

UNDERNEWCHARTER

Names That Are Written on City Hall Slate.

BUT MAYOR IS LIKE A SPHINX

Colonel Weidner for Secretary of Subcommittee on Fire and Police

PROBABLE APPOINTMENTS UNDER NEW CHARTER. Secretary of the Subcommittee in Charge of Police and Fire Departments—Milton Weidner.

These are the men who will probably be appointed to the positions named at the meeting of the Executive Board next Tuesday.

The report that Colonel Weidner would be appointed as secretary of the subcommittee on fire and police while sudden, was not unexpected.

Alex Donaldson is one of the very few superintendents of the Street-Cleaning and Sprinkling Department who have had no complaints made against them.

There is no doubt whatever as to the appointment of Charles H. Hunt as Chief of Police.

As the clerical work of all the boards provided for under the new charter will be directly controlled by the City Auditor, the office of that official will require extra help.

FLIEDNER IS QUALIFIED. Mayor Williams Discredits Claim of Ineligibility.

In speaking of the charge that William Fliedner, an appointee to the executive board, was not qualified for the office, because he was not a citizen of the United States, Mayor Williams said yesterday that the claim of ineligibility was without foundation.

STREET COMMITTEE MEETS. Oil-Tank Ordinances Are Referred to Common Council.

As reminiscences of the oil-tank days, the Bentley and Rumelin measures, which have been laid over for weeks, were called up by the street committee of the Common Council yesterday for summary disposal.

"I introduced the ordinance by request," rejoined Bentley. "I do not favor granting any oil or other thing to do with us have settled upon a policy, and then we shall do the work. We should not drive one company out and let the other in; if we are to have fuel oil let all the companies in."

"I have no objections to tanks except in the residence districts," said Zimmerman. "The manufacturers' thing is to do to pay for it for a thing that is not worth it."

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All \$3.00 Values now \$2.55. All \$3.50 Values now \$3.10. All \$4.00 Values now \$3.45. All \$4.50 Values now \$3.85. All \$6.00 Values now \$4.95. And so on up to \$12.50. Special line of boys' Knee Pants, ages 3 to 16 years, regular 60c values at the low price of, pair 46c.

Young men's Suits in single and double-breasted sacks, best styles and materials, regular prices \$7.50 to \$18.00, now \$6.30 to \$15.95. Young men's worsted Pants in medium and dark gray stripes, sizes 28 to 33, pair, \$2.60 to \$4.20.

All woolen Waists and Blouses at great reductions. All our boys' high-class Novelty Suits at great reductions during the clearance sale.—Second Floor.

Clearance Sale Prices Toilet Articles --- All Kinds

Note the big saving offered this month on all kinds of toilet articles—Decisive reductions all along the line: Tooth Brushes 4c, 8c, 13c, 17c, 29c each. Nail Brushes, bone handles, 8c to 47c each. Hair Brushes 12c, 21c, 33c up to \$2.09 each. Clothes Brushes 18c, 27c, 39c to \$2.17 each. Shaving Brushes 11c up to \$1.00 each. Hand Bath Brushes 19c up. Whisk Brooms 4c to 75c each. Pocket Mirrors, 15 different styles, 3c up. Hanging Mirrors, Triplicate Mirrors, all sizes and qualities from 17c up to \$5.00. Ebony Goods, Hair and Military Brushes, Cloth and Hat Brushes, Mirrors, etc., below cost. Pocket Combs 4c to 50c. Dressing Combs, all kinds, 4c up to \$1 each. Comb and Brush Trays—Soap Boxes—Puff Boxes—Manicuring articles at very low prices. Drug Sundries—Everything at clearance prices—All Jewelry and Fancy Goods at big reductions. Sterling Silver Novelties at very low prices.

A great sale of Trunks in all styles and sizes now in progress—Elevators Third Floor. Tempting values in all lines of Ladies' Neckwear—Silk and Ostrich Feather Ruffs—Novelty Neckwear. 1903 Wash Fabrics—About 50 more pieces of the very newest styles and weaves at clearance sale prices today.

Some Sample Grocery Pricings

Table with 4 columns of grocery items and prices. Items include: 2-lb Sliced Pineapple, 1-lb Jar Chipped Beef, 1-lb Libby's Bacon, 6 cans Libby's dev'd Ham, 3 cans Poppy Cream, Eagle Milk, 2 packages Gold Dust, Lion Coffee, Arbuckles' Coffee, 1-lb Cream Baking Pdr, Barataria Shrimps, Smith's Kipp'd Herring, 2 1-lb cans Blue River Oysters, 1 quart C. & B. Oil, 1 quart Cooper's Oil, Blue Label Catsup, 1-lb. can Royal Baking Powder, 3 cans small Oysters, 3 cans Peacock Oysters, 2 packages Malta Vita, 2 packages Grape Nuts, Clear Lake String Beans, Log Cabin Syrup, 1 gallon Garden Drips, 100 lbs D. G. Sugar, 18 lbs. D. G. Sugar, 3 cans Iowa Corn, 3 cans Iowa Tomatoes, 2 cans R & H Asparagus, 2 bot. Snider's Catsup, 1 quart Hill's Olive Oil, 1 package Fig-Prune.

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last, A. L. Mills, who was chairman of the Charter Board, said: "The appointments can only be temporary in their nature, I think. As I remember the provisions of the charter, it is stated, but perhaps not as clearly as it might have been, that all appointments made in cases of emergency should be for 30 days only. But if the Civil Service Commission has not prepared a list of eligibles by that time, the Mayor could of course renew the appointments for 30 days more."

Water for Pueblo Steel Works. PUEBLO, Colo., Jan. 16.—In view of last year's drought, the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company has been purchasing water for the Pueblo steel works. Practically all the water rights along St. Charles Creek were bought up, and three great reservoirs built, and for some time engineers have been laying out a big ditch and pipe line from Fremont County to the steel works, and today the purchase of water rights covering 5000 acres of land was completed.

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