COUNCIL MEETS IN

CITY TAX LEVY PLACED AT 11 MILLS, THE COUNCIL DECID-ING NOT TO LEVY ANY SPECIAL TAX THIS YEAR.

The common council met in regular session last evening, the mayor and all councilmen being present. A petition from Chas. A. Johnson for permission to build a sidewalk in front of his property on Eighth street was granted, Petitions from C. H. M. Greenwald and Laxell & Co. for II-

Communication from the Retail Grocers' Association, requesting the council to so arrange the improvement of streets by building or repairing them in sections, so as to avoid inconvenience for delivery wagons, was read and referred to the committee on streets and public ways.

the breaking of a water main, washhim in the sum of \$400, was read. was washed out and believed Mr. Gunderson had suffered damage. but did not know whether the city was liable for it or not. Belland stated that the charter provided that all \$250 for the old street roller, and such claims should be referred to the committee on Ways and Means, and on his motion the petition was referred to that committee and the city

The various committees reported on a number of claims which were

The committee on streets and public ways to whom was referred the petition of Alex Tagg and others for a street light at the intersection of 11th and Commercial streets, report- | ♦ ♦ ed, recommending that the petition be

A remonstrance against the acceptwas filed. Hansen stated that all but ♦ ad. flow attractive your rooms ♦

A building permit was granted to veyor, recommending certain grades • cur want ads. Try it. on Commercial street and Grand avenue was laid over until the next meet-

The city surveyor reported plans and specifications for a sewer on 37th street, which was filed.

An ordinance accepting the impassed.

mittee on ways and means to advertise for the city printing for one and two years, also to furnish the city

and public library, was passed.

An ordinance accepting the provement of Duane between 6th and 10th streets, was passed

An ordinance accepting the improvement of Bond street from 6th street to the McClure line, was passed, Ordinances appropriating \$1.747.73 and \$4,385.77 to pay Birch & Jacobson for the improvement of Bond street, was passed.

An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,960 to E. A. Gerding for the improvement of Niagara avenue, was

An ordinance appropriatinf the sum of \$6,055,00 to Dill & Young, for the improvement of Duane street from 6th to 10th, was passed.

An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$5,125 less \$1,200 already paid and less applications for installments. was passed.

An ordinance extending the time for the completion of the improvement of Irving and Grand avenues to June 1. 1907, was passed.

Resolutions providing for the improvement of Columbia avenue was adopted.

Resolutions providing for the board of assessors to meet and equalize the assessments on Commercial from 9th to 14th; Niagara avenue; Grand avenue, from 7th to 12th; Exchange from 8th to 9th; crossing at intersection of Bond and Sixth; and Kensington avenue, were adopted.

Councilman Belland withdrew his motion to levy a special assessment of one and one-half mills for buildand asking the council to reimburse ing the proposed new engine house and no special levy will be made this year. Mr. Belland stated that he thought the city could get along without making any special levy.

Hansen called up the matter of building a house to store the old and new street rollers, and stated that it would cost about \$200, was discussed and laid over.

It was stated that the council had decided not to accept the offer of the city would keep it.

On motion the council adjourned.

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you we have spent long hours of study and have carefully compared one with another until we know that our clothes are the best that it is possible to produce? Then why should

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at any thing that is offered you? You can be well dressed and well satisfied if you trade with us. "Lest you forget" we say again"Think well before you leap."

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SHIPS AND SAILORS

Columbia Left Out for San Fran cisco Yesterday.

COSTA RICA DUE HERE TODAY

Samson Off With Schooner Louis-Menelik Still Has 4,000 Barrels to Unload - Schooner is Distress Reported.

The observer at North-head report-• people are moving at frequent • standing off the bar with signals fly- San Francisco, with \$60,000 feet of ance of the Bond street improvement • intereals. Tell them in a small • ing, which he interpreted to read, good lumber from the Old Oregon one property owner had signed an

are. If your rooms are really O.

not be sure. The fog-bank settled "Send tug immediately," but he could | mills, ◆ K, you'll have no trouble in get- ◆ down over the vessel and he saw her A. V. Allen. The report of the sur- of the surshowed no signs of being crippled in City. She will also go to the Tongue any way, and has not been since ac- Point mills for her outward cargo.

> The steamship Columbia arrived in from Tillamook bay points on down from Portland on Sunday late, Sunday evening, with a good manifest and laid here until yesterday morning of freight and several passengers. Why then risk your health, perhaps at 10 o'clock when she went down the bay and out to sea, with a big Honey and Tar will cure your cold and list of passengers and plenty of lower harbor awaiting a chance to prevent serious results? It is guar- freight. She took from this city W. slide out into the broad Pacific on G. West and E. O'Brien, as saloon various and sundry errands. passengers, and Kensey Matheny, W. R. Wlillams, L. Mearns, A. H. Pettingill and G. Bechtel in the steerage,

> > The Lurline came lown in good season yesterday afternoon and Captain much clearer of the debris from the Cowlitz river flood. She went up at 7 o'clock last evening with a good lot of freight and a number of pas-

The steamship Geo. W. Elder is due down from Portland today on her first sea voyage since she was raised metropolis at once, fro mthe bottom of the Columbia, and rebuilt. She is running opposite the Roinoke, except 'hat she may be confined to the San Francisco run and not go further south.

Captain Buchanan arrived down from Portland on Sunday afternoon repair there for the past three weeks. She has been re-painted and fully caulked, and her machinery thoroughly overhauled and is in prime order from stem to stern.

Inspectors of Hulls and Boilers Edwards and Fuller of Portland spent the day here yesterday. They came down to inspect the steamer Epner. which is being built here,

The schooner Irene and the ship Sintram went up the river on Sunday last on the tow lines of the Okahoma, the former for Linton and the latter for Portland,

The Columbine went out over the bar at noon yesterday, laden with a lot of new buoys for northern waters, and will place them at once at various points.

The ocean tug Samson, Captain Jones, left out on Sunday afternoon from Knappton to San Francisco,

The schooner Compeer made it to sea on Sunday, lumber laden from the McGregor mills, bound for the

The British ship Galgate came down yesterday from Portland, on the hawsers of the Harvest Queen and went to the lower harbor. She is bound to Europe with grain.

Captain Sullivan also reports the Columbia clearing up from the late rush of drift of al kinds and says he had but little trouble in bringing down the Galgate yesterday,

The French bark Sully came down the river on Sunday last and is now in the lower harbor ready to tackle the high seas as soon as the bar permits.

The Balboa was another Sunday departure for the Bay City. She was laden with lumber from the Old Oregon mills and sailed from the Flavel

The steamer Robert Dollar cleared ed yesterday that he saw a schooner from the custom house yesterday, for

The steamer Sue H. Elmore arrived

The steamer Yosemite, from Ranier for San Francisco, with nearly

million feet of lumber, cleared at the custom house yesterday. The steamer Thomas L. Wand entered port yesterday morning and

Tongue Point mills. The steamer Northland was among the arrivals from San Francisco vesterday morning. She went on to the

will load lumber outward from the

The government steamer George Mendell came up from the forts yesterday and filled her bunkers with coal

The Empereur Menelik, the French bark unloading at the O. R. & N. pler, with the Arago, which has been under has yet 4,000 barrels of cement to put on the dock.

at the Sanborn dock.

The steamer Costa Rica is due in from San Francisco today with passengers and freight for this port and Portland,

The steamers F. A. Kilburn, Alliance and Asuncion were among the getaways from this harbor on Sunday last.

The German ship Nereide was fortunate enough to get away on Sunday on her way to Europe with grain.

The bark C. F. Kinney was towed to sea yesterday afternoon, en route to San Francisco.

Had a Close Call.

"A dangerous surgical operation, inolving the removal of a malignant ulcer, as large as my hand, from my with the five-masted schooner Louis, daughter's hip, was prevented by the application of Bucklen's Arnica Salve," says A. C. Stickel, of Miletus, W. Va. "Persistent use of the Salve completely cured it." Cures Cuts, Burns, and Injuries. 25c at Chas. Rogers', druggist.

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Communication from C. S. Gunderson, presenting a statement relative to damage done to his property from ing out the bulkhead on his property Lebeck stated that the damage could not possibly equal that amount, as he put the bulkhead in 12 years ago and it did not cost one-half of the amount asked. Logan stated that he had visited the property the morning attorney.

ordered paid,

provement of Alameda avenue was An ordinance authorizing the com-

and second times and laid over.

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Pneumonia Follows a Cold, with blank books, was read the first but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, An ordinance levying the taxes for heals and strengthens the lungs and the year 1906 at 10 mills, general tax, affords perfect security from an atand one-half mill each for the park tack of pneumonia. Refuse substi- Larkin reports the river growing tutes. T. F. Lauren, Owl Drug Store.

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