ANOTHER TUSCARORA RUSE.

Several Heads of the City Department Resign Temporarily.

THE HAND OF BOSS POWERS AGAIN SHOWN.

Loofbourow Is Elected President of the City Council and Celebrates the Event by Giving a Banquet.

The City Council met in regular session last night. The first business of the evening was the election of a temporary chairman. On motion of Hon. Alderman Evans was chosen, in addition to the chairman the following members were present at roll call: Hon. Harry, Folland, Moran, Simonds, Horn and Helm. During the process of roll call and the reading of the minutes of the previous session, Bell, Beardsley, Loofbourow, Lawson, Kerrick, Wanstland and Hess were concealing on the sidewalk in front of the City Hall. Just as soon as they learned that Moran's friends had taken possession, they hurriedly entered the council chamber in a body but none seem to participate in the proceedings of electing a president of the Council.

ELECTION OF A PRESIDENT.

The regular order of business had been commenced when Hardy raised the point of order that the election of a president must first be proceeded with and moved that the nominations commence. Bell seconded the motion and nominated Alderman Loofbourow, Horn nominated Moran, who in turn enthusiastically nominated Horn. Wanstland made an effort to be funny by nominating Rich. The latter declined not to be outdone by his loquacious and irrepressible antagonist from the First precinct, played even by seeming blair as eminently fitted for the responsible position of president. That distinctive gentleman, however, positively declined and Helm nominated Kerrick, who also made a brief but expressive speech of declination. Hardy nominated Beardsley. Simonds thought that Mr. Evans, the temporary chairman, was an acceptable person for the position and placed his name in nomination. Mr. Evans stated the nomination was not in order if Folland it was entitled to vote by ballot.

The chair appointed Simonds and Rich as tellers. The vote resulted as follows:

Horn	1
Beardsley	1
Moran	1
Loofbourow	4

Loofbourow was declared elected and Sloan was appointed to escort him to the chair, which he did with beaming grace and dignity.

THE NEW PRESIDENT TALKS.

President Loofbourow said he felt grateful to the Council for electing him. He hoped that his administration would be as successful as Mayor Baskin's had been. It would be his constant aim to promote harmony and good feeling among the members and to adopt such measures that would be calculated to expedite the transaction of business. To this end he asked the hearty co-operation of all the councilmen. Again thanking them, he assumed presidential charge of the meeting.

PETITIONS

were read and referred as follows:

John G. Reid presented a claim for damages sustained by his wife by being thrown from a buggy on Grant street while driving along that dangerous and broken thoroughfare. Committee on claims.

Geo. N. Moffett asked for a major's deed to certain property owned by her. Referred to the city attorney.

Estate P. Deal and Henry Shields asked to purchase twenty acres of land in Section 27, Township 1, N. R. 1 E. Committee on public grounds.

John C. Cutler & Bro. and others protested against Richards Brothers being allowed to erect a lease in front of their property near the Constitution building. Committee on streets.

M. C. Godbe asked that a retaining wall be built in front of his property on the east side of State street. Committee on streets.

The Salt Lake Railway company asked permission to lay water mains at western edge of the city to supply its engines with water. Committee on waterworks with power to act.

J. G. Brooks and thirty-eight others complained of the slow progress being made in paving State street. Laid on the table until later in the evening.

William Newbrough asked to be allowed to put marble flags on the city school buildings. Referred back to the petitioner.

F. P. Jennings and others asked for permission to lay their own sidewalks. Committee on streets.

Hyde Park Improvement company asked that a bridge be built over a certain ditch in Hyde Park addition. Committee on streets.

FOR RIGHT OF WAY.

Ex-City Attorney Hall recommended that $500 be appropriated to Messrs. Kilbrin, Wheeler and Hayes for right of way over certain property owned by them, for Farley's canyon conduit. Filed.

AUDITOR'S STATEMENT.

Auditor Raybould submitted the following financial statement for May, which was received and filed:

Balance on hands May 1, 1892, as per last report ..... $ 22,[illegible]
Received from all sources during month ..... [illegible]
Total ..... [illegible]
Warrants issued ..... [illegible]
Warrants redeemed ..... [illegible]
Warrants outstanding ..... [illegible]
Warrants issued in excess of appropriations ..... [illegible]
Warrants issued in excess of appropriations ..... [illegible]
Balance in treasury May 1, 1892 ..... [illegible]
Received from all sources during month ..... [illegible]
Total ..... [illegible]
Warrants redeemed ..... [illegible]
Balance in treasury May 1, 1892 ..... [illegible]
Warrants issued in excess of appropriations ..... [illegible]
Warrants issued in excess of appropriations ..... [illegible]
Balance in treasury June 1, 1892 ..... [illegible]

PAVING SIDE BLOCKS.

The board of public works recommended that stone blocks be used in paving the intersection of State and Second and Third South streets. Committee on streets.

FROM THE CITY ENGINEER.

Referring to the petition from the Sevis Lumber, Block & Cement Co., the city engineer reported that the work required to be done by him had been attended to. Received and filed.

SUBDIVISION PLANTS.

The same official reported that plants of Thompson's subdivision had been filed in his office and he asked for instruction regarding approval of the same. The city engineer was given authority to approve the plat.

A TUSCARORA RUSE.

The following officials sent in communications tendering their resignations from office: W. A. Shaubah, Chief of the Fire Department; W. H. Ryan, Superintendent of Waterworks; City Attorney Hoge; J. M. Harvey, Watermaster and W. F. Sheldon, Superintendent of Sewer Construction.

CARDS CLEVERLY PLAYED.

The cards were cleverly played and all the councilmen seemed dumfounded. Rich asked if the resignation were to take effect forthwith or at some future date or date.

The recorder answered that they were to take effect at once, whereupon, on motion of Rich, the resignations were accepted, being acted upon separately.

HOGE GIVES THE HOPE AWAY.

The new ex-city attorney arose and said, with a cunning attempt at dramatic effect, that he wished to speak to the Council as a private citizen and not as corporation counsel. He had prepared papers in the case of Carrigan vs. Salt Lake City, wherein the city was enjoined from paying Chief Shaubah an increase of salary, and suggested that President Loofbourow be associated with himself in case he should be reappointed.

Hess (the gentleman hastily extended himself by saying, "Again, my successor.") Again Mr. Hoge said that he was only offering advice as a "private citizen" and not as attorney for the city.

Rich—I move that the papers in the case be received and filed and handed over to his successor.

Hess—I move that the Mayor be authorized to employ such legal assistance as is necessary to carry on the suit.

Wanstland moved substantially the same thing by adding that it be referred to the Mayor with power to act. Carried.

ANOTHER DUMMY GRID CONTEMPLATED.

The committee on streets recommended that the petition of L. C. Trent and Charles Auer, who asked that streets in plat J be graded to grades, and the streets made passable just as soon as land still owned by the city can be sold to advantage, and that the committee on public grounds be instructed to report a list of the lots for sale. Adopted. So ordered.

ANOTHER DOWNCUT.

The committee on streets recommended the adoption of the following from the board of public works which announced that it had appointed Wm. Jones inspector of improvements contemplated on Richards street and under contract with the Warren Asphaltum Company, to commence work when needed by chairman Haines, at a salary of $100 per month.

Hardy said that there were so many inspectors being appointed nowadays that the city would have to appoint guardians for them or they would be lost, and moved that Richards Brothers pay the inspector. After some discussion the motion carried.

SANITARY ORDINANCE.

The committee on sanitary rules and quarantine recommended the passage of an ordinance providing for the establishment of receptacles for ashes and the sweepings of sidewalks and providing for the protection of waterditches from paper and other refuse and prescribing penalties for a violation of its provisions.

THE OLD LAMP POSTS.

Horn moved that the committee on streets be instructed to remove at once all old iron gas-lamp posts, except those at corners of streets which he proposes to use for sign purposes.

Wanstland moved to amend by omitting six posts on which United States lamps had been located. Carried.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Sierra Nevada Lumber company	$ 29.12
Deseret Evening News Co.	21.40
Deseret Evening News Co.	11.[illegible]
Deseret Evening News Co.	1.[illegible]
Deseret Evening News Co.	1.[illegible]
Colorado Fuel company	236.[illegible]
A. C. Smith & Co.	7.[illegible]
A. C. Smith & Co.	7.[illegible]
Salt Lake Herald	2.[illegible]
Salt Lake Herald	2.[illegible]
Pacific Press company	250.00
William Dickson	250.00
William Dickson	250.00
Hussey, Mott & Co.	1.[illegible]
Hussey, Mott & Co.	1.[illegible]
J. W. Jennings	2.[illegible]
J. W. Jennings	2.[illegible]
J. W. Jennings	2.[illegible]
J. W. Jennings	2.[illegible]
W. H. Rich	2.[illegible]
W. H. Rich	2.[illegible]
H. S. Gallagher	2.[illegible]
H. S. Gallagher	2.[illegible]
Hussey, Mott & Co.	1.[illegible]
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Hussey, Mott & Co.	1