

THE COUNCIL.

Mayor Hazard Sends in Another Message.

Why the Treasurer Didn't Let the Money Go.

Ordinances Passed Notwithstanding the Vetoes.

Several Street Matters Discussed—Planting of Trees in the Parks—Other Routine Matters.

The City Council met yesterday morning, President Frankfield in the chair, and Messrs. Hamilton, Brown, Shafer, Bonsall, Summerland, McLain and Van Dusen present.

Mayor Hazard returned without his approval of the contract to board the police patrol horses, which he said should be left under the control of the Police Commission.

Mr. Hamilton moved that the vote whereby the contract was approved be reconsidered. Carried.

Mr. Hamilton moved that the Mayor's objections be sustained.

Mr. Van Dusen wanted to know if the Mayor himself had not suggested that all work for the city be let by contract.

He was informed that the Mayor had suggested the making of contracts for all city expenditures.

The motion to sustain the Mayor's objections was carried.

Mayor Hazard returned without his approval of the demand of S. K. Adams for painting on the new city hall, for the reason that the names of the men who worked had not been placed on the demand.

The demand was ordered paid notwithstanding the Mayor's objections, as it was stated that the special committee had a list of the names.

An ordinance providing for the expenditures in the various city offices was presented by Mayor Bonsall and laid over until the afternoon session.

A demand of Meyberg Bros. for supplies furnished at the old city hall was ordered paid notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor that the same had not been properly contracted for.

The report of the committee on supplies recommending the purchase of a number of articles requested by various city officers, was adopted.

The supply committee recommended that requisitions for supplies be acted upon by the Council instead of referring them to the committee. Adopted.

The City Attorney presented an ordinance providing for the appointment of a woman by the Police Commission at \$50 per month, to aid in the reform of wayward girls. Adopted.

An ordinance granting permission to property-owners on Lucas avenue to grade by private contract was read and adopted.

The report of the Street Superintendent, requesting a quantity of supplies, was adopted.

The Street Superintendent also reported that the street in front of Mrs. Easton's property had been graded, and she should pay for the same.

Major Bonsall said that she should not be made to pay, for the reason that her property had been exempted in the original ordinance, as she had graded under the direction of the City Engineer.

The matter was laid over for the hearing of her appeal next Monday.

Mr. Hamilton moved that as the city's gravel beds were giving out, a committee of three be appointed to ascertain what a gravel bed can be obtained for. Carried, and Messrs. Hamilton, Shafer and Bonsall appointed as such committee.

The City Engineer reported that the course of the Arroyo de Los Reyes could be changed so as to carry the water down Flower street, by regrading Flower street, from Third to Sixth street. Received and filed.

Ordinances of intention to change the grade of portions of Patrick and Johnson streets were read and adopted.

An ordinance of intention to establish the grade of Twenty-second street was read and adopted.

An ordinance of intention to establish the grade of a part of Bartlett street was read and adopted.

Captain Barrett suggested that \$400 be allowed to Mrs. Ward. If this was done Sixth street could be opened at once, as all the deeds would then be in the hands of the city. Mr. Hamilton moved that the warrant be drawn. Carried.

The report of the finance committee, as published in the HERALD, was read and adopted.

The City Attorney reported that in the matter of the petition of Carl Browne in reference to building sewers by day labor, he would advise that it be filed. He had given several written opinions to the effect that the sewers must be built by letting the contracts to the lowest bidder, and he was still of the same opinion. Received and filed.

He also reported that in the case of the city vs. Douillard and others, involving a portion of Mozart street, which has been fenced for years, and part of which is now occupied by a house of one Hahn, that the court has decided that Douillard has no title to the portion claimed by him, and that Hahn had acquired title to the piece occupied by him by adverse possession. Received and filed.

Afternoon Session.

The report of the Board of Public Works, as published in the HERALD, was read and adopted.

Several requests for supplies from city officers were granted.

The report of the Fire Commissioners, as published in the HERALD, was read and adopted.

The report of the Police Commission that an ordinance be drawn suppressing the nuisance caused by the Salvation Army on the street was read and adopted.

The special committee on the eight-hour law recommended that the law be enforced. Adopted.

An ordinance regulating the price of water for irrigating purposes was read and adopted.

An ordinance of intention to construct a sewer on New High street was read and adopted.

Mr. Wirsching moved that permission be granted to D. T. Brown to turnpike Pennsylvania avenue. Carried.

Mr. Van Dusen moved that the building committee report the expense of fitting up the Chief of Police's office and building the partition to the ceiling.

things ought to be done. The motion was carried.

The zanja committee recommended that the bids of Frick Bros., for building zanjas 7 and 9 R be accepted. Adopted.

A communication giving a list of the names appointed to solicit money for planting 60,000 trees in the parks and providing work for the unemployed was read.

Mr. Wirsching thought that before money should be spent on the planting of trees, the streets should be put in repairs. To spend the money on the streets would be more of a benefit to the citizens than the planting of trees, which were a superfluity. The recommendation was received and filed.

A communication from National Club No. 3 asked that a free employment office be created, with Geo. Fellers as agent.

Mr. Brown thought that the best way was to get money to employ the men first. Until there was work to be found there would be no use for the employment agency.

The same Councilman moved that Los Angeles street be swept. Carried.

Proposals for constructing a zanja on Figueroa street were received from A. S. Bent and Frick Bros. Referred to the zanja committee.

A number of sewer ordinances as noted in the HERALD Sunday, was read and referred to the sewer committee.

Major Bonsall moved that all further proceedings in the establishment of the grade of First street be suspended, and that a new ordinance be presented. Carried, and the matter referred to the Board of Public Works.

The Council then adjourned.

He did not believe that the Treasurer should have a deputy.

Major Bonsall said that he thought the same rule applied to both offices.

The motion to pass the ordinance over the veto was carried by a vote of 7 to 2, Messrs. Bonsall and Shafer voting against.

The requests of a number of contractors of school buildings for more time were referred to the Board of Education.

The Health Officer recommended that a receiving hospital be established either on Aliso street, next to the Medical hospital, or at the police station. Referred to the building committee to see if a place can be fitted up at the old city hall.

An ordinance making it unlawful to practice midwifery without a license was read and adopted.

Mr. Summerland moved that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company repair Alameda street. Carried.

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NEWS OF THE RAIL.

REDUCTION IN ORANGE RATES FINALLY EFFECTED.

A Saving of \$30 a Car to Shippers—A Sandstorm in Arizona—English Immigrants—Southern Pacific Directors, Raymond Excursionists.

The following dispatch was received by J. M. Crawley, of the Southern Pacific, yesterday.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31. "The Transcontinental Association has just issued the following rate on motion of the Southern Pacific, seconded by the Union Pacific, of \$1.10 per 100 pounds on oranges by the carload to Missouri river, St. Louis, Chicago and common points. Rate effective April 4 and expires May 15.

"C. F. SMUR." The present rate to Chicago is \$1.25, and to Kansas City \$1.12 1/2. The reduction in the Chicago rate is 15 cents per 100 pounds, and in the Kansas City rate is 2 1/2 cents. A carload of oranges can be sent to Chicago for \$30 less than formerly. As there are some 1,200 carloads yet to be shipped, and as nearly all of this will go to points beyond the Missouri river the saving to shippers by this change of rates will be about \$36,000. From this on the demand for oranges in the East is likely to be fairly good. The reduced rate will hold until May 15th, by which time most of the imported and Florida product will be out of the way and the late California oranges will have a clear field.

Notes and Personal. Official notice was published by circular from the Southern California offices yesterday to the effect that W. B. Beamer had been appointed general superintendent of the Southern California road, vice G. W. Sanborn, resigned. Mr. Beamer was formerly trainmaster at San Bernardino. His successor has not been appointed.

A violent sandstorm in Arizona delayed the overland on the Atlantic and Pacific seven hours yesterday.

Next Thursday a carload of thirty English immigrants will pass through this city on the Southern Pacific for Santa Barbara. They will settle there on lands of the company. This is the work of the Southern Pacific Immigration Bureau.

Messrs. Stillman and Hubbard, attorneys, who represent the Hopkins interest in the Southern Pacific, will arrive in the State this morning. Mr. Stillman will go to Redlands for a short visit, and Mr. Hubbard will go south to San Diego and will come back to Los Angeles in a day or two. They are accompanied by several Southern Pacific officials.

C. D. Moore, chief engineer of the Utah, Nevada and California railroad, is in the city. This road is supposed to be building in this direction in the interest of some of the great railroads of the East, which are seeking an outlet to this Coast.

A party of Raymond & Whitcomb excursionists arrived in the State last Saturday. Many of them are now in this city. The party includes the following: Miss Lois J. Allerton, Newark, N. Y.; Mrs. Walter T. Baird, Valley Forge, Pa.; Miss Nellie G. Beecher, Westville, Conn.; E. G. Byam, Mrs. E. G. Byam, Boston; Miss Beede, Archer Corns, Massillon, Ohio; E. C. Gale, Mrs. E. C. Gale, Troy, N. Y.; Jesse Gould, Mrs. Jesse Gould, Cheever, Mass.; Rev. B. Griffith, D. D., Mrs. B. Griffith, Miss M. C. Griffith, Miss Sallie C. Griffith, A. A. Hirst, Mrs. A. A. Hirst, Master William L. Hirst, Philadelphia; Edwin Holman, Boston; Hon. L. T. Jettis, Mrs. L. T. Jettis, Hudson, Mass.; Lyman C. Josephs, Newport, R. I.; H. H. Kennedy, Jr., Philadelphia; Miss May Lennox, P. Lennox, Mrs. P. Lennox, Lynn, Mass.; T. T. Marsh, Mrs. T. T. Marsh, New Milford, Conn.; E. Merkel, Esslingen, Germany; Colonel Daniel Needham, Mrs. Daniel Needham, Groton, Mass.; Miss E. G. Peterson, Richard Peterson, Mrs. Richard Peterson, Valley Forge, Pa.; James Phelan, Mrs. James Phelan, Lynn, Mass.; G. H. Richards, Jr., Mrs. G. H. Richards, Jr., Boston; William A. Rogers, Cincinnati; Mrs. S. B. Rowley, Philadelphia; Miss Alice Ruggie, Mrs. Mary L. Ruggie, Mrs. M. M. Ruggie, Glens Falls, N. Y.; A. W. Sherman, Mrs. H. A. Sherman, Glens Falls, N. Y.; Miss H. Leta Sherman, Amelia, N. Y.; E. A. Slack, Brookline, Mass.; Cyrus Spaulding, Mrs. Cyrus Spaulding, Webster, Mass.; W. H. Sumner, Mrs. W. H. Sumner, Schuyler, N. Y.; Miss Anna V. Swift, Miss Emma L. Swift, Wm. H. Swift, Mrs. Wm. H. Swift, Wilmington, Del.; George H. Taylor, M. D., Mrs. George H. Taylor, New York; Elisha Thayer, Mrs. Elisha Thayer, South Braintree, Mass.; Lemon Thompson, Mrs. Lemon Thompson, Albany, N. Y.; Laura E. Thorne, Montgomery Ward, Mrs. Montgomery Ward, Chicago; Miss Susie T. Weed, Pottsdam, N. Y.; Victor A. Harder, Mrs. E. S. Noyes, Mrs. V. Olmstead, Charles H. Richards, Miss Reid, R. F. Wilson and wife.

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Children Beware! Pletcher's Castoria.

STILL ALIVE.

The Oro Fino Club Proposes to Lead in the Fight.

It was surmised the other day, when the secretary of the Oro Fino Club, B. Fehnemann, returned, that the Republicans would find themselves stirred up by the renewal of the strife which was carried on so hotly in 1888-'89. It will be remembered that there was quite a difference of opinion between the members of the Union League and the Oro Fino Club as to which organization should be the dog and which the tail. The Union League claimed that it was the dog and that the Oro Fino Club should move as it dictated, and vice versa. The consequence was that there was a disruption, and the dog barked one way while the tail went off and wagged by itself. Since the last election the Oro Fino Club has been asleep, but now it has found new life, and it is rumored now that the tail intends to wag the dog.

The Oro Fino Club met yesterday and it was decided to send the following notice to all members of the various branches of the club:

"The Republican party of the State expects Los Angeles county to do its duty in the approaching campaign. It is absolutely necessary that the Republican clubs immediately organize in order to repeat the victory of 1888, therefore the Oro Fino Club intends making thorough preparations for the fight, and asks the immediate and hearty assistance of its members." Per order of executive committee, E. J. Niles, General H. G. Rollins, H. G. Judson, General John Mansfield, Fred Donaldson, Frank Lopez, George H. Bonebrake, treasurer; B. Fehnemann, secretary; W. S. Moore, chairman.

The trial of Manuel Ballard for attempting to shoot Mrs. Graham and her sister, came to a close yesterday in Department I, the jury finding the defendant guilty as charged. He will receive his sentence next Monday.

Judge McKinley yesterday denied F. K. Clark's motion on a writ of habeas corpus. The proceedings were given in the HERALD a few days ago.

Before Judge Wade appeared the Edelmanns, H. W. and Ben, under about a score of indictments in connection with the looting of the Auditor's office under A. A. Montano. There are two sets of charges, one for forging warrants and one for presenting fraudulent demands on the treasury. The cases came up on demurrers and the court overruled the demurrers as to presentation of fraudulent claims and took those as to forgery under consideration.

Before Judge George Pterbaugh, of San Diego, in Department 4 came Max Gebhardt, of Lynwood, charged with larceny. The defendant thought the charge well founded, and the man was ordered committed to the asylum at Stockton.

Judge Pterbaugh also called the calendar in this court, and decided a couple of small cases.

In this case F. W. Bishop obtained a decree of divorce from Mary Bishop on the grounds of desertion, the case being allowed to go by default.

The Waterloo Mining Company has filed in the United States District Court a bill in equity against the Southern Pacific Company et al. The suit is to quiet title to valuable property in Calico mining district.

Judge Rossettend John Smith to two years in the Los Angeles county jail for selling liquor to Indians.

Rivers Forging Ahead. The pretty town of Rivera, where the Santa Fe track crosses the San Gabriel, is making a good deal of progress. Two new business blocks are going up there, one for a sawmill and one for general merchandise purposes.

The last of the orange crop is being shipped East. The total crop in the vicinity of Rivera this year will be about fifty cars, worth to the growers \$350 per car, or say \$17,500 for the crop. The oranges near Rivera are nearly all seedlings, and pay the growers a little more than a dollar a box.

The prospect for the walnut crop is excellent. The tree put forth a great many blossoms and now the young fruit is just set on the tree. The promise is for a very large crop.

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