

CEMETERY SUPERINTENDENT.

The Nomination of S. B. Smith Not Yet Confirmed.

A Result of Not Publishing the Ordinances—A Street-Sweeper Wanted.

The City Board of Trustees met in regular weekly session last night, Trustees Leonard, Wachhorst, Kent, Davis, McKay, Devine, Bentley, Tozer and Pennish being present and Leonard presiding.

The Chief Engineer of the fire department stated that Mrs. Ray had applied for permission to remodel and raise her building at 911 L street. He thought it would be best to make her put up a brick building, while the rest of the houses were of wood, and the new building would be an ornament to the block. He recommended that the application be granted, and the board gave the desired permission.

Mr. Barber, General Agent of the General Electric Light Company, at the request of Trustee Bentley, addressed the board in regard to the running of pumps by electricity and in reference to its adaptability to the proposed new sewerage pump. He instanced an electric motor in San Francisco which runs two 5,000 gallon pumps and develops ample power for them.

He claimed that electricity could be applied to the sewerage pump and run it much cheaper than it could be run by steam. He explained the different methods by which it could be applied to the pump and said that, if wished, it could be used in connection with steam.

He could not state how cheaply the pump could be run by electricity, but said that the local electric company would offer to run it more cheaply than it could be run by coal.

Pennish asked the board to allow Mr. Schwartz, a nurseryman, to give his ideas of the practicability of improving the Fifteenth-street plaza this year.

Mr. Schwartz stated that it was too late in the season to seed it down this year, as it should be filled and settled and the weeds killed first. If trees are to be planted, it should be done as soon as possible.

The following messages from the Mayor were read:

MORE WATER PIPE.

To the Honorable Board of Trustees: Several communications have been sent to me by your board in relation to extending water pipes in certain portions of the city. I have consulted with the City Tapper on all these matters, and he states that he is confident that the needs of the city, so far as has been made manifest, can be satisfied by the purchase of 7,000 feet of six-inch pipe.

I would, therefore, recommend that you instruct the Clerk of your board to advertise for 7,000 feet of six-inch cast-iron water pipe, to weigh not less than thirty pounds per foot. As soon as the necessary pipe can be procured, the City Tapper will commence immediately to place it. Respectfully submitted, C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

PLAZA GARDENER.

To the Honorable Board of Trustees: I hereby nominate and, by and with your consent, appoint Nelson Champlin as Gardener at the Plaza, instead of A. E. Packard, Alfred Fox, not confirmed. Respectfully submitted, C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

WATER WORKS ENGINEER.

To the Honorable Board of Trustees: I hereby nominate and, by and with your consent, appoint A. D. Hurd as Second Assistant Engineer of the City Water Works, to fill the place made vacant by the death of John Coffey. Respectfully submitted, C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

CLOT SHADES.

To the Honorable Board of Trustees: I herewith return, with my approval indorsed thereon, Ordinance No. —, entitled "An ordinance requiring railroad companies to station a flagman at certain street crossings, and to maintain electric bells at certain other street crossings, in the city of Sacramento."

Also, Ordinance No. —, with my approval indorsed thereon, entitled "An ordinance prohibiting the hanging or suspension of canvas or cloth shades from any porch, balcony or awning, except in compliance with this ordinance, and providing a penalty for a breach thereof." Respectfully submitted, C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

The usual bills and salaries were allowed.

LASH'S BILL. The bill of T. M. Lash for \$22 50 for disinfectant was laid over. Kent saying that it was far more than he would read on by him, and Bentley saying that Lash had come to him, but he had refused to buy the stuff, as he thought it was too costly. He did not like Lash's method, in getting an order from one member of the committee after he had been refused by another.

ACTING MAYOR'S BILL.

W. D. Lawton's bill of \$83 33 for services as Acting Mayor for ten days last May was taken up. By request, Mr. Lawton explained the bill to the new members of the board. He said that during the two years that he was President of the board he acted as Mayor for about four months altogether. He had consulted Judge McKune as to whether or not the bill was a proper one and the Judge had said that in his opinion it was, as the charter, so far as prices did not seem to prohibit the Acting Mayor from being paid for his services. If the Mayor died and his place was not filled for several months, it would certainly not be expected that the Acting Mayor should not be paid. So if the Mayor should be sick for six months.

The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel, in order to get his opinion.

DEVINE'S GROCERIES.

W. H. Devine's bill against the city of \$15 for groceries, lost by his horse falling into an open manhole where the street was covered with water, was allowed after some debate.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Tozer, for the Finance Committee, said it had discussed the matter of Poundmaster, and would like to have another week's time, which was granted.

Devine also reported that J. B. McCoy had neglected to perform his contract for the construction of a sewer in

the alley between Ninth and Tenth, P and Q streets, and he moved that the contract be rescinded and his bondsman sued.

The Clerk said that his bond was only for \$25.

The contract was rescinded, and the Clerk instructed to advertise anew for bids.

Devine said there was a lot of cobblestones stored at the Friend & Terry Company's lumber yard, at Twelfth and J streets, which the city had been requested to remove. He moved that the Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for them. So ordered.

Devine reported that it was, in his opinion, too late to seed down the Fifteenth-street Plaza, and all that could be done this spring would be to fill it in and plant trees.

He also moved that the Clerk advertise for bids for furnishing a street-sweeping machine. The motion was carried.

The Finance Committee was authorized to dispose of the old brass at the Water Works.

Devine moved that the matter of the city's advertising be put into the hands of the Chairman of the Finance Committee (Tozer) with full power to act.

"Well, wouldn't that jar you?" said Pennish.

"It does not jar me a bit," said Devine.

Kent moved to amend by referring to a committee of three, but his amendment met with no second, as Bentley said the Finance Committee had consulted together and agreed that it should be left to the Chairman. Devine's motion was carried.

The President stated that Mr. Dingley had declined to give a warranty deed for the land on which it is proposed to erect the new Water Works, and wished to know what the board would do in the matter.

The Mayor confirmed the statement, and said that Mr. Dingley did not wish to defend the city's title. He had been in possession of the land for forty years and he did not think there would ever be any trouble about it.

Bentley moved that the Mayor and President be authorized to accept a quit-claim deed for the property, and the motion was carried.

THE RULE STANDS.

Kent offered a resolution that hereafter the board meet at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, which was adopted by a vote of 5 to 4, but as it was not a two-thirds majority, the rule remains unchanged and the President gave notice that hereafter he should fine all those who were not present on time at the opening of meetings.

APPLICATION WITHDRAWN.

A Mr. Glick asked to have the application for an all-night license at 2800 N street withdrawn. He said that it had been asked for because the street car men wished to take lunch there after they were through at night, but the railroad company objected to it, and he wished to withdraw the application.

Bentley read a communication from Superintendent Shock protesting against granting the license as detrimental to the interests of the men.

Bentley also said that there were residents of the block who also objected. There had been a restaurant there that died for want of patronage and there is only one car that comes in after 12 o'clock, so that the men could lunch before that time if they wished.

LAI D OVER.

The confirmation of S. B. Smith as Superintendent of Cemeteries was laid over for a week.

The resolution of Devine that hereafter the ballots in the board be open ones was laid over for a week by a vote of 7 to 2.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The City Surveyor presented his report in regard to filling in the Fifteenth-street plaza, and the board examined his plan and discussed it.

He also reported that the City Attorney had looked into the matter of the sidewalk in front of the Scroggs property at Tenth and K streets, and advised the arrest of both the claimants to it, in order to enforce the construction of the walk.

On motion of Devine, the Surveyor was directed to fix the grade at Tenth and G streets.

The petition of the property owners for the improvement of the alley between J and K, Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, was laid over for a week.

The ordinance for licensing poolrooms was laid over for a week.

George Stack was granted permission to open Sixteenth street, from G to the alley, between G and H streets.

Leonard asked what course the board wished to pursue in case a water pipe or a sewer burst and needed immediate repairs. It would hardly do to wait a week for a meeting of the board, and under the ordinance only the board can give permission to open the street. Somebody should be vested with authority to give permission.

The Clerk was directed to prepare a resolution, giving that power to the Mayor in case of emergency and to present it to-night.

The Chief of Police recommended the granting of a license to Thomas M. Bittancourt to keep a saloon at 2000 H street, and the license was granted.

John Burns asked for a license to keep a saloon at 1117 Front street and it was granted.

Chief Engineer Guthrie said that there were two old horsecars that were condemned some eight years ago and he had received an offer to build a buggy for the Chief Engineer for the old cars and \$86 to boot.

Kent moved the offer be accepted and the motion was carried.

THE CONVENTIONS.

This Evening's Meeting—Subscriptions Are Coming in Already.

This evening the general committee selected by Chairman Lubin of the State Conventions Committee will meet at the Courthouse for the purpose of taking further action looking to securing for this city as many of the coming State political conventions as possible.

Yesterday the sub-committee of the Finance Committee met in the chambers of Judge Hinkson. There were present G. W. Baker, William Land, T. H. Wallis, Judge Hinkson, Peter Flaherty, F. T. Johnson, L. T. Hatfield, E. W. Hale and F. L. Gray.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Gray, Wallis, Flaherty, Hale and Land was selected to canvass the city for subscriptions to the convention fund, and in a few hours had met with encouraging success. Other committees will start out to-day.

The local members of the Democratic State Central Committee and other prominent men of the party are laying plans for securing the Democratic State Convention for Sacramento. They think the prospect is very bright for the accomplishment of their object.

FANNY GOES FREE.

Kokavich Did Not Swear to a Complaint Against Her.

The case of Fanny Grennan, charged with disturbing the peace, was dismissed in the Police Court yesterday, there being no complaint on file against her.

She was arrested for throwing a sugar bowl at a waiter in the Mint Restaurant, striking him on the shoulder and filling his hair full of sugar. It will be in order for her next time to fill his hair with molasses, as she tells a story of an alleged insult that aroused her anger.

THE CHESLEY ESTATE.

Mrs. Agnes Thompson's Claim for \$1,000 Not Yet Paid.

Owing to certain complications the final settlement of the estate of Mrs. G. W. Chesley has been delayed for several years. Mrs. Agnes Thompson has a claim against it for \$1,000, and long ago began an action against the executors to reinstate the estate with that of George W. Chesley.

The case was called in Judge Cattlin's court yesterday, but was again continued until the 27th of next month.

Estates of Deceased Persons.

Public Administrator W. B. Miller has filed petitions in the Superior Court for letters of administration on the estates of Octavia Lucia, Frank X. Bauer, Fong Can Hen, Philip Moore, James Coules, Thomas F. Slater and W. Marchant.

These are cases left over from the term of George F. Bronner and in which the administration had not been closed.

Robbed a Show-Window.

Some miscreant at an early hour yesterday morning smashed in the show-window of A. Casell's shoe store on K street, near Sixth, and got away with a number of display shoes that are not mates. But one full pair was taken. The value of the stolen articles was about \$25.

Sent to Stockton.

Henry Bloomingcamp, the man who created a sensation at the Seventeenth-street M. E. Church the other evening, was yesterday declared insane and committed to the Stockton Asylum. He is thought to have friends in Siskiyou.

New Millinery.

The many ladies that visited our millinery opening Saturday and yesterday were surprised at the many elegant novelties we have on display. We have another surprise to-day in a large invoice of ten big cases of the newest things in ladies' trimmed and untrimmed hats, new laces, flowers, ribbons and fancies. Red Walking Company.\*

Stop Walking.

To those of our patrons living at an inconvenient distance from our market who send in their applications within three days we will furnish a kitchen telephone at their residence gratis. D. Dierssen Company. The Pacific.\*

Races.

A full description of each race at the Bay District track is given at E. L. Kripp's cigar store, 602 J street. The result is known almost as soon as at the track.

Special Notice to Crockery Buyers.

The Crystal Palace, 610 J street, is selling all goods marked with a blue tag, regardless of cost, beginning Saturday, February 15th, and lasting until further notice.

Cheapest mandolins, guitars, banjos and violins in town. Second-hand upright pianos, \$150 square, \$75 to \$200. Mathushek, Jacob Doll, Kranich and Bach and Conover pianos. Everything in the musical line at Neale, Eilers Co. (Cooper Music Co.), Seventh and J.\*

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George Egan and Will H. Hanlon, well-known Sacramentans, have purchased the Reception Saloon, Seventh and K streets. The full returns of the races at San Francisco are chronicled there daily.

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John A. Sutter very whisky, \$1 a bottle. B. K. Bloch & Co., sole controllers.\*

DIED.

MENZEL.—On the Lower Stockton road, near Sacramento, February 23d, August Menzel (known as Happy Gus), husband of Jessie M. Menzel (niece of Leonard Menzel), a native of Germany, aged 52 years, 10 months and 2 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, Lower Stockton road, near Sacramento. Interment City Cemetery. McGRILL.—In this city, February 24th, Thomas McGrill, a native of County Mayo, Ireland, aged 56 years. Funerals notice hereafter.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

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LOT 2—A miscellaneous lot of Real French Kid Gloves, principally dark colors. Size 5 1/2, 5 3/4, 6. Taken from our regular stock. Sale price, 50c.

LOT 3—We have gone through our Muslin Underwear stock and taken out 288 pieces high-grade goods for this sale. They are of standard manufacture, in many cases of exquisite workmanship. The only thing against them is that they are parts of irregular lines, or in some cases slightly shopped—for fine goods do not sell as quickly as the medium grades, and liable to become soiled. The prices we have marked are

One-half to One-third Less than they have been up to to-day. Note the following:

Fine Muslin Drawers reduced to 23c, 33c, 38c and 68c.

Fine Muslin Gowns reduced to 98c, \$1 38 and \$1 98.

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