

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Comptroller Westberg Notifies the Body of an Important Discovery.

EVIDENCE OF A FURTHER ROBBERY

Thousands of Dollars of Taxes Marked Paid During 1897 and 1898 for Which the City Has Not Received a Cent.

City Comptroller Westberg sprung something of a sensation at last night's meeting of the city council by declaring that he had discovered evidence of an additional robbery during the last year.

The matter came up in the shape of a resolution from the city comptroller asking that some taxes, marked as paid in 1897, be assessed with 7 per cent interest instead of the 12 per cent under the law on the grounds that the property owner supposed his taxes paid and that they were marked paid on the books.

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Another ordinance was passed providing for the condemnation of property necessary to open Twelfth avenue from its present northern terminus to a street at an appraisement of \$517,500.

City Comptroller Westberg reported the condition of the city finances to have been as follows on the close of business on June 30:

Table with financial data including Cash in drawers, Balances in banks, and various fund balances.

Notice to Republican Clubs. The republican clubs of Douglas county are hereby requested to meet at their various rooms on Thursday night, July 7, 1898.

Just before the meeting adjourned, on motion of President Bingham, Councilmen Lebeck, Mount and Stutz were appointed a committee to draw up a set of resolutions expressing sympathy over the death of Vincent Burkley to be presented to his son, Councilman Burkley, at the next meeting.

Buffalo, N. Y., and Next Meeting. Via the Northwestern Line, July 11th and 12th, extraordinary rates, through cars. The Northwestern is the "Official Line."

The Superb Equipment and quick time of the Union Pacific makes it the popular line to all principal western resorts.

Burlington Route advertisement with logo and text: Only one way to get there—Burlington Route.

HAYDEN BROS.

Thursday's Chances to Be Economical. SPECIAL SALE MEN'S FINE SHIRTS AND FURNISHINGS.

Complete and perfect revolving globes showing every point and giving longitude and latitude same as \$5.00 globes, on sale Thursday for 25c; number small; come early.

Three big tables of dress goods, worth \$60, 75c and \$1.00, on special sale at 25c, 50c and 75c.

Two Farmers Near Irvington Make Things Lively for a Fellow Who Steals.

Two farmers, Sam Forney and T. J. Mings, residing close to Irvington, this county, had a brush with a horse thief Tuesday night and, while they did not capture the man, they secured possession of his horse and buggy, together with a lot of harness he had stolen and had in his vehicle.

For several weeks the west end of the county has been overrun by horse thieves, who have stolen a number of fine animals.

During the last week horse thieves have been working in the vicinity of Irvington, where they have stolen several horses from farmers.

By this time the man had gone some distance and as the second round was fired he slackened his pace for an instant, which fact caused the men to believe that they had hit the fellow.

According to the report just prepared by the judicial committee of the ruling body, the 1898 levy will amount to \$114,000.

With the idea in view that the figures as now arranged will stand the judicial committee has appropriated the levy as follows: Interest fund, 16 mills; the 15 per cent reserve, leaves \$25,100; judgment fund, 2 1/2 mills, \$5,102; police, 5 mills, \$7,849; fire, 3 mills, \$4,709; public light, 5 mills, \$7,849; water fund, 3 mills, \$4,709; sewer fund, 4 1/2 mills, \$7,064; park, 3/4 mill, \$282; salary fund, 4 1/2 mills, \$7,064; cancer fund, \$1,177; street repair fund, \$4,177; general fund, 3 mills, \$3,439; total, \$78,407.

Union Veteran Republican Club. At a meeting of the Union Veteran Republican club held at the office of Judge Agnew last night, the following delegates were chosen to attend the State League convention: Captain F. J. Etter, J. O. Eastman, J. A. Beck, H. L. Dennis, L. E. Etter, John McIntyre and F. A. Agnew.

Mayor Reports on Business. Answers a New York Editor's Query with a Brief Showing of Prosperous Facts.

In answer to a request from the editor of the New York Commercial regarding the condition of business in this city, Mayor Moore has furnished the following information.

A few Advantages. Offered by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to Chicago.

Two daily trains. From Omaha at 9:05 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. Faster, finer, more complete, more comfortable than anything offered by competing lines.

BOUND OVER FOR MURDER

Thomas Sullivan, Who Killed Thomas Kirkland, Held for Trial.

JUDGE GORDON DENIES HIM BAIL

Efforts of the Prisoner's Attorney to Secure a Modification of the Charge Fall—Story of the State's Case.

Thomas Sullivan, who shot and killed Thomas Kirkland in the alley near Walter Brandes' saloon, Tenth and Mason streets, May 23 last, was given his preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon before Judge Gordon.

Sullivan's attorney, W. F. Gurley, sought to have the charge against his client changed to murder in the second degree, by alleging that the testimony of the state witnesses did not warrant the extreme charge.

Eight witnesses for the state gave testimony. The defense did not produce a witness. The testimony of Brandes' bartender, Tailcock, Officer W. H. Story and W. R. Bell, who was in the saloon at the time Sullivan ran into it, a revolver, was retained the line of defense put up by the defendant.

He Had Quarreled with Negroes. All, however, told of the quarrel Sullivan had between the negroes, Thad Lockey and Robert Samuels, before the shooting over the alleged theft of a quantity of shingles by Mrs. Lockey and Clara Hill, who live in the neighborhood.

Reputation Club's Meeting. The South Omaha Republican club met at Pivonka's hall last night for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State League convention, which meets in Omaha July 12.

Third Ward Fire Hall. Councilmen Wear and Trainer take exception to statements made in The Bee a few days ago in connection with the payment of \$1,000 for a lot in the Third ward for a fire hall.

South Omaha News. According to the report just prepared by the judicial committee of the ruling body, the 1898 levy will amount to \$114,000.

Magie City Gossip. Mary Shbaugh is down with rheumatism. E. A. Cahaly returned yesterday from a trip to Chicago.

Wentworth Military Academy. Government supervision. New buildings erected. Students received last year for year of room.

Guarantee Clothing Co. Corded in wave pattern—6 rows above a wide hem and another—choice for \$2.95.

The Lord Loves a Liar Who Has a Memory. Clippings from 2 advertisements of different dates—both issued by the same firm.

Hat Sale Tonight. This evening from 6:30 until closing time we will hold a special sale of men's hats.

If a Special Sale of Hats from 6:30 this Evening Until Closing Time (10 o'clock) is Not the Rankest Humbug of a Sale and Intended to Benefit a Few—Then Tell Us—Pray—Which is Which?

DR. BRONX CREAM BAKING POWDER advertisement with logo and text: A PURE SHAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO.

Special Bargains for the Misses in Shoes and Oxfords.

MISSSES OXFORDS AT 98C

The Balance of This Week We Will Give the Misses Some Special Bargains in Shoes and Oxfords.

Misses' fine kid Oxfords, in opera or coin toe, in black or tan, spring heels, sizes 11 to 2, at 98c; reduced from \$1.50 and \$1.85.

Misses' violet kid tan shoes, either lace or button, kid or cloth top, spring heels, sizes 11 to 2, at \$1.48; reduced from \$2.50.

Misses' black or tan shoes, sizes 11 to 1, widths A and B, at 98c; reduced from \$2.25.

Misses' cloth top button shoes, Philadelphia toe, extension sole, at \$1.48; reduced from \$2.25.

Ladies' white canvas Oxfords, at 98c; reduced from \$1.50.

Ladies' hand-made violet kid Oxfords, coin toe, either kid or cloth top, at \$2.25; good value at \$3.00.

Ladies' dark tan violet kid, bals coin toe, at \$2.25; worth \$3.00.

Ladies' fine violet kid, bals vesting top, in tan, at \$3.00; cheap at \$3.50.

We have a great many special bargains in ladies' shoes and Oxfords, at 98c; sizes 2 1/2 to 4.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO., FARNAM AND 15TH ST., BUFFALO, N. Y., AND RETURN.

Prescriptions. The reason we make special claims for our prescription department is because we have SPECIAL FACILITIES for doing a large prescription business.

Albany Dentists. Best set of teeth, \$5.00. No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered. All other works at same reduced prices.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Stone have returned from Chicago.

Wentworth Military Academy advertisement with logo and text: Government supervision. New buildings erected.

Mark downs.

We wish to emphasize the fact that we never have "mark down sales." We find our way of selling goods cheap all the year round is best.

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