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LAST MEETING

Of the Outgoing City Council Was Held Last Night.

LITTLE BUSINESS TRANSACTED

By the Municipal Legislators—Building Ordinance Not Considered, and Now Goes Over to the Incoming Council. Resolutions Thanking Mayor Caldwell, Clerk Dannenberg, and Assistant Clerk Watkins—The Mayor Makes a Farewell Address—Gunboat "Wheeling" Bills Ordered Paid.

A regular meeting of the city council—the last of the present body—was held last evening. There was some difficulty in obtaining a quorum in the lower branch, but at 8:30 p. m., both branches were at work.

In the first branch those present were as follows: Present—Britt, Davison, Ebeling, Farrell, Hahn, Horkheimer, Irwin, McLeary, McLeure, Otto, Robinson, Zwickler.

The following was the result of the roll call in the second branch: Present—Baird, Britt, Chew, Eary, Elliott, Hahn, Hamilton, John Hess, Higgins, Kern, Lindsay, Loos, Muegge, Taylor and Waterhouse.

In the second branch in the absence of President Stathers, Mr. Baird, of the Seventh ward, was called to the chair. The minutes of preceding meetings were read and approved.

City Clerk Dannenberg made the following statement of expenditures and balances for the first month of the new year:

Table with columns: Department, Appropriations, Expenditures, Balances. Rows include Board of public works, Fire department, Health department, Markets, Police, City prison, Scales and weights, Real estate, Cemeteries, Salaries, Contingent expenses, Loan of 1877, City water board, Collection of taxes.

Totals \$28,759 03 \$18,451 34 \$14,906 69

The appropriations are on the basis of one-fourth of the amount appropriated for the whole of 1896, and are for the first three months of 1897.

The elections committee reported a number of changes in election officers who will serve in to-morrow's city election.

The ordinance providing for the election of a crematory superintendent at the first meeting of incoming council was read, and passed in both branches without opposition.

The committee on petitions and remonstrances reported changes in liquor licenses as follows: John Truschell to Alpingor Brothers; G. G. Gans to Flowers & Italy.

Council passed upon the recommendations favorably. The committee on streets, alleys and grades recommended the purchase of the Gerke property in the Fifth ward, to enable Jacob street between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, to be opened. Council acted favorably on the resolution.

The gunboat "Wheeling" committee reported the purchase of the following: China ware, \$300; glass ware, \$300; silver ware, \$400. A resolution authorizing the payment of the sum, \$900, was passed.

There was some difference of opinion when it was learned that there is only \$573 in the city contingent fund, but as the new council will soon pass an annual appropriation ordinance, the amount was ordered paid.

The city water board recommended the act in section 2, chapter 19, of the acts of 1893, by which the board is authorized to furnish water to outside municipalities and to persons and corporations outside the city. This is already done by the board and the resolution merely legalizes the practice.

There was some talk of taking up the building ordinance, but its chief defender, Mr. Hamilton, consented to it being laid over for consideration by the new council.

Resolutions were introduced by Mr. Thomas G. Britt, calling attention to the faithful performance of their duties by City Clerk Charles E. Dannenberg and Assistant City Clerk Charles H. Watkins, and extending to them the thanks of the second branch of council. The resolutions were passed with a hurrah.

It was suggested that the minutes of the meeting might be read, but it was decided this was impracticable for the reason that it would involve considerable delay.

Bills were ordered paid as follows: Real estate.....\$72 23 Elections..... 12 00 Finance..... 5 00 Streets, alleys and grades..... 51 00 Gunboat "Wheeling"..... 900 00

In the first branch the payment of the bills aggregating \$900 from the gunboat "Wheeling" committee ordered in the second branch, was concurred in, the only opposing votes being that of Mr. Irwin, and later Mr. Farrell changed his vote and voted with Mr. Irwin. Before a vote was taken, Mr. Irwin moved for the adjournment of the branch, but there was no second, and the motion was not put.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Haller, of the Third ward and passed with a hurrah: Resolved, That the thanks of the members of the first branch of council be extended to His Honor, the mayor, E. F. Caldwell, for the uniform courtesy and impartial manner in which he has presided over this body, during his incumbency in office, and extend to him on parting, our best wishes for his future welfare and success in life.

The mayor, who retires the last of this week in a voice that is full of life, was called upon for a speech. He thanked council for the uniform kindness with which he had been treated during his four years' incumbency in office. Any errors that he had made had been errors of the heart, which he hoped would be pardoned. He would always remember the past four years as among the happiest of his life. He had been born and raised in Wheeling and was proud to have served the municipality two terms as its chief executive.

He took the occasion to thank the people of Wheeling, by the members of all organizations, by whom he had been accorded courteous treatment without exception and at all times. He would retire from office with the kindest of feelings for every man, woman and child in the city of Wheeling. The mayor's remarks were received with great enthusiasm by the members of the first branch, and the lobby from the second joined in the acclamations.

At 9:30 o'clock council adjourned.

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"JAKE" KEMPLE'S WIFE

Commits Suicide at Her Home in Maine A Distressing Affair.

The following press dispatch tells of the death by suicide of Mrs. Jacob Kemple, wife of Colonel "Jake" Kemple, formerly of Wheeling, at her home in Maine:

The suicide of Mrs. Jacob Kemple at Farmington Falls, Tuesday evening, has set the town all agog. At 6 o'clock Col. Kemple entered his temporary home at the village of Farmington Falls and found his wife dead, with a sponge and a big wad of cotton saturated with chloroform, over her face. A four-ounce bottle with a small quantity of the liquid still in it was found close by. The body was on the bed in a nearly natural position.

Colonel Kemple had been away for a week or more, and for several days his wife had been staying at Hotel Willows in Farmington. Tuesday noon, the colonel returned and took dinner at the Stoddard House, after which he went to the other hotel to see his wife. Late in the afternoon she told a friend that they had quarreled, and that he did not speak a single kind word to her. She said that she had asked the colonel to go home with her in the sleigh she had but that he refused, and said he would go on the stage later, which he did, but only to find his wife dead on arriving at the rented house.

Mrs. Kemple was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Goodwin, of this city, and was about twenty-eight years of age. She was of prepossessing appearance.

Col. Kemple's home is in Wheeling, W. Va. He is a good talker, and has taken the stump for the Republican party during several campaigns. It was in this capacity that he first came to Farmington more than twelve years ago. He remained in this vicinity some time and became acquainted with the family to which the woman who has taken her life, belonged. Not long after he married Miss Nellie Goodwin, a cousin, who was also a member of the family. She lived only a short time. Not long afterward the colonel took another member from the family, this time marrying the daughter, Miss Evangeline Goodwin. The couple went south to live, and for a time everything appeared to be satisfactory. Two children, a son and a daughter, were born to them. Then Mrs. Kemple came home to her father, who lives on a farm a few miles out of this village, where she received occasional visits from her husband. She also went south several times, but in the main her home was with her parents for several years, until the house at the Falls was rented and the couple again took up housekeeping.

After the interview with the colonel, Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Kemple told an intimate friend that her husband was angry because he had found her at the hotel when he reached home and that he had used abusive language to her in public on that account, and had not said a kind word to her. She also said that when he went away he told her that if she was lonesome she had better not stay in the house alone, but to go anywhere she chose and make herself as comfortable as possible. With that and in view she had gone to the hotel. She said her husband seemed to have the idea that she was hiding from him, but that that was not the case, and she had been perfectly willing to meet him.

Soon after this she went to a drug store and asked the clerk how much chloroform it would take to kill a dog. She was told that two ounces would be sufficient, but she finally purchased four ounces. She appeared to be downhearted after her interview with the colonel, and went home to the Falls village soon after the purchase of the chloroform. The next time she was seen was when she was found dead by her husband.

Many Dances Last Night.

There were more entertainments and dances last night, in this city, than probably ever were held on any other night, excepting holiday occasions. Many of the festive gatherings were for the benefit of organizations, and so many coming together on one night may have been a coincidence, or an oversight on the part of the various promoters. The proximity of the city election may be said to be the cause of affairs, as there was hardly a hall in the city that was not in use. Of course, there were some candidates in attendance.

A Revelation for Weak Women.

Weak, nervous women who suffer from female complaints, irregularities, discharges, backache, etc., get sympathy because they "look well." No one but the physician knows what they suffer, and no one but a great specialist in female diseases like Dr. Greene, 35 West Fourteenth Street, New York City, the most successful physician in curing these complaints, has the knowledge, skill and remedies which never fail to cure. Women should know that Dr. Greene can be consulted by mail free. Write the doctor. You can thus get his opinion and advice in regard to your case free. Write now—it may result in your cure.

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DIED.

SKABRIGHT—On Tuesday, January 26, 1897, at 12 o'clock a. m. MABEL, infant daughter of William R. and Emma Seabright, aged 7 weeks. Funeral services at parents' residence, No. 62 National Road, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment at Red Men's cemetery.

BOSLEY—On Tuesday, January 26, 1897, at 12 o'clock a. m. CATHERINE, wife of F. W. Bosley. Funeral notice hereafter.

UNDERTAKING.

LOUIS BERTSCHY, (Formerly of Frew & Bertschy.)

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