

THEY HESITATE ON ANNEXATION

Residents of County South of City
Limits Fear Neglect From
The Council.

EXPERIENCE WAS COSTLY.

Other Suburban Districts Were Shut
Off From Lights and Road Repair
On Joining Salt Lake.

A plan to boost Salt Lake City's area by annexing the large tract of land between Tenth South and Twelfth South streets, and running west from the State prison to the Jordan river, was launched at a meeting of property owners held last night at the Commercial club.

The movement, however, was not boosted through, but received a serious set back in the form of speeches opposing it, for the reason that the city had not made good any of the promises made when other tracts gave up projected county improvements to share in what they thought would be better city improvements.

The fact that the water mains and sewer connections have never been brought to the present city limits, and that the people between Ninth and Tenth South streets west of State are struggling along without sidewalks and electric lights, while just over the border the county illumines the streets and cares for the roads, was used as a decisive argument against annexation. Also the fact was mentioned that dangerous railroad crossings on the city property at Tenth South street were not lighted, and that in the Waterloo district annexation had only meant the shutting off of all county lights without the substitution of any others, or the building of either water mains or sewers.

NOT ENTHUSIASTIC.

Added to these arguments based on the experience of other tracts that had experienced with becoming the borderland of a city government not organized to deliver benefits to the people in return for their taxes, was the further item that it would increase the property tax about 12 per cent, and this finally prevailed in setting a general opinion against the move at this time. An adjournment was finally taken, however, because many of the friends of the movement should in the meantime muster courage to attempt to talk annexation again, another big meeting will be held.

The speeches against annexation were not radically opposed to city extension, but were in favor of waiting to make the move until the city did something for the country to the north of Tenth South and east of State, that is already in the city limits and is totally neglected. Just as on State street, the problem of the driver is to come from his team to yank and pull till it gets his vehicle through to the place where the county takes charge of the highway, so on West Temple street, and other westerly streets, it is a long fought out problem to drive through the city to the country precincts, where the roads receive normal attention, and where driving becomes possible. The unique situation was therefore presented last night of refusing to be annexed to the city until the county is making improvements.

SEEMS EXPERIENCE.

The people in that district have petitioned for a sewer many times, and despite the fact that they have paid city taxes for years, the water mains remain right where they were stopped over a decade ago, just below Ninth South street on West Temple, while the price of joining the city was to have all street illumination cut out, and the roads sink into an unprecedented state of unrepair. A fear of extending the area of neglect was what most gravitated against a change.

At the meeting last night there were present about 50 taxpayers. Addison Cain was elected chairman and L. M. Cannon secretary. W. A. Smoot, who helped to lay out the town in early days, spoke in favor of annexation on the grounds that it would give better water service and improve the roads, as well as possibly doing away with cesspools in certain parts of the districts.

Samuel Russell opposed annexation just at this time on the grounds that the city had brought no benefits to other districts recently annexed, and that it would be well to wait until such benefits became in evidence, before giving up county jurisdiction.

John F. Howells spoke along the same line, as did a number of others, and on a final vote it was decided to postpone action for one week, the next meeting to be held Friday evening, April 12.

The district to be annexed if the people are willing, embraces all territory north of Twelfth South street that is not already within the city limits. It includes about 8,000 people and property valued at about \$1,000,000. The city limits now go to Twelfth South, with a number of blocks running east from State street.

HOTEL GOSSIP.

Warren Cox and wife of St. George are in the city, registered at the Wilson. Mr. Cox is here on a business trip. He reports a great deal of bad weather and storms, which has blown down in Dixie, but the fruit trees are in bloom and the garden stuff is all up and doing well. "The roads are in very bad shape," said Mr. Cox, "and it is about as much as one cares to undertake to make the trip at this time of year. The first 65 miles from St. George to Modena are made via team, and the drive is a hard one. Prospects are better for the southern part of the state than ever before, however, and money is being made, and times are better, I believe, than ever experienced in the history of St. George. Mining interests are looking up, and the new house people are working their properties. 18 miles from St. George, on a bond and are finding lots of good copper ore. One Utah and Eastern Mining company capitalized at \$2,000,000, has built a \$250,000 road to the mines, and is working out full blast. A new hospital is being built, a new steel bridge is being constructed over the Rio Virgin river, for which the people are duty grateful to the legislature and Senators Miller and Representative Cottam, for the liberal appropriation for the building of this bridge and other improvements. The people are generally prosperous, and about 15 others came up on the same train we came on."

H. J. Wells of Oakley, Idaho, is at the Metropole. "Cassia county is coming to the front," said Mr. Wells. "Heretofore the main industries of that locality have been stockraising and ranching, but agriculture and mining are now becoming prominent factors in the development of the country." This is Mr. Wells' first trip to Salt Lake for some time, and he was much pleased to note the growth of the city since his last visit.

Ferdinand Erickson and wife of Minneapolis, Utah, are registered at the Metropole.

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Metropole. Mr. Erickson is judge of the Seventh judicial district comprising Sanpete county.

E. T. McGinness of Detroit, Mich., is at the Kenyon. Mr. McGinness has extensive business interests in the Michigan metropolis and has to cross the river into Canada very often. Detroit is the last American city through which shipments from the states pass before reaching Canada and, in the case of lumber, in which Mr. McGinness is interested, a manifest of each carload, containing a description of the kind of lumber, number of feet, and value of the carload must be handed to the Canadian authorities before the shipment will be allowed to go through. "Another interesting point is this," he said, "lumber in the rough will be admitted from the states into Canada free of duty, but every planed board is considered to be a manufactured product, and is taxed. Planing mill machinery is just as cheap in Canada as here and lumber is shipped there rough and surfaced after it gets there."

F. S. Gooley of Portland, Ore., is at the Wilson. "Portland is prospering as never before," said Mr. Gooley, today. "All the knockers dolefully predicted that when the exposition closed in 1905, Portland would take a back seat; but not so. There was 25 per cent more business done in the six months last year than during a like period the year before while the fair was on. The city has purchased the beautiful forestry building for a permanent museum."

Representative W. H. Maughan of Wellsville, Cache county, is at the Metropole. Mr. Maughan was one of the level headed men on the floor of the house, and helped to intersperse variety in the proceedings by now and then moving the "serious question."

Col. G. G. Wright of Idaho Falls is in the city on a business trip. He reports that the falls are very promising. Three Billings, Mont., parcels recently invested \$125,000 in Idaho Falls properties, representing \$10 per front foot for residence properties to \$200 per front foot for business properties. Considerable real estate is changing hands.

P. W. Ross of St. Anthony, Ida., is at the Kenyon. "Fremont county is booming," said Mr. Ross, and St. Anthony gets her share. "We are expecting a larger park travel this year than ever. The Short Line certainly made a good stroke when it passed the line under a travel through that section to the Yellowstone has certainly been a winner during the summer season. Then we have a coal mine 30 miles away from us in the Teton country, and this prevented a fuel famine last winter. The mine is being operated by local people at present, but I understand a large eastern company with unlimited capital has an eye on the mine and will not doubt buy it. I understand they expect to move a ton of coal. But the coal is there, and the people have been using it right along."

Arthur Nelson and Bord Bernard are registered at the White House from Sulna.

J. W. Howard of Cleveland, Ohio, is in the city, a guest of the Knutsford. Mr. Howard is sort of a lucky chap. He had no sooner stepped into the hotel when his foot came in contact with a valuable gold chain and locket lying on the doorstep. Inquiry revealed the fact that a lady guest of the hotel had lost the locket, and was mourning its loss when Mr. Howard returned it to her. Next thing Mr. Howard did was to step into an elevator in one of our big buildings, and pick up an abstract to a piece of property which was lying in the lobby unobserved. He gave the document to the elevator boy, instructing him to try and find its owner.

A Raymond Wilcomb excursion party of 75 people arrived last night from San Francisco six hours late, and registered at the Knutsford. They will resume their eastbound journey this evening.

COLLEGE BOY

Fond of Doughnuts and Pie, but Could Not "Keep in the Game" On Such Food.

One good thing about modern college athletics is that the young fellows learn some sense about food and what it is really for.

A thing may taste good, but may not be the thing to make clear brains, elastic muscles and good wind.

A Michigan boy went in for sport, but soon found that there was something wrong with his food. He writes: "During my school days I was fond of out-of-door sports and excelled in nearly every game that I entered. It was just at my greatest growing period and I was springing up like a vine."

"The food I ate that soon proved to be unfit to sustain my growth and hard mental and physical work. I relished and ate pastry and used to eat hot doughnuts by the half-dozen. I had starchy and greasy food pretty much all the time."

"Soon I became so weak I would have to eat during the middle of the night before I could go to sleep. I had starved because the undigested food eaten never became absorbed for strength."

"My body was calling for nourishment that it could not get from the kind of food I ate. My stomach pained me and specialists pronounced my case severe intestinal indigestion."

"I tried everything imaginable in the way of different foods, but without avail. Finally I hit on Grape-Nuts, which I began to eat and relish, three times a day. Soon my stomach and bowels set all right and my natural sleep returned. Now I am hard at work every day and sound in health, which I owe largely to the advice in 'The Road to Wellville,' the little book in the package. Named by Postum Cereal Co., Battle Creek, Mich. 'There's a reason.'"

TWO CONTRACTS ARE NOW APPROVED

City Council Meets as Committee
Of Whole and Passes on
Them.

STREET PAVING REPAIRS.

Druggists Appear Before License Committee and Submit an Amended Ordinance in Regard to Liquor Sales.

The city council met last night as a committee of the whole and considered the contracts of the successful bidders on public improvements for this year as submitted for approval by the board of public works. Only two of the contracts were approved, namely, that of P. J. Moran for repairs to street paving, and that of Gustaf & Burt for the construction of all stone crosswalks for \$2,440. The contracts on sidewalks, sewer and water extensions were referred back to the board of public works with instructions to secure the consent of the contractors and their sureties to the amendments made by the city attorney to conform to the new scrip law passed by the recent legislature. The attorney made the amendments in the contracts, but it was deemed advisable to have the contractors and their sureties consent to the same before the council approves them. This will be done and the contracts submitted for approval on Monday night.

DRUGGISTS' LICENSES.

A committee representing the druggists appeared before the license committee last night and submitted an amended ordinance in regard to the liquor license to be paid by druggists. The ordinance requires a liquor license of \$400 per year from all druggists within the area bounded by South Temple, West Temple, Third South and State streets, and all outside of that district are required to pay a liquor license of \$200 per year. It is not compulsory upon the druggists to take out the license unless they choose to conduct a liquor business. The new ordinance met with the approval of the committee and will be recommended for passage at the meeting of the council on Monday night.

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