CITY ENGINEER'S COSTLY ERRORS

Couple of Blunders Which Place "American" Administration Deeper in the Hole.

FEW THOUSAND INVOLVED.

Never Allowed for Hilly Condition on Northeast Bench—Watermains That Will Freeze up in Winter.

Both the engineering and waterworks committees of the city council at their meetings last night severely criticized the work of the engineering department of the city for what they termed very costly errors. Error No. 1 was brought out by the engineering committee when it considered the estimate of sewer contractor, James Kennedy, amounting to $11,456.97 for extra depth of the sewer trenches in the northeastern part of the city. In his bid on the contract, Kennedy figured on an average depth of 10 feet as set forth in the estimate of the engineer. Owing to the hilly condition of that section of the city the trenches had to be 20 feet deep in some places, hence the additional cost.

It appears that the engineering department followed the figures in other sewer extensions without allowing for the hills and the extra depth at all, with the result that the city will have to pay the additional cost of the improvement which when completed will amount to fully $15,000. The committee took occasion to criticise Engineer Kelsey who was not present for the figures of his department and decided that the property owners can not be made to pay for the blunders of the administration. The estimated cost of the extension was figured at 70 cents per front foot, the same as extensions in any other part of the city and the special tax was levied upon that estimate. In order to meet the deficit the property owners would have to be taxed at least 25 cents a foot more which is a matter which even the strongest supporter of the administration hasn't the heart to ask. It was therefore decided that the sewer fund of the city will have to stand the additional cost.

MAINS CLOSE TO SURFACE.

Error No. 2 was discovered by the waterworks committee when its attention was called to the fact that the new watermain intersections being installed on Second avenue were only about a foot below the surface of the street when it is graded according to plans prepared for macadamizing. Several of the councilmen contended that the water would freeze in the pipes at such a depth as that and declared that the expenditure of $8,000 for that work was simply throwing the money away.

It was planned some time ago to relay the water pipes on the avenue before it was macadamized but the council decided that it could not do so at the time but it did authorize the laying of new mains at the intersections of the avenue so that the macadam would not have to be torn up when the city got ready to put in the new mains as they could be laid along the curb without disturbing the macadam. The work was to cost $8,000 but Percival refused to put in the intersections alone for the reason that he had bid on the contract as a whole an not in pieces like that and if compelled to put them in without the other mains he would lose money on it.

HE WENT RIGHT AHEAD.

The committee decided to let the matter rest for the time but it seems that through some misunderstanding the engineer went ahead and had the work done. This will mean almost a total loss as both the intersections and the mains along the avenue will have to be relaid at greater depth. Contractor Moran declares that he will not wait for the city to lay the mains, which means that the macadam will have to be torn up when the work is done and thus making it cost much more. Councilmen Mulvey and Tuddenham were very much worked up over the matter and censured the engineering department severely. The matter was finally referred to the city engineer for investigation and he will probably have several explanations to make to the committee at its next meeting.

M'GURRIN'S GRIEVANCE.

F. E. McGurrin appeared before the streets committee in regard to being prevented from building sidewalks in front of buildings being constructed by the Salt Lake Security & Trust company on Ninth avenue between C and D streets. The company is spending about $75,000 in improvements on its property and started to lay sidewalks, but as they interfered with the irrigation ditch along the street the street department ordered the work stopped. The matter will be investigated by the city engineer before the committee decides what will be done.

"SKYSCRAPER" PERMITS.

That the building ordinance of the city is being violated frequently was discovered at the meeting of the municipal laws committee. It seems that permits have been issued by City Building Inspector Gamble for the construction of two shacks, one at 305 State street and the other at 334 State street. Both buildings are one-story wooden and sheetiron structures and are eyesores to the business district. Fernstrom introduced a resolution two weeks ago instructing the building inspector and fire chief to order the buildings removed. The owners appeared before the committee last night with their attorney, A. R. Barnes, and protested against any such action on the part of the council. Permits for the buildings were produced and a plea was made for the retention of the buildings until the leases expired one year hence. The matter will probably rest until that time but in the future the building inspector will be held strictly to account for the kind of structures for which permits are issued and no shacks will be permitted, especially in the business district.

FRAZIER REALLY CROSS.

City Food Inspector Frazier was rather angry last night owing to the failure of the municipal laws committee to consider his new food ordinance, which is drawn in accordance with the new state food laws. At present the old ordinance is ineffective on account of the changes in the state law and Mr. Frazier declares that he has a number of violations of the law to prosecute but cannot do anything until the new ordinance is passed. He intimated that unless the council did something in the matter soon he would resign his office.

HOTEL GOSSIP.

Ex-Gov. William J. McConnell arrived from Idaho last evening, and registered at the Wilson. He expresses a belief that the political enemies of Senator Borah may get him indicted by the grand jury on account of the actions of timber companies for whom the senator is attorney, although he had taken no lands himself, or any of his family. Gov. McConnell infers that the United States district attorney is Senator Borah's enemy. He thinks Senator Heyburn will be reelected when his present term expires, as he has made a creditable record and there is no reason why he should be retired; also, that Gov. Gooding will not serve a third term as governor, and couldn't get it, if he wanted it. Gov. McConnell favors a second elective term for President Roosevelt as the latter is a fearless man. As to Orchard, the governor says no gallows in Idaho is too high to hang him on; no man who has made his admissions should be granted any immunity. Some one must have been paying Orchard's expenses; but whether it was Haywood, or some one else, is for the jury to decide. Gov. McConnell is operating mining claims on Lost river in Custer county, and is a leader of the Republican party in Idaho.

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S. Jurecka, a Philippine merchant, and Manuel Tiana, a Philippine boy, are at the Kenyon en route east. Sr. Jurecka is in this country to sell pearls and hemp, while the youth is here to study law at the Ohio Wesleyan university. The former reports the natives as very anxious to learn, so that those who can scrape up the money intend coming to the United States to study, and he believes that educating the Filipinos will do more than anything else to quench the spirit of insurrection. But capital is needed to develop the natural resources of the islands. Quite a number of American planters have gone into rubber and hemp growing, and are doing well at it.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Among the delightful affairs of the week was the tea given by Mrs. William Lindstrom, covers being laid for about a half dozen. The parlor was done in white and green while sweet peas and roses adorned the dining room. Those present were Mrs. Geo. G. Cannon, Mrs. William Bywater, Mrs. R. Smith and Mrs. E. B. Busath.

Mrs. E. B. Busath entertained on Thursday afternoon in honor of the Ladies' quartet, a very pleasant time was spent with music and other pastimes.

Mrs. J. A. Edwards and family will leave today for Garland, Utah, to spend a month's vacation.

City Treasurer Frank Swenson left this morning for a visit of several days to his ranch in Wyoming.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Zimmerman have moved to their new residence at 410 First avenue, and will be home to their friends after June 26.

Dr. A. C. Behle has returned from Atlantic City where he attended the annual convention of the American Medical association.

Hyrum H. Syndegaard has returned from a course of study in the Y. M. C. A. training school at Chicago, and is now office secretary at the Salt Lake Y. M. C. A.

Hugh L. Thomas, formerly of the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company, passed through Salt Lake yesterday and spent some time shaking hands with old friends.

WARD ENTERTAINMENTS

Twentieth Ward—A farewell entertainment will be tendered Willard H. Reynolds, prior to his departure to perform a mission in Germany. The event will take place on the evening of Tuesday, June 25, at the Twentieth ward amusement hall, and the following program will be rendered:

Piano solo, Miss Mae Hawley; solo, Miss Millie Williams; recitation, Miss Vida Fox; tenor solo, James A. Snedden; comic sketch, John James; bass solo, Alexander Crawford; piano selection, Miss Bianca Tesch; some sleight-of-hand, Henry Barker; recitation, Harold Goff; soprano solo, Miss Eleanor Jenson; serio, comic song, Nicol Hood; bass solo, Alvin Keddington; remarks, W. H. Reynolds; ladies' double quartet, Misses Marie Barlow, Sarah Romney, Katharine Smith, Vera and Grace McDonald, Margaret Romney, Genevieve James and Gertrude Romney; accompanist, Miss Jennie V. Romney.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Estate of Elizabeth Bouck, Deceased. The undersigned will sell at public auction, 2 shares of Zion's Co-operative Mercantile Institution and the following described real estate situate in Salt Lake City and County, State of Utah, to-wit: The south half of lot 4, block 99, plat "A," Salt Lake City survey, consisting of 160 square rods of land, at 12 o'clock noon on the 27th day of June, 1907, at the west door of the City and County Building, Salt Lake City, Utah, for cash, 10 per cent on day of sale, balance on confirmation.

JOHN F. BOUCK,
Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Bouck, Deceased.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1907.

NOTICE.

TRAPPER MINING COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given, that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Trapper Mining Company will be held at No. 14 North Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah, at 2 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, the 23rd day of July, 1907, for the purpose of electing a board of five (5) directors from whom shall be chosen a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, and to trasnact any such other business as shall lawfully come before the meeting.

A. E. HYDE,
President of the Trapper Mining Company.
Dated June 13, 1907.

PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP NOTICES.

Consult County Clerk or respective signers for further information.

In the District Court for Salt Lake County, State of Utah. In the matter of the estate of Daniel Lunn, Deceased. The undersigned will sell at private sale the following described property, located at the southeast corner of Fourteenth South and County Road, Mill Creek, Salt Lake County, Utah, viz.: Commencing 78.7 rods east and 50 rods north from the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 28, township 1 south, range 1 east, Salt Lake Meridian; running then north 8.2 rods; thence west 16.9 rods; thence north 12.2 rods to County Road; thence west on County Road 23½ rods; thence south 16 degrees east on County Road 23⅛ rods; thence east 35 rods to place of beginning. Also three shares of the capital stock of the Lower Mill Creek Irrigation Company; on or after Wednesday, the 3rd day of July, 1907, and written bids will be received at the residence of the undersigned in said Mill Creek, near said premises.

Terms of sale: Ten per cent down and balance on the confirmation of the sale.

DAVID LUNN,
Administrator with the Will annexed of said estate.
Dated June 22, 1907.
Daniel Harrington, Attorney for said Estate.

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NOTICE.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Salmon River Mining Company, a Utah corporation, will be held at the office of said company, room 44, Commercial Block, Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 29th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the following purposes, to-wit:

1. To consider and pass upon the question of amending Article 2 of the Articles of Incorporation of said company, so that the same as amended shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 2.

The objects for which this corporation is formed are to purchase, own and acquire in any manner, mining and other property, to engage in and carry on the business of developing mines containing gold, silver, copper, iron and other metals, ores and minerals, and mining, smelting, reducing, refining, milling and manufacturing the same and each and every product thereof; buying, locating, selling and otherwise trafficing and dealing in mines and the matters and things aforesaid; leasing, buying, locating and otherwise acquiring, erecting, operating, maintaining, letting, selling and otherwise disposing of mines, mills, smelters, reineries, manufacturies, plants, businesses, good will, and all rights, franchises and privileges in connection therewith; leasing, buying, locating, selling and otherwise disposing of mineral and other lands, mines, claims, mining rights, water rights, properties, and appurtenances; acquiring, operating and maintaining and disposing of storage, transportation and all other facilities and conveniences whatsoever and wheresoever in connection with any of the purposes herein referred to; acting as financial, commercial and general agent for any and all other corporations and individuals whomsoever and whersoever in the conduct of its or their business; and engaging in all business and undertakings in any way growing out of or concerning or relating to any of the objects or purposes herein specified, or in any way developing the metal, ores and mineral industries and the products thereof; purchasing or otherwise acquiring and holding and selling or otherwise disposing of the property or the capital stock or stocks and bonds or other securities of any company or companies owning, manufacturing or producing materials or other property necessary for the business of this company; issuing to and receiving from others as consideration and purchasing the stocks, bonds, securities, or obligations of this company or of the vendors, lessors or other parties as the case may be and selling or otherwise disposing of the same; issuing bonds, debentures or obligations of this company from time to time for any of the objects or purposes of this company and securing the same by mortgage or mortgages on any or all of its property, rights, privileges and franchises wheresoever situated, acquired and to be acquired, and selling or otherwise disposing of the same, and in general to carry on any other business in connection therewith whether mining or otherwise with all the powers conferred by the aforesaid Acts of the Legislature of the State of Utah, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

The objects of this article shall not be limited by reference to or inference from the terms of any other articles, clause, paragraph or provision in this certificate contained.

2. To consider and pass upon the question of amending Article 3 of the Articles of Incorporation of said company so that said article as amended shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 3.

The place of the general business of this corporation shall be at the City of Salt Lake and State of Utah; but the Board of Directors may establish and maintain business offices at such other place or places without the State of Utah at its discretion as it may see fit, and meetings of the Board of Directors may be held at such offices so established with the same power and effect as if such meetings were held and the business transacted thereat was transacted by the Board at the general office of the company at Salt Lake City, Utah.

3. To consider and pass upon the question of amending Article 4 of the Articles of Incorporation of said company so that said article as amended shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 4.

The limit of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Five Hundred Thousand ($500,000) Dollars, divided into five hundred thousand (500,000) shares of the par value of one ($1) dollar each.

4. To consider and pass upon the question of amending Articles 6 of the Articles of Incorporation of said company so that the same as amended shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 6.

The forty-nine thousand two hundred and thirty (49,230) shares of the capital stock of said company now remaining in said treasury and the increase in the number of shares of the capital stock of this company consisting of two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) shares is hereby declared to be the property of said corporation and to constitute treasury stock, and to be disposed of at such time or times, in such amounts, and at such price, or in exchange for such property or property interests as may be determined upon by the Board of Directors.

5. To consider and pass upon the question of amending Article 8 of the Articles of Incorporation of said company, by adding thereto the following provision:

"Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the office of said company in Salt Lake City, Utah, on the first Tuesday of each and every calendar month at 3 o'clock p. m. without notice being given of the holding of such meetings, and all business properly coming before such meetings may be transacted thereat.

"Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called at any time by the president or any two members of the Board of Directors to be held either at the general office of the company in Salt Lake City, Utah, or at such other office without the State of Utah as may be established by said Board of Directors.

"Ten days written notice of the holding of special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be given by the president, or any two directors, to each of the members of the Board of Directors in person, or by mailing a notice thereof to each of said directors at their last known place of business or residence stating the object and purpose of such meeting; and no business shall be transacted at any such meeting except that which is stated in the call or notice thereof, and the Board of Directors may adjourn any meeting, regular or special, from day to day or from time to time and reconvene and finish any uncompleted or new business without giving further notice of such adjourned meeting.

"The time for the giving of notice for the holding of special directors' meetings shall begin to run, in case of the mailing of the notice thereof, from the day of the mailing of such notice.

"The Board of Directors are hereby given power to appoint an executive committee from among their number to consist of two members, one of whom shall be the president of said company, and said committee shall, when so constituted, be vested with the power to transact the usual and ordinary business of said corporation when said Board of Directors are not in session.

"The Board of Directors may mortgage, sell, or otherwise dispose of any or all of the property of said corporation, whether real or personal, without any ratification of their act for so doing by the stockholders of the company, provided the directors voting for such sale, mortgage or disposition of said property own as shown by the books of the company at least a majority of the stock of said company issued and outstanding."

6. To consider and pass upon the question of amending Article 10 of the Articles of Incorporation of said company so that the same when amended shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 10.

The annual meetings of the stockholders of said corporation for the election of directors and for the transaction of any and all other business that shall lawfully come before them shall be held at the office of said company at Salt Lake City, Utah, at 3 o'clock p. m. on the second Wednesday in June of each year, and no notice of the holding of such meetings need be given.

Special meetings of the stockholders may be called by the president at his own volition or when requested so to do by two directors, or by stockholders representing a majority of the stock issued and outstanding; he shall likewise call such special meeting by the giving of at least 10 days written notice to each stockholder of record in person or by mailing a copy thereof to the last known place of business or residence of each stockholder, stating the object and purpose of the meeting in general terms and no business shall be transacted at any such special meeting except that which is stated in the notice thereof. The time for the giving of such notice, in case the same is mailed, shall begin to run from the date of the mailing thereof.

The transfer books of the company shall be closed for 10 days next preceding all meetings of the stockholders, whether general or special, and for a like time preceding the payment of any dividends which may be declared upon the capital stock of the company.

A representation of the majority of the capital stock of the corporation shall be necessary to legally hold said meetings, as well as all stockholders' meeting, either general or special. The directors shall be elected by ballot and the persons receiving the majority of the votes of the stockholders cast at said meeting shall be held and declared to be elected as directors.

Each stockholder shall be entitled to as many votes as he holds shares of stock in his name on the books of the company and representation by proxy, duly created in writing, shall be allowed. Such authority in writing must previously be filed with the secretary of the company, and shall be left in his possession.

It is provided that a failure to hold any annual meeting or any general meeting of the stockholders of this corporation at the day appointed for the same, shall not forfeit nor in any way interfere with the corporate rights acquired under this agreement, but any such meeting may be held at any subsequent time upon giving ten days' notice thereof in the manner hereinbefore provided.

7. To consider and pass upon the question of amending the Articles of Incorporation of said company by inserting therein an article to be known as "Article 15" to read as follows:

ARTICLE 15.

Any stockholder or other person entitled to notice of a meeting may waive the service or giving of such notice by signing a written waiver thereof and upon such waiver due and sufficient notice shall be deemed to have been given to such person of the holding of any such meeting.

8. To consider and pass upon the question of ratifying and adopting all the acts of the Directors and Officers of this corporation performed up to the date of the holding of said meeting.

9. To consider and pass upon the question of purchasing from James McGregor the following described mining claim in the Bay Horse Mining District, Custer County, Idaho, to-wit:

All of the Lincoln, West Point, Grant, Sheridan, W. T. Sherman, Blaine and Jefferson lode mining claims, and an undivided seven-eighth (⅞) interest in and to the Jackson lode mining claim; said claims above mentioned being U. S. Survey No. 1147 and to pay the said James McGregor in full consideration for said transfer one hundred ninety-nine thousand two hundred and thirty (199,230) shares of the treasury stock of this corporation created through the amendment of the Articles of Incorporation thereof.

JAMES McGREGOR,
President.
HUGH ANDERSON,
Secretary,
Of Salmon River Mining Company.

NOTICE.

SALMON RIVER MINING COMPANY. A special meeting of the stockholders of the Salmon River Mining Company, a Utah corporation, will be held at the office of said company, Room 44 Commercial Block, Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 29th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of electing a board of directors, consisting of five members, for the ensuing year.

Dated June 8, 1907.

JAMES McGREGOR, President.
HUGH ANDERSON, Secretary.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Proposals for Printing and Binding the "Compiled Laws of Utah, 1907."

In accordance with the provisions of Section 5, Chapter 2, Laws of Utah, 1907, the State Board of Examiners of the State of Utah, will receive proposals for printing, in one volume, four thousand (4,000) copies of the "Compiled Laws of Utah, 1907," and for the binding of three thousand (3,000) copies thereof.

Bids for printing to be per page, and binding per volume.

Bidders will be permitted to make proposals for printing only, or binding only.

All material and work to be in accordance with specifications on file in the office of Hon. James T. Hammond, member of Compilation Commission, No. 215-216 McCornick Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

All work to be completed within the time required in the specifications.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the bid to be held upon condition that upon the award of the contract the bidder will faithfully and promptly execute a good and sufficient bond, payable to the state, with two sureties, to be approved by said board conditioned that he will perform the work for which he has contracted under such rules and regulations as the board may prescribed, and for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids must be sealed and endorsed "Bids for printing (or binding) Compiled Laws, 1907," and must be deposited with the secretary of the board, room 151, City and County Building, on or before 12 o'clock noon, July 8th, 1907, at which hour the bids will be opened.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the State Board of Examiners.

C. S. TINGEY,
Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

STATE LAND BOARD RESERVOIR and Irrigation Project.—Sealed proposals will be received by the State Board of Land Commissioners at its office, City and County Building, Salt Lake City, Utah, up to 2 o'clock p. m., Tuesday July 2, 1907, for furnishing the material and constructing a reservoir-dam and spillway on the Sevier River near Hatch town, Garfield County, Utah; and also for a canal with all appurtenances, for the irrigation of a tract of land known as the Panguitch Bench. The dam is to be of the type known as "an earthen dam with puddled core," and will contain approximately 100,000 cubic yards of fill, 5,000 cubic feet reinforced concrete and 24,000 cubic feet stone masonry. Canal will be 12 feet wide on the bottom and approximately 93,500 feet long, including approximately 300 linear feet of lumber flume on timber trestles with concrete abutments and footings.

Bids will be received for the work complete or for the work in sections as contained on the sheet of proposals in the office of the State Board of Land Commissioners, a copy of which may be had on application.

All proposals must be addressed to the Secretary of the State Board of Land Commissioners, Salt Lake City, Utah, and must contain a certified check made payable to the said secretary in amount equal to ten per cent of the amount of the bid.

Plans may be seen and specifications including blank form for proposals may be procured at the following places: Office of the Secretary of the State Board of Land Commissioners, Salt Lake City, Utah; office of the State Engineer, Salt Lake City, Utah; office of Jenson and McLaughlin, Engineers, Agricultural College, Logan, Utah.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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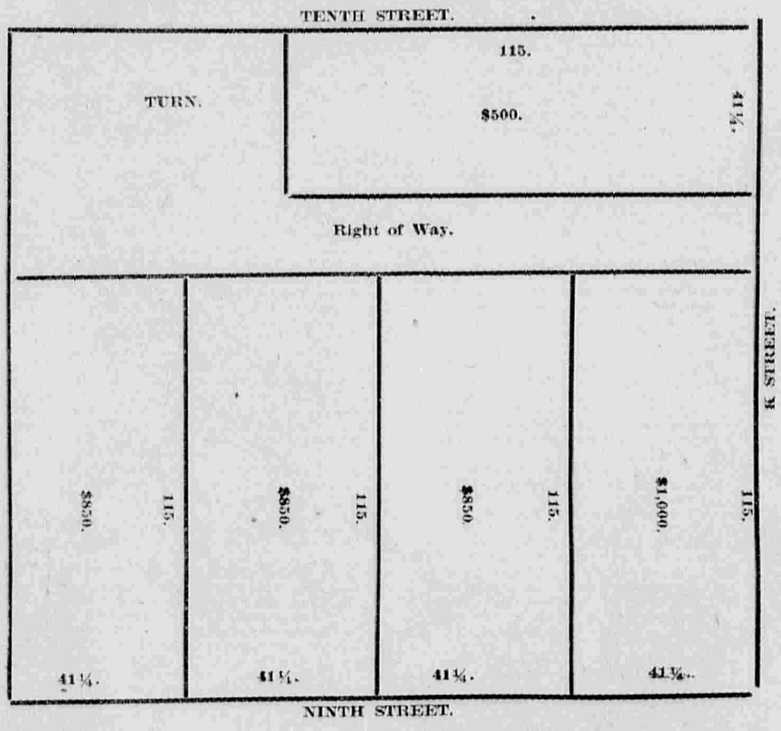

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