

City Council Acted on the Proposition Last Night.

VOTE WAS ELEVEN TO FOUR

Preliminary Step in Donating the Park to Railroad Taken After stubborn Rebate.

At the meeting of the City Council last night the rules were suspended and the ordinance vacating Pioneer Square as a public park was read the third time and adopted. This preliminary step to granting the property to the Los Angeles rallway was not taken un. til those present had participated in one of the hottest fights that the Council chamber has seen. All fifteen of the members were present on the occasion and all took a hand in the proceedings. President Buckle left the chair and a stated intervals led the fight against the proposed measure. All kinds of tac. tics were indulged in by those present in order to gain their point, and the discussion at times waxed extremely acrimonious. Those who participated in the debate further, at times, did not hesitate to call a spade "a spade." when the discussion reached a tropi cal temperature. The war of words raged for the space of two hours and a half, and then the vote on the pasa han, and then the tote on it. Ayes-sage of the ordinance stood: Ayes-Beatty, Cottrell, Davis, Hartenstein, Hewlet, C. R. Howe, Edgar Howe, Reid, Hohertson, Thomas, Whittemore -11. Noes-Buckle, Canning, Fern-strom, Tuddenham-4.

Before this result had been attained. C. R. Howe was charged with making unfair rulings. Whittemore also came in for the same accusation during the time that he occupied the chair while Buckle was leading the minority upon the floor of the chamber. Cottrell was further accused of breaking faith with his constituents in the Second precinct. United States Attorney Whittemore also came in for a banner share of the sarcastic compliments that surcharged the atmosphere of the chamber at stated intervals. It was a stubborn fight on the part

of the minority, which was beaten early in the evening. The quartet, however, did not propose to submit without a struggle, and accordingly, indulged in filibustering tactics for the balance of the session, with the idea and hope of eventually tiring out the majority and converting some of their opponents ere the proposed ordinance was ultimately voted upon.

The trouble started from the first just as soon as the report of the committee submitting the report had been read. Whittemore promptly moved that the report be adopted, whereupon Buckle, calling C. R. Howe to the chair, pro-

the chair while Buckle made another argument. During the course of his re-marks he spake along the lines pre-viously indulged in by Fernstrom and directing his remarks to United States Attorney C. O. Whittemore, who sat among the spectators, saidi "My col-leagues of the majority have not found out that it is inexpedient to continue this sector as a while each world after this square as a public park until afte a gentleman went to Los Angeles to b ained and feted. He said to his friend down there: 'You come to Sait Lak nd we'll give you Liberty Park. We and we'll give you bloerty rark, we wen't stop at Pioner Square." Then the other side gained recogni-tion and Dr. Beatty proceeded to make a clear argument in favor of the vaca-tion of the square and giving it to the railroad company. He sold that he ob-jected to the stand that was being tak-base of the square and sold that he obtion." en by some of his colleagues and said that in his opinion the gentlemen of the ninority claimed to have a monopoly the conscience in the Council, Beattlon." 404. ty thought that it was in every sense to the best interests of the city that the square should be vacated. C. R. Howe followed Dr. Beatty. He, too, made a lucid argument in favor of the granting of the debatable prop-erty and proceeded to advance arguments in favor of the proposition. Buckle interrupted at stated intervals with the result that he was told to keep his talk to himself. Then Cottrell Special Correspondence. loved a point of order to the effect that Howe was not keeping to the sub-ject under discussion, and threatened to home if the council did not come own to After half an hour's more debate pro and con, Bickle moved to strike out the nacting clause of the ordinance. This motion followed in the wake of the thers propounded by the councilman from the First and another long debate was the sequel during which the chair-Hunter, man pro ten threatened to throw his gavel at Canning if he did not sit down, his little attention on the part of "hittemore brought a dare from Can-ing with a threat of a "rough house" Melville such extreme measures were resort-Finally the pugnacious councilman as prevailed upon to resume his seat and, after another passage at arms with Fernstrom, the ordinance was adopted as given above and the council adjourned. THE NEXT STEP. Mr. Gibbon Says the Incorporation Will Take Place About the 22d. The discussion at the city council last evening was listened to with mingled feelings by quite a number of prominent cilizens. It would be hard o say whether amusement of disgust predominated on the faces of those who looked on when Chairman Whittemore and Mr. Canning came so near to vio-tence. Some of the people looked about for a police officer, but there was none in sight. Among others in attendance were Mr. T. E. Gibbon, United States Attorney C. O. Whitemore, Thomas Kearns, David Keith, J. E. Dooly, invited. .

the First precinct to turn the vials of

wrath upon the devoted head of all temporary successor and incidentall

refer to him as a "railroad man." Fern. strom urged that the matter go over for another week in order to give the majority time to think out the situa-tion in all its moods and tenses. Finally

tion in an its moods and tenses. Finity Howe ruled that the motion to suspand the rules was not debatable, and or-dered the accord and third readings. The rules were suspended and Coun-climan R. B. Whitemore was called to the chair while Buckle made another more than the subsection of his re-

Kearns, David Keith, J. E. Dooly, Spencer Clawson, Bishop H. B. Clawson, ex-Councilman Stewart, Fred J. Leonard and many others. At the con-clusion of the vote a general hand-The many friends of Jailor Sol Kimshaking of congratulation was indulged ball have been deeply concerned of late

ceeded to take the floor and lead the opposition. Buckle opened the ball by stating that he objected to the propo-sition being "railroaded through" the Council. He moved that the word regarding his welfare. It was noticed some days ago that a remarkable change was taking place, and that the now incorporate, probably on the 22nd inst. The capital would be probably genius loci of the city bastile was wrestling with a difficult problem. No one 15,000,000, 10 per dent of which, or \$2, imagined the real cause until yesterday, when the truth leaked out. "Uncle" Sol has turned poet! Yesterday he burst 500.000, would have to be paid up. The projectors of the company, including Senator W. A. Clark, are expected here forth into song with the following effudaily and the articles of incorporation can be file, in two or three days after





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be inserted, so that the ordinance "not" read "Ploneer Square be not vacated

as a public park." Canning followed along the same lines, and remained by the president of the Council in his stand in the matter. At this juncture a long argument fol-lowed, during which Hewlett made a epeech in favor of the original report. At the close of his remarks, at the rethey have had their consultation. quest of Buckle, he asked that the report of the city attorney on the subject be read.

nion set forth that the city had the right to vacate the square for municipal purposes only and not for the purpose of donating it to any railroad company. Attorney Stephens ad-mitted that some of the local legal au-thorities differed from his opinion in the matter, but at the same time he stated that the opinion was the result on his part of careful study of authorities upon the legal question involved.

After the opinion had been read. Fernstrom arose and placed himself on record as being opposed to the proposed measure. During the course of his speech he argued that the City Coun-cil should be guided by the opinion of

the city attorney. Then turning his at-tention to Attorney Whittemore, who had been lobbying in the interest of the and then poolying in the interest of the road, he raised a laugh by saying. "I don't think we ought to give away this square, even if it was promised by one of our attorneys at a banquet in Los Angeles when he was feeling good. If we are to give ten acres of ground as the price of one banquet to this gen-628; C. Ed. Loose, 625; John R. Murdock, 628.

we are to give ten acres or ground as the price of one banquet to this gen-tieman. I suppose we'd have to give up Liberty Park as the price of two." Then Buckle had another inning, wherein he proceeded to defend the opinion of the city attorney. The speak-or compiled that the Council had no er contended that the Council had no power to give the square away. He stated that he valued the opinion that had been rendered, as it was essentially the result of careful study and deep thought. The amendment was eventual-

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Iv voted down. Buckle then promptly entered another amendment, to the effect that the square be vacated for municipal purposes only. He made a lengthy talk in support of his amendment, and was followed by Canning who attacked the motives of the promoters of the railway in unmeasured terms. Incidentally he charged Cottrell with violating a plank in the platform which was passed when the three candidates from the Second were put in nomination last year, to-wit: The preservation of the square as

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District Attorney-Joshua Greenwood,
657; Orris R. Murdock, 655.
County Commissioners-Carl C. Rasmussen, 683; Myron D. Higbee, 720; Carl
P. Barnson, 644; Joseph S. Berry, 658;
Henry W. Hunt, 625; Richard A. Robinson, Jr., 656.
County Clark-James Storns, 736; a public park. Cottrell promptly chal-lenged this statement and stated that nothing of the kind had been mention at the time of the nominations, adding that he knew the majority of his consti tuents favored the vacating of th tuents favored the vacating of the square. Canning then said that he could produce the minutes of the nominating convention, Cottrell rejoined that he had been present at the convention while Canning had not. Themas moved the previous question.

but Buckle and Fernstrom both gained recognition to questions of personal privilege before the vote was taken. During the course of the remarks, Buckle hinted that Thomas was afraid to let the railroad matter be fully discussed. This ascertion naturally had the effect of

664; Simon A. Matheson, 668, County Surveyor-William Houchen, 723; John S. Woodburry, Jr., 607. Parowan Justice of the Peace-Alex-ander Matheson, 231; John T. Mitchell, elleling a fervent denial from the ac-cused who stated that while he had no objection to the discussion, at the same time he thought that there had been a great deal of unnecessary demagogu ery injected into the topic. While th discussion at this point was of the warm order neither genelemen developed any signs of viciousness in their remarks. Eventually Buckle's second amendment went the way of the pre-vious one that he had advanced by a vote of 11 to 4.

The vacating ordinance was eventual-ly passed on its first reading by the same vote. Thomas moved a suspen-sion of the rules so that the measure could be read the second and third time and placed upon its final pas-sage. This motion did not find favor with the minority and once more the fillowing and once more the filbustering factics came into play. Buckle gained the floor, but was ruled out of order by Howe who was chair-man protein. This ruling had the ef-fect of causing the councilman from Susan Tullidge broke her record Trying to reform, Imbibed too freely and soon did see A policeman in uniform.

Her sorrow came just the same The judge could not forget, So she entered a plea and said guilty And ten days she'll have to sweat.

Friends by Turning Poet.

The incentive for this wonderful pro

duction was the arrest of Susan on the charge of drunkenness, and her subsequent sentence to pay a fine of \$10, or serve ten days at labor. "Uncle" Sol says he is composing another!

MANY LISTEN TO RECITAL. **Beautful Program Rendered on Taber:**

nacle Organ This Morning.

The gallery in the Tabernacle this morning was nearly filled by tourists and theatrical people, and a large number of local residents who assembled to hear the organ recital. The program as published in the "News," was ren-dered, and Prof. McClellan demonstrated that the richest tones in that great organ are at his fingers' ends. The seections that seemed to must with the lections that seemed to meet with the greatest approval were the funeral march by Chopin, the immortal "An-dantino" by Lamare, and "The Pil-grim's Song of Hope." Prof. Ruttner of the Quo Vadis com-pany was one of the most enthusiastic listeners to the recital, and at the con-

lusion Prof. McClellan invited him to play a selection, which he did in very artistic style.

Nathan T. Porter, 705; A. C. Nelson, 628, Judge of the Supreme Court-J. W. N. Whitecotton, 761; George W. Bartch, TEAMSTER'S LOAD OF WHISKY.

Alf Roberts, a teamster, made a little history on State street today, and Incidentally got a temperance lecture. After leaving a saloon, whose stock in trade he was evidently trying to take personal charge of, he clambered into his wagon and with a crack of his whip his horses started down the street on a lively trot The erratic jerks of the reigns drew them up against a telephone pole and they stopped abruptly. Mr. Roberts continued his journey with the momen-tum until he struck the pavement. He was not badly hurt, however, but his jag was considerably damaged. While and avoing to regain his feet a lady approached him and said, "Well, you old fooi, I guess this will teach you a lesson, and I am glad it happened." Without vouchsafing a reply, Roberts got into his wagon and drove on down the street, as carefully as bad whisky would permit ······



Lake Stake presidency will address the Scandinavian Saints at their meeting in the Fourteenth ward assembly rooms on Thursday, at 8 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited to attend, J. M. SJODAHL, M. CHRISTOPHERSON,

J. S. JENSEN,

GRANITE STAKE CONFERENCE.

The quarterly conference of the Gran-te Stake of Zion will be held in the Farmers' ward meeting house on Satur-lay and Sunday, the 17th and 18th of November, 1900, convening at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. on Saturday and 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Sunday. A full attendance of the Saints is desired at the first session of the conference, and all Stake and ward officers are expected to be present at each meeting. FRANK Y, TAYLOR,

JAMES R MILLER, EDWIN BENNION, Stake Presidency. age, has been identified as the person who sold it to Uncle Sam, and after onsiderable persuasion he admitted stealing the watch and pawning it As yet no information has been filed against him as the officers are investigating his record. Y. M. M. I. A. CONFERENCE.

om, and no trace of it was found

until yesterday when it was discovered

that the watch was at Uncle Sam's

pawn shop on Twenty-fifth street, and the boy Herrold, who is but 20 years of

The will be a conference of the Youn Men's Mutual Improvement as-sociations Sunday at the tabernacle. The services will be held at 2 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock p. m. There will be a meeting of the officers at the close of the afternoon session. A number of members of the general board will be present. be present.

There will be a meeting of the Davis and Weber counties canal company on Saturday, Nov. 17, for the purpose of electing seven directors. NEW LIBRARY BOOKS.

The following additions to the books at the public library were received during the past two weeks: Eleanor, Mrs. Humphrey Ward. Tommy and Grizel, J. M. Barrie. The Sky Pilot, Ralph Coanor. The Salt Box House, J. F. Shel-ton

Jack in the Bush, Robert Grant. The School and Society, John Dew-

History of Babylon and Persla, Rag-Century Book of the American Col-onies, Brooks.

Winter Sunshine, Burroughs. PRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

Superintendent Baird of the Wyoming division of the Union Pacific was in Ogden yesterday and stated that he had tendered his resignation and would leave for Omaha in a few days. In police court this morning two drunks were given five days each.

L. R. Rogers was an Ogden visitor to-day on legal business. The canvass of the election returns of Ogden City and Weber county has not been completed. Father J. O. S. Huntington arrived in Ogden last evening and is the guest of Rev. W. S. Malson. The noted reverend

gentleman will speak tonight at the Church of the Good Shepherd. He is a



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Breeden, 624.

Alfred Froyd, 668.



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Presidential Electors-Orlando W.

Powers, 708; Alexander H. Tarbet, 708;

I. C. Thoreson, 709; Wesley K. Walton,

Governor-James H. Moyle, 689; He-

Secretary of Etate-Fisher S. Harris,

State Auditor-Henry N. Hayes, 705;

. S. Tingey, 627. State Treasurer-Robert C. Lund, 723;

John DeGray Dixon, 614. State Attorney-A. J. Weber, 708; M.

Superintendent Public Instruction-

Representatives to Congress-William

H. King, 714; George Sutherland, 620;. Representative 24th District-Joseph F. McGregor, 735; Charles R. Lyman,

District Judge, 5th District-Thomas Marioneaux, 687; Edward V. Higgins,

County Clerk-James Stones, 726; James N. Connel, 611. County Sheriff-Joseph F. Fife, 655;

County Recorder-Orson O. Orton, 603; Emily C. Watson, 727.

Emily C. Watson, 22. County Attorney-James J. Adams, 682: Joseph T. Wilkinson, 648. County Assessor-Joseph G. Steven-son, 695: Lehi A. Thorley, 640. County Treasurer-Isaac W. Parry,

Parowan Constable-William H. Gurr,

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696; James T. Hammond, 639.

