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MARSHAL METCALF RESIGNS.

A Hasty Action.—No Reason is Assigned.

John W. Metcalf, city marshal and chief of police of Ogden, tendered his resignation to Mayor Lundy yesterday. The request that it be accepted immediately was complied with and Sergeant Ed Davenport was appointed acting marshal and chief. No reason was assigned for the hasty step of the ex-marshal, but it has been known for some time past that there have been differences between him and the committee on police. When Sheeth was so unceremoniously bounced a short while ago Mr. Metcalf did all he could to have Sheeth retained. It is stated by many that, failing in this, feelings were engendered which resulted in the action of yesterday being taken. Mr. Metcalf has had charge of the police department of this city for the past five years.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

A Busy Session but Little Accomplished.

The city council met in extra session last evening. The meeting was devoted exclusively to the consideration of the financial matters of the city. An ordinance was introduced, after a number of unsuccessful attempts, fixing the tax levy at six mills. Four of the members voted against the proposition for the reason they were in favor of making it five mills. The resolution of Councilman Jones as given in Thursday's NEWS was read. The resolution brought forth discussion after discussion. Jones, Warner and President Bonell got personal on several occasions. Finally an amendment to the resolution of Mr. Jones was offered and on being brought to a vote was declared lost. Warner then submitted his report, which is as follows:

Your committee on finance beg leave to report as follows in the matter of the rate of taxes for the present year, and would recommend as follows: From the fact that the city has for years past, for perhaps political reasons, made a levy that would only meet about half the running expenses and has borrowed to make up the deficiencies, like fast together with parties who have already loaned the city to nearly reach its borrowing limits. We, too, for political reasons, could continue this method, but with no resources to meet current expenses our warrants would go begging upon the streets with no prospective value. This method we feel and know to be unsound with good sound business principles; now, therefore, in view of this fact and that our revenues from municipal licenses and delinquent volume has been cut off, our resources have decreased about $15,000 per annum, and this with an increase of accruing interest, the proposition confronts us how to meet running expenses. To continue current running expenses as has been the practice in the past years would necessitate a levy of at least 10 mills, but under present circumstances we must earnestly urge a retrenchment under every department, and if this is carefully and economically done a less rate will suffice; therefore we recommend that the rate of taxation for the year 1893 be fixed by this council at the rate of 6 mills on the dollar upon the assessed valuation within the corporate limits.

A. J. WARNER,
J. D. GILL.

Jones offered an amendment making the levy 5 mills instead of 6. Lost.

The motion to adopt the resolution introduced by Warner carried with a vote of 8 to 4. Warner again presented the following which was also carried:

Be it resolved, That an ordinance be drawn levying a tax of 6½ mills on our tingent expenses, 1 mill for sinking and ¼ mill for sewer purposes, making a total of 8 mills, as provided and adopted in the majority report of the finance committee and adopted by the council.

Council adjourned to Monday night.

Board of Education.

The board of education held its regular meeting last evening and transacted the following business:

A petition was read asking that Mrs. Stillwell be retained as a teacher in the schools. Ordered filed.

Mr. Patterson reported that he had at last received from C. M. Brown, treasurer of the board, a statement giving the amount of money now on hand, which showed a balance of $253. The report was ordered filed. A petition from J. D. Sullivan was read regarding the making of blackboards, which Mr. Sullivan offered to do at 35 cents per yard. The board ordered the making of 100 yards. Mr. Emerson was elected vice-president of the board.

A number of bills were ordered paid. Adjourned to meet Monday night.

Notes and Personals.

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L. R. Martineau of Logan was in town yesterday.

A parade concert will be given by the Ogden City brass band tonight.

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James Blackwell and old time resident and well known painter of this city, took sick yesterday morning and died last night. His death is attributed to heart failure.

Yesterday's session of the Fourth district court did not last over half an hour. One case only was called. Today it is expected considerable business will come up before the court.

Judgment by default was rendered in the case of W. H. Neak, C. E. Brainard and C. C. Richards, in favor of C. N. Potter, in the sum of $5,144.41, on foreclosure of mortgage.

Work on the Rio Grande Western and Southern Pacific shops is being pushed rapidly forward. The contract for the brick work will be let in a few days.

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George W. Jones the Liberal councilman from the second district has put himself on record as the champion of Ogden City's tax payers. He not only favors the reduction of the tax levy from thirteen to six mills but has now has now produced a document to prove that four mills is sufficient to meet the city's expenditures for the coming year if economically managed.

PROVO.

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The Banks.

The closing of the First National bank yesterday caused some little commotion, but depositors were reassured by the statement of bank officials that business in all would be made and that probably business would be resumed. There was a slight run on the National Bank of Commerce, but the bank was prepared for the emergency; they have plenty of cash. Faith in the Provo Commercial & Savings bank was not shaken. A number of deposits were made during the day, one for $1000.

Grand Jury Report.

The grand jury reported as follows:

We have been in session eighteen days, twelve of which have been devoted to business under the laws of the Territory, and six under the laws of the United states.

We have examined into fifteen charges, and we have found indictments, all under the laws of the Territory of Utah.

Witnesses having been subpoenaed who did not appear, the further consideration of the cases of the United States vs E. J. Critchfield and the People vs Arnold Cutler was postponed.

We have examined sixty-four witnesses in the above cases.

The grand jury further report that they have examined the county jail of Utah county, and have found the same in a clean and healthy condition, and the officers exercising proper discipline. There being no further business before the grand jury we asked the discharge of the court.

A. R. HOLOWAY, Foreman.
R. R. LEVINE, JR., Clerk.

Court Items.

The trial of Arnold Cutler, charged with grand larceny (cattle stealing), was begun in 3d district court today.

Richard Kalgan, the alleged cattle thief, was arraigned on three counts and pleaded not guilty to each.

The trial of E. J. Critchfield, charged with larceny, was begun in 3d district court today.

Alvin Cuffin, another of the alleged lazy rustlers of Tintic of March 19th, pleaded not guilty to the charge and his bail was fixed at $2,500.

The missing bill of J. F. Bills et al vs James Chipman et al is in progress before Judge Smith. The suit is concerning the ownership of a mining claim at Fish Springs, some 60 miles with parties interested, have caused the city to nearly reach its borrowing limits. We, too, for political reasons, could continue this method, but with no resources to meet current expenses our warrants would go begging upon the streets with no prospective value. This method we feel and know to be unsound with good sound business principles; now, therefore, in view of this fact and that our revenues from municipal licenses and delinquent volume has been cut off, our resources have decreased about $15,000 per annum, and this with an increase of accruing interest, the proposition confronts us how to meet running expenses. To continue current running expenses as has been the practice in the past years would necessitate a levy of at least 10 mills, but under present circumstances we must earnestly urge a retrenchment under every department, and if this is carefully and economically done a less rate will suffice; therefore we recommend that the rate of taxation for the year 1893 be fixed by this council at the rate of 6 mills on the dollar upon the assessed valuation within the corporate limits.

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PARK CITY.

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THE PARK.

People Feeling Blue Over the Drop in Silver.—Proceeds Heavy for the Poor.—Closing Gambling Houses.—Notes.

The past week in the Park has been one of moderate feeling on account of the rapid decline of silver and lead, the chief industry of the town. When news arrived in the city Monday of a week that silver and bullion fell 17 cents, the news of sadness upon the face of everybody was enough to make the streets look blue, and next day when it was announced that a further drop had taken place, the excitement was great, as all knew what such meant to the county. A feeling of uneasiness and apprehension of the people, and the streets have been crowded every evening with anxious men, who saw before them unless suffering for themselves and families during the summer months, unless things took a sudden turn for the better, which the most sanguine did not look for for at least three months yet. Much speculation is going on as to what the leading mines and mills intend to do, but it is only guess work as to how much longer they will be kept going at present prices of silver and lead. The miners and men will in all probability keep going for some time yet, as the work in these mines cannot be stopped without a greater loss than would be on them to keep going. Time alone can tell what is to store their bodies and life. Of course the many improvements contemplated on the way now may be retarded for some time until silver looks up and is placed upon a solid foundation.

Manager McGregor of the Crescent mine was in the city Thursday, and says sidetrack start up the concentrator and mine, and also the tramway, until such a time as it can be known that it will pay to keep them in operation. By the closing down of this mine about 140 men are thrown out of employment, and most of them are preparing to go away, but where they cannot decide.

Ore shipments have been rather light during the past week, and but very little ore has been hoisted at the sampler. It is reported that the sampler will close on Saturday.

Owing to the prosperity of call times in the Deer Lodge, the committee in charge of the Fourth of July celebration have some of the promoters that money spent for sports, from there, Brewerville, etc., would be wrong in view of the condition of affairs, and have decided to reserve the money already collected to use to help the poor and needy over through the hard times.

The city council at its meeting on Tuesday night passed resolutions to the effect that all gambling houses shall be closed up tight in the future, and it is hoped that such will be the case, famous and gambling houses can well be spared from this town at present.

There was one house to be in Park during the week, that of Fawn Hudgeson, general merchandise dealer, in the W. H. Hoy Building. Liabilities about $10,000, and stock over $18,000. It is said that he will be ready to open up again in a short time, providing collections can be made with any reasonable success.

The weather during the week has been warm and dry and the nights have been correspondingly cool.

FAT PEOPLE.

To reduce your weight SURELY and without Injury Drink and Inhale the genuine Marvelous Obesity Cure. Sent to any address on receipt of price, $1.00 a Bottle. Two bottles are usually sufficient to reduce the most obese person. Ladies, because the reducing agent is harmless, may be MADE BEAUTIFUL. Every Antiseptic is a Beautifier. Sold by Druggists everywhere. Beware of worthless Fat Reducers. Weight from 10 pounds to forty pounds lessened in a month. Not a Patent Medicine, Secret Remedy, or Nostrum of Fakers. One gentleman writes: "My friends say I look 10 years younger." Another lady writes: "Your Obesity Cure has made me a new woman." Another writes: "I am more than pleased with your Obesity Cure. It is the best thing for the money I have ever bought in my life. I am more pleased with it than I can express, and would do all I can to help you. Our physicians are astonished at the results." Another writes: "Your Obesity Cure is the Nectar