

ACTION IS DEFERRED

Police Matter Remains Unsettled

City Council Wrestles With the Water Works Proposition—Will Decide at Once.

All the members of the council were present at the meeting last night with the exception of Alderman Norway. The audience was larger than usual as it was expected the police matter would be definitely settled and possibly some appointments be made.

Sergeant Smith sent the council a letter acknowledging receipt of a communication from the city clerk as to the dispensing with the services of the town station police after July 1.

A communication was read from a number of citizens calling attention to the deplorable condition of First and second avenues between Albert and Edward streets, due largely to the Canadian Yukon Lumber Company who appear to have a total disregard for the rights of the public on the thoroughfares.

John R. Patterson, ten years on the N.W.M.P., four of which have been spent in the Yukon, asks for a position on the city police force.

Matthew Scofield, also an ex-N.W.M.P., is likewise an applicant. James Palmer would like to be chief or he would serve merely as a constable. He has had eight years experience in similar service in London.

The bids for installing the water system were read, a more exhaustive account of which will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The following bills were presented: Electric Light Co. \$255.00 Dawson Hardware Co. 233.90 Dawson Hardware Co. 69.40 Dawson Hardware Co. 8.50 Klondike Mill Co. 17.98 Third Avenue Stables 7.50 Reading Room, for April 300.00 Reading Room, for May 300.00 Palmer Bros. 153.00 McLennan & McFeely 186.63 Thord & Smith 30.75 N. D. Telegraph Co. 610.00 Telephone Co. 30.00 San Francisco Laundry 27.75 Geo. Brewitt 3.50

The report of the finance committee consisted only in the recommendation of the payment of the following bills:

Klondike Mill Co. \$ 76.87 Klondike Mill Co. 251.87 Yukon Sawmill 1,107.78 Yukon Sawmill 456.70 J. P. O'Connor 110.50 McDonald Iron Works 350.00 McDonald Iron Works 4.50 C. Y. Lumber Co. 1,533.03 McLennan & McFeely 6.90

Murphy undertook to take a fall out of the streets committee by asking the city engineer by what authority he put in the improvements on

Third avenue from King to Albert street, Mr. Rendell replying that it was in the contract.

"Then," said Murphy, "all I have to say is that it was a gross misappropriation of funds and the chairman of the streets committee who is continuously preaching economy shows poor judgment in countenancing such procedure. I should like, too, hereafter, to see all bills on the side of those for the fire department and labor to come before this council."

Wilson looked wise, smiled complacently and remarked that that portion of Third avenue which was referred to was in the contract and all had seen it. His worship poured oil over the troubled waters by saying that he did not regard the money spent as having been wasted. The street was in bad condition and at times practically impassable for horses.

Murphy gave notice of his intention to move an amendment to bylaw No. 4 which was later taken up and given its first, then its second and third readings. The amendment changes the hour of the meeting of the council from 8 to 8:30.

When a report from the police committee was called for Macdonald, chairman, said they were not ready, but would be so later in the week. That was Wilson's cue. He is bitterly opposed to a change in the present system, the substitution of a city police force for the N.W.M.P. and he moved to reconsider the report of the police committee filed and adopted at the last meeting.

Murphy arose to a point of order, Wilson having voted against the adoption of the report he can not now move its reconsideration. The point was argued, referred to the city solicitor who said there was nothing in any of the bylaws to that effect. Such ruling was right according to parliamentary procedure but was not necessarily binding upon the acts of the council.

Murphy is against the reconsideration and wants to go on record as vigorously opposed to police matters as they now stand. Wilson called the council's attention to the notice already served on Sergeant Smith and definite action upon the matter could not be deferred but a day or two at most.

Macdonald said that it was necessary to have several caucuses this week and that probably at the first held he would be prepared to show the council where and how the proposed change would be most desirable. He favors the city having its own police system and wanted to be understood emphatically upon that point. If his scheme fails his committee might as well go out of business. They are never consulted and are apparently of but little or no use.

The final reading of the fire bylaw was deferred until the next meeting. Some of the dealers are objecting to the clause which requires the exclusive use of pipe of No. 24 gauge, saying such is unnecessary where the pipe is exposed to view.

His worship again referred to the practice of laundries emptying their dirty water into the open sewers and said something must be done in the matter immediately.

Murphy gave notice that at least two weeks hence he would move an amendment to section 4 of bylaw No. 8, which refers to the tying up of animals to telephone poles, etc.

Ice cream and cake served at Gandolfo's. 17M

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Justice Dugas returned yesterday afternoon on the Columbian from a short trip to Skagway.

Mrs. W. B. Ross left this afternoon on the Columbian for a visit of several months in Seattle. She will return in September.

Ralph Boyker, the well known restaurateur formerly of this city, arrived this morning on the Victorian and is busy today renewing old acquaintances.

Dr. A. E. Wills and C. E. Carbonneau leave on the Sifton this evening for Paris on business connected with a big mining deal. They will be accompanied as far as the coast by H. T. Wills.

Both Working Hard.

Both Slavin and Burley fully realize that they are each against the hardest proposition of his ring life in the fifteen-round go that will take place in the A. B. hall Thursday night of next week, July 3rd, and each man is training as he has never trained before.

Slavin is determined that lack of training shall not be an obstacle this time and is going in to win back lost laurels.

Burley fully realizes that he had no "dead easy thing" before and that he will have much more to contend with this time. He is training as never before.

Betting so far is about even. Both men have backers who are willing to go their last dollar on the outcome. A. B. hall, Thursday night, July 3rd.

Coronation Concert

Tickets for the coronation concert on June 26th may be obtained free of charge at Reid's and Rudy's drug stores by endorsement of any member of the following committee: Hon. J. H. Ross (chairman), J. T. Litgow, F. T. Congdon, Wm. McKay, Hugh McKinnon, J. Newton Storry, E. C. Senkler, Alex. McFarlane, Joseph Barrett, Mayor Macaulay, R. P. McLennan, F. X. Gosslyn, H. E. A. Robertson, J. S. McKay, H. E. Ridley, Emil Stauff, Dr. J. N. E. Brown, H. G. Wilson, Ross Eckhart, Major Wood, H. C. Newlands, Chas. Macdonald.

Notice to the Public.

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Ice cream soda—at Gandolfo's. 17M

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Proclamation. The Commissioner of the Yukon Territory has received the following proclamation fixing the 26th day of June as a General Day of Thanksgiving and Rejoicing throughout the Dominion of Canada, on the occasion of the Coronation of His Majesty Edward the Seventh, and has been requested that the same be officially made public in the Yukon territory. PROCLAMATION. Minto. Canada. (L.S.) Edward the Seventh, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India. To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in any wise concern,—Greeting: Proclamation. E. L. Newcombe, Deputy of the Minister of Justice, Canada. Whereas Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two, has been fixed for our Coronation; And whereas we are desirous that the said day should be observed as a day of general thanksgiving and rejoicing throughout Canada: Now therefore know ye that we have thought fit, by and with the advice of our privy council for Canada to appoint and set apart Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of June next, as a public holiday to be observed as a day of public thanksgiving and rejoicing by all persons throughout our Dominion of Canada; Of all which our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern, are hereby required to

take notice and govern themselves accordingly. In testimony whereof we have caused these our Letters to be made patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. Witness, our right trusty and right-well-beloved cousin, the Right Honorable Sir Gilbert John Elliot, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund of Melgund, county of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Minto of Minto, county of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baronet of Nova Scotia, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, etc., etc., Governor General of Canada. At Our Government House in Our City of Ottawa, this twenty-fourth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two, and in the second year of our reign. By command, Under-Secretary of State. JOSEPH POPE. Send a copy of Goetzman's Souvenir to outside friends. A complete pictorial history of Klondike. For sale at all news stands. Price \$2.50.

Hydrophobia. Webster City, Iowa, June 14.—Death and four others suffering from hydrophobia, is the result of a dog's work at Ellsworth, a town near here. John Olson, the first victim, died Sunday at Chicago, where he had been taken for treatment. Last night Edward Severn, Allie and Mrs. George Pearson and their daughter, all suffering from hydrophobia, were taken to Chicago. Little hope is entertained for their recovery. The people in the country surrounding Ellsworth are panic-stricken. Other dogs have been bitten. To keep healthy drink the liquors at the Sideboard. Send a copy of Goetzman's Souvenir to outside friends. A complete pictorial history of Klondike. For sale at all news stands. Price \$2.50. The finest of office stationery can be secured at the Nugget primary reasonable prices. Coronation Decorations and Badges Just In. SUMMERS & ORRELL Second Avenue.

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6 PAGES Vol. 3—No. 153 HER LINES GRACE Whistle Arrives in of La France Large Passenger List on and Sifton—Last of Cut Rates. The La France of the M line with the hull of the T master ship, in tow sailed like a whirlwind this morning, the graceful line Whistle on account of her showing splendidly as she s the water. Every stick and every plank in her hull selected British Columbia fl is as pretty craft as ever o the Yukon. The only cargo by the Whistle was materi completion. Her boiler machinery will be installed and the house and upper w tested. The La France br and of freight and as mos the Eagle she will proba freight direct without Captain Martineau reports try town without any inc the note. The shoalest sand on the flats at the h large was six feet. The ore the passengers arriv M. N. Miles and child, Mis built, A. Bir, E. R. Peop Woodruff, W. H. Henderson Wardell, Miss Telford, C. N. Bergman, Jno. Mero Napier, R. Nero, J. F. Eva Vincent, Cantia Dr. Austin. The Columbian yesterday ask out the largest load that has left this sea mb, every cot, and prac standing room being t passengers were as follow Jones, A. Camell, Mrs. E. Mary McDonald, Mar Mr. and Mrs. R. O Hemstead, Mrs. C. Shaw, T. H. Allic The Ladue Quartz Mill IS NOW IN OPER We have made a number of tests and ready to make others. We have the best money will buy and agize all our work i rail and also in the Assay Offi Shoff's Worm —FOR DOGS— It Never Fail PIONEER DRUG TE 8x10 10x12 12x16 McLennan