MONEY WANTED IN ALL OF THE WARDS

Deluge of Expenditure Measures Are Offered in Councils.

ALL ON ACCOUNT OF A SURPLUS FUND OF $14,000 FROM 1897—ORDINANCE GIVING THE NEW TELEPHONE COMPANY A FRANCHISE GETS A GOOD AND RAPID START. UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORT MADE TO CHANGE THE MONSEY AVENUE SEWER CONTRACT.

An ordinance giving the new Lackawanna Telephone company a franchise to use the city's streets for its poles and wires was introduced in select council last night. With some opposition the measure was hurried in and out of the committee and passed one reading.

Each branch of councils was in session, select council in regular and common council in adjourned session. Because of the city controller's recent communication that a surplus fund of $14,000 was available for general purposes an avalanche of ordinances providing for an expenditure of the money developed in each branch. In addition, an ordinance, supplementary to the approved 1898 appropriation measure was introduced.

When the order of new ordinances and resolutions was reached in select council, Mr. O'Boyle introduced the telephone franchise measure.

Mr. Finn's motion that the ordinance be referred to the judiciary committee and reported forthwith met with an amendment by Mr. Melvin that the measure take its regular course. President Chittenden ruled that the first motion had precedence as it involved a procedure contrary to regular rule. The motion was adopted by a vote of 10 to 2, President Chittenden not voting.

REPORTED FAVORABLY.

The ordinance was reported favorably by Mr. Sanderson, the chairman of the committee, who first received from Mr. Finn an assurance that no attempt would be made to pass the ordinance on more than one reading last night.

When the measure was called up on first reading by Mr. Finn, the privilege of the floor was granted Attorney George S. Horn. He announced that the paid-in capital of the company had recently been increased to $100,000; that 600 subscribers had been secured, 100 more than was provided in the ordinance, and that the rate for service would be much lower than charged by other companies. The rate would be $24 per year for house telephones and $33 or less for business telephones. The rate would be uniform and not affected by the number of calls. Arrangements had been started, he said, for subscribers up and down the valley and for connection at Carbondale and Hazleton with other circuits.

The ordinance passed first reading by a vote of 13 to 5, President Chittenden and Mr. Ross not voting. The division was as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Finn, Kearney, Thomas, James, Roche, Robinson, Shea, Sanderson, Schroeder, Lansing, O'Boyle, Coyne, McAndrew.

Nays—Messrs. Williams, Melvin, McCann, Fellows and Frable.

At the opening of the session and when President Chittenden was preparing to open the sealed proposals to clean the city's paved streets by contract, Mr. Roche aroused the interest of the members by the request that the proposals be left unopened. He remarked that the proposals had been made upon specifications that were incomplete and misleading. He then received permission to read the following typewritten statement which, he said, had been handed him previous to the meeting:

READ A STATEMENT.

The specifications are faulty inasmuch as Bank street, from Spruce to Linden, one-half of which is paved with asphalt, and Railroad alley, from Adams avenue to Cliff street, are entirely omitted from the schedule of streets to be cleaned, as is also Lackawanna avenue, from Adams avenue to Jefferson, both of which are paved with cobble.

Schedule "B," which is to be cleaned three times per week, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays, 102½ blocks, included the South Side, central city, Green Ridge and Hyde Park. If this schedule is complied with the contractor must employ a very large force of men and teams which he could only work half time, as there is not enough work in schedules C and D to keep them employed for the balance of the week.

This would entail an expense upon the contractor which in justice he should not be called upon to bear and would give the men only one-half time.

A motion by Mr. Roche then prevailed that the bids and specifications be referred to the streets and bridges committees and the street commissioner for adjustment, the bids to be opened by the latter.

Mayor Bailey's nomination of Thomas P. Collins to be substitute police patrolman to fill the vacancy caused by the temporary retirement of Chief of Police Robling, who is with the Thirteenth regiment was confirmed. Collins resides at 820 South Main avenue. He is a brother-in-law of Select Councilman James (Republican), of the Sixth ward. The new patrolman has been driver boss at the Dodge mine. He is 37 years old, is 5 feet and 7 inches in heighth, weighs 200 pounds and is married.

A communication from City Controlled Robinson suggesting that $5,000 of the surplus fund be appropriated for incidentals and judgment and that $3,200 of the latter be set aside for damages incurred in opening Price street, was received and filed.

From the city engineer was received a statement showing the milage of unpaved streets in each ward. The wards and mileage were as follows: First, 20.89; Second, 14.23; Third, 6.55; Fourth, 2; Fifth, 8.15; Sixth, 5.68; Seventh, 2; Eighth, 1.27; Ninth, 5.77; Tenth, 6.69; Eleventh, 3.96; Twelfth, 3.45; Thirteenth, 11.08; Fourteenth, 2.71; Fifteenth 7.35; Sixteenth, 2.48; Seventeenth, 7.37; Eighteenth, 1.10; Nineteenth, 8.33; Twentieth, 12.70; Twenty-first, 7.93; total 145.42.

An ordinance providing for the appropriation of the surplus fund of $13,916.71 was introduced by Mr. Sanderson. A motion by Mr. Lansing that it be referred to the estimates committee and reported forthwith was lost on a tie vote. It was then referred by rule and will probably be reported at the next meeting.

PROVISIONS OF MEASURE.

The measure provides for the following expenditures:

Ward appropriations for street repairs to be expended under the supervision of the street commissioner:

Third ward	$195
Seventh ward	109
Eighth ward	166
Fourteenth ward	400
Eighteenth ward	309
	—$ 1,119 00
Plumbing inspector	325 00
Five stokers of fire steamers	500 00
Repairing Luzerne street	200 00
Resurfacing asphalt pave	11,772 71
	$13,916 71

Ordinances and resolutions were introduced as follows; the ordinances provide for expenditure from the surplus fund and were referred to committee, and the resolutions were adopted, unless otherwise indicated:

Mr. Fellows—(Ordinance) appropriating $750 for repairing Luzerne street.

Mr. Melvin—(Ordinance) providing for the purchase of a combination hose and chemical wagon for Nay Aug company.

Mr. Coyne—(Ordinance) providing for the purchase of a combination hose and chemical wagon for William Connell company.

Mr. James—(Ordinance) providing for repairs to South Main avenue in the Sixth ward.

Mr. Williams—(Resolution) directing city engineer to give grade on Woodlawn avenue, between Adams and North Washington avenues; an amendment by Mr. Lansing that the grade be withheld until all the property owners had signed a release to the effect that the city would not be liable for damages incurred in grading, which was to be at the former's expense.

Mr. Ross—(Ordinance) for a retaining wall on the west side of North Main avenue at the Leggett's creek culvert.

Mr. Williams—(Ordinance) for opening the southerly side of Jackson street, from Main avenue to the first alley west of the latter.

Mr. Schroeder—(Ordinance) for relaying cobblestone pavement on Penn avenue, between Mulberry and Vine streets; also on Raymond court, between Linden and Vine streets.

Mr. McCann—(Ordinance) for a fire engine for Franklin company.

Mr. Roche—For a pipe drain on Carbon street, from the Lackawanna Iron and Coal company bridge to the Lackawanna river.

Mr. McCann—(Resolution) locating the plumbing inspector's office in the board of health rooms.

Mr. McCann—(Ordinance) for an extension to the North Main avenue culvert over the Mount Pleasant ravine.

Mr. McAndrews—(Resolution) directing the park commissioners to obtain an option for the purchase of Tripp park and to report to the joint bond ordinance committee.

Mr. McAndrew—(Ordinance) appropriating $600 for the repair of North Main avenue and West Mountain road in the Twenty-first ward.

Mr. Sanderson—(Ordinance) for sidewalks at the expense of property owners on Columbia avenue.

Mr. Robinson—(Resolution) directing the pavement committee to confer with the Lackawanna Iron and Coal company relative to an arrangement for the early paving of Lackawanna avenue, between Adams and Jefferson avenues.

Mr. Robinson—(Resolution) that the fire department committee purchase one horse and a double harness for Neptune Engine company. (The appropriation is contained in the 1898 appropriation ordinance).

Mr. Robinson—(Resolution) directing the city clerk to advertise for proposals to repair the Neptune Engine company quarters. (Appropriation provided in the 1898 ordinance).

ENERGETIC DEBATE.

A long discussion and some energetic debate between Mr. Roche and Mr. Coyne was created by the former's resolution that the resolution awarding to Donohoe & O'Boyle the contract for building the Monsey avenue and Green place sewer be recalled from the mayor for further consideration. At the preceding meeting the contract was awarded to the firm mentioned after it had been charged that the lowest bidder, V. H. O'Hora, paid low wages, was irresponsible and had been short in his payments for labor and material on former contracts.

Mr. Roche said Mr. O'Hora had been confused with another person of that name and read a letter and affidavit from the contractor setting forth his responsibility and disclaiming the assertions as to wages and unpaid bills. Mr. Roche said the O'Hora bid was $248 lower than that of the firm that had received the award and expressed his belief that councils would rectify an unintentional wrong and give the contract to the lowest bidder, thus following past custom.

Mr. Coyne disputed Mr. Roche's assertion that the difference in the bids under discussion was $248.

Mr. Roche's motion to recall the resolution awarding the contract to Donohoe & O'Boyle was lost by a vote of 6 to 14, Messrs. Kearney, Roche, Sanderson, McCann, Lansing and Chittenden voting affirmatively.

An ordinance introduced by Mr. Thomas, chairman of the fire department committee, establishing a new fire limit, was referred to committee. It provides the folowing new territory within which the building of frame structures is prohibited: From the Lackawanna river to Jefferson avenue on the west and east, and from the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western tracks to Vine street on the south and north. The limit extends to the middle of Jefferson avenue and of Vine street.

CITY PRINTING.

Proposals to do the city's printing of advertisements and ordinances for one year were received as follows and referred to committee: Scranton Times—Advertisements 5 cents per line, nonpareil type; Tribune Publishing company—Advertisements, 5 cents per line, nonpareil type; ordinances, 3 cents per line for composition and 19½ cents per 100 copies; J. A. Scranton & Son—Advertisements, 4 cents per line, nonpareil type, in advertising columns; 5 cents per line, minion type, in reading matter; ordinances, 3 cents per line for composition and 20 cents per 100 copies; J. U. Hopewell—Ordinances, 3 cents per line for composition and 20 cents per 100 copies; Koehler & Co.—Ordinances, 2¾ cents per line for composition and 20 cents per 100 copies.

The ordinance providing for a pavement on Providence road and North Main avenue passed final reading.

An adjournment was made to next Thursday night.

City Treasurer Boland's report for April was received and filed. It contained the following:

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand April 1	$141,462 07
From delinquent tax collectors	676 14
From city solicitor	19 22
Building permits	76 00
City license	10 00
Sewer assessments	576 42
Lafayette street sidewalks	5 00
Paving assessment	590 23
Taxes and penalty, 1894	4 77
Total	$143,719 85

DISBURSEMENTS.

Commission delinquent tax collectors	$ 67 59
Sewer warrants	746 07
Paving warrants	590 69
General city warrants	8,601 14
Interest, sidewalk bonds	2 75
	$ 9,017 95
Balance	134,701 90

IN COMMON COUNCIL.

In the lower branch a large number of new ordinances and resolutions were introduced, involving, as in select council, an expenditure of funds from the surplus. Among the measures introduced were the folowing:

Mr. Moir—(Ordinance) appropriating $3,000, in addition to the appropriation provided in the general appropriation ordinance, for the improvement of Nay Aug park.

Mr. Moir—(Ordinance) providing for flagstone sidewalks on the easterly side of Monroe avenue between Gibson and Pine streets; also on the southerly side of Gibson street between Monroe avenue and Quincy avenue; also on the westerly side of Quincy avenue between Pine and Myrtle streets.

Mr. Moir—(Ordinance) providing for the painting of the halls and repairing of the three upper floors of the city hall at a cost of $1,500.

Mr. Griffiths—(Resolution) directing the city engineer to submit an estimate of cost of procuring and erecting street signs.

Mr. Griffiths—(Ordinance) providing for the opening of Price street from Sumner avenue to Bromley avenue at a cost of $400.

Mr. Zizlemann—(Ordinance) providing for the completion of Nay Aug engine house at a cost of $300.

Mr. Gilroy—(Ordinance) providing for repairs to the Fourth district main sewer at a cost of $2,526.75.

Mr. Oliver—(Resolution) directing the city solicitor to name the thoroughfares now in the possession of the city and the city engineer to indicate the same in colors on a city map for the use of councils.

Mr. Walker—(Resolution) directing the city clerk to advertise for proposals to rebuild the Bromley avenue sewer.

Mr. Coleman—(Ordinance) providing for repairs to Crystal hose wagon and transferring $110 to pay for the same.

Mr. Wirth—(Ordinance) awarding to Thomas B. Jackson $625 for damages sustained by grading and sewering Monsey avenue and New York street.

ORDINANCES REFERRED.

Unless otherwise indicated the ordinances provided for expenditures from the surplus and were referred to committee and the resolutions were adopted.

A resolution drafted by M. V. Morris and presented by Mr. Reese, directed that all ordinances involving expenditures from the surplus fund be submitted to the joint estimates committee, was not well received. On motion of Mr. Oliver the resolution was tabled.

Separate resolutions were introduced by Messrs. Wenzel and Gilroy directing the city clerk to advertise for proposals to furnish a fire alarm system, the proposals to provide for lease and sale. They were referred to committee. The Wenzel resolution included a detailed description of the appliances wanted.

Ordinances passed final reading as follows: Levying general and special taxes for the fiscal year 1898; fixing fees to be charged by the plumbing inspector for tests made on plumbing work.

On motion of Mr. Oliver it was voted to reconsider the award of the Monsey avenue and Green place sewer contract to Donahoe & O'Boyle. A further motion was then adopted referring the matter to the committee on sewers and drains.

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THE WAR REVENUE BILL.

A Majority of the Senate Committee Against the Bond Feature.

Washington, May 5.—The senate committee on finance as a body was not in session today, having adjourned until tomorrow in order to permit the Democratic members to prepare a substitute for the bond provision of the war revenue bill. There is now no doubt that there will be a majority in the committee against the bond feature, as Senator Jones, of Nevada, has taken a position against it, and Senator Wolcott has indicated that he will oppose it if an acceptable substitute can be secured.

The Republican members of the committee, with the exception of Senator Wolcott, were in conference over the situation for several hours. There is little doubt, from Senator Wolcott's expressions in the committee yesterday, and the fact that he did not sit with the Republican members today, that he will vote to eliminate the bond provision, but it is understood that he is not quite so clear as to the support of a substitute. The Republican members are quite disturbed over the discovery of his position, and are considering how to best repair the breach occasioned by his probable defection. They were not so greatly surprised at Mr. Jones' position, although they had hoped to be able to secure his support of the measure practically as it passed the house.

TRYING TO CONVERT ENGLAND.

E. J. Phelps' Views on the War Distributed as Dodgers in London.

London, May 5.—A remarkable and mysterious attempt to influence public opinion in London, through circulars distributed in the streets during the busiest hours, began yesterday evening. While the theaters were emptying, many men were employed in handing dodgers of yellow paper, with large headlines reading: "Why the United States is Making War Upon Spain." Under this heading were extracts from the remarks recently made by Edward J. Phelps, formerly United States minister to England, who, from a legal standpoint expressed his opinion that the United States was not justified in going to war with Spain. These extracts were accompanied by quotations from alleged pro-Spanish newspapers printed in America and pro-Spanish papers published in Great Britain.

Up to the present it has been impossible to ascertain who is financing this street propaganda.

FIRED ON CANARIES TROOPS?

Report That an American Warship Attacked Without Effect.

Madrid, May 5.—An official dispatch from Havana says that on Monday an American warship fired four shots against the Canaries batallian, which was making a reconnaissance, but without result.

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A furious fire that threatened the lives of seventy-five men and boys until they were got quickly to the surface, is raging in the "Red Ash," or bottom, vein of Hoyt's shaft of the Pennsylvania Coal company at Port Blanchard, below Pittston, and is liable to do considerable damage before it is subdued. The gas ignited at 8.30 o'clock yesterday morning from a blast fired in the main gangway of the vein.

The shaft is loaded with gas and it required only a few minutes before the fire was blazing 100 feet from the face of the gangway. The course is being driven by William Schrank. When he noticed the ignition of gas, he lost no time in giving the alarm.

Between seventy-five and eighty men and boys are employed in the "Red Ash" vein, it is the bottom lift of the shaft and is 750 feet below the surface. They dropped their tools and mode for the "foot" as quickly as they could run. The engineer was notified to put on steam and get them out. Before 9 o'clock every one in the bottom vein was brought out.

HEAT WAS INTENSE.

The heat was very intense, so much so that it warmed the air a good distance up the shaft. There are four lifts. The next lift above the "Red Ash" is 200 feet from it. The employes there were next got out, and then those of the lift above and so on until the last man was out.

It was not more than an hour after the fire started until all were safe on the surface, and then attention was directed towards fighting it. The news was sent to the general office in Dunmore and Alex Bryden, superintendent of the mining department of the company, got on a special train and arrived at the shaft before noon.

Under his direction, assisted by Superintendent James Bryden and Mine Foreman James Heslin, of Hoyt's, a large force of men was mustered to go down and fight the fire. The shaft has a system of piping for use in an emergency of this kind, and water was turned on by that system, but it wouldn't work very well, and a line of hose 800 feet long had to be let down to carry a stream.

This stream has been playing steadily on the edge of the fire since noon yesterday. At 11 o'clock last night the flames were driven back 300 feet from the point they had reached outward, but there is a distance of 400 or 500 feet yet where they have full sway.

FLOODING MAY BE NECESSARY.

It may be necessary to flood the entire vein in order to choke off the fire. The doors, timbering and brattice work in the path of the fire were reduced to ashes long ago. That means a good deal. It means that the air current is destroyed, and gas feeds on the absence of air.

There is a reserve fan at the shaft and that and the regular fan have been going at full speed since last evening. The Hoyt is one of the most gassy shafts in the Wyoming coal fields, and the "Red Ash" has more of the fluid than any other vein in it; almost as much as the other three veins combined. It is a common thing to have an ignition of gas there. But usually not much damage is done. Extra precautions are taken to guard against fire, and the best facilities are in readiness to extinguish it.

Several thousand feet of lumber have been taken down to reconstruct the air passages. A large force of men is laboriously engaged in subduing the fire. Superintendent Bryden was in charge at a late hour last night, and he hopes to get the fire under control.

PILLARS ON FIRE.

The pillars are afire and that makes their work uncertain. If substantial progress has not been made this morning the vein will be flooded, but the officials think they will not have to resort to that.

Hoyt shaft gives employment to 225 hands. It has a capacity of 375 cars a day. Its output goes to the Ewen breaker, some distance away. The Ewen is fed by another mine, too, and is not idle because of the fire, but can operate not much over quarter time.

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