

Fuel used—23 tons Rock Springs coal at \$5.25..... 147 00

Total cost of operating cremator for November.....\$396 50

I estimate that the amount of garbage, manure, swill, night soil, dead animals, etc., mentioned above, is equal to 1436 cubic yards. The actual cost of destroying same being \$396.50, making the actual cost per cubic yard, 27 3-5 cents.

In connection with this report I will say that the cremator is, in my judgment, a complete success. It destroyed everything placed therein. No offensive odors have been detected during the time said cremator has been in operation. From an economical standpoint, I deem it eminently superior to the old system, namely, that of sending all garbage and dead animals from the city by rail. I estimate the actual amount saved per month at about \$768.50.

In conclusion I will state that November being the first month the cremator has been in operation, and the men in charge of furnace inexperienced, an unusual amount of fuel was used, which, I am pleased to state, will be obviated in the future.

THIRD AND L STREETS.

The committee on improvements reported, recommending that an electric light be placed at the intersection of Third and L streets. Adopted.

AFTER THE SANITARY INSPECTORS.

Rich moved that the sanitary inspectors employed by the city be discharged.

Beardsley said the men were not employed and had not been during the present term.

Moran wanted to know what, if anything, these inspectors had been doing. Receiving no reply he took his seat as ignorant on the question as when he arose.

Folland stated that when the inspectors were employed it was distinctly understood that their services would not be required for more than thirty days. He thought they should be discharged until spring, and at once.

Simondi moved to refer the matter to the health commissioner for a report as to whether the inspectors should be retained.

Bell said he, too, was in favor of the dismissal of the men. They should have completed the work in twenty-five days.

Hardy stated that the men were daily drawing pay from the city and it should be stopped.

Evans offered a resolution providing for the dismissal of the inspectors until further order of the council.

The chair ruled the matter out of order.

Rich wanted to know if the records would show the length of time these men were employed. If it was thirty days he opposed to paying them for sixty or ninety or any other number of days.

Simondi's substitute was then defeated.

Rich's motion to discharge the inspectors then carried.

THE CREMATORY PAID FOR.

Beardsley offered the following:

Whereas, The garbage crematory built by the Eagle Crematory company was put in operation on November 2nd, 1892, and has been in constant use since that time and seems to fill all the requirements as per contract; therefore be it

Resolved, That the crematory be ac-

cepted by the City Council and the contract price of the same of \$12,000 be placed on the appropriation list.

Rich offered a substitute to the effect that \$12,000, less the amount paid out for the construction of platforms and approaches, be placed on the appropriation list. Adopted.

PURCHASE OF WATERMAINS.

Wantland moved that the Mayor and committee on waterworks be authorized to purchase the 800 feet of 16-inch water pipe necessary to complete the extension of watermains on First South street. Carried.

UNDERGROUND WIRE SYSTEMS.

Hardy offered the following, which was referred to the committee on improvement:

Whereas, The wires of the Electric Light company and the Telephone company are getting so numerous and dangerous on business streets, and

Whereas, The storms of winter are now coming on and wires are liable to break almost at any time and damage to property is liable to occur; therefore be it

Resolved, That the above named companies are hereby notified at once to prepare and commence the construction of placing all wires under ground on the streets that are paved and those streets in the paving district.

The City Council held an adjourned session last night. In the absence of President Loofbourow Councilman Simondi was called to the chair. The members in attendance were: Rich, Folland, Karriek, Horn, Bell, Lawson, Kelly, Evans, Beardsley, Hels, Wantland, Moran. Absent—Hardy.

More than half an hour of rapid reading was required to get through the minutes of the previous meeting. After they were adopted President Loofbourow entered and the chair was for him.

The Proceedings.

Lawson took the floor and moved that business be taken up where it was discontinued at the time of adjournment, and after some discussion the motion prevailed.

SEWER ORDINANCE.

An ordinance levying an assessment of \$3 per linear or front foot on property on the north side of First South street from Fifth East to the east side of Eighth East street and on the east side of Eighth East street to the south line of South Temple street in sewer district No. 4, was passed under a suspension of the rules and referred to the mayor for his approval.

ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY.

An ordinance prescribing the manner of the assessment of property and for the collection of taxes was similarly passed.

VAULT CONSTRUCTION.

Health Commissioner Beatty, according to instructions, submitted an ordinance regulating the construction of privy vaults was read the first time, and after a good deal of drabitory discussion, referred to the committee on sanitary rules and regulations.

SEWER ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS.

Amendments were made to the sewer ordinance as follows:

A water closet, bath tub and wash basin may all be ventilated through the same pipe, but in all such cases the two-inch vent pipe which is common to such fixtures, shall not exceed five feet in length unless special permission in writing is first obtained from the city engineer, and the same rule shall apply to cases where a water closet and where a bath tub or a wash basin are vented through the same pipe.

Double hubs are prohibited in all cast iron soil and water pipes.

Wooden wash-trays and wooden sinks are prohibited inside of buildings; such fixtures shall in all cases be of non-absorbent material.

Except in pipes which are vertical the use of sanitary "T's" is prohibited.

BUILDING OF BONFIRES.

An ordinance prohibiting the building of bonfires on streets paved with asphalt was passed and embodied in the compilation.

THIRD READING FINISHED.

The revision of the ordinances was finished on a vote of 13 to 1, Moran alone voting in the negative.

SIMONDI'S SUGGESTIONS.

Simondi said just as the ordinances were on their last reading that he had some suggestions to make, but did not know how to state them. He, however, wanted to know whether or not the Mayor could read the ordinances and return them in five days to the Council.

Moran (sarcastically)—Don't you think that he can do so in five days if the Council overcame that work in sixty days?

MOONLIGHT MATTERS.

The appropriation bill which was defeated at Tuesday night's meeting then came up and a motion was made to take out the bill of the Salt Lake Power Light and Heating company amounting to nearly \$3000, and refer it back to the company for correction and deduction.

Rich, speaking to the question, said that the city had been poorly lighted and he thought the Council was in good position to fight the company, but he found on investigation that the Council preceding this one on the last night of its term had renewed the contract for street lighting until February, 1895.

Folland said he did not think there was anything wrong with the contract or the moonlight schedule but the fault was in the non-enforcement of its provisions.

Moran said he had never heard any complaints regarding the services of the company. A good deal of debate followed on the Philadelphia moon schedule and was finally cut off by the motion being defeated.

THE GRAVITY SEWER SYSTEM.

City engineer sent in a communication in which he stated: In the matter of employing an expert engineer for consultation regarding the proposed gravity sewer I beg leave to further report upon the subject I have received a second telegram from Mr. North saying he cannot come.

Before communicating with anyone else I thought it best to represent to you that men of the class we desire are not generally able to respond upon short notice because of other similar