

teen children, sixty grandchildren, and about forty great-grandchildren. Brother Allen retained his mental faculties up to the last. He called his family to his bedside, exhorted them to remain faithful to the Church and honor the priesthood, and sent word to those of his children not present to obey the same counsel. He then asked his family to release him for his mission was filled. EDWARD WILCOCK.

CITY COUNCIL.

Mayor Scott called the City Council to order at 7:45 Feb. 2d. There were present Spafford, Pendleton, Heath, Karrick, Parsons, James, Young, Lynn, Anderson, Hardy, Tuddenham, Hyde and Folland. Absent—Smith and Pickard.

PETITIONS

were read and referred as specified.

Joseph E. Taylor asked to be allowed to let the fence remain in front of his new building until completed. Granted for a period of 30 days.

Judge Judd made a verbal petition in behalf of James Martin who was shot on the night of July 24th of last year by Officer White. He represented that Martin had been badly wounded in the leg necessitating amputation. The petitioner was willing to accept \$150 or \$200 in full for damages sustained, that amount being necessary to buy him a wooden leg and take him home. Committee on claims.

Fred Heath asked to be allowed to lay track across Fifth West street from the Union Pacific depot. Committee on streets.

John R. Park asked that the city build retaining walls in front of his property on North State street. Special committee.

Mrs. A. Crockett asked for a renewal of free peddlers' license on account of poverty. Granted.

William Bartling and twenty-five others asked to have bridges built across two streams on Fourth East, between Ninth East and Roper streets. Committee on streets.

George Mullet asked to be released from all liability and responsibility as surety on the bond of Contractor Bowman for the construction of the joint city and county building, claiming that his signature had been obtained through fraud. Joint city and county building committee.

J. E. Dooly asked permission to lay sidewalk in front of his property at corner of West Temple and Second South streets. Granted.

J. W. Donkin asked that a nuisance in the shape of city dumping grounds on south side of East Second South between Tenth and Twelfth East streets, be abated. Committee on sanitary regulations.

J. H. Freeman asked for a free peddlers license on account of sickness and infirmity. Committee on license.

Detective Franks asked that the application of M. S. Graham as special officer be confirmed. Granted.

T. P. Murray asked for an extension of forty days on his Deep Creek railway franchise claiming he would be able to begin work on the road by that time. Committee on streets.

THE MAYOR'S ANNUAL REPORT.

Mayor Scott's second annual report was submitted and read before the

council by himself. It will be found in full in another column.

OTHER ANNUAL REPORTS.

Annual reports of the recorder, treasurer, assessor and collector, marshal, engineer, auditor, watermaster, attorney, superintendent of streets, superintendent of waterworks, superintendent of sewer construction, fire department, police justice, sealer of weights and measures, sanitary inspector, quarantine physician and health commissioner, board of public works and city sexton were submitted and referred to the proper committees.

FROM THE CITY ENGINEER.

The city engineer reported that in accordance with the requirements of a resolution passed by the council, the Union Pacific railway company had filed a profile of its track connecting with the Utah Central railway at the intersection of Third West and Eighth South streets; that the bill of Giant's Slagolithic company for \$88.42 for street grading was correct; that the Rio Grande Western railway track at the intersection of North Temple and Sixth West streets was about eighteen inches above the regular grade. Adopted.

WILL NOT PAY.

Assessor and Collector Clute sent in a communication in which he represented that Zion's Benefit and Building Association, through its president, Thomas G. Webber, refused to pay taxes on certain moneys loaned and secured by mortgage. He further represented that he was unable to find any tangible personal property or real estate, and asked that the matter be taken out of his hands for collection. Referred to city attorney.

ROCK SIDEWALKS.

A communication from the board of public works showed that that body had entered into a contract for the construction of 25,000 square feet of bituminous rock sidewalk pavement in district No. 7, and the contractor had executed a bond for \$1500, with John C. Gianfield and E. C. Coffin as sureties.

FOR MAYOR'S DEED.

The committee on public grounds to whom was referred the petition of Mr. and Josephine Kimball asking for a corrected deed recommended that the request be granted.

The same committee recommended that the petition of Edmund Wilkes and others for a lease of sand beds in blocks 20 and 21 in plat J be granted. Adopted.

BACK STREET WATERMAINS.

The city recorder reported that the notice of intention for extension of watermains on the following named street had been published: On Back street from North Capitol avenue to Fern street. Confirmed.

THE PIONEER LIBRARY ASSISTED.

Reporting on the resolution of Councilman James introduced at the session one week ago asking for aid from the city for the Pioneer library, the city attorney recommended that inasmuch as the institution was a free one the city could with safety appropriate money towards sustaining it.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Elias Morris, \$6,785 for sidewalks; Walker F. Gunter, \$183, for injuries

received from carelessness of city employees; ex-Fireman H. E. Carter, \$20, held from his salary by the chief to pay a doctor's bill.

GUNTER GETS IT.

The committee on claims recommended that the bill of Attorney Walter T. Gunter for \$183 be allowed for damages sustained by himself and conveyance, by driving into an unprotected trench near the Warm Springs. Adopted.

MORE STREET LIGHTS.

The proposition of the Salt Lake Power, Light and Heating Company to furnish additional arc lights in various portions of the city and which was submitted several weeks ago was accepted, and lamps were ordered placed as follows: Corner Fourth East and Seventh South; corner Sixth West and Second South; corner Sixth West and Third South; corner South Temple and Sixth West; corner South Temple and Seventh South; corner First South and Eleventh East; corner First South and Twelfth East; corner Second South and Eleventh East; corner Second South and Twelfth East; corner Sixth South and Seventh East; corner Sixth South and Sixth East; corner First and P streets; corner First and R streets; corner Fifth and Fourth North.

THE CITY'S GARBAGE.

On motion of Councilman Anderson the Mayor was authorized to sign a contract with the Rio Grande Western to transport garbage from the municipal boundaries to Showell's switch Bingham, for \$5 per car. The contract only extends to March 1st of the present year. According to the arrangement the city must remunerate the railway company for all expenses of lawsuits, etc.

FROM CAPITOL HILL TO CITY CREEK.

Councilman Pendleton introduced a resolution calling for the establishment of a road from Capitol grounds into City Creek canyon. City engineer.

SEWER DISTRICT NO. 2.

A number of bids for the construction of sewer mains on East South Temple street were received and referred to the committee on sewerage. They are as follows:

	Lineal Foot.	Man Holes.
Frank Harrigan.....	\$1 00	\$10 00
S. L. Construction Co.....	90	65 00
Higson & Davis.....	1 00	
David James & Co.....	1 10	Included
Wm. Harkness.....	63	55 00

APPROPRIATIONS.

The following appropriations were ordered, after which the council adjourned for one week:

Salt Lake Power, Light & Heat Company.....	\$2,587 50
Salt Lake City Railway Company.....	375 00
Spencer-B. water Company.....	85 00
Tribune Company.....	15 00
Joseph Suver.....	78 00
Pacific Lumber Company.....	83 45
Pioneer Library Association (two months).....	166 66
Elias Morris.....	67 65
Walter T. Gunter.....	133 00
Auditor's Fund (tax rebate).....	44 63

Total.....\$3,886 84

THE UTAH STATEHOOD QUESTION.

JUDGE JUDD (DEM.)

Judge Judd was asked—What is your position upon the Faulkner "Home Rule" and the Teller statehood bills? In the first place let me say that I