds and anyone who was deserving and honest who came to him for assistance was never turned away.

He never married and he, with his sister, Mary, and brother, John, were living at the old family homestead near Vincennes, at the time of his death.

He was idolized and worshipped by his brothers and sisters. He possessed a generous, noble honest soul. His character was above reproach and no one could say aught against him. Mr. Ganley was well balanced and poised and possessed one of the best judgments. A wise counselor and one in the community, who was consulted by a large number of people before they would venture upon any undertaking.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ganley, were prominent pioneers in this section of the country.

They came here in an early day and for a great many years Mr. Ganley was in the employ of the Rock Island R. R. Co. He early acquired a farm near Vincennes and for years he and his wife and family occupied it as a dwelling place. Mr. Patrick Ganley was an honest, upright citizen and he and his good wife were honored and respected by all in this community.

These good people passed away a few years ago. The father having passed away first, followed in a short time by his wife.

His death left a void that cannot be filled.

The familiar, genial, and beaming face of William Ganley has gone from us forever, but the character and influence of his life will be with us always.

The writer feels his death keenly, for he loved "Billy" Ganley as a brother. His pen almost falters, and it is with difficulty that he can keep back the flow of tears, as he pays a tribute to this honest, just man.

WHEN HER BACK ACHES.

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REVIVAL MEETINGS AT SALEM, IOWA.

Evangelist Jessie McPherson of Cleveland Ohio, Conducting Services at Friend's Church.

SALEM, Iowa, Dec. 7.—Following a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Dille, Mr. Frank DeWett returned to her home at Red Oak last week.

Mrs. W. C. Sutherland of Bethel, Kansas, is visiting at the home of her father, K. H. Arnot, at Mt. Pleasant and relatives at Salem.

Miss Lydia Vore, after spending several weeks at the home of Prof. Hill, has returned to her home at West Branch.

Mrs. H. S. Brown was at Rome last week called there by the illness of her

little grand-daughter, Celia Stanley. After three years spent in the east, Miss Girtle Huxley arrived Friday for a visit with her father, Free Huxley.

Mr. and Mrs. Loomis from Hardward were recent guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Turner.

Miss Lucy Manlove arrived from Indiana Friday to visit her cousin, Miss Adda McClure and other relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bunker recently welcomed a baby boy at their home.

Theodore Hampton came from Wyconda, Mo., to be at the bedside of his father-in-law, John McVey, who is very ill.

J. M. Triplett has returned from a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. R. F. Pierce in Chicago.

Evangelist Jessie McPherson of Cleveland, Ohio, is conducting a series of revival meetings at the Friend's church.

Harry Tyner came from Chicago to help care for his father, Elijah Tyner who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Huchaker and son of Quincy, Ill., are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. J. W. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Tyner came from New London Saturday for a few days stay with relatives.

Prof. Henry Clark will lecture at Salem on the evening of Dec. 17.

Rev. Conroy of Kahoka filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Bert Combs was called to Memphis, Sunday night, on the account of the death of his uncle, Hiram Hostaff, of that place.

Mrs. Charley Davidson and son, Glen, returned home Friday night from a five months visit with her son and daughter in Wyoming.

Mrs. Harvey Comb is visiting her daughter in Memphis at present.

Mrs. Ollie Jones and children leave for her home in Luray, from Oklahombia, Monday morning. She has been away for a month, visiting her parents in Oklahoma, formerly of this place.

David Herrin has bought of David Lesley the restaurant and has already taken charge of it.

Miss Snow Jones visited at Kahoka Friday.

Miss Alice Boyd of, Medill visited last week with her sister, Mrs. Alvin Bellows.

The store windows have begun to look like Christmas was close.

—Reading The Gate City? 10 cents per week.

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