

CITY COUNCIL MET ONLY TO ADJOURN

Solons Approve Pay Roll, But Never Even Suggest Bond Issue.

COUNCILMAN HALL PRIMED.

Member from the Fourth Precinct Had a Voluminous Compilation of Figures to Spring on "Patriots."

Without even mentioning the words "bond issue," the special meeting of the city council called for last evening to consider the proposed ordinance authorizing \$600,000 worth of sewer and water improvement bonds, the solons met, passed a \$3,342.50 city payroll and adjourned, after having been in session just seven minutes.

In the absence of President A. J. Davis, Councilman W. Mont Ferry occupied the chair. After the payroll had been approved, President Ferry urbanely asked, "Is there anything else to come before the council?" to which City Recorder J. B. Moreton quickly replied, "The table is clear," whereupon Councilman Black moved an adjournment, which was carried.

Councilman Hall had evidently come "loaded," for when the session opened, he brought forth a voluminous package of papers covered with figures, but when the "American" majority failed to tackle the matter, Mr. Hall resignedly put his figures in his pockets again.

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COLLEGIATE GRADUATES.

The graduating exercises of the Salt Lake Collegiate Institute were held last night in the First Presbyterian church, where a large audience gathered, notwithstanding the inclement weather. The program as printed in the News last Tuesday, was carried out successfully, and the orations and essays, as at past commencements, evidenced the fact that the pupils of that school are taught to think and think along logical lines. The themes generally covered topics of current interest, showing the speakers had followed the more noted events of daily life. The following received diplomas:

Classical Course—Leslie Worrall, Salt Lake City; Leslie Boyd, Paris, Idaho.

Latin Scientific Course—Annie M. Boyd, Paris, Idaho; Irene Nelson, Mant; Annie M. Thomas, Mary Thomas Spanish Fork.



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But you'll like best of all old John Burnit, whose kindly spirit pervades the story, and whose shrewd letters of advice always reach Bobby just after he has made a particular ass of himself.

Read The Applerod Addition (in this week's SATURDAY EVENING POST). It's by George Randolph Chester, whose *Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford* stories were called the best business stories of the year. The Bobby Burnit series of stories (of which The Applerod Addition is the second) is better.

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Report of City Treasurer Snyder Tells Part of a Sad Story.

Following is the report of City Treasurer Snyder for the month of May, showing the receipts and disbursements of the city during the last month. The report shows an overdraft in the general revenue fund of \$13,353.16, and although the report of the treasurer is not permitted to show the outstanding warrants, it is estimated that there is fully \$250,000 in warrants standing out against the city which have not been paid. The report follows:

REVENUE FUND—RECEIPTS.	
Balance April 30.....	\$1,674.54
Cash receipts.....	25,794.08
Receipts from transfers.....	27.00
Total.....	\$27,495.62
Balance—Overdraft.....	13,353.16
Total.....	\$14,142.46
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Warrants paid.....	\$14,337.09
Transfers to special funds.....	26,511.69
Total disbursements.....	\$40,848.78
SPECIAL FUNDS—RECEIPTS.	
Balance April 30.....	\$165,588.91
Cash receipts.....	26,712.75
Receipts from transfers.....	26,484.69
Total.....	\$218,786.35
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Warrants paid.....	\$ 6,140.53
Balance on hand May 31, 1908.....	212,645.82
Total.....	\$218,786.35
SUMMARY OF CASH ON HAND.	
Special funds.....	\$212,645.82
Revenue funds—overdraft.....	13,353.16
Total.....	\$199,292.66

INVESTIGATE ATKINS' CLAIM.

The special committee of the city council appointed to investigate the claim of T. St. Leger Atkins, deposed clerk of the street department, who claims that he paid the city more money than he owed it on the poll tax shortage matter, met yesterday afternoon and looked into the records. As the poll tax books had been stolen, there was no way of telling just how much was gone, but Atkins claims he is entitled to \$35. The records of the treasurer's office show that there was \$167 received in the poll tax department more than was accounted for, and it is this that Atkins says he is entitled to. He claims a refund of \$35 because of a bogus check issued on a poll tax account which he cashed and made good. The committee will report to the council and the matter will doubtless be taken up at next Monday's council meeting.

ELEVATOR CONDUCTOR HURT.

George Timmins, conductor of the Main street elevator in the "News" building, met with an accident last night that resulted in the loss of his big toe of his left foot and the breaking and laceration of the second toe. He was making about the last trip of the night when in an unguarded moment he permitted his foot to rest too near the edge of the cage, where it was drawn between the side of the elevator and the shaft casing. The shoe and stocking were torn from the foot before the cage could be stopped. Young Timmins was taken to the L. D. S. hospital, where the toe was amputated by Dr. C. M. Benedict. The patient is resting comfortably today.

STOCK COMPANY DINED.

Informal Dinner a Feature at the Commercial Club Last Night.

By way of welcoming the Orpheum summer stock company which arrived from New York yesterday afternoon J. Howard Garrett, Parley P. Jensen and Ferd Straus were hosts at an informal dinner at the Commercial club last night in the private dining room. Covers were laid for 20 and the room generally was tastefully decorated with roses, carnations, ferns and potted plants. In addition to the members of the company representatives of the press were among the invited guests, and everybody had to make a speech. In this connection the actor folk proved to be more at home than did the newspaper fraternity. Among the actor people present were "Big Joe" Green and Roy Clements of last year's company, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Miss Sayers, Miss May, Miss Hadley, Mr. Williams and Mr. Gorman. Two more members will arrive Saturday, completing the company, which opens on the week of the 15th.

MAYOR GROWS CONSERVATIVE.

Mayor Bransford is still holding the Martin resolution, passed by the council last Monday evening and authorizing the purchase of a new combination hose wagon and chemical fire engine for the city fire department. The price of the wagon was \$1,925, but the fire committee secured a reduction in the price of \$125, making the total cost to the city \$1,800. But Mayor Bransford evidently thinks the city is not financially able to afford the extra wagon just at present.

Mayor Bransford has signed the Hall resolution, also passed last Monday night, requiring the city auditor to make a detailed report of the expenditures and receipts of the city during the first five months of the present year. The statement must show exactly how much has been spent by each department and how much is allowed by the budget.

COFFEE

What is essential to good coffee?

Good bean ground fresh, and a woman of common sense.

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SCHOOL SALARIES FIXED.

Supervisors Receive Same Amount as Last Year—Principals to Get More.

At a meeting of the city board of education held yesterday the supervisors of the schools were all re-engaged at the salaries paid last year. The salaries of the principals were slightly increased. They heretofore have received \$55 per month with an addition of \$4.25 per month for each teacher in the building under their charge, and \$5 where a high school certificate is held. They will still receive the same salary, but with \$5 per month for each teacher under their charge. The maximum salary is raised from \$170 per month to \$180.

The members of the buildings and grounds committee made a tour of the various school buildings for the purpose of ascertaining what repairs are needed and a report will be made to the board at its meeting next Tuesday night.

FOR NERVOUS DISORDERS.

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ALUMNI BRAVES STORM.

Lagoon the Scene of Gathering Yesterday—Planning New Play.

In spite of the bad weather, the University of Utah alumni, graduating students and underclassmen made a gala event of their field day at Lagoon yesterday. Several hundred of them paddled over the drenched grounds, and finally took refuge in the dancing pavilion where a dancing matinee was held in the afternoon, as well as a basketball game, in which a final score of 10 to 8 was rolled up in favor of the "Reds" under Sam Karrik.

The graduates' club, whose members were present in force, took steps at an informal meeting to prepare a play for next commencement and outlined a plan to build memorials on the college campus. The senior class has already taken steps to leave a memorial in the form of a fountain to be erected three years from now, when the \$25 given by each member of the senior class, will fall due, their total value to be spent in erecting a fountain on the campus.

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CARPENTERS IN PARADE.

The Carpenters and Joiners' union is to participate in the U. C. T. parade, and has adopted the novel means of building an automobile garage over an automobile, while the parade moves along, the garage material being housed on a float at the beginning of the parade and the garage to be erected during the progress.

Nearly 100 floats have been assured for the parade and over 50 of them are now being built. The U. C. T. committee has been anxiously waiting for the weather man for the past week trying to get assurances that a new variety will be prepared for June enjoyment, come the idea of the month.

SOCIALISTS TO HOLD FORTH.

Murray Will See Rally in Opera House Tomorrow Evening.

The Socialist party of Murray will commence its campaign for the coming season with a rally to be held at the Murray Opera House Saturday evening, June 6, 1908, at 8 o'clock. Discussion is invited.

Mr. Robert Lockett will act as chairman for the evening.

The following program will be rendered:

Piano selection, "The Old Oaken Bucket,".....Miss Margaret Burt
Song, "Three Loves of Simon,".....Mrs. Dora W. Berger and Miss Ruby White.
Short talk.....J. M. Piegrass
Song, "And the Little Child Shall Live,".....Miss Kate Middleton
Guitar accompaniment, Miss Lillian Wikom.
Socialism.....R. E. L. Wixom
Piano selection, "Star of Hope,".....Miss Margaret Burt.
Questions from the Audience.
Recitation, "Artemus Ward's London Lecture,".....W. H. Cannegieter
Piano selection, "Valse,".....Miss Burt.

LOCATES ERRING WIFE.

George G. Winter of Chicago Says He Would Have Her Return.

George G. Winter, a Chicago manufacturer, who came to Salt Lake in quest of his runaway wife, declares that he found her located in this city, living with one D. J. Gibney, the pair assuming the name of Gibney.

It is now several months since Mrs. Winter left her husband, her children and her home, according to the statement of Mr. Winter. Since that time the latter has been following the elopers, tracing them to St. Louis, Kansas City, Denver, Pueblo and finally to Salt Lake. He declares that he still loves his erring wife and would gladly take her back with him. The following letter was written by Mrs. Winter to her husband a few days after she left home:

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"P. S.—You were a good man to me. I like you, but I could not love you. Please never tell the tables about their mother—say she died. I wanted to take them, but they are as much yours as mine, and I haven't taken a thing that belonged to you."

SIGNAL CORPS ELECTION.

H. V. Altree and L. P. Wilcox Are Now First Lieutenants.

Lieut. H. V. Altree and First Class Sergt. L. P. Wilcox of the signal corps, N. G. U., were advanced in grades at the election held by the organization at its quarters in the Armory last night. Lieut. Altree, who for one year has been second lieutenant in the organization, was elected senior first lieutenant. Sergt. L. P. Wilcox, who for five years has been a member of the corps, was elected junior first lieutenant. Lieut. Altree began his service five years ago when he enlisted as a private in Company D, First infantry.

The signal corps is now up to full strength and is working hard in preparation for the coming encampment to be held in the Crow Creek forest reserve near Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., Aug. 1 to 15. At the drill held by the corps last night instruction was given the newly acquired recruits in wigwagging, while the more advanced men were engaged in transmitting pseudo official messages by telegraph. The study of wireless telegraphy is being taken up to prepare men for their work at the coming encampment.

Baby won't suffer five minutes with croup if you apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. It acts like magic.

COURT NEWS.

CHARGED WITH PERJURY.

County Attorney Willard Hanson is preparing a charge of perjury to be filed against Convict Richard Deming as soon as his trial on the charge of breaking out of jail has been concluded. Deming is serving a 10-year sentence in the state penitentiary for robbery, and is the "actor" who feigned sickness and was taken from the county jail to the hospital where he escaped from the window in his night shirt and was recaptured at Gabon, Oregon. He was brought back and sentenced to 10 years in the state prison. While confined in the county jail awaiting trial, he was in the same cell as Joe Sullivan, the convicted murderer of Officer Ford, and informed the officers that Sullivan was saving out of jail. Later, when the Sullivan case came to trial, Deming swore on the witness stand that he, Deming, was the man who was saving out of jail, and not Sullivan.

He was then charged with attempting to break out of jail, and his case was postponed before Judge Armstrong June 6. The transcript of testimony in the Sullivan case has just been completed, and the county attorney will now proceed to prepare the perjury charge against Deming.

LYNCH MUST DEFEND.

In the case of the state vs. George W. Lynch, charged with embezzlement, Judge Diehl reserved a decision yesterday on the motion to discharge the defendant, the motion being made by Atty. Soren X. Christensen, counsel for Lynch. The motion was denied and the case was set for trial on Monday morning for the purpose of the defense putting in evidence.

In rendering the motion Judge Diehl said:

"I am not convinced that the crime as charged in the complaint was committed, but merely for the purpose of the motion it will be denied at this time."

Lynch is accused of embezzling \$3,375 from the Elk Coal company. He was a director of the concern and it is charged that he was given a sum of money with which to purchase stock, and that he paid \$3,375 less for the stock than he was supposed to pay, and pocketed the amount.

CASE DISMISSED.

In Judge Lewis' division of the Third district court yesterday in the case of the people of the State of Utah, John Robinson, registrar, against Arthur Robinson, on motion of W. W. Ray, attorney for the registrar, the case was dismissed without prejudice. The action was brought to compel Arthur Robinson to refrain from exercising the functions of registrar in the Robinson brothers' company, which he was charged with wrongfully assuming.

CASES IN BANKRUPTCY.

Henry Walsh, a retail grocer of Salt Lake City, filed a petition in bankruptcy before the clerk of the United States court Thursday. His debts amount to \$3,929, while his assets are \$5,245.75, of which \$2,910 is exempt. J. J. Armstrong of Ogden and Charles A. Nichols and Harry Torrey of Salt Lake City were adjudged involuntary bankrupts.

FEDERAL COURT NOTES.

Tomorrow will be naturalization day in the federal court. Nine aliens are to become American citizens. The second and last jury panel was dismissed for the term yesterday. Court will hold sessions each Monday but no jury cases will be taken up until the November term of court.


VAN DAM MOVES TO DISMISS.

Herbert Van Dam has withdrawn his suit for divorce from his wife Lydia Mary Baker Van Dam in the Third district court. The complaint filed by Mr. Van Dam charged his wife with desertion, but yesterday before Judge Morse, on motion of Mr. Van Dam's attorney, the case was dismissed.

WESTERN MARKET LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

Kansas City Stock Yards, June 1.—Small cattle receipts last week, incident to crippled railroad service from the south, account of floods, resulted in an advance of 10 to 40 cents on steers, and 15 to 25 cents on heifers. The run is 9,000 head here today and small at other points, market strong to 15 higher, she stuff showing most gain. Top natives sold at \$7.25 here today higher than a year ago. The stuff lot on last Wednesday at the same figure. Quarantine steers sold at \$7 here today, highest on record in that division at this market. Hay fed to a lot of some short fed corn steers at \$6.70, medium Oklahoma at \$6.50 to \$6.50. One lot of Oklahoma steers brought \$6.70 today, similar to last week's cows and heifers \$3.25 to \$4.25, calves \$3.75 to \$4.25. While the market has advanced in the last week, it is only because of the small supply, and not because of any improvement in the outlook for meat, which packers claim is still unsatisfactory and traders do not believe the market will hold up under heavy receipts.



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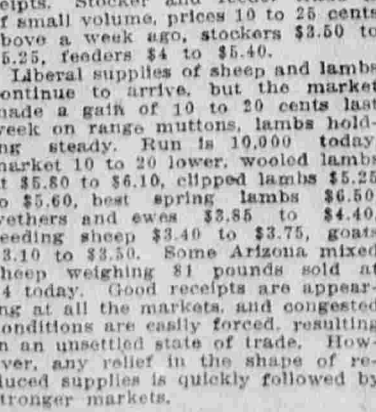
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