CITY COUNCILS.

The regular meeting was held yesterday afternoon.

SELECT BRANCH.

A note was received from the Board of Health relative to a nuisance at the foot of Deal and Memphis streets. The Highway Department having been notified, returned the communication, expressing their inability to abate it. Referred to the Committee on Highways.

A communication was received from G. F. Gordon, Inspector of Streets. The Chair announced it to be a very voluminous document.

Mr. Bumm requested its reading, inasmuch as he had offered a resolution of inquiry why the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards have not been visited by the public scavengers.

The communication was read. Mr. Gordon admits the justice of the complaints. He says that over two hundred written complaints have been received, and that the contractors for the district named have sadly neglected their business. Many complaints referred to the Board of Health have been returned "attended to," when not a thing has been done concerning them. Upper Delaware avenue has been touched but once in two months, and in the Wards named one hundred and four streets have not yet been touched by the present contractors. The writer says that despite the covert attacks of interested parties he shall continue to perform his duty, reliant upon the confidence of his fellow-citizens and the support of His Honor the Mayor.

Mr. Van Cleve said that the entire tenor and purport of this communication should receive the condemnation of City Councils. This official seems to have only one ambition, and that was to annul and break these contracts. His whole communication is a tissue of falsehoods from beginning to end. He had no sooner been the recipient of the appointment than he openly stated that he would break up the contractor for the northern district. There were no complaints from the southern district, yet it was even in a worse condition than the northern district. There is ample reason why these contractors cannot now enter into the spirit and letter of the contract they have taken. They require a little time to get their dumping places. The speaker knew that the Mayor did not indorse Gordon's communication. He knew that the Mayor had told Cordon that reasonable time must be given to the contractors to do their work. Instead of aiding them he has continually annoyed them, and unless he desists the speaker would at an early day move for the abrogation of his office.

Mr. Gray expressed the belief that this was a very unusual and captious attack upon a city official, whom he believed to be correct in all his statements. As compared with the upper district the southern section of the city is in good condition, and the speaker believed that the Mayor is sick at heart that he ever gave the contract to the parties who now hold it.

Mr. Bumm said that he had introduced the resolution because in some parts of his own and the Nineteenth Wards the dirt was two feet deep; complaints were coming in to him at a rate so annoyingly that he would have been false to his duty as a representative had he not introduced the resolution. Since then, however, the contractors had been at work in the districts complained of, and the streets had been cleansed.

Mr. Van Cleve said that an injunction had prevented the contractor from working for three weeks, and at the time of the resolution he had not yet reached the district complained of.

The subject was ultimately referred to the Mayor.

An ordinance paying Thomas Robertson remuneration for injuries received, as previously reported, was adopted.

Mr. Wagner, Committee on Law, presented bills to divide the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-seventh Wards into election divisions, which were passed.

Mr. Pollock, of the Committee on Health, made a report relative to the alleged emptying of the contents of cesspools in the streets by certain parties. After close investigation they find the charges to be true, and recommend prosecution of the guilty parties.

This was adopted.

Mr. Pollock also presented a report from the Committee on Health, providing that all small-pox subjects in the county prison and other public institutions shall be placed in the municipal hospital. Adopted.

The bill making appropriation to repair certain station houses was concurred in.

Mr. Barlow moved the discharge of the Investigating Committee of the Gas Trust from further consideration of the resolution to request the opinion of the City Solicitor in regard to the power of the committee of investigation to compel the attendance of witnesses.

Col. Page objected. For the present, at least, the resolution should remain with the committee.

The motion to discharge was agreed to. The resolution then came before the Chamber.

Mr. Barlow took exception to the conduct of Col. Page, chairman of the committee, while acting upon the committee, as overbearing, and giving the opinion that the committee had no authority for their work.

Mr. Page said he was very glad to know how Mr. Barlow stood. No gentleman would insult him (Col. Page); no blackguard can do so. He was glad to see where Mr. Barlow stood. He had done every thing to frustrate the objects of the committee and he was glad that he was the only one of the committee who justified the individual of the Twentieth Ward, who acted as Chief Engineer of the Gas Works, in refusing to answer the questions of the committee.

Col. Page then went on in a long speech, in which he denounced Mr. Manuel for defying the authority of the committee and of Councils, and reprehended the course of Mr. Barlow in obstructing and embarrassing the investigation before the committee.

Pending the discussion of the question the Chamber adjourned, there being no quorum present.

COMMON BRANCH.

A communication was read from the Board of Health, stating that information had been lodged with the Highway Department of the filthy condition of the intersection of Deal and Memphis streets. The streets are unpaved, and there is no appropriation in the Department to have the thoroughfares put in proper condition.

Another communication from the same source called the attention to the highway at Thirteenth and Reed streets. Stagnant water has accumulated there, and the miasma threatens the health of the vicinity. The only remedy for the evil suggested by the Board is a sewer or watercourse along Reed street to Tenth, which is not yet opened.

Mr. Miller, Chairman of the Highway Committee, reported resolutions. To pave Otis street, from Richmond street to the Delaware river. To grade and tramway Canby and Ristine streets, Eighth Ward. To repave Trenton avenue from York to Emeline streets. Also, an ordinance appropriating $1,650 to complete the macadamising of Green lane, from Frankford plank road to Branchtown. All were passed.

The Police Committee, presented an ordinance creating a new police district, by dividing the first and second police districts and forming a new one, the seventeenth, the station house at Moyamensing Hall.

This was debated at length and finally tabled.

The same Committee also reported an ordinance for the purchase of a lot of ground at Cotton and Main streets, Manayunk.

Mr. Simpson explained that a new station house must be erected at Manayunk. The old one is tumbling down. It was built years ago by the old borough of Manayunk and cost the city nothing. That a new station must be built no one will deny who has ever passed an hour in the house.

The matter was postponed for one week.

At the request of Mr. Griffith, the Committee on Fire was discharged from the consideration of the ordinance to pay the Good Will and Fairmount Engine companies the warrants for January and February, during which months the companies were suspended.

Mr. Wolbert presented a resolution to secure more perfect unanimity in numbering houses, and that all the old numbers remaining on houses be at once removed. Agreed to.

Mr. Palmer offered a resolution that as the Inspector of Streets had advertised that the citizens must only place ashes on the footways of the streets on certain days, and as the people generally have placed boxes on the pavements and the ashes have not been been removed, that the Chief Inspector of Streets be instructed to report to Councils the reason of this neglect and that he be also instructed to have published three times, in three daily papers, the contracts for cleaning the streets, that every citizen may know whether the contracts are faithfully kept.

A motion to table fell.

Mr. Harper moved to indefinitely postpone, in order that the subject may be ventilated. Citizens of certain districts have placed ashes on footways on days when the advertisement called for it, and the people have been compelled to remove the ashes themselves.

Mr. Wolbert said the matter belonged to the Mayor of the city of Philadelphia. The whole city knows that a bitter malignant attack has been made on the contractors for the northern district, and the attack is false. The contractors have had no opportunity. While they have been appointed for only two months they have been dragged into committees, into Councils and into court. The charges against them are lies, and the lie should be nailed and traced to its source.

Mr. Evans said that so far as the Fifteenth Ward is concerned the contractors have signally failed to do their duty. In some of the principal streets the ashes were removed, but in the alleys and the little streets where the people are not clamorous for redress, the ashes have never been taken from the boxes where they were first deposited.

Mr. Fox advocated patience. The northern contractors had met unexpected difficulties. The ashes they were called upon to remove, have, in many cases, been the accumulation of four or five months prior to the date of the contracts.

The motion to indefinitely postpone was lost—yeas 6, nays 20.

Mr. Evans offered the following substitute: To strike out all after the word "resolved" and to insert "that the Chief Inspector of Street Cleaning be instructed to inform Councils at their next meeting the cause of the non-removal of the ashes from the sidewalks."

Mr. Wolbert moved to strike out the words "the Chief Inspector of Street Cleaning" and to insert "the Mayor."

Mr. Hetzel moved to refer the entire subject to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Mr. Evans asked why Councils were afraid to direct the Chief Inspector to report the cause of the delinquency? The report of that official can be criticised. It will be before Councils, and they can review it. If it is right there will be nothing to conceal, but if the Inspector finds that the contractors are false to their duty, then the evil will be apparent, and Councils can remove it.

Mr. Wolbert said he was neither an advocate of the Inspector nor of the contractors. He was not a friend of either the northern or southern contractors. He simply asked that the report should come from the Mayor.

Mr. Fox said that all that Councils ought to do is to cut off the head of the Chief Inspector of Streets without delay.

Mr. Stokley said the Mayor should have the case in his hands. The Mayor is the Court of Appeal in this case. The Chief Inspector has visited the Mayor and then haunted the Street Cleaners' Committee until he has disgusted the Committee; and now the resolution introduced this afternoon has been brought here for the benefit of the Chief Inspector. Since Gordon has been in the department he has been tireless in his efforts to break down the contractors for the Northern District.

Mr. Palmer denied being an advocate of Mr. Gordon, and declared that he never spoke to the Chief Inspector for one minute, or to any friend of the Inspector.

The motion to refer to the Mayor passed unanimously. Yeas 36, nays none.

Mr. Franciscus offered the following ordinance:

Ε. The Select and Common Councils of the city of Philadelphia do ordain that the office of Chief Inspector of Streets, as constituted and organized by and under an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to establish the Department of Street Cleaning," approved February 15th, 1864, shall be abolished, and shall cease and determine from and after the 30th of May next; and that all ordinances, or parts of ordinances providing for the election of Chief Inspector of Streets, as now established, and under and by virtue of which the present Chief Inspector of Streets was elected, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Mr. Franciscus asked for prompt action. The Chief Inspector has only made trouble in any position. In any business situation he could not remain from daylight till dark.

Mr. Krupp moved to lay the ordinance on the table. The motion was lost.

YEAS—Messrs. Earnest, Evans, Harper, Krupp and Simpson—5.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Allison, Armstrong, Bardsley, Billington, Creswell, Fox, Franciscus, Griffiths, Hallowell, Hancock, Harrison, Heizel, Mactague, Marcer, Martin, Miller, Mullin, Nickels, Oram, Ray, Shane, Stanton, Stockham, Stokes, Willits—26.

Excused from voting—Mr. Stokley.

Not voting—Messrs. Calhoun, Colehower, Palmer

Mr. Harrison moved to refer to the Committee on Street Cleaning. This was lost.

The ordinance passed second reading. On the third reading the yeas and nays were called, and the Chamber refused to suspend the rules to allow the bill to be read a third time. Adjourned.

Territorial Wagon Roads.

The Secretary of the Interior has directed the suspension of surveys for certain wagon roads in the Territories. This has been done upon the recommendation of E. B. Taylor, Samuel R. Curtis, A. H. Sibley and Henry W. Reed, commissioners appointed to treat with the hostile Indians in the Upper Missouri. In their judgment it would be impolitic and dangerous to make any further surveys of routes through the country inhabited by the Teton bands of the Sioux Indians before the negotiation contemplated with the bands and tribes, as well as those already consummated, have been fully completed, and the annuities under the latter fully paid as stipulated. There is no serious doubt on the part of all the savages heretofore hostile, as to the good faith of the Government towards them, and it is therefore highly desirable that the treaties already made be ratified and the annuities provided paid to the several bands with the least practical delay.

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