

CITY COUNCIL.

The Sewer Ordinance Goes over for a Week—The Warm Springs.

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday evening, May 1st, at 7 o'clock, Mayor Armstrong being absent, Alderman McCormick was called to the chair.

B. G. Raybould and others asked that the water mains be extended south from Sixth North to First Street. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

John P. Whitberg asked for a deed to lot 4, block 110, plat D, he being the legal owner thereof. Committee on public grounds.

D. L. Davis, president of the Athletic Association, represented that the association was owing a balance of \$185 for improvements made upon the east half of Washington Square, and asked that before the grounds should be leased to other parties, that they be required to pay the balance stated, as they would get the benefit of the improvements made. Referred to the committee on claims.

Tomney & Hillstead's license was transferred to Fritz Kelper.

Mrs. Sarah Williams was granted a free merchant's license.

H. P. Richards and others asked that Second Street, east of Canon Road be properly graded. Referred to the committee on streets.

The Burton-Gardner Company asked permission to build a switch from the line of the Fort Douglas Railway, on Eighth South Street, to lots 4 and 6, block 8, plat A, Salt Lake City survey. Committee on streets.

STREET PAVING.

The city attorney, to whom was referred the report of the committee on streets, recommending that the sidewalk on South Temple Street be paved, with instructions to prepare an ordinance covering the subject, reported a bill for an ordinance providing for the north side of South Temple Street, from East Temple to I Street, with stone, the walk to be eight feet wide, with curbing on the outer edge, and that a local tax per square foot frontage be assessed. The attorney also introduced a bill for an ordinance providing for the paving and grading of sidewalks in Salt Lake City. This bill provides that whenever the Council shall deem it necessary to grade, pave, plank or repair any sidewalk, the Mayor, under the direction of the Council, shall publish a notice describing the character, location and extent of such property to be improved, and if at or before the time fixed for making such improvements, written objections, signed by owners of one half in value of the property so to be affected, do not file with the Recorder, written objections, the Council may order the making of such improvements, the cost to be defrayed by levying a local tax, according to the linear foot frontage on all land abutting on the sidewalk to be improved. One-half of the expense of bringing the sidewalk to the established grade, is to be paid out of the contingent fund, and the expense of laying street crossings, is to be paid out of the contingent fund. The bills were read and ordered printed, and will be amended and put in definite shape at the next regular meeting.

The committee on waterworks, to whom was referred the petition of L. C. Trent and others, reported that they did not deem it necessary to make the connection with

THE WATER MAINS

in City Creek Cañon, as asked for. Adopted.

The same committee, to whom was referred the petition of J. J. Daly and John N. Pike, asking for an extension of the water mains to Centre Street, recommended that the prayer be granted under the provisions of the ordinance recently passed in relation to extensions of the waterworks system. Adopted.

The same committee, to whom was referred the petition of H. J. Romney, C. R. Savage, W. W. Williams, William Longmore, R. Simons, W. C. Bowring and others, asking for extension of the water mains in various parts of the city, recommended that the petition be granted under the provisions of the ordinance providing for the extension of the waterworks system. Adopted.

The committee on public grounds made the following report:

Your committee on public grounds, to whom was referred the petition of Fred W. Scarff for a lease of the east half of

WASHINGTON SQUARE,

respectfully report that we have given the matter our careful attention, and believing it will give satisfaction to the citizens interested, as well as those actually engaged in athletic sports and games, we beg leave to recommend as follows: That the arrangement effected August 2nd, 1882, between the Council and the various athletic organizations in regard to the use and occupancy of said square, be revoked and annulled. That during the ensuing season and the further pleasure of the Council, the general management and conduct of the east half of Washington Square be given to Fred W. Scarff, under the following conditions, viz: 1.—That the grounds be open and free at all reasonable times. Sundays excepted, to the various athletic clubs of the city, upon which to give exhibitions of athletic games and sports, and for practicing at such times as the grounds are not engaged for said exhibitions.

2.—That at such exhibitions a reasonable admission fee may be charged to spectators, and the funds so derived shall be distributed to the clubs giving said exhibitions, provided that a certain percentage thereof, to

be mutually agreed upon, shall be retained by the manager for payment of expenses and improving the grounds.

3.—That said manager shall keep correct and proper vouchers of every expenditure, and report the same monthly to the city auditor, who shall audit the same to see that they are proper and authentic, and the accounts of the manager are accurate and correct.

4.—That all improvements made shall be under the direction of the Mayor, and that he shall be consulted and his approval thereof obtained prior to the making thereof; and that in case of disagreement between the representatives of the various athletic clubs and the manager, the Mayor shall be the arbitrator, and his decision shall be final as between the parties, subject only to appeal to the City Council.

The report was adopted.

The committee on public grounds to whom was referred the petition of L. C. Shaw, asking that the city sell to him certain land, recommended that the prayer be not granted. Adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred the petition of Bennett & Bamberger, asking permission to sink an artesian well on third West Street, recommended that the same be granted.

The same committee, to whom were referred maps of Walker Bros., Cobb's and other subdivisions and additions, recommended that they be accepted. Adopted.

Alderman Webber moved that a notice of the

EXTENSION OF THE WATERWORKS

system on A and Second Streets, be published. Carried.

Alderman Pyper moved that the supervisor be authorized to furnish estimates of the cost of the extension. Carried.

On motion of Councilor Young, the city surveyor was instructed to prepare for the use of the Council, a map of the city, showing all public grounds and the water mains.

Alderman Pyper stated that while the

WARM SPRINGS

property might easily be made a very popular resort, it was now in an outrageous condition, and he offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the corporation cause to be erected upon the Warm Springs property, located in the Nineteenth Ward, the necessary buildings and bath houses, to properly accommodate the public, and make the same worthy the patronage of citizens and strangers; that for said purpose the committee on public grounds, with the mayor associated, are authorized and instructed to secure plans and specifications for the necessary buildings, said buildings to cost not to exceed \$20,000; that upon the adoption of plans by the City Council, said committee and mayor are authorized to advertise for and receive bids for the erection of said buildings, and shall let the work to the lowest responsible bidder; that the furnishing of plans, letting of contract and construction of buildings be proceeded with at the earliest practicable day.

The resolution was adopted.

The bill for an ordinance in relation to uniforming the police was taken up on its second reading. The style of uniform and badges to be worn was discussed, and the matter was finally referred back to the committee on police.

The bills for ordinances providing for the

CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS

and establishing sewer districts were read for the second time.

The resolution providing for the construction of a main sewer in Salt Lake City was read for the second time, and Mr. Sowles moved that it be taken up on its third reading.

Councilor Dooly was in favor of the immediate passage of the resolution, and thought that work ought to be commenced just as soon as possible.

Councilor Clark said that the printed bills had only been handed them that night, and for one, he was not sufficiently familiar with it to justify him in voting for its passage.

Alderman Pyper did not see the necessity for rushing the matter through. The bills had passed their second reading, and would come up in their regular order. He was of the opinion that Mr. Louie ought to be here before the work was actually begun. He was in favor of the bill, but was not prepared to vote for it until it had received further consideration.

Councilor Dooly said he did not wish to have the bill rushed through, but he did desire to have some progress made.

Councilor Sowles wished to see some action taken on the sewerage question. There was no reason for delay, and it would materially affect the growth of the city.

Councilor Roberts did not see the necessity of crowding the matter, and was willing to have it stand over for a week.

Councilor Sowles then withdrew his motion.

Councilor Young moved that when the Council adjourn, it be until Friday night. Carried.

J. N. Pike personally appeared and stated that he had tendered to the treasurer and recorder three-fourths of the cost of extending the water mains, in accordance with a petition granted by the City Council in 1884, and as these officials had refused to accept the money, he desired to know what action the Council proposed to take in the matter.

Recorder Wells stated the ordinance recently passed in relation to the extension of the water works system was in force at the time Mr. Pike made the tender, and that the gentleman also had a petition before the Council in relation to the matter, and it was for

those reasons that the money was not accepted.

On motion of Alderman Pyper, the action of the recorder and treasurer was sustained.

The bill of the Salt Lake City Gas Company for \$909.25 was allowed and the amount appropriated.

The Council then adjourned till Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

TOOLEE STAKE CONFERENCE.

The Quarterly Conference of Tooele Stake convened in Tooele City on Saturday and Sunday, the 28th and 29th of April, 1888.

On Saturday at 10 o'clock a.m., the conference was called to order by Pres. H. S. Gowans.

The presidency, with a number of the Bishops and leading men of the Stake, occupied the stand.

Elders L. Hale and Orson P. Bates and President H. S. Gowans occupied the time in an interesting and instructive manner, treating upon principles of the Gospel and reporting the favorable condition and standing of members and organizations in the places where they reside.

In the afternoon a number of the Bishops continued their reports, and offered remarks and exhortations as they were led. They were united in testifying to the marked improvement made in the faith and lives of the Latter-day Saints in the respective Wards where they reside.

On Sunday before the hour for meeting the spacious meeting house was filled to its capacity, and the Saints listened with strict attention to the consoling and edifying remarks and reports made by the brethren.

Elder S. W. Orme reported the Forty-third Quorum of Seventies alive and active. Six of its members are now in the missionary field, and quite a number are engaged as district teachers in the Sabbath school. They had acted upon the counsel given some years ago and secured a farm of 80 acres of land. Last year they realized from 15 acres of wheat sown, 320 bushels, having sufficient to supply the wants of missionaries' families and some 150 bushels now in the treasury. This year they have 25 acres in wheat and from present prospects they expect to realize something handsome.

Elder Eugene Woolley who had recently returned from a mission to the Southern States, to accompany a co-laborer who was dangerously sick to his home in Utah, gave an account of his labors and the customs and prejudices of the people. He expects to return in a few days to fulfil his mission.

In the afternoon of Sunday the statistical report of the Stake for the past three months was read by the clerk.

President H. S. Gowans presented the general authorities of the Church and the local officers of the Stake, all of whom were unanimously sustained. Elder Wm. Jeffries spoke favorably of the condition of the Sabbath schools throughout the Stake.

Councilor C. F. Anderson and President H. S. Gowans addressed the Conference, portraying the benefits and blessings of the Gospel.

The Tooele choir, under the leadership of Professor John Bowen, sang during the Conference a variety of choice selections prepared for the occasion.

GEORGE ATKIN, Clerk.

CORRESPONDENCE.

RIVERDALE, WEBER Co., Utah April 28th, 1888.

Editor Deseret News:

It does seem to me if there ever was a time when the words of Isaiah needed a literal application it is even so at the present time. "Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet and show my people their transgressions and the house of Jacob their sins." In another place he says: "I will call them my people who are not my people; cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet and show my people the Gentiles their Gospel transgression and the house of Jacob their sins."

What sins? Usury, lying, and alienating the possessions of the people of Zion.

"Cry aloud," I suppose means to publish. "Spare not," I suppose means not to mince the matter. "Lift up thy voice like a trumpet" means to send it all around after it is published.

The time is coming if not already come that every tub will have to stand on its own bottom. Though there be a Noah, a Daniel, or a Job, yet shall they deliver none but their own souls by their righteousness.

JOSEPH D. GOODALE.

A YOUNG man about 25 years of age, died on the Central Pacific train which arrived here Sunday morning, when about seven miles west of Ogden. His name was J. H. Hyder. He was given in charge of the city authorities, who telegraphed to his father in Maysville, Missouri (letters on his person giving the parent's address), as to what disposition of the body he desired. A telegram was received on Monday, requesting that the remains be respectfully interred in the Ogden Cemetery. In accordance with this dispatch, Undertaker Larkin prepared the body for the burial, which took place last Monday evening.—Ogden Standard.

BOX ELDER STAKE CONFERENCE.

The quarterly conference of Box Elder Stake was held in the Tabernacle at Brigham City, April 28th and 29th, 1888, President Rudgar Clawson presiding.

There was a fair attendance at the meetings on the 28th, the time of which was chiefly spent by Bishops in giving verbal reports of the condition of their respective wards, hearing testimony of the truth as revealed, and relating their experience in the Church.

The forenoon of the second day was partly occupied by presenting more reports, and by remarks made by Elder Ben E. Rich.

President Clawson offered some timely remarks on the object of our meeting in conference together, and exhorted the Saints to put away evil.

In the afternoon the sacrament was administered by the bishopric of the Second Ward.

Apostle Lorenzo Snow said that President Clawson had chosen his counselors, and on motion presented Adolphus Madsen as his First and Charles Kelly as his Second Counselor, both of whom were unanimously sustained.

President Clawson then presented the general authorities of the Church, and also the local authorities of the Stake. All were unanimously sustained.

Apostle Lorenzo Snow read a goodly portion of the seventeenth chapter of John, and occupied nearly an hour in speaking on the blessings of unity and oneness that Jesus prayed unto the Father, might rest upon His Apostles, and upon all who should believe on him through their word.

The choir sang an anthem. Benediction was offered, and conference adjourned for three months.

JAMES BYWATER, Clerk.

Maryland's "Smartest Nigger."

The following story is told by a gentleman well acquainted with the parties mentioned who can vouch for its authenticity. Each of two gentlemen, who owned adjoining farms in one of the counties, had a colored laborer working on his place. These men, who were named Tom and Bob respectively, were very light fingered and had the reputation of converting to their own special property anything they could carry from their neighbors. One day the two farmers met, and, by chance, the conversation turned upon the stealing propensities of their respective men. After some discussion one said: "I tell you Tom can steal more in one week than your Bob can in a month. He is the smartest nigger in the county."

"No, he can't," said the other gentleman, emptying his mouth of a huge quantity of tobacco. "There is no nigger in Maryland who can beat Bob stealing. He could take the buttons off a city policeman's coat, and the policeman wouldn't know there was anybody within a mile of him." "Yes there is," exclaimed Tom's champion excitedly. "Why, my Tom could steal a stick of wood from under your Bob and leave him sitting on the bark." Bob's defender was vanquished and had to give it up, and it was a week or more before he recovered sufficiently to proclaim again that he had "the smartest nigger in Maryland."

The Proper Way to Drink Milk.

"What did you drink?" asked the doctor.

"Nothing that could have made me sick, I am sure," replied the patient.

"Only a glass of milk."

"Did you drink it quickly?"

"No quicker than usual."

"I thought so. Now let me give you a word of advice. Many persons complain that they cannot drink milk without being 'distressed by it.' The most common reason why milk is not well borne is due to the fact that people generally drink it too quickly. If a glass of it is swallowed hastily it enters the stomach and then forms in one solid, curdled mass, difficult of digestion. If, on the other hand, the same quantity is sipped, and three minutes at least is occupied in drinking it, then on reaching the stomach, it is so divided that when coagulated, as it must always be by the gastric juice while digestion is going on, instead of being in one hard condensed mass, upon the outside of which only the digestive fluids can act, it is more in the form of a sponge, and in and out of the entire bulk the gastric juice can freely play and perform its function. Milk may be rendered more digestible and for many, of a more agreeable taste, if prepared by slowly adding a few drops of diluted hydrochloric acid to it, drop by drop, while stirring it at the same time. By this means the curd is broken up, and it is in a more favorable state to be acted upon by the digestive fluids. You follow my advice and you will have no more attacks of sickness such as the one you are troubled with today. Two dollars, please. Good day."

A GOOD EXAMPLE.—"That \$5 I loaned you some time ago, Fledgely," observed Robinson, "sets a good example to Christians."

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas W. Stephenson, deceased.

Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made.

ALICE N. STEPHENSON, THE ADMINISTRATRIX of the Estate of Thomas W. Stephenson, deceased, having filed her petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent, appear before the said Probate Court, on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1888, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of said Probate Court, at the County Court House, in the City and County of Salt Lake, Utah Territory, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix, to sell so much of the real estate of the said decedent at private sale as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the DESERET WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and published in said City and County.

Dated April 19th, 1888. [SEAL.] ELIAS A. SMITH, Probate Judge.

TERRITORY OF UTAH, COUNTY OF SALT LAKE, ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of order appointing time and place to hear petition for order of sale of real estate in the matter of the estate of Thomas W. Stephenson, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of [SEAL.] said Court, this 19th day of April, A. D. 1888. JOHN C. CUTLER, Probate Clerk.