## FAVORABLE RECOMMENDATION

To Council at a Meeting of the Committee on Railways.

## MR. M'CORMICK ENTERS KICK

On the Treatment Accorded the Committee on Ordinances, in Taking Away from it the People's Ordinance-Messrs. Allison and Boyce Objected to an Immediate Recom mendation but it was Without Avail-Ordinance is of Great Length and Provides for a Line from Jonathan's Ravine to Forty-eighth Street-Two Tracks on Market

The council committee on railways met last night, with Chairman Bachman in the chair, and Councilmen Bradbury, Schmidt, Knoke, Kindelberger and McMechen present. Others there were Councilman William Mc-Cormick, who is chairman of the committee on ordinances, and Beckett; City Solicitor Nesbitt; Messrs. B. S. Allison and Sam O. Boyce, representing the Wheeling Railway Company, and Mr. John J. Coniff, representing the People's Railway Company. The re-suit was the recommendation favorably to council of the ordinance granting the People's Railway Company a franchise to operate an electric street railway line on certain streets of the city from Jonathan's ravine to Fortyeighth street, at the southern limit of the city.

Unusual interest was taken for the reason that the People's ordinance, which had been in the hands of the on ordinances, had shifted to the committee on railways by act of council Tuesday night. This action gave offense to members of the former committee, and especially to its chairman, Mr. McCormick, who was not loath to express his views of the matter in vigorous language. As vig-orous a rejoinder came from the representative of the People's company, Mr. Coniff, and the situation was decidedly acute at one or two stages.

The ordinance provides for a route

through the city north and south. In the first ordinance submitted by this company, it was proposed to have the tracks in the central portion of the city traces in the central portion of the city along Chapline street, and there was to have been a bridge at Chapline across Wheeling creek. In the ordi-nance submitted to the railways committee, the route is changed, and is down Market street, with tracks paralleling those of the Wheeling Railway Company from Eleventh to Twentieth streets. North of Twentieth street it is a single track system, but south of Twentieth there is a South Side loop mostly over streets that are not occu-pted by the Wheeling company.

Mr. Conff's Statement.

The committee was called to order shortly after 8 o'clock. Mr. Coniff made a prefatory statement on behalf of his company. The ordinance, he said, is a revision of one previously submitted to the committee on ordinances, and which was referred to the city solicitor. The present ordinance had been framed to meet the sugges-tions of the solicitor, and embodies all of them, he claimed. The company desired to obtain a franchise over the route specified in the ordinance, and which was better ilustrated by a map which members of the committee had just examined. The company desired some action taken on its application, and he believed that the committee on railways was the proper one to go to, this being entirely a railway

go to, this being entirely a railway project. The suggestions of the solicitor, he said, had been for the benefit of the company as well as for the city. He urged action at once, so council would be enabled to pass on the application.

Mr. B. S. Allison, representing the Wheeling Railway Company, next addressed the committee. In the afternoon he had made an attempt to inspect the ordinance and the map, but had been unable to see them until just before the committee met, when there was no opportunity to do more than glance over them. The Wheeling Rail.

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"Hereen't I agend in man honorship." glance over them. The Wheeling Railvay Company, he said, is interested in what is proposed, and he hoped the com mittee would act considerately and who are interested an opportunity to appear and give expression to their views. He would ask that action be deferred until not only the Wheeling Railway Company, but all others interested, may have a chance to be heard before the committee. The attorneys of the Wheeling Railway Company, he said, are not the officials best qualified to explain where possibly the desires of the People's company may conflict with the rights of his company, and until these officers can be heard there should be no decisive action by the committee. He would offer no captious objection, but suggested that the committee adjourn until those interested may have the opportunity to frame their possible objections. Councilman Kindelberger inquired

what the Wheeling Railway Company had to do with the matter in hand. has nothing to do with this committee or with this franchise, and it now has more from the city than it ought to have received," added the Third ward

Mr. Allison rejoined that his company and many others are interested. 'What is your interest?" asked Mr.

Mr. Allison responded that Wheeling was interested especially at points where the new company would cross its line, and it might be that suggestions could be made that would facilitate crossings.

'Isn't it a fact that you are only interested to the point of desiring to avoid competition?" asked Mr. Coniff.

Intimation Denied. This intimation was vigorously denied by Mr. Allison, and he added that he and all others have a right to be

man of the second branch had decided the matter was referred to the rail-ways committee, when as a matter of fact the branch had not voted that

ways committee, when as a matter of fact the branch had not voted that way.

Mr. Kindelberger arose to remark that he was in the chair of the second branch at the time.

"I never before saw such a piece of work," responded Mr. McCormick, Mr. McCormick, and Mr. Couff, would not be so sensitive if he were only representing his committee and not some other interest.

Mr. Allison—He ought to feet sore; you have been saying that he was owned by the Wheeling Railway Company.

Mr. Coniff arose and stated that his company had never sought undue haste. The main reason his company could not secury action by the ordinance committee was that he had strong proof that the Wheeling Railway Company had representatives who would vote on his ordinance in the committee on ordinances.

"Then we went to council seeking reference to a committee that would act fair and square. I believe the application is now in the hands of a committee that will consider the matter conscientiously, and whatever action may be taken it will be an honest con-

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"Mr. Coniff," said Mr. McCormick

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I am interested in anything but the committee on ordinances."

Mr. Allison again addressed the committee and said not only had the Wheeling Railway officials had no opportunity to look into the People's ordinance, but that they had been busy night and day with another matter—a strike with which the public is well acquainted. "This is the first chance we have had, and I ask that an opportunity be given our officers to look in tunity be given our officers to look in-to this matter before action is taken.'
Mr. Kindelberger—You had a chance when it was before the ordinances com-

mittee.
Mr. McCormick—Oh, what's the of saying that? We know what

object is."

Mr. Knoke-Let's get down to business. I'll be time for breakfast pretty soon, if we don't hurry up.

The Ordinance Read.

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Mr. Kindelberger's motion that the ordinance be read was carried. This occupied nearly an hour, the ordinance being of great length.

The ordinance describes the route as follows: Beginning at northeast corporation line, at the Pewlicy tracks; sauthwesterly to Main street, past the Top mill; thence up Jonathan's ravine; southwardty on Coal street to alley 2; on Alley 2 to Market street; on Market street southward to the Second ward market house; thence around the west side of the market house, and thence south on Market street to Wheeling creek, a single track paralleling the Wheeling Rallway Company's track on the west side; at the creek it is propositions.

heard. Of course his company did not seek competition, but it was not on that point they would come before the committee if given the opportunity. Officials of his company might capital how it would be better for the interest of the city to to have parall. The interest is not sufficient from on Market street for more than one track. He hoped the ordinance would not be rushed through without all sides of the question being heard.

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At the conclusion of the reading of he ordinance, Mr. Kindelberger moved hat it be recommended to council fav-

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Mr. Boyce—The city solicitor says he has not even examined the ordinance. I suggest that he examine it first.

Mr. Kindelberger—He can get it from the ordinance committee later.

Mr. Nesbitt, the city solicitor, arose and stated that Mr. Boyce had not quoted him with exact correctness. He had said that he had not officially examined the ordinance. The first ordinance had been referred to him, and he had made so many suggestions that it had been sent back to the company for another draft. Two weeks later a representative of the company had handed him a copy. This he had looked over, but he had not passed on it.

Mr. Schmidt—Are your recommendations in the ordinance.

Mr. Nesbitt—Some are and some are not, and some are not in a form that I like.

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At this point Mr. McCormick entered another objection, and said the entire proceeding was irregular. Mr. Allison again asked that people interested be given an opportunity to express their objections. A motion to recommend favorably gave no such proportunity.

pportunity. Mr. Kindelberger rejoined that the Wheeling Railway Company had no rights in this matter, and if a way could be found he would like to see the

Wheeling Railway Company's fran-chiss forfeited. Mr. Bradbury moved to postpone fur-ther consideration for one week, in or-der to give all persons desiring to be heard the opportunity. The motion was lost on the following

vote:
Aye—Schmidt, Bradbury.
No—McMechen, Knoke, Kindelberger,
The Kindelberger motion to recommend the ordinance to council favorably was then passed on this vote:
Aye—McMechen, Knoke, Kindelber-

ger.
No-Bradbury, Schmidt.
Mr. Bradbury desired the chairman (Mr. Bachman) to cast his vote and thus place himself on record, but while this was being argued Mr. Kindelberger's motion to adjourn was declared carried, and one of the breeziest com-mittee meetings on record was at an

In Clerk Robertson's Office.

Yesterday, in Clerk Robertson's of-fice the following were recorded: Deed made July 11, 1899, by G. R. C. Allen and J. J. Coniff, special commis

Allen and J. J. Confff, special commissioners, to Catherine Remhoff; consideration, \$1,095; transfers lot 12, square 42, South Wheeling.

Deed made June 20, 1899, by Augusta and Joseph Webb to Pabst Brewing Company; consideration, \$15,500; transfers lot 1 in Eoff sub-division of square 8, at the corner of Sixteenth and Market atreets.

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MR. COLE'S MODESTY.

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of the managers of circuses to make their portraits their trade-mark. Their faces are to be seen upon every poster, bill, courier, programme, book, ticket, and even upon the stationary used in and even upon the stationary used in their private correspondence. Wherever their names have appeared upon their contracts, or anywhere else, there were to be seen their counterfeit presentments. So it has been, and is today, that the faces of such showmen as P. T. Barnum, James A. Balley, Adam Forepaugh, Peter Sells, U. F. Cody, (Buffale Bill), Nate Salsbury and others, are oftener seen than the portraits of Washington, Lincoln or Grant. Indeed it has been said in print very often that the best known face in this country was that of Adam Forepaugh. His face was better known than that of any other man because his show has been exhibiting in every state and territory of the union for about thirty years, and he was himself to be seen at the front door of his establishment by all the thousands of persons who annually visited his show, as well as his portrait upon every piece of his advertising matter.

All this, besides being prefatory, serves to emphasize the novelty found in a circus manager who has never had his portrait printed. There is such a manager, and he is by no means an obscure one. In fact he is one of the most prominent men now in the abnow business. That manager is W. W. Cole, the partner of James A. Balley and Peter and Lewis Sells in the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Consolidation, and is also Mr. Balley's partner in the direction of the tours of Buffalo Bill's Wild West.

For many years the W. W. Cole show was one of the most popular and best patronized tented exhibitions in the country. He operated chiefly through the west and south and made occasional tours through the astern states, and he also made an extraordinary successful tour through Australia and the islands of the Pacific.

Mr. Cole has never had his portrait printed upon any of his advertising matter in any shape or form. Indeed, it is said that he has never been in front of a camera but once, and that was in Australia. Any number of times he has been besought to have his picture used, but he has always given a quiet rhough empha their private correspondence. Whereever their names have appeared upon

quiet though emphatic refusal. He is a man of medically, which is frequently mistaken by strangers for taciturnity and austerity. Among his friends he is known to be a man of the kindliest and friendliest disposition. His smoothly shaven face, severely classic features and natural dignity are very like those of William M. Evarts, and the judicial ermine would much sooner be looked for upon his shoulders than the toga of the isaw-dust arena.
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During the past six months the press commissioners of the Adam Forepaugh and Selis Brothers' Consolidation have made the most strenuous efforts to secure Mr. Cole's portrait for presentation to the public as a matter of interest in one of the four proprietors of the est in one of the four proprietors of the largest institutions providing the public's most popular pastime, but these efforts, like all of a similar kind in years past, were of no avail. No one can find out from him the reason for his unsurmountable objection to have his portrait appear. No one who knows him believes that it is any desire upon his nort for any kind of notoriety or to him believes that it is any desire upon his part for any kind of notoriety or to appear different from all his colleagues in arenic management. It is more than likely that it has never even occurred to him that his disposition toward retirement and refusal to acquaint the public with his features by having pietures of him made and printed makes of him the one positive, distinctive novelty of the show world. The Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' shows will be seen here next Saturday.

A SERIOUS LOSS Threatened at the Top Mill, Unless Chilling is Remedied.

It was discovered yesterday that the furnace at the Top mill was "chilled" by a deposit of slag. The employes of the blast furnace have been working since Sunday to remove the deposit to no avail so far, despite the attempt to force it melted through an aperture cut in the furnace, and by reason of the chilling a loss may be entailed of nearly \$75,000, all things considered, to the Wheeling Steel & Iron Company, which Wheeling Steel & Iron Company, which operates the mill, if a remedy cannot be effected. In addition to the delay caused by the repairs to the furnace, is the loss suffered in inability to fill orders, which are very pressing at present, and many men will be compelled to remain idle until the furnace is repaired. About four years ago, several men were killed at Homestead by the furnace chilling. An official of the Top mill stated last night that he had hopes of the loss being minimized and the chilling counteracted to-day.

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A RECEIVER APPOINTED For the Sample-Lingaman Company.

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This action was brought about by the pressure on the company by some of the local creditors. Yesterday's restraining order applies to all of the ninety-six creditors.

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Accident on the Bridge.

Last evening about 7 o'clock, there was an exciting runaway on the steel bridge near the Island terminus. horse attached to a buggy in which were Messrs. George W. Weisgerber and James T. McGee became frightened at two passing street cars and dashed onto the sidewalk adjoining the road-way, overturning the vehicle and onto the sidewalk adjoining the road-way, overturning the vehicle and throwing out the occupants. Major McGee was severely hurt and rendered unconscious. He recovered conscious-ness, however, and was taken to his home on the Island by Mr. James A. Lancaster, who was an eye witness of the accident. The horse ran to the Penn street terminus of the bridge, where the buggy was demolished.

A Wail of Anguish.

In the name and in behalf of suffertax upon dogs in our-city, and if so, why is not the same put in force. entire city is overrun with a lot of the poorest specimens of the dog race, but our ward takes the cake. A stranger visiting the Second ward, above Market street, between Eleventh and the city work house, would certainly be under the impression a dog factory was in operation from the number of frames or skeletons of the dog race found here. We have dogs of all colors and conditions; cur dogs, yellow, black and gray, by the dozen, any one of which for laziness and general worthlessness would put to shame the late departed "Rags."

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Some families have as high as from three to five dogs and others one each for every member of the family. If the authorities would levy and collect a tax on each and every dog a sufficient amount could be collected to fill up the mud holes in our streets and alleys, which everybody. Rnows is badly needed, or cempel the owners of this worthless regiment of dogs to do away with them and by so doing allow our citizens to enjoy their rest at night, allow them to travel the sidewalks in safety, without having to carry a paving stone in one hand and a club in the other to ward off the larger ones and keep their lower limbs encased in joints of stove pipe to prevent the curs from feeding from them. Yours in agony,

Wheeling Taly 19. Some families have as high as from H. J. M.

Wheeling, July 12.

After Years of Idleness

POTTSTOWN, Pa., July 12.—The ex-tensive shops of the Pottstown bridge works started active operations to-day, after years of idleness. The force which commenced work this morning will be steadily increased until the different departments are filled up with at least 1,000 hands. Work was commenced on an order for 10,000 tons of structural iron for the New York Shipbuilding Company, whose plant is about to be built at Camden, N. J. The order will keep the works busy for one year. It required one month to put the plant in order for the resumption of work. works started active operations to-day,

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ELM GROVE'S WILD MAN Placed in Jail Again-Tore Things

Loose when He Regained Liberty. Yesterday morning Homer Smith, 'the wild man of Elm Grove," securely handcuffed, was taken to the county jall to pay the penalty imposed for hilarities practiced on his fellow citizens laritles practiced on his fellow citizens Tuesday evening. Homer was released from the jail on Tuesday, and after tanking up he boarded a freight train on Sixteenth street, narrowly escaping getting caught under the wheels, and thence he rode safely to the Grove, where things livened up considerably after his arrival. When sober, Homer is personally a peaceable citizen, but under the influence of the ardent he cuts the atmosphere into all kinds of chunks. Marshal Flizgerald essayed to put him in durance vile, but Homer up-set the officer by sundry contortions of his brawny arms, and it took six men finally to place the miscreant in the lock-up.

There are several natives of the Grove who claim that life would be a dreary dirge without Homer Smith and Bill Wilcon running loose, and they are lonesome when the aforesald are behind the bars. Homer was sent to the asylum by Squire Flizpatrick and later released, and the law-loving portion of the community are hoping for some measures that will restrain him from his outbursts of violence. Tuesday evening. Homer was released

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