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CITY VOTE HALF IN AT 2 O'CLOCK

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BETTING FAVORS GREENE Big Odds Offered With no Takers For Sheriff, Betting Favors Hutson, on Whom, Odds are also Placed—First Precinct to Hear From Goes to Greene—Much Interest Manifested.

The prospects bid fair to get out practically a complete vote at the republican primary being held today. At 2 o'clock about half of the city vote was in. The voting was spirited early especially in the First and Second wards, where an average of one per minute was recorded during the hours between 8 and 10:30, and from noon till 2 o'clock. The Third was slightly under these two, and the Fourth and Fifth a little lighter in proportion to the size and registration. The vote at 2 o'clock was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Ward, Total. Rows: First ward (230), Second ward (255), Third ward (205), Fourth ward (135), Fifth ward (72), Total (897).

With the total registration of the city of 1,892, it will be seen that there are yet 995 votes to be accounted for should the entire number registered vote. It is thought that practically the entire vote will be brought out by the time the polls close at 7:30.

Betting Favors Greene and Hutson. Betting today favors Greene for senator and Hutson for sheriff, without doubt. There was more excitement around the Third ward polls than any other place, that being Greene's home precinct. That is where the Eckles faction centered its forces, but in spite of this fact Greene supporters took Greene at \$2 to \$1 in the First ward one man offered \$50 that he had to bet on Greene and Hutson. He offered \$15 to \$2, that Greene would carry the Third ward two to one; \$10 to \$2 that Hutson would win against the field, and \$5 to \$1 on either Greene or Hutson. He got no takers. In the Third ward some money was placed on Greene at \$2 to \$1.

First Precinct to Hear From. The first precinct to hear from was Linn No. 2, lying west of the city. The election was held there this forenoon. Ten votes were cast, nine of which were for Greene and one for Eckles.

East Court Room for Returns. County Chairman Meeker has secured the east court room in which to receive the returns tonight. The judges of the election in the different city precincts are as follows: First ward—E. C. McMillan, J. W. Melton and E. E. Carver. Second ward—L. S. Kilborn, A. T. Birchard and C. M. Norton. Third ward—J. R. Haines, Jud Canfield and F. Aubrey Smith. Fourth ward—Joseph H. Johnston, Cloud Brock and L. F. Hockersmith. Fifth ward—E. S. Craig, J. R. Haworth and Frank Bingham.

THE SCHOOL ELECTION. Three Hundred Fifty Seven Votes Cast in Monday's Election. Hon. George A. Turner and Charles H. Hull, two representative business men and citizens of Marshalltown, were unanimously chosen to succeed themselves as directors of the independent school district for the term of three years, at the annual election held Monday. The total vote was 357, not as heavy as was anticipated early in the afternoon, when within 100 of that number were cast. The voting was quite brisk up to 4 o'clock, but after that time only a few scattering ballots were deposited. Mr. Turner received 137 votes and Mr. Hull 220. The proposition to levy \$5,000 for school purposes, was carried, 318 votes being for, and twenty-two against. Several of the latter ballots were spoiled because of the lack of marking. The vote shows that some voted on the tax levy proposition and not for director at all.

Elections were held in every independent school district of the county Monday. These include the towns of Albion, Clemons, Ferguson, Gilman, LeGrand, Melbourne, Rhodes, State Center, St. Anthony, and Liscomb, each of which named two directors. The rural independent districts also elected, the township boards being composed of one director from each district. Bangor, Eden and Liberty each have five members; Marion, eight; Timber Creek eleven, and Vienna, nine. The other elections in the county resulted as follows: Albion—D. D. Springer and J. Stratton, without competition. P. F. Arney was elected treasurer. Clemons—A. Brackney and W. A. Pollock were elected, the former to succeed himself and the latter to succeed O. L. Lundin. No opposition was brought out against the candidates. St. Anthony—Peter Robinson and Dr. E. W. Jay were elected, and J. C. Evans as treasurer. H. W. Clark was also a candidate. The new directors succeeded Will LePlant and A. J. Mahle. LeGrand—No opposition was made to F. O. Cummings and David Hawbecker, at LeGrand. They succeeded George Bowen and Thomas Gibson. Liscomb—Elias Buehly and Thomas Myers were elected to succeed E. E. Boyd and B. G. Bauman, without opposition. Gilman—F. C. Miller and T. H. Lay-

ender were elected at Gilman. Mr. Miller succeeds himself and Mr. Lavender G. F. Stansberry.

OBITUARY. Ensminger.

John Ensminger, a well-known musician of this city and at the head of the Ensminger orchestra, died at his home, 206 East Webster street, this morning at 2 o'clock, of Bright disease. He had been a sufferer for over a year, and had been confined to his bed for the past four weeks. He has been extremely low for the past week, and his death has been daily expected. John Ensminger was 49 years old and had been a resident of this city for a number of years, coming here from Gilman. He is survived by three children, his wife having died about four years ago. His mother, Mrs. Lydia Ensminger, one sister, Mrs. Angie Patterson, and three brothers, Dennis, Frank and Nelson, reside in Gilman. Another sister, Mrs. B. Campbell, resides in this city, and another, Mrs. A. Ruff, resides in Madison county. The body will be taken to Gilman Wednesday morning, where the funeral will be held in charge of the Masonic fraternity of that place, of which he was a member. A delegation from the Fifty-third band and the bartenders' union will escort the remains to the train.

Longshore. Ephraim H. Longshore, a member of the Soldiers' Home, died in the hospital this morning at 5 o'clock of pneumonia. Longshore was 75 years of age, and was born in Pennsylvania. He enlisted in Company H, Fifth Pennsylvania cavalry, on Aug. 15, 1862, at Philadelphia, and was discharged at the close of the war, on May 19, 1865, at Richmond. He returned to the home on Aug. 26, 1899, coming from Okla. He leaves one son, S. S. Longshore, of Okla., who was with his father at the time of his death, and who will accompany the remains to Okla. this evening.

Vitek. The 3-day-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vitek, of 907 Iowa street, died this morning at 2 o'clock, of premature birth. The burial was this afternoon.

COUNTY AFFAIRS.

Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors at the March Meeting of the January Session. Monday, March 2, 1903: Board of supervisors convened as per adjournment, present Arney and Jones, absent Shearer.

The day was spent in examining bills and claims. Adjournment to Tuesday, March 3, 1903.

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Wednesday, March 4, 1903: Board convened as per adjournment, present Arney and Jones, absent Shearer. On motion of Jones the following appointments were made: L. Bloomschein, constable for Eden township.

M. J. McCabe, justice of the peace for LeGrand township. On motion of Jones the chairman was authorized to sign a lease with William Smith for the use of building for a store room for county supplies.

On motion of Jones the bonds of the following township officers were approved: W. B. Nason, township clerk for Logan township. R. H. Teeter, township clerk for Washington township. S. G. Brown township clerk for Liberty township.

W. C. Haworth, justice of the peace for Bangor township. Robert Harper, justice of the peace for Marietta township. L. Bloomschein, constable for Eden township. Also E. A. Cantonwine for county physician.

On motion of Jones the following soldiers exemptions were allowed: To Mrs. L. Twombly \$800 on lot 1, block 14 in the village of Albion. To Isaac Gulic \$800 on lot 12, block 7, Babcock's addition to State Center. To J. T. Van Deever, \$800, on lots 8 and 9, block 2, in State Center township. To A. Pelham \$800 on lot 1, block 20, in the village of Albion.

Upon the recommendation of the trustees of Minerva township, an allowance of \$2.50 per week was allowed for the support of C. H. Brown, his wife, same to be paid monthly to Mrs. E. A. Antis until otherwise ordered by the board.

On motion of Jones the monthly report of S. J. Kinsley, clerk of the courts, of fees collected during the month of Feb. 1903, was approved. Adjourned to Thursday, March 5, 1903.

Thursday, March 5, 1903: Board convened as per adjournment, present Arney and Jones, absent Shearer. Bills were read and on motion of Jones were allowed and read, and the auditor instructed to draw warrants for payment of same.

On motion of Jones the school fund loans made to Harman Pemberton of \$1,200, and to Frank E. Shetter of \$500 on real estate located in Marshall county, was approved.

On motion of Jones, the auditor was authorized to secure insurance to the amount of \$32,500 to replace that amount, expiring upon the court house and contents, for a term of five years, subject to the approval of the board. A bond purporting to be a tax ferret bond of F. G. Pierce was presented, action on same was deferred until next meeting of the board of supervisors.

There being no objections to the minutes they were approved. The being no further business to come before the meeting, board adjourned, sine die. Per diem and mileage: C. E. Arney 4 days and 20 miles, \$17. W. H. Jones 4 days and 2 miles, \$15. W. E. McLeland, clerk. C. E. Arney, chairman.

What's in a Name? Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, discovered, some years ago, how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases, DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine.

INITIAL STEP IS TAKEN First Move to Secure New Interurban Line Made Before the Council

A REMONSTRANCE IS FILED Property Owners Don't Want Marshalltown Light, Power & Railway Co. To Be Allowed to Build Extensions—They Favor the Interurban—Last Regular Meeting of the Old Council.

The initial step, which may result in an interurban line tapping the rural districts adjacent to this city, was taken at the last regular meeting of the present council, held Monday night, when a resolution was introduced by Councilman Webster annulling the right of the Marshalltown Light, Power & Railway Company to occupy any of the several streets named in the document for street railway or lighting purposes. The resolution was presented together with the remonstrances of a majority of the property owners along the several streets, who do not want the present company to operate a line along their property. The resolution, together with one presented by Councilman Psenicka, which asked that the present line be extended, were referred to the judiciary committee for report.

The remonstrances and the resolution introduced by Councilman Webster do not grant any rights to the promoters of the new interurban line, but are intended to prevent the present company from occupying the streets with either a street railway line, or electric poles, or street lighting. The streets named in the resolutions are State, Center, Second avenue, South Third street, Third avenue, Church street, Woodbury street, Sixth street, Woodbury street, Boone street, Eighth avenue and First avenue. Colonel J. M. Parker, for the new concern, explained that when the city council, on June 30, 1892, granted to A. T. Birchard the franchise under which the present street railway was constructed, according to the ordinance granting that franchise, the company should, for a period of five years, have the right to occupy any and all of the streets of the city if it is so desired. After the five years had elapsed, however, it could not use any of the streets without first gaining the consent of the majority of the property owners along the street in question. As the five years had since passed, the signature of the owners along the several streets had been secured favoring the new enterprise, in order that the Marshalltown Light, Power & Railway Company could not use the streets of the city without the consent of the majority of the property owners along the street in question. As the five years had since passed, the signature of the owners along the several streets had been secured favoring the new enterprise, in order that the Marshalltown Light, Power & Railway Company could not use the streets of the city without the consent of the majority of the property owners along the street in question.

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LaPlant Bros. File Big Claim. LaPlant Bros., thru their attorney, filed with the council a big claim that grew out of the construction of the sewerage disposal plant. They allege that the city is indebted to them to the extent of \$2,490, due for the hauling of cinders for the filter beds. They submit the contract for the work, so they allege, at a profit to them of \$1,900. Owing to the fact that the work has not been completed the work has never been finished and they are the losers thereby. They also claim a loss owing to money paid out to facilitate the work. The matter was referred to the judiciary committee.

St. Louis Concern Threatens Suit. The assignee of the St. Louis Electric Supply Company, thru his attorney, Charles Hurd, of St. Louis, threatened to commence action against the city unless the \$1,219.15 claimed by the company in payment of material and machinery furnished for the sewage disposal plant was forthcoming. Later in the session Mr. Henry introduced a resolution annulling the duty clerk to advertise for all bills owed by the St. Louis concern for supplies or labor secured in this city while they were installing the apparatus at the sewage disposal plant, in order that the city might pay through the duty clerk the amounts from the bill by the city. Mr. Henry's resolution was passed, while the communication threatening suit was referred to the city solicitor.

For Flushing the Main. The water works committee was given power to expend, if it deemed best, in the neighborhood of \$1,000 for a six-inch pressure main from the city wells to the old sub-station, to be used for cleaning the strainers in the wells without rolling the water in them. It was estimated that it will cost about \$1,000.

Postpones Paving Again. The resolution covering the intent to pave South First avenue and West Church street, which were first introduced before the council at its regular meeting in January and were postponed until the March meeting, were again postponed until the regular meeting in April. Remonstrances from property owners on South First, Fourth street and Church street, against the paving, were placed on file.

Name Judges and Clerks. The following were appointed by the council to act as judges and clerks of the city election to be held on March 30: First Ward—Judges, E. E. Carver, Charles Henry and L. T. Kirby; clerks, Hans Erickson and Theodore Buchwald. Second Ward—Judges, W. R. Buebe, William Fisher and Ralph McBride; clerks, George P. Powers and L. S. Kilborn.

Third Ward—Judges, Thomas C. Weatherly, W. A. Wasson and Mark Wood; clerks, F. A. Smith and H. C. Lounsbury.

Fourth Ward—Judges, Harry W. Hoek, A. P. Pratt and Byron Webster; clerks, Harry W. Hoek and C. H. Brock. Fifth Ward—Judges, D. F. Arnold, Frank Bingham and Philip Borchardt; clerks, Frank Kurtz and John Knorr.

Miscellaneous. Chairman Kreutzer, of the streets and alleys committee, together with Solicitor Van Law, was appointed to investigate the condition of the Great Western track near Fourth avenue, whereby W. E. Jones, living on Nevada street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, claims he is unable to gain entrance to his property by wagon. The company will probably be requested to place a crossing over its tracks near Fourth avenue. Property owners on Lincoln street, between Center and First streets, want a water main. It was referred to the water works committee.

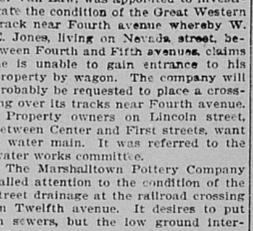
The Marshalltown Pottery Company called attention to the condition of the street drainage at the railroad crossing on Twelfth avenue. It desires to put in sewers, but the low ground interferes.

Mrs. Frederick Loft, of 517 Bromley street, and Mrs. Anna Marsh, of the south side, requested that their taxes be remitted. Both are widows. Their cases were referred to the judiciary committee.

The council, as a committee of the whole, will meet the railroad commissioners Friday morning when they visit the city to investigate into the need of a railway viaduct.

Real Estate Transfers. Elizabeth L. Koons, to W. A. Norton, land in Timber Creek township, \$5,500. Maria Delano, E. N. Delano, land in Taylor township, \$2,500. Chas. B. Varnum and wife, to George F. Smith, land in Linn township, \$3,500. J. H. Wendling and wife, of Woodford county, Ill., to W. O. Tranbarger, land in Liscomb township, \$8,000. Mary C. Johnson and husband, to Xavier La Plant, land in Minewa township, \$1,300. M. A. Menshaw and husband, to Elias Buehly, land in Bangor township, \$2,450. H. C. Howard and wife, of Hardin county, to Harold W. Moninger, land in Marietta township, \$3,750. L. Amelia James and husband, to George L. Hazen, part of lots 1, and 2, block 3, Brennecke and Heald's addition, \$900. Rachel J. Billings, and husband, to George W. Schick, part of lot 8, block 1, original Marshall, \$4,500. Americus Dakin and wife, to W. J. Clemens, land in Liberty township, \$14,400. L. H. Thompson and wife, to Jesse R. Kessler, land in Marion township, \$9,000. Chas. B. Varnum and wife, to Edward E. Howe, land in Linn township, \$2,500. C. B. Darnen and wife, to Jackson J. Miller, land in Linn township, \$1,500.

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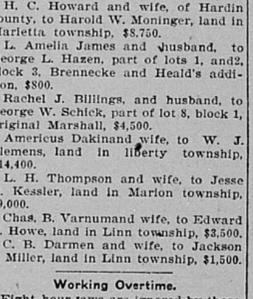
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