

BONDS FOR BRIDGES.

Councils Refer a Bill Providing for a \$1,500,000 Issue.

THE COMMITTEE MEETS FRIDAY.

A Franchise Given the Morningside and Highland Park Railway.

ANOTHER STEP TOWARD A BOULEVARD

A surprisingly large number of councilmen turned out to yesterday's meeting, but what was even more surprising they were all in the seats ready for business at 2:30 o'clock.

By a unanimous vote Select Council finally passed the ordinance giving a right of way to the Morningside and Highland Park Street Railway Company.

It had been so patched with amendments as to make it nearly worthless, but Mr. P. Sawyer, who is the prime mover in the scheme, was glad enough to get it, even as it was.

Mr. Robertson's ordinance giving the West End Electric Company privilege to light and heat that part of the city was passed unanimously in Select Council, he declining to vote because he was interested.

Chief Bigelow had another ordinance presented in the furtherance of his boulevard scheme. It provides for opening Beechwood avenue from Frankstown to Reservoir avenue, at a width of 80 feet.

Objections to a New Incline. Objections were raised to the ordinance allowing the Clinton Iron Company to build an incline over West Carson street because there was no provision for guards or flooring to protect pedestrians on the street below.

Mr. King in Common Council wanted to know if the Auditing Committee was ready to report on the monthly statements of the department chiefs showing their expenditures.

President Holliday referred the question to Mr. Thorn, of the Auditing Committee. Mr. Thorn said: "We have not had a meeting. We endeavored to meet once but couldn't get a quorum."

MANY NEW BILLS.

A Strong Demand for Garbage Legislation From the Women.

New business presented and properly referred was as follows: In Select Council—A resolution directing the Department of Public Works to prepare estimates for repaving Liberty avenue from Thirty-third to Main street; resolution for repairing of Main street from Penn to Liberty avenues;

ordinance for the construction of a sewer on Exchange alley and across the Monongahela wharf from Third street to Monongahela river; ordinance relating to Alder street from O'Hara street, 163 feet eastward; ordinance establishing the grade of Arlington avenue from South Eighteenth street to city line; establishing the grade of Mellon street from Stanton avenue to McCully street; opening Avonmore street from Stanton to Coleridge street; opening Coleridge street from Avonmore to Moreland street; petition for water pipe on Millin street; ordinance opening Thirtieth street from Breton to Mingo street; opening Arch street from Thirtieth to Branch street; grading Arch street from Thirtieth to Branch street; opening and grading Mingo street from Thirtieth to Ridge street; petition of the Women's Health Protective Association for a municipal system of collection and disposal of garbage and indicating how it should be done.

In Common Council—Ordinances for the vacation of Sanson street; vacating the Puckety road from Sheldahl avenue to Fifth avenue; opening Bryson street, Fourth street; for the purchase of a lot from T. P. Herberberger in the Thirty-sixth ward for purposes not named; fixing the salary of Assistant Milk Inspector at \$1,400 and Assistant Sanitary Officer at \$1,500 per annum.

PASSED IN BOTH BRANCHES.

The Junction Railroad Called Down for Blocking a Crossing.

Papers passed finally were as follows: Resolution requiring the Junction Railroad to keep the Neville avenue crossing clear of cars; ordinance for grading and paving of Cabinet alley from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth streets; grading, paving and curbing Howley street from Main street to Canoe alley; locating Parnell street from Home Row street to the west line of Hill Burgwin's property; establishing the grade of Gem alley from Atlantic avenue to Mathilda street; locating Mansion street from Second avenue to Glenwood avenue; relocating Greece avenue from Winterburn street to the angle at Frank street.

Chief Bigelow's Contracts Approved.

The following contracts awarded by Chief Bigelow were approved: For the construction of sewers on Kelly, Fairmount and Roup streets, Garnet alley, First avenue and Sappington alley; Bennett, Bennett, Hastings, Elystan, Lawe and Rock streets; to Booth & McQuaide; on Sheridan avenue, to Michael Gallagher.

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