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THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1897.

MEETING OF THE NEW TOWN COUNCIL.

Shultz Elected Ohief of Police.

The Turning Out of Old Officern and the **Election of New Ones Took up Most** of the Time.

The first meeting of the new Council occurred last Thursday night, and in spite of the rainy weather, President W. R. Kocher, and all the members, F. J. Richards, Thomas Gorrey, John Kelley, W. S. Rishton, Henry Hower and H. G. Supplee were on hand.

It was about eight o'clock when the meeting was called to order. Secretary Ringler read the minutes of the last meetings, which were approved.

President Kocher spoke for a few minutes, calling the attention of the Council to the responsible position to which they had been elected by the people, and asked that they all stand by him during the coming year, so that with their united efforts, they may perform their duties with satis faction to themselves, and for the general good of the town.

The next business was the nominations for officers, and the first taken up was that of Secretary. On motion member H. G. Supplee was elected Secretary pro. tem.

Applications were received from R. H. Ringler, who offered his services for \$5 less than he had been getting, making the salary \$15 per month. J. L. Sharpless had a written application before the Council, while Henry Hower placed G. F. Quick in nomination.

per month took the Council by surprise, and for a few minutes silence reigned supreme, but finally Gorrey made a motion that the salary of the Secretary be fixed at \$15 per month. It was seconded by Supplee, and Town business first, and hear petitions, carried by all the votes but one. complaints, &c. afterward. Richards voting no.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The candidates were then voted follows: for, Quick receiving the votes of Gorrey, Hower, Kelly, Richard and Rishton-5 ; Ringler, those of Supplee and Kocher-2. The former was thereupon declared elected and sen: for to take his position. In a few minutes he arrived and at once proceeded to fill the duties for which he was chosen. The nomination of a Vice President was asked for, when Supplee was named by Richard, seconded by Hower and elected unanimously.

ard, Rishton and Gorrey-5. For Neyhard-Supplee, Kocher-2. The Street Commissioner is to serve under the direction and at the pleasure of the President, and Street

Committee. For Town Engineer, J. C. Brown less that promised prosperity makes and W. H. Eyer were named and the its appearance pretty soon. former elected unanimously.

THE POLICE AFFAIR.

The police question, which has been so much talked about for a long time, and in which a great deal of interest has been manifested, was taken up and fully ventilated. Some favored two policemen, some but one and so on. Finally Gorrey moved that the salary of Policeman be made \$40 per month and he to find his own uniform. Seconded by Hower and carried without a dissenting voice. Hower then moved that we have

but one paid officer who is to go on duty at four o'clock p. m. and remain until four a. m. Seconded by Gorrey. Before the question was put however, the members again discussed the matter. A vote was then taken and years. the motion carried by all the votes but one-that of Rishton. It was understood that the hours may be

changed at the pleasure of the Council. The candidates for Chief were the book is being read. named-Chas. Culp, Wesley Rnorr

and Arlington Shultz-and voting began. For Culp-Rishton, Supplee,

Kocher-3. For Knorr-Hower, Kelly, Rich-

ard-3. For Shultz-Gorrey-1.

No one having a majority they tried

it again. For Culp-Rishton, Supplee, Koch-

er---3. For Knorr-Hower, Kelly,

For Shultz-Gorrey, Richard. Still no one having the requisite number of votes, a third ballot was

taken which settled the business. For Culp-Rishton, Supplee, Kocher-3.

For Shultz-Gorrey, Hower, Kelly, Richard-4-

The last ballot as will be seen resulted in the election of Shultz, he having

received four votes and Culp three. The selection of a Constable was laid over, and he will be chosen at the special meeting to be held tonight.

In addition to the Chief the Council will appoint a special police for each of the four districts, and they to take omination. Mr. Ringler's offer to work for \$15 and remain till midnight, for which

time only they will be paid, except for arrests from time to time.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided that the Council at each meeting will attend to the THE COMMITTEES.

President Kocher read his appointments for the various committees as

Street Com .- F. J. Richard, Henry

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The Democrats of Chicago started the 1900 ball rolling last week, by electing their candidate mayor of that city by a handsome majority. This is only a forerunner of the land slide that will occur four years hence, un-

Horrors! President McKinley deserted his post before he had been in the White House two months, to take a pleasure trip on the government despatch boat Dolphin. And the people foot the bill. When Cleveland was President he occasionally took these trips, and there was no end of howling from the republican organs. Now that McKinley has done the same thing, they haven't a word to say against it. Where is the difference?

Ex-Senator Daniel W. Voorhees died in Washington last week. He was familiarly known as the "Tall Sycamore of the Wabash." He was a valiant Democratic leader for many

William J. Bryan has received for the first month's royalty on the sale of his book, entitled: "The First Battle," \$6,000. This is proof that

A neighboring editor, on reading that a young lady in New York kneads bread with her gloves on, indulged in the following soliloquy : "It is said that a New York girl kneads bread with her gloves on, but this is not strange to us. We need bread with our boots on ; we need bread with our pants on ; and if those subscribers who are in arrears don't pay up pretty soon, we will need bread without any thing on."

Scrofula

Face Broke Out With Sores-Weak and Sickly Until Hood's Sarsa-

parilla Made Him Well.

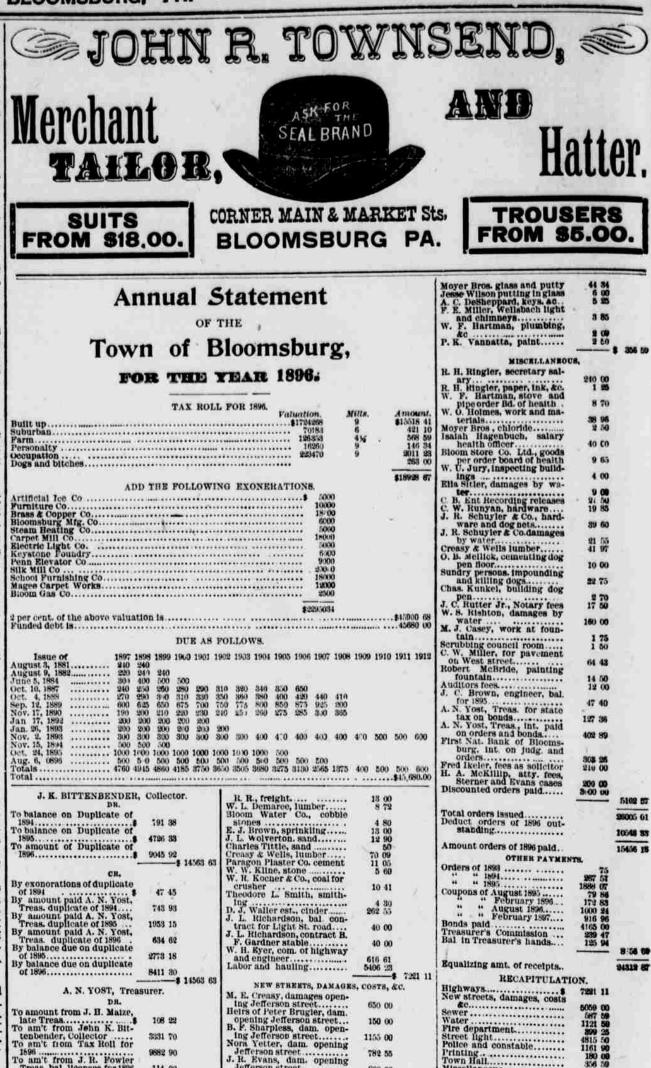
" My little son was afflicted with scrofula sores and he was weak and sickly. Our physician recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla and I bought a bottle. Before he had taken all of this bottle his face began to break out with sores and one side of his face was nearly all one solid sore. I continued giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla until he had taken two bottles. The sores were then healed and he has been well and hearty ever since." Z. W. SMITH, Big Shanty, Pennsylvania.

"Everything I ate seemed to produce gas in my stomach. I was growing worse and friends advised me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. When I had taken four bottles I was able to eat and feel no distress. I could attend to my household duties without the fatigue I formerly felt." ADA MCVICKAR, White Hall, Pa.

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fier. Price \$1, six for \$5. Be sure to get Hood's. Hood's Pills are tasteless, mild, effec-tive. All druggists. 25c.





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The compensation of Town Treas urer was fixed at one per cent. on ail money paid out, same as last year.

The applicants for said office were: A. N. Yost the present incumbent, and J. H. Maize. The former was elected by the votes of Gorrey, Hower, Rishton, Supplee and Kocher-5. Kelly and Richard voting for the latter.

For Town Solicitor Fred Ikeler and W. H. Magill were named, the former being elected by all the votes but that of Richard. The retaining fee to be the same as last year, namely \$25.

The next office taken up was that of Commissioner of Highways. For this position there were named Harry Williams, C. R. Housel, Chas. W. Mc-Kelvy, John Cadman and Fred Ney-hard. Charles H. Moore also hand-ed in an application to serve as Town Engineer and Street Commissioner combined, and W. H. Eyer applied as Engineer and superintendent of sewers, but as it had been agreed upon to have these offices separate, as in former years, the applications of Moore and Eyer were dropped.

After considerable time had been taken up in discussion as to the salary of the Street Commissioner, it was moved by Gorrey and seconded by Richard that the pay of the Street Commissioner be fixed at \$2 per day, for each day he works. It was carried by a majority of the votes.

The candidates were then taken up and voted for as follows :

For Housel-Kelly.

For McKelvy-Hower, Rishton. For Cadman-Richard.

For Neyhard-Gorrey, Kocher, Supplee. There being no one with the re-

quired number of votes to elect, a second ballot was taken resulting in the election of McKelvy as below ; For McKelvy .-- Hower, Kelly Rich- 1 loc, 25c.

Hower, W. S. Rishton. Finance-H. G. Supplee, Thomas Gorrey, F. J. Richard.

Light-Thos. Gorrey, H. G. Supplee, John Kelly. Fire and Water-W. S. Rishton,

John Kelly, H. Hower. Board of Health-Henry Hower,

W. S. Rishton, John Kelly. Sanitary Committee-To be appointed later.

Building permits were granted to Mathias Faust for house on Leonard Street, and to W. H. Slate for brick stable on rear of his lot.

The Bloomsburg M'fg Co., as per petition presented was exempted from taxation for a period of five years making ten years all told.

Land Improvement Co. sent in a proposition agreeing to donate for public travel Locust, Spruce and East Fourth streets, so far as their line runs, if Town accepts same within two months. A petition was also presented asking that Locust Street be extended from Fifth St. down to Berwick road. These matters were, upon motion, laid on the table for the present.

Bills were read as follow	vs :
Water Co., water at Town Hall	. \$ 28
W. M. Monroe powder,	
caps, &c G. E. Elwell, notices for	
West St. view	
Ben. Rhodes, hauling, cob ble stones, &c	. 30 0
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and work	. 15
Water Co., fire hydrants Elec. Light Co., Stree	t
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There being no furthe	r business

the Council on motion, adjourned, to meet to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

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