

BAD BEGINNING.

Mayor Hazard Registers a Sturdy Protest

Against Paying for the Public Funds for Departmental Errors.

The Business Transacted Yesterday by the City Council.

A Number of Miscellaneous Matters Acted Upon—Reports of Various Officers Received.

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the city council met in regular session, President Frankfield and all the members present.

After disposing of the usual preliminaries, the report of the city engineer was read and adopted.

The following message was received from Mayor Hazard, and on motion of Mr. Wirsching it was referred to the city engineer:

To the Honorable Council: I return herewith to your honorable body without my signature the demand of the Asphalt Paving Company for \$180.90 for repairing junction of First and Spring streets.

The work was done, so the requisition says, "so as to give good drainage."

Also requisition passed at meeting of your honorable body, August 4, to raise the grade of the gutter in front of the property of D. Ames.

Also demand of Conrad Scheerer, for \$293.30 for repaving gutter crossing on east side of Broadway, "so that the gutter is available."

The object in returning these matters without my signature is to call your attention to the fact that most of the work grows out of bad engineering simply, want of giving a grade to the gutters of these streets "so that the water will run off."

These streets were paved at great expense by the property owners, and now large portions of that work have to be done over again at the expense of the general public, because the grades were not proper at the time—did not even have the quality of permitting the water to run off, and the property owners had to pay for the approval of the engineer: I believe the city expends enough for engineering to have all mistakes charged to that department made good at the expense of the department and not out of the general fund. If this were insisted upon, it is probable that property owners would pay large sums of money to pave the streets in front of their property, and they pay large sums of money for engineering and inspecting that better satisfaction would be obtained and more care taken to see that the work was properly done before it was put under the pavement because the pavement is not on a grade "so that the water run off," should be referred to the city engineer, because the engineer whose fault it is that it was not put on a proper grade.

I would prefer to act on these matters after we hear from the city engineer.

H. T. HAZARD, Mayor.

A number of requisitions for supplies were received from the city engineer, superintendent of streets and chief of police, and on motion of Mr. Brown, the same were allowed.

Councilman Brown was granted two weeks leave of absence to date from the 20th inst.

Superintendent of streets Morford, reported verbally that the cooperative company was laying pipe along Flower street, at Fourth street, and it was their intention to cut through the Arroyo de los Reyes pipe, which would ruin it. He had sent a man to stop the work, and they have since promised to refrain from proceeding with it. The work was being carried out under the supervision of the city engineer's office, and he would like some action to be taken thereon.

Deputy city engineer Lowndes explained that it was not the intention of the company to injure the Arroyo de los Reyes; whereupon the matter was dropped.

The report of the city auditor showing the condition of his books for the month ending July 31st last was received and referred to finance committee.

The chief engineer of the fire department presented a list of the new hydrants needed in various parts of the city, as requested, and after a short discussion, the same was referred to the committee on fire and water.

A request of Mr. Wirsching who was anxious to rush the matter through, the draft of an ordinance of an intention to pave First street between Alameda and Los Angeles streets, where not already paved, was read. The same gentleman then moved for a suspension of the rules, to allow of the passage of the ordinance; but this did not meet with the approval of the council.

The matter was discussed at some length, but finally Mr. Wirsching withdrew his motion. And upon that of Mr. Van Dusen action thereon was deferred until the next meeting.

The new street sweeping contract with Martin C. Marsh was read, and his bond in the sum of \$3,000, with Messrs. J. M. Skinner and J. E. Frick as sureties thereon, was referred to the city attorney, who refused to approve it on the ground that the work was not in the qualification. The bond was returned for correction.

The report of the board of public works, as already published in the HERALD, was adopted.

The report of the finance committee was adopted, and a number of demands upon the treasury were approved in accordance with the recommendations contained therein.

On motion of Mr. Summerland, the city engineer was instructed to present an ordinance of intention to lay an asphaltum or cement sidewalk on the north side of Aliso street between Alameda and Los Angeles streets, except such as may already be laid in cement and accepted by the street superintendent.

The report of the city attorney was read as follows:

In the matter of Justice W. C. Lockwood referred to me, I can find no authority for the council to suspend a city justice; the matter of appointment and removal seems to be under the control of the board of supervisors.

In the matter of the protest of H. W. Irfret between Main and Spring, I am of the opinion that the protest is not a valid, legally against said work, the street being paved on both sides thereof. Received and filed.

In the matter of procuring rights of way for a sewer in the Chavez and Park tracts, I find that some owners of property are away from the city, and further that my orders indicate nothing as to any inducements or concessions to be made to property owners for said right of way. The matter was referred back to the city attorney.

In the matter of the petition of J. H. Burks to have streets accepted in the Rosemont tract, I would recommend that said deeds and petition be referred to the city engineer to see if descriptions are correct. Adopted.

I present herewith an ordinance, calling a special election per instructions. I would advise that in view of the importance of this election and the desirability of obtaining a full and fair expres-

sion of the wishes of the majority of our citizens, that voters be allowed to vote on certificates of registered, as the new register will not be completed, and the old one will not show the names registered since the 11th day of July, the day when the new register was commenced. The informal character of this election, and its effect, renders it practicable to vote without creating a precedent, and thereby leaves no ground for complaint upon the part of the electors. Our statutes provide that at special elections the great register in use at the preceding general elections, shall be used. In this case, by using the old register, and allowing voters to vote upon certificate, that they are registered upon the new one, or registered after the printing of the last register, and before the new registration, will afford an opportunity for all to vote. Adopted. The accompanying ordinance was read, and deputy city attorney Dunn suggested when the question of selecting officers was raised, that as they were not paid by the city, the matter be referred to the saloon-keepers and prohibitionists, who each could elect an equal number of officers. Mr. Wirsching wanted the matter laid over for a week, but to this Mr. Shafer vigorously demurred, as he did not want the matter to be deferred until the State and county election. After considerable discussion the matter was, on motion of Mr. Shafer, made a special order for two o'clock p. m.

The draft of a contract with J. D. Hooker for furnishing iron pipe was approved and referred to the mayor for signature. Hooker's bond in the sum of \$1,200, with G. S. Stafford and A. E. Pomeroy as securities, was approved.

The draft of an ordinance providing for seven additional assistants for the tax and license collector, at \$83.33 each per month, for the current month, was read, and the rules having been suspended the same was passed.

The weekly report of the city auditor for that ending August 16 was received and referred to the finance committee.

In accordance with the recommendation of the sewer committee, the Pacific Clay Pipe company was granted sixty days extension of time on contract.

Bids for grading were opened as follows and referred to the board of public works:

Sidewalk Flower street, Gray Bros., thirteen cents a square foot.

Grading Breed street, W. R. Lewis, eighty-four cents a front foot; Union Construction Company, \$2.34 a lineal foot; W. B. Palmer, \$1.94 a lineal foot.

A recess was then taken until two o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

On reconvening at 2 o'clock, the matter of the hearing of protests against the sewers on Hill, Hope, Grand avenue and other streets, which had been made the special order of the day, were brought up, but on motion of Mr. Summerland action was deferred for four weeks.

In the matter of the protest of St. Paul's school against the improvement of Ward street between Bixel and Farragut streets, the protestant was heard and claimed that half of the work was made upon its private property without its assent, and further that the assessment made illegally. On the recommendation of the city attorney the protest was rejected.

The ordinance providing for the holding of a special election on September 10th, for the purpose of voting upon the question as to whether or not the saloons shall close on Sunday, was then brought up, and a recess was taken to allow the councilmen to propose names of the judges, inspectors and clerks and to decide upon voting places in their respective wards. The fact that the election was to be held without expense to the city caused some little difficulty to be experienced, but it was finally settled, and the rules having been suspended, the ordinance was passed by a vote of 6 to 3. Messrs. Wirsching, Summerland and McLain voting negatively.

Communication received from H. Jay Hanchette, secretary of the chamber of commerce, notifying the council that it was entitled to delegates to the Worlds fair state convention to be held in San Francisco on September 11, and asking that they be appointed and instructed to attend a meeting of county delegates to be held in the rooms of the chamber of commerce on Tuesday the 20th inst. After some discussion Messrs. Frankfield and Shafer were appointed as such delegates.

On motion of Mr. McLain, the matter of the ordinance of intention to grade Yale street, action of which was deferred at the last meeting, was brought up, and after hearing the explanation of the city engineer, the ordinance was unanimously passed over the mayor's veto.

Ordinances of intention to lay sewers on Temple, Centennial, Bartlett, Metcalf, Freeman, Beaudry avenue, Bellevue avenue, and other streets were passed.

The city engineer presented on behalf of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company plans for a footbridge across its tracks from Buena Vista street to San Fernando street, with the recommendation that they be approved, "so ordered."

The report of the board of fire commissioners, laid over at the last meeting, was then brought up, and on motion of Mr. Summerland was adopted. Mr. McLain made a vigorous fight for the purchase of 5000 feet of hose instead of 2500, as asked for, stating that while at a fire yesterday morning several hundred feet of hose was found to be completely useless, and the board had asked him to bring the matter before the council. President Frankfield, however, suggested that the better plan would be to purchase only the quantity asked for, together with the chemical engine, now, and if more was found necessary, it could be purchased hereafter. The council then adjourned.

COURT NOTES.

People Who are Wriggling in the Law's Clutches.

The trial of Justice of the Peace W. C. Lockwood, for harboring a fugitive from justice was set for September 18th by Judge Cheney yesterday; that of J. S. Bernard for assault with a deadly weapon for September 13th and that of George Greenbaum for burglary for September 12th.

The hearing of the writ of habeas corpus of Pedro Mungia was continued yesterday by Judge Cheney until this morning.

A complaint was sworn out by W. H. Landing against Myron Cheesebrough, whom he accuses of having bitten off a piece of his right ear on the 11th in this city. There is a warrant out against Cheesebrough, issued out of the Township Justice's court.

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