# SOFT CITY PLUMS FACE DIRE DOOM; **AX TO FALL SOON**

Incoming Officials Agree on Smith as Mayor and Indicate That Economy Will Be Watchword.

Ed P. Smith, mayor. W. G. Ure, accounts and finance. J. Dean Ringer, police, sanitation

and public safety. Roy N. Towl, public improvements.

Harry B. Zimman, fire.

Thomas Falconer, parks and boulevards.

Dan B. Butler, street maintenance.

The foregoing assignments of city departments were adopted Friday at a conference of the commissioners elect in the office of Ed P. Smith. Frank L. Weaver of the law firm

of Weaver & Giller will be city attorney, succeeding John A. Rine. Mr. Weaver for many years has been finance department and rightfully identified with the Jacksonian camp should have had that department, of democracy, as opposed to the Dahlmanites.

W. C. Lambert, corporation counsel, will be retained until important posed of. A case against the electric light company is set for hearing in it out of "gang control," the United States district court of appeals, St. Paul, May 21, and Mr. Lambert is familiar with that suit. A new corporation counsel will be appointed within a few weeks.

Appointments of two city prosecutors for legal department stafi have and city treasurer, and understands not been considered. The legal de- the new work upon which he will partment will have tour attorneys in-stead of six as at present. H. B. Mr. Falconer, slated for superin-Fleharty and L. J. TePoel will automatically be removed.

The new mayor and commissioners years. will meet in the city council chamber Monday morning and organize by adopting resolutions, ratifying the selection of Mr. Smith for mayor and assigning the departments as agreed upon.

One of the policies of the new city council will be reduce the number of small departments, which have been established with the years. Consolidation will be practiced, consistent with efficiency, is one of the an-nouncements made by the commissioners-elect.

#### Economy Is Watchword.

Next Monday the new council will prepare an abstract of all of the city departments and divisions of departments, with lists of employes and their salaries. Then the lopping off will be started.

Mr. Smith will go to Lincoln tonight in connection with an application of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company, before the State railway commission, asking for authority to increase street car fare

in the court house when the latter OMAHA SENDS TWO was treasurer. Commissioner Butler, who will have MEN TO DETENTION the street maintenance department, under the new regime, will also have CAMP IN GEORGIA the muny coal department which he started a year ago in connection with he accounts and finance department. United States Marshal Tom Flynn "I was not called into conference left Omaha for Chicago Friday to deliver two federal prisoners to authorities there. The men, Chris

F. L. WEAVER.

that I was re-elected on my record

Mr. Butler stated.

Cook, Aberdeen, S. D., and Walter Siebert, Scottsbluff, will be taken to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., to be interned for the duration of the war. A special train carrying interned alien 'enemies to the Georgia camp will leave Chicago at 8 o'clock Satur-

day morning. "Sure, to hell mit der kaiser," re-plied Cook, when asked if he spoke

before he came to the United States Walter Siebert is a young man He was a banker in Scottsbluff and owns several farms near there. Federal men say he came to the United States four years ago under orders from the German staff and reported to the German consul in Chicago after

### Sues for \$10,000 Damages for

Mr. Ringer, the new superintendent of police, made his campaign for that office and frequently announced in pending litigation shall have been dis- public meetings that he would reor- fifth and K streets, when the sled ganize the police department and take upon which he was coasting on Feb-

As superintendent of the department of public improvements, Mr. Towl will have the benefit of a wide experience as a practical engineer. Mr. Ure, who will take over ac trict court.

department, Mr. Zimman, is a lawyer counts and finance, served as county

Ed. P. Smith and City Attorney tendent of parks and boulevards, has | Rine agreed on the proposition that been in the plumbing business for 25 the first Monday after election is the

English. Cook was a missionary in Africa

he had applied for first papers. Federal men say that he worked in Omaha for a short time shortly after his arrival in this country and with the other candidates. I believed that he was employed by a piano

#### as superintendent of the accounts and have had that department, Death of Son While Coasting

John W. Sund, sr., whose son, John Sund, jr., was killed at Twentyruary 11, 1916, collided with an auto truck belonging to Smisek & Hrdlicka,

grocers, is suing the grocers for \$10,-000. The trial is being heard in dis-

company.

who has had nine years experience as city councilman, having served two years of that time as acting mayor.

legal time for the new city officials

The new superintendent of the fire to take their seats.

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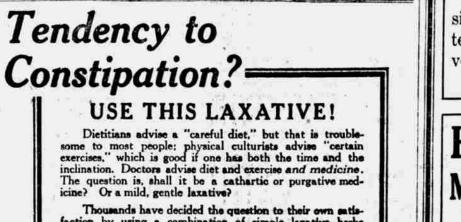
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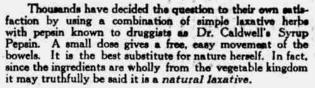
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