

A CHANGE.

And What Came of It.

At the last council meeting bills for \$75 by ex-City Attorney Knox and one for \$124.70 by W. B. Schumacher were presented. The claims were for services rendered the various members of the old board of health in the suit the Gails brought against them for injuries, etc., in that old small-pox case. Mr. Knox did not

appear, but left it for the council to decide. Mr. C. G. Phillips was present and made one of his well known speeches, for he is very anxious to have the city pay the bill.

Let us see.

Mr. Knox was city attorney, and as such it was his business to defend other city officials. Mr. Phillips, Dr. Haskins and others were members of the old board of health. Mayor Cobb and some other members of the board left their case in the hands of Mr. Knox; Messrs. Phillips, Haskins et al, did not; it was clear from the council speeches that they felt that it was not safe to leave their case with the city attorney, and so they went outside and secured Mr. Schumacher; hence this bill of \$124.70 for services rendered.

Mr. Knox was good enough for the city, but who shall pay him? Mr. Phillips asks the city to do it. But the city was paying Knox for doing this work, and shall it now have to pay Schumacher this \$124.70 extra? Mr. Phillips and his friends made Knox city attorney and defeated Mr. Smoot. Did not Mr. Phillips lead the campaign for Cobb, Knox et al.? He was the brains of that campaign; he got his personal and other friends to vote for that ticket. That is, he said that Knox was good enough for the city, but when it came to he and some of his personal friends he said, "No; Knox is not good enough for us," and so they got Mr. Schumacher for themselves. Of course, they expected the old set to be re-elected, and they would pay the bills with the city's money. But the people elected some honest, level-headed men, and they referred the bills to Mr. Smoot.

Now, if Knox was good enough for the city, as Phillips and his friends said he was by supporting

him, he was good enough for them. No, Mr. Phillips, the city is not paying your private bills. The city paid over \$400 for extra help for the city attorney as a result of you and your friends defeating Mr. Smoot. Now you ask the city to also pay your little bill of \$124.70 extra. That old incompetent city government was your work, and you thought it wonderfully cute at the time.

by your bad politics. There is a book which says, "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." Let everyone who voted for Cobb, Knox et al. for the sake of a "change," chip in a little "change" now and help you out.

TO THE PUBLIC.

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