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TO DIG THIS FALL

Contract for Construction of Sewer Let to A. M. Lanyon

MANY BIDDERS IN THE FIELD

Highest Bid is About \$10,000.00 Above the Lowest—Successful Bidder to Set up Machinery Within Three Weeks at Outlet

The contract for the construction of Genoa's sewer system has been awarded to A. M. Lanyon of Waukegan, his bid being the lowest of the fifteen bidders, the exact figures being \$17,896.68.

That the engineers having the matter in charge placed a safe estimate on the job is demonstrated by the various bids submitted, only one firm making the price greater than the estimate of \$25,000.00. This is gratifying to the property owners and to the engineers, Messrs. Lowman and Hay.

The board of local improvements was under no obligations to accept any bid, according to the terms of the advertisement, and it would seem that the suc-

cessful bidder's price being so much lower than the highest might cause the members of the board to doubt the contractor's ability to do the work at the figure submitted. However, the mayor wired to several cities where Mr. Lanyon had put in work and every reply regarding his ability to fulfill his contracts was satisfactory.

Mr. Lanyon is now finishing up a big sewer job, but will move his machinery to Genoa as soon as thru at the other point, perhaps in two weeks. It is the intention of the contractor to begin work at the river first. He expects to find some quick sand there and desires to have that part of the job out of the way first. Work will continue as long as the weather permits.

Freeport Journal Quits

The passing of the Freeport Journal from the field, announcement of which was made Sunday, leaves that city with two daily papers, the Bulletin and the Standard. The Journal was long controlled by General Smith D. Atkins, whose death occurred March 27 last. The paper was established in 1848.

TOUGH ON DRUNKS

Must Walk Home or Take Chance of Getting Fined

PROVISION OF TICE ROAD LAW

Features of the New Measure which are not Generally Known are Published Below—Read Them

The new Tice law has made it unlawful to do many things on the roads of Illinois not heretofore tabooed, and if the owners of carriages, wagons, bikes, motorcycles and autos—vehicles of any and every description, want to be on the safe side they had better study the "dout's" and get wise to the price they can be called upon to pay should they decide to disregard the law.

The following are some of the things forbidden and the fines for violation:

The law applies to all carriages and the word "carriages" is defined to include stage coaches, wagons, carts, sleighs, sleds, automobiles, motorcycles, motor vehicles and every other carriage or vehicle used for the transportation of passengers or goods or either of them.

It is made a finable offense for the owner of any carriage to knowingly employ any driver who is addicted to drunkenness or the excessive use of spirituous liquors. The penalty is \$5 per day.

Any person driving his own team or the team of another on a public highway when intoxicated, is subjected to a fine of from \$3 to \$25.

Depositing weeds, garbage, glass, broken bottles, boards with nails, etc., in the road, \$3 to \$10.

Failing to turn to the right and let others pass, \$5.

Running a horse hitched to a buggy or other vehicle, on the public road, \$3 to \$10.

Obstructing road by felling trees across it, or turning water out of a ditch into it, or allowing hedge cuttings to lie along it, for more than ten days, \$3 to \$10.

For unnecessary hindering and obstructing any person from driving on the road or delaying him by not allowing him to pass, \$10 to \$25.

For turning horses or cows loose or hitching them for purposes of pasture along the public road for more than twelve hours in any district, from \$10 to \$50 or thirty days in jail.

Traction engines must stop every time they meet a horse or other animal for a distance of 100 yards before meeting them and must keep a man walking ahead at a distance not less than fifty or more than 200 yards, and must not under any circumstance blow a whistle while on the public highway, all under a penalty of from \$10 to \$50.

WILL THEY DO IT

Traction Company Gets Orders to Remove Tracks from First Street

The city attorney, G. E. Stott, by order of the city council, has ordered the Chicago, Waukegan & Fox Lake Traction Co. to remove its tracks from First street in this city, the franchise having been forfeited and the tracks a nuisance. If the company refuses to remove the rails and ties the city may do so and charge the expense to the company.

The original franchise granted the Woodstock & Sycamore Traction Co., took in Sycamore and First streets. This was later abandoned as a direct route thru the city, owing to the fact that the company could not get a grade crossing on Sycamore street. After the Washington street franchise was granted, and before the first had been forfeited, a track was built from Washington street to the Milwaukee depot on First. Contractor Seymour contended that this would be a temporary track only and was allowed to build it along the side of the road, raising it over the crossings. It has since been a source of annoyance to teamsters and pedestrians alike. Had the traction company used the tracks once in ninety days it might have held the franchise, but this they have failed to do, a fact which is very gratifying to the property owners in that neighborhood. The company now controls Main and Washington streets and that is about enough under present conditions.

A "HOG" CLINIC

Three Porkers are Dissected Saturday to Ascertain the Nature of Disease which Prevails

A real "hog" clinic was held near the stock yards last Saturday afternoon, Dr. Nolan of Springfield being the lecturing surgeon, with Doctors Danforth and Corson present as sponsors. A large number of farmers and others interested men were present to learn what they could of hog diseases. The first shoat killed belonged to L. D. Kellogg, several of his herd having been in poor condition for some time. The first thought of the farmer when a pig is sick is naturally cholera. It was proven to the satisfaction of those present, however, that cholera had not developed in any of the cases. The Kellogg shoat and one brought in by W. A. Eklor were found to be suffering with nothing more than constipation. The third hog was found to be healthy, there being no trace of disease.

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FALL TWENTY FEET

Will Awe and Del Lorimer in a Precarious Condition as Result

INTERNAL INJURIES PAINFUL

While Shingling Corn Crib on the Wm. Holroyd Farm Scaffold Gives 'way, Precipitating Workmen to the Ground

Will Awe and Del Lorimer lie at their homes in a precarious condition as the result of a fall on the William Holroyd farm Tuesday afternoon. They were laying the first courses of shingles on the roof of a corn crib when the scaffold gave 'way, precipitating the men to the ground, a distance of about twenty feet. It was thought at first that Lorimer's injuries were of a minor nature but later developments proved differently. He landed on his back and base of the spine. His suffering is intense at the time of this writing and it is impossible to ascertain definitely at present just how serious the injuries may be.

Since the accident Awe has been kept under opiates, so intense has been his suffering. His injuries seem to be contained within the torso, the ribs being torn away from the breast bone while there is other internal trouble, the exact nature of which cannot be determined immediately. Dr. Ovitiz is in charge of the cases.

The corn crib, which is a monster as noted in the Republican Journal some weeks ago, is being constructed by Henry Merritt, Lorimer and Awe being in his employ. He carried liability insurance, a fact which will be gratifying to him.

Mr. Awe is the oldest son of C. H. Awe who resides north of Genoa. He has been engaged in the carpenter trade for some years.

Mr. Lorimer came here from Dayton, Ohio, shortly after the disastrous floods in that city, he having been one of the financial sufferers there. His wife was formerly Miss Maude Thompson, a Genoa girl.

Mrs. Herman Eickstadt Dead

Mrs. Herman Eickstadt passed away at her home in Riley Sunday evening, Oct. 20. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock and at the German Lutheran church in Marengo at two o'clock. Interment took place in the Marengo cemetery. Mrs. Eickstadt leaves besides her husband, three daughters and two sons, the oldest having attained womanhood and the youngest being two years of age.

F. W. Olmsted has a big line of underwear and hosiery.

KINGSTON TO LIGHT UP

Has Let Contract for Lighting the Streets and Power for Pumping Station

The spirit of progress has taken hold of the smaller villages and hamlets in this section of the state and as a result of this spirit and the cross country transmission lines of the Illinois Northern Utilities company, which connect their many plants, the smaller places are being provided with advantages which heretofore have been confined to the larger cities.

The latest little place to take a big step forward is Kingston, a hamlet of but 300 souls, which has just closed a contract with General Contract Agent C. B. Vonts of the I. N. U. for the installation of 22 street lights, one on every corner in the place, and an electric motor to operate the village waterworks.

The power which will be supplied by one of the company's transmission lines, will save the hamlet considerable money, it being shown that the street lighting current will cost less than the kerosene formerly used for that purpose, while the operation of the electric motor at the waterworks will cost less than the gasoline formerly used in the pumping engine. The people of Kingston are very happy over the progression, and are planning a celebration to mark the turning on of the new street light.—DeKalb Chronicle.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet at the church parlors on Friday afternoon, Oct. 31. All urged to be present.

New hats at Olmsted's.

DISTRICTS TO PAY

Tuition of High School Students Amply Provided for

CAN FILE ADDITIONAL LEVY

Parents of Children Attending High School Need Not Be Held Responsible According to State Superintendent

There has been considerable speculation among the directors of various school boards throughout the state as well as in DeKalb county as to the interpretation of the new high school tuition law. The points at question have been ably explained in a letter from State Superintendent F. G. Blair to County Superintendent O. J. Kern of Rockford in reply to a letter which Mr. Kern wrote to the state superintendent asking for opinions on the law. Mr. Blair's reply was published recently in one of the Rockford papers and is published in The Republican-Journal for the benefit of DeKalb county parents, teachers and school directors who have been in doubt as to the interpretation of the law.

A careful reading of the state superintendent's letter shows that: 1st—Directors can not refuse to pay the tuition so long as the annual school tax levy does not exceed one and one-half per cent on the assessed valuation. 2nd—School directors have until Dec. 1, 1913, to make additional levy and file tax certificate with the county clerk. This is important to observe because they have already made their tax levy. But they have plenty of time to file an additional levy so long as the rate for general school purposes does not exceed one and one-half per cent per annum on the assessed valuation. 3rd—Parents of children attending the high school do not have to be responsible for the tuition. The school board conducting the high school presents its bill to the home district.



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