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CITY SOLONS MEET IN COUNCIL.

Letter From Intermountain Pipe Co.
Read and Filed.

FRANCHISE FOR CHARLES M. LANG.

Sexton's Fees to be Collected. Itemized Bill to be Furnished to all his Patrons.

The city council met in regular session Monday, August 15th. After the regular opening exercises, a letter was read from the Intermountain Pipe company, expressing satisfaction with the way they had been treated by the council, and the manner in which their business had been carried on. After being read the letter was ordered placed on file.

Joseph Stevenson made verbal complaint against C. D. Burkholder, charging him with making a ditch upon his premises and conveying water therein to the injury of the health of his (Stevenson's) family. The matter was referred to the board of health, with instructions to investigate and report at a future meeting.

The petition of Middleton and Bryant for the privilege of tapping the city mains, for the purpose of putting in service pipes, was read, discussed and denied, and the recorder directed to post notices calling for bids for the conveying of the water from the mains to the curb line, in the putting in of service pipes.

City Watermaster Urie reported that certain parties at the head of the creek were fouling its waters by allowing their corrals to drain into it, and also by allowing the sawdust from their sawmills to be washed into it. The board of health were directed to investigate and report their findings.

Bills amounting to \$108.24, including the bills of watermaster, marshal and road supervisor, were allowed.

A member of the council called attention to the practice that some people in the city have of allowing the waste water from their lots to run into the culinary ditches. The matter was referred to the judiciary committee, to see if the ordinances afforded any remedy.

The question of the collection of the sexton's fees from parties for whom his work is done, was discussed, and the sexton was instructed to present every customer with an itemized bill for the amount due from him to the city, immediately after the completion of the work, and to do his best to collect said bills. In this connection the recorder was directed to supply the sexton with the necessary blanks for the purpose.

At a later meeting, held August 22, a letter was read from Mr. Charles M. Lang, in which that gentleman asked the council to take action at the earliest possible date in relation to granting him a franchise for the putting in of an electric light plant in Cedar City. The recorder informed the council that Mr. Lang had sent in the letter twenty dollars to assist in defraying the expense to which the council may be put in the granting of his franchise. The recorder was authorized to notify Mr. Lang that as soon as a full council could be gotten together favorable action would be taken in the matter, and in the mean time he would be safe in going on with his preliminary arrangements.

A communication was read from the State Bank of Utah, asking for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the city, which they hold. This matter was referred to the finance committee, with instructions to settle as soon as possible.

Marshal Urie was directed to attend to the filling in of the trenches in which the water mains are buried, and requested to employ as far as possible parties who were in arrears with their frontage tax.

The bid of Mr. Randall Jones for putting in service pipes to the curb line was read and accepted, at the following rates: For half inch pipe, an average rate of \$7.55; for three-quarter inch pipe, an average rate of \$8.45.

Check of the University of Utah for \$37.76, was received for payment of material furnished by the city in connecting the Normal building with the city mains.

POLITICAL CHAT

There seems to be a growing respect for the power of the democratic party in the minds of the people these days, and the feeling that the g. o. p. is going to have things all its own way, both in the state and in the nation, is passing away. While this will be cheering to the democrats, it will be no detriment to the republicans, as it will only have a tendency to prevent them from falling into the error of treating their opponents with contempt, and neglecting in consequence the measures that tend to insure victory. Judging from present indications, the campaign is likely to be a lively one, and the election a hotly contested battle. It is rumored that a capitalist element is afraid of the independent character of the republican nominee for president, and that they will support the conservative Parker, as being more likely to take care of their interests. Mr. Parker is said by prominent newspapers to be one of those fortunate individuals who, while exhibiting good judgment and ability in the discharge of his work as a public servant, has made no enemies. Staunch republicans in our town have been heard to give expression to these and kindred sentiments, and the local democrats are beginning to feel that there is yet hope for the followers of the immortal Jefferson.

There is a general feeling of satisfaction in the minds of most of our citizens with the nomination of John C. Cutler for governor by the republican state convention. All parties seem agreed in saying that Mr. Wells has made a good record—as good and maybe better than Mr. Cutler will make—but Mr. Wells has held the position for nine years, and the people feel that it is contrary to the genius of our American institutions to make terms of office much longer than that. Furthermore, if one citizen has too much of the public patronage it keeps others from getting their share. Secretary Hammond has made a good officer—is a capable gentleman, and doubtless would have been a good governor, but he has had a good, long pull at the public service, and it is but fair that someone else should have a chance. It is often urged by men who have an easy way of making money that the higher officials are not paid sufficient for their services in our state, but here are two of them who, notwithstanding these drawbacks, and the fact that they are probably as good material for the business as the state affords, were quite willing to succeed themselves at the old price.

Republican State Ticket.

The republican state convention in session last Thursday, the 25th inst., nominated the following state ticket:

For Governor, J. C. Cutler of Salt Lake City.

For Secretary of State, Charles S. Tingey of Nephi.

Treasurer, James Christensen of Richfield.

Auditor, J. A. Edwards of Box Elder.

Judge of the Supreme Court, D. N. Straoup of Salt Lake City.

Superintendent of Public Instruction, A. C. Nelson of Manti.

Attorney General, M. A. Breedon of Ogden.

The republican judicial convention which met at Nephi on the 23rd of this month, settled the uncertainty that has existed in the fifth judicial district, in relation to who would be the choice of the party for judge and district attorney, by nominating W. F. Knox for the former position and J. A. Melville for the latter.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puffy boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25c. For sale by George Wood.

Branch Normal School

THE BRANCH NORMAL SCHOOL opens September 15th. Entrance Examinations will be conducted on the 15th and 16th. Registration will be conducted on the 17th, and regular class work will commence Monday, the 19th of September.

All prospective students are urged to be present at the opening recitations.

Besides the first three years of the Normal Course, courses leading to the various courses in the University of Utah, are given.

For those desiring a business life, a Business Course is given, consisting of Stenography, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Arithmetic, English, and Commercial Law.

The Laboratories for Chemistry, Physics, Mineralogy, Biology and Shop Work are fitted up equal to any in the State, for the grade of work that the school will do. All are supplied with the most modern apparatus and are prepared so that the student may do the highest grade of work in the elementary sciences.

Besides the regular work of the school, there is opportunity to get special instruction in various kinds of Instrumental Music and Voice Culture.

G. W. DECKER, Principal.

JOHN R. WILLIAMS DEAD.

Young Man's Life was Cut Short by Heart Disease.

Last Sunday evening at about six o'clock, the spirit of John R. Williams of this city, made its escape from its bonds of flesh. Mr. Williams had been ill about three weeks with heart disease, and all that his friends and the attending physician could do to save his life had been done, but from the first it had been known to the doctor that it was only a question of time. At one interval during his illness it was thought that he might rally for a few weeks, or perhaps months, but it was soon found that it could not be so long.

John R. Williams was born in the family called by those who associated with him, was born in this city, November 28, 1875, and this has always been his home. His father was killed on Cedar mountain when Johnny was an infant, and upon the widowed mother has devolved the task of raising him to man's estate. He has borne a good character in the community and leaves behind him many friends to mourn his loss.

The funeral was held in the tabernacle last Tuesday and was well attended for this season of the year, when so many of the people are away from their homes. The speakers, who were ex-Bishop W. H. Corry, Hon. R. W. Heyborne and Elder Henry Leigh, all spoke in terms of respect of the life he had led and bore testimony to his good character, expressing regret that one so young should be called away, and sympathy for the bereaved mother and relatives.

The dedicatory prayer over the grave was offered by Bro. Randall Jones.

Watch for the ice wagon, and make arrangement to keep cool. Ice delivered for 1c. per pound.

J. H. HUNTER.

The Bank of Southern Utah, at a meeting of the board held last night, decided to pay five per cent on savings deposits. As four per cent is the highest rate paid by other banks of the state people cannot afford to send their savings north. The object of increasing the rate of interest on savings is to secure sufficient money to supply the demands made of them for loans, which are especially heavy at this season of the year.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witner, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation."

Sheriff's Sale.

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Utah, in and for the County of Iron.

Joseph Dedrichs and James Burke, doing business as co-partners under the firm name of Dedrichs & Burke,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Ophir Mining and Milling Company, a corporation, The Salt Lake Hardware Company, a corporation, Detroit Trust Company, a corporation,

Defendants.

To be sold at Sheriff's sale, on the 12th day of September, A. D., 1904, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the front steps of the court house at Parowan, Iron County, Utah.

All that certain group of mining claims known as the Ophir Mine, consisting of the Offer, the Offer No. 2, the Sleeper the Binder, the Little Giant and the Golden West No. 1 mining claims, together with the mill thereon and all the appurtenances, appliances and devices connected therewith or pertaining thereto, all situate and being in Stateline Mining District, Iron county, Utah. Said group of claims being owned by the Ophir Mining and Milling Company, and worked by means of common shafts, drifts, tunnels and excavations as a single mine, and the same constituting a single mine.

ALFRED FROYD,

Sheriff.

Henderson, Pierce, Critchlow & Barrette, Salt Lake City, Utah, Attorneys for plaintiff.

(First, Aug. 20—Last Sept. 10.)

About New Wheat.

In order to keep up the quality of flour at our mill, we are under the necessity of refusing to grind new wheat that is not thoroughly dry, and we are obliged, also, to refuse to take smutty wheat into the mill for the same reason. Parties having grain to grind will please take notice. Cedar City Co-op. Mills.

Professor Schoppmann was down from the mountain the middle of the week, where he has been surveying for a number of prominent Kanarra stockmen. Mr. Schoppmann said he was a little tired, having traveled a good part of the night previous, but he was feeling well. We congratulate him upon the way he is able to stand surveying at his time of life.

A PERFECT PAINLESS PILL

is the one that will cleanse the system, set the liver in action, remove the bile, clear the complexion, cure headache and leave a good taste in the mouth. The famous little pills for doing such work pleasantly and effectively are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Bob Moore of Lafayette, Ind., says: "All other pills I have used gripe and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers are simply perfect."

For Sale by Cedar Sheep Ass'n.

JEFFERSONIANS IN CONVENTION.

Preparing to Nominate Candidates for State and Judicial Offices.

TEN DELEGATES FROM IRON COUNTY.

Same Individuals Will Attend Both Conventions—They Will Go Uninstructed.

The democrats held their county convention in Parowan last Monday, and a very peaceable time is reported. County Chairman Charles D. Adams called the convention to order, and filled the position of temporary chairman until the permanent chairman, Mr. James Ollorton, was chosen.

After the usual routine business, the election of delegates to attend the judicial convention, which will be held at Nephi on the 7th of September, and the state convention, which will be held on the day following in Salt Lake City, was proceeded with, the agreement being that the one set of delegates should attend both conventions. With this understanding the following gentlemen were chosen to represent the various precincts to the county:

Parowan—Charles D. Adams, Alex Orton and James Ollorton.

Paraconah—Wm. P. Barton.

Cedar City—Lehi W. Jones, Edward Parry and Francis Middleton.

Kanarra—William Ford.

Stateline—Al. French.

Modena—R. C. Lund, Jr.

The county organization was left the same as it has been since the last campaign, and the delegates go to both conventions uninstructed.

If you want the best prices on Tree Tea call on Page & Page.

Mrs. Dr. McGregor and her sister, Mrs. F. J. Goodbury, were visiting in our city yesterday.

We are in receipt of some very interesting statistical information in relation to the property and taxes in Iron county, which arrived a little too late for publication this week, but which will appear in our next issue. In the mean time the county clerk will please accept our thanks for the document.

The weather man seems to feel that it is incumbent upon him to contribute a good, heavy rain each day on the Cedar water shed, in order to keep the water in the creek up to its proper consistency. It is over a month since there was any clear water in Coal creek, and there is serious thoughts of changing its name, and calling it "Mud Creek," which would certainly be more appropriate.

Miss Babcock gave a recital in the Branch Normal hall Thursday night. Like all this lady's renditions, they were well done and greatly enjoyed by those who were present. We very much regret that the visits of this talented young artist are made at this season of the year, when our town is almost depopulated by the outside interests, and we extend an invitation to her to come in the winter months, when we will give her a reception worthy of her reputation.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

For sale by George Wood.

We are informed by one of the school trustees that the district school will open in this district on Monday, September the 19th, which is the same day on which the Branch Normal begins its first term of the year. It is not known yet who will be the principal of the district school this year, but it is not at all likely that they will get a better one than the gentleman that has filled the position for the last five or six years.