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27th Sympathy with our Queen our Fellow Subjects and their Allies in this War
The strongest assurance of our lasting attachment to your Imperial Crown
and Government and our most ardent prayers for the personal welfare
and happiness of your Majesty your Royal Consort and family At the
same time we are anxious to uphold the sincere and undivided unity and adherence
to the parent Kingdoms and their people, steadily esteeming ourselves and
integral though but small portion of that great Nation over which Providence
has given to your Majesty to preside

As and on behalf of the City Council of
Salisbury
Henry Taylor
Mayor

Salisbury 27th September 1855

To His Excellency Major General Sir John
Bosford Bt. Marchmont Knight Commander
of the Order of the Bath and Charles
the Third of Spain Lieutenant General
and Commander in Chief in and over the
Majesties Province of New Scotia and its
Dependencies Chancellor of the same &c

The Mayor and Aldermen of the City of
Salisbury respectfully request your Excellency to convey to the feet of the
Throne the accompanying address to Her Majesty which a sense of duty and
affection has caused them to adopt unanimously on behalf of themselves
and fellow Citizens in receipt of the tidings of the great and glorious victory
of Sebastopol

As and on behalf of the City Council of Salisbury
Henry Taylor
Mayor

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When in Motion of Alderman Hartshorn
seconded by Alderman King the said address is unanimously adopted

And resolved that the Mayor wait on His Excellency
the Lieutenant Governor who appoints 3 o'clock this Day to receive
the address to be forwarded to Her Majesty

The Council in a body wait on His Excellency
with the address
to which His Excellency is pleased to make
the following reply

Excellency

As the Queen's Representative and on Her
behalf I receive with unfeigned satisfaction this loyal and dutiful
address and shall most cheerfully comply with your request in conveying
to the feet of the Throne your affectionate congratulations on the great and
glorious Victory gained by the Armies of Her Majesty with their brave
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of which are their powerful and useful for
The following Resolutions was also unanimously
adopted

That His Worship the Mayor recommend to the
Citizens that a Public take place tomorrow / Sunday Evening

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At a Special Meeting of the City Council
held this Day present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen
Pulburland, Messinger, Bennett Anderson St. Charles Sugley and
King

The City Council were summoned to
receive the returns of Elections for various Wards and the transactions
of other business

Read His Worship the Mayor's Procla-
mation of 15th September for holding the Elections

The Returns for the Election of Mayor
Aldermen and Ward Clerks for the various Wards for the ensuing
Year held on Monday last according to the Proclamation of His Worship
the Mayor for Wards A 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 having been read

The following Gentlemen having been
returned as duly elected for their respective Wards affixed to their names
and being in attendance, and having taken and subscribed the oath of
Allegiance the Oath of Office prescribed by Law as well as that of assent
of the Peace for the City sign the Roll accordingly

- Ward A 4 John Wells Esq.
- " A 5 John Fougard Esq.

Read His Worship the Mayor's Proclama-
tion for holding an election in Ward A 2 for Alderman in place of
Hugh Hartshorne deceased

Donald Murray Esq. having been returned
elected Alderman for Ward A 2 in place of Hugh Hartshorne
and

Alderman sworn

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and being in attendance, and having taken and subscribed the oath of allegiance, the oath of office required by law as well as that of a Justice of the Peace for the City being the oath and taking his seat accordingly.
The following Gentlemen having been returned & elected for the respective Wards affixed to their names, and being in attendance and having taken the oath of Allegiance the oath of office required by Law, as well as that of a Justice of the Peace for the City being the oath and taking their seats accordingly.

- Ward N. 1. William S. Davis Esq.
- " " " 2. John M. Young

Memorial of James Duggan relative to Election Ward 3

Alderman Bennett submits following Memorial of James Duggan and others relative to petition in Ward N. 3 relative to Motion of Alderman Hennessy seconded by Alderman Tougard the same is read

To the Aldermen of the City of Halifax in Council assembled

Gentlemen

We the Petitioners residents of Ward N. 3 of the City of Halifax beg leave to enter our protest against the Election Committee in our Ward on the 1st instant. Our complaints are numerous and having made this necessary step to bring to your notice the unfair and illegal proceedings of the Polling at said Ward. We hope that your Honorable Board will take such steps as you may deem proper to redress our grievances and give accordance with Law annual by said Election by the your Petitioners are prepared to prove that the Petition was signed in our Ward at the time required by Law, and that not more than two suspects was present for some time during the signing of votes, and that some votes were ~~not~~ rejected, altogether while others of the same class has been received. If your Honorable Body will accede to our fair request

We are in duty bound with our pray

- James Duggan
- Daniel Buckley
- Oliver Neave
- Richard Neasley

Resolution relative to Petition James Duggan

When following Resolution N. 4 is introduced & resolved that the Petition of James Duggan and others, and all legal questions arising under it as to the legality of the Election of Ward N. 3. be referred to His Honor the Recorder for his opinion. Moved by Alderman Tougard seconded by Alderman Neasley His Honor the Recorder submits the following opinion

It appears that the poll for Ward N. 3 was not opened until a few minutes after 9 o'clock. I think the hour appointed is a directory injunction and any slight variation will not effect the legality of the election unless it should have misled voters, so as to effect the return which

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which is not here alleged. The Election was held within the hours prescribed for opening and closing. *W. L. G.*

The absence of two Inspectors during the first votes being taken, would have been a more serious objection if taken at the time, and if the preceding Aldermen had sustained it. As it is, I cannot think it sufficient to disturb the return.

The Petition alleges that some votes were improperly rejected it does not allege that if received they were enough in number to turn the scale and effect the return of any of the candidates. And therefore I should not deem it sufficient to justify the Council in altering the return or directing a new Election.

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Wm. M. Muddell

Alderman Sworn

James Cochran Esq. having been returned duly elected Alderman for Ward No. 3. And being in attendance and having taken the Oath of Allegiance the Oath of Office required by Law as well as that of a Justice of the Peace for the City before the Roll and taken his seat accordingly.

The various returns for the Election of Mayor having been read in public. And the votes for each candidate summoned up.

And there appearing for Archibald Scott	345
" " " Henry Tregor	281
" " " For the Minority	1

Archibald Scott Esquire having received the greater number of votes in his favor by 14. His Worship the Mayor declares Archibald Scott as Mayor for ensuing year.

The following Resolutions are introduced.

Resolved that Thomas Archibald Scott Esquire has this day been returned as Mayor by a Majority of votes.

Mayor Sworn in

Resolved that His Excellency the Govt. be respectfully requested to swear him into office agreeably to the Act concerning the City of Halifax. Moved by Alderman Pugh and seconded by Alderman Morrison. Passed.

Resolved that the City Clerk be requested to transmit a copy of said Resolution to the Honorable the Provincial Secretary and respectfully request His Excellency to appoint a time and place for swearing Mr. Scott into office. Moved by Alderman Bennett seconded by Alderman Stairs.

The following Resolutions next introduced.

Resolved that a vote of thanks be from this Council to Henry Tregor Esquire for the very able and impartial manner that he has presided over the business of the Council during the last year. Moved by Alderman Tugley seconded by

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by Alderman Sutherland which Resolution being put by the City
which is passed unanimously

Council adjourns until tomorrow at five
o'clock

October 3

At an adjourned Meeting of City Council held
this day Present His Worship the Mayor, Alderman Pugsley, Anderson-
Stairs, Murray, Maissey, Bennett, Cochran, Evans,
Wilks, Harvey, Pollock, Sutherland, King, Longard.

Read His Worship the Mayor's proclamation for holding
an Election in Ward N^o 5 in place of W. J. Coleman Esq^r resigned.

Alderman Sutherland
Henry C. Harvey having been returned as duly elected
Alderman for Ward 5 in place of W. J. Coleman and that Gentleman
being in attendance and having taken and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance
the Oath of Office required by law as well as that of Justice of the Peace for
the City takes his seat accordingly.

His Worship the Mayor takes the Oath of a Justice of
the Peace for the City

On motion of Alderman Pugsley seconded
by Alderman Evans, Alfred S. Jones is appointed one of the City
Auditors

On motion of Alderman Pugsley seconded by
Alderman Evans Jeremiah Northrup is appointed one of the City
Auditors

Alderman Pollock appointed Presiding Officer to
hold Election in Ward N^o 5

The Council rise

W. J. Longard
Mayor

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At a special meeting of City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor - Alderman Pugsley - Anderson - Stairs - Murray - McCreath - Young - Morrissey - Bennett - Cochran - Evans - Ross - Wills - Harvey - Pollock - Rutherford - King and Longard

The City Council was summoned to receive returns of Election for Ward 5, the Election of City Officers, to take into consideration a letter to Colonel Stoddard relative to Barrack Street, the warrants for Election of City Officers and the transaction of other business

Reads His Worship the Mayors proclamation of 14th October for election of Alderman for Ward 5th

Jeremiah Conwar Esq^r having been returned as elected Alderman for Ward 5th and that Gentleman being in attendance, and having taken and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance, and the oath of Office required by Law as well as that of Justice of the Peace for the City signs the Roll and takes his seat accordingly.

Read proceedings of City Council of 24th 25th 26th and 27th September and of 2 and 3 October

His Worship the Mayor submits report of Superintendent of Streets for Ward 4, 5 & 6 relative to cost of cleaning out Drains passing through Ordinance property. received.

His Worship the Mayor submits report of Clerk of the Market relative to a leak in the New Market received

Alderman Pollock submits Memorial of Thomas Summers relative to his Taxes. received.

Alderman Wills submits Memorial of Peter Imray relative to a drain. received

Alderman Harvey submits Memorial of Allan McCarthy relative to his Taxes. received

Alderman McCreath asks leave to lay upon the table a resolution relative to employing a Reporter received

A Motion is made that several applications for situations received by His Worship the Mayor and some of the Alderman this day be received which motion being put is carried yeating for it and 8 against it and the names being called for they

Alderman Conwar

Report Sup^r of Streets
rel to Ward 4, 5 & 6

Report Clerk Market
rel to New Market

Memorial Thos
Summers rel to Taxes

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they appeared thus

For the Motion

Alderman Wills - King
Young - Cochran
Cowan - Sutherland
Haitz - Gillock
Hancy

Against the Motion

Alderman Anderson - ~~Cowan~~
Bennett - Murray
Pugoley - Ross
Morrissey - Mr. Heath &

applications

The several names are entered in the

Memorial of George Preston
rel to his taxes

Alderman Evans has permission to Submit
Memorial of George Preston relative to his Taxes received

The City Council next proceed to the
election of City Officers for the ensuing year

Recorder elected

On Motion Beamish & Murdoch Esquire
is selected Recorder, unanimously.

City Clerk elected

City Clerk, unanimously.

On Motion James S. Clarke is selected

Asst City Clerk
elected

On motion John L. Cragg is selected Assistant
City Clerk, unanimously.

City Treasurer elected

City Treasurer, unanimously.

On Motion Lawrence Hartshorne is selected

City Marshal elected

Marshal, unanimously.

On Motion George Irwin is selected City

City Clerk License & Co

City Clerk of License, unanimously.

On Motion William J. Morris is selected

The Constables applications is next read
A Motion is made that the Memorial of Constables
submitted on 8th May last be now read which Motion is carried by
voting for it and 4 against

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To His Worship the Mayor and Alderman of the City of Halifax
Gentlemen

Memorial of City
Constables rel to
increase of Salary

We the undersigned Constables of the City
of Halifax, beg respectfully to present to your Worship and Alderman
of the City the following Memorial

Owing to the great advance in
price of all the necessaries of life (being not less than fifty per cent.
higher than when we last petitioned your Worship) your petitioners
experience the greatest difficulty in procuring the same.

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The value of articles necessary for the maintenance of ourselves and families having increased within the last three years, not less than one hundred per cent. The duties of our situation have also within the same time been considerably increased.

Hoping your Worship may take our case into favourable consideration

We are Gentlemen

Your obedient Servants

Patrick Caulfield

Saml. Colter

Mathew Gardner

Wm. Mulligan

and 8 others.

The following resolution is introduced

Resolved that the Annual Salary of the Constables be Eighty pounds with a suit of clothes - and that all taxes received by them be paid into the hands of City Marshal to be by him accounted for with the City Treasurer. Moved by Alderman Sutherland seconded by Alderman M^o Heath - to which the following amendment is introduced

Resolved that the Salaries of Constables be Seventy pounds per year with the addition of a suit of clothes. Moved by Alderman Young seconded by Alderman Stears which amendment being put there appeared for the same 5 against 15 amendment lost

The following amendment (No 3) is next introduced

Resolved that the Salaries of the Constables be Seventy five pounds. Moved by Alderman Ross seconded by Alderman Bennett which amendment being put there appeared for the 9 against it 9. And there being an equality of votes his Worship the Mayor gives his casting vote for the Amendment number Two, (same being a money vote) amendment is therefore carried

Alderman Evans gives Notice of reconsideration of above at next meeting

Read the various applications of other parties for Office of Constable

A Motion is made that the Ten Old Constables be re-elected

Amendment the Constables be elected one by one - which amendment being put there appeared for the same 10 - against it 5 amendment carried

Council agree to adjourn at 12 o'clock to meet at 4 1/2 o'clock.

On motion

Resolution rel. to Constables Salary

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On Motion all the applications are now read,

Council proceed to the Election of Constables and the names being taken they appeared as follows for James Ham

Alderman Anderson	Harvey	Ross
Bennett	Evans	Murray
Wills	Stairs	Pollock
Pugsley	Young	McHeath
Conway	King	Sutherland
Cochran	Longard	17

Constables Elected

unanimously

James Ham is selected one of the Constables

unanimously

On motion Patrick Caulfield is selected Constable

unanimously

On Motion Grant Collier is selected Constable

unanimously

On Motion David Evans is selected Constable

The names are taken for

The following persons having been proposed

Philip Parsons		Thomas McKeay	
Alderman Anderson	King	Alderman Bennett	
Wills	Longard	Conway	
Pugsley	Ross	Cochran	
Harvey	Murray	Evans	4
Stairs	Pollock		
Young	McHeath		
Morrissey	Sutherland	14	

Philip Parsons is selected one of the Constables ~~unanimously~~ of the City

The following persons are next proposed and the names being taken they appeared for

Donald Fraser	Thomas McKeay	John Arthur	
Alderman Anderson	Alderman Bennett	Alderman Wills	
Pugsley	Conway	Cochran	
Morrissey	Evans	Harvey	
King		Stairs	
Ross		Young	
Murray		Longard	
		Pollock	
		McHeath	
		Sutherland	9

And neither of the parties having a clear majority of votes the names are again taken when there appeared for

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for

Donald Fraser	Thomas McEoy	John Arthur
Alderman Pugsley		Alderman Anderson, Evans
Morrissey		Bennett, Young
King		Wills, Longard
Ross 4		Conway, Murray
		Cochran, Pollock
		Harvey, McHeath
		Stairs, Sutherland 14

John Arthur is therefore elected one of the Constables of the City -

The following persons are next proposed and the names being taken there appeared for

Donald Fraser	Maurice Power	Mathew Gardner
Alderman Anderson	Alderman Conway	Ald. Bennett, Evans
Morrissey	Cochran	Wills, Young
Longard 3	Pollock	Pugsley, King
	McHeath	Harvey, Ross
	Sutherland 5	Stairs, Murray 10

Mathew Gardner is therefore selected one of the City Constables.

The following persons are next proposed and the names being taken there appeared for

John Steele	Thomas McEoy	Thomas Buckley
Alderman Anderson, Young	Alderman Evans 1	
Bennett, Murray		
Wills, King		
Pugsley, Longard		
Conway, Ross		
Cochran, Murray		
Harvey, Pollock		
Stairs, McHeath		
Sutherland 17		

John Steele is therefore elected one of the Constables of the City

On Motion William Roddick is selected one of the Constables of the City

On motion John Campbell is selected one of the Constables of the City

The following persons are next proposed the names being taken there appeared for

Donald Fraser	Thomas McEoy
Alderman Anderson, Harvey, Ross	Alderman Evans
Bennett, Stairs, Murray	
Wills, Young, Pollock	
Pugsley, Murray, McHeath	

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Alderman Conway, King, Sutherland,
Cochran, Longard 17

Donald Graser is therefore selected one
of the Constables of the City

The following persons are next proposed
and the names being taken they appeared as follows

Thomas Mc Coy	John Shean	Maurice Power
Alderman Anderson, King, Alderman Wills	Alderman Morrissey	
Bennett, Longard	Conway	
Pugsley, Ross	Cochran 3	
Harvey, Murray		
Stairs, Pollock		
Evans, Mc Neath		
Young, Sutherland 14		

Thomas Mc Coy is therefore elected one
of the Constables of the City

Council next proceed to elect the Clerks of
the Market and the following persons having been proposed the names
are taken when they appeared for.

Charles Fielding	John Mc Cartney	James Barrett
Alderman Anderson, Morrissey	Alderman Cochran	Alderman Pollock
Wills, King		
Pugsley, Longard		
Harvey, Ross		
Stairs, Murray		
Young, Mc Neath		
Evans, Sutherland 14		

Charles Fielding is therefore elected
one of the Clerks of the Market.

Clerk of Market
elected

The names were again taken when they
appeared for

John Mc Cartney	Thomas Gilfoyle	James Barrett
Alderman Anderson, Evans	Alderman Conway	
Wills, Morrissey	Cochran	
Pugsley, King	Pollock	
Harvey, Longard	Mc Neath	
Stairs, Ross	Sutherland 5	
Murray, Young 12		

John Mc Cartney is therefore elected one
of the Clerks of the Market

Council next proceed to elect
the Weighers of Flour for the City which

On motion

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On Motion William Grant John Winters Samuel Barton and John Parker are selected to fill that office.

Superintendent of Streets are next taken up, when following Resolution (803) is introduced

Whereas dissatisfaction prevails to a great extent throughout the City in reference to the present mode of Street Superintendence and the expenditure of the Street funds.

Be it therefore resolved that the appointments of Superintendent of Streets be for the present deferred - to be appointed at any adjourned or Special Meeting hereafter - and that a Committee of one from each Ward be appointed to devise a better and more efficient mode of Street Superintendence and expenditure

Moved by Alderman Pugsley seconded by Alderman Murray which resolution on Motion stands over until tomorrow

for Committee see proceedings of 19th October

Council adjourned until 5 O'clock this afternoon
5 O'clock P.M.

The Council met, present His Worship the Mayor. Alderman Ross. Murray, Young, Harvey, Conway Stairs Longard, Morrissey, Sutherland, Pugsley, Evans, Pollock, King

Moved by Alderman Pugsley seconded by Alderman Stairs that a letter be addressed to Lieut Col Stoddard relative to Banack Street.

Amendment Moved by Alderman Evans seconded by Alderman Ross that the Council proceed with the business of the day which amendment being put there appeared for the same 2 against it 14 And the names being called for there appeared thus

For Amendment	Against amendment
Alderman Evans	Alderman Bennett - Harvey - Longard
Ross 2	Pugsley - Stairs - Morrissey
	Wills - Young - Pollock
	Conway - Morrissey - Sutherland
	Lochian - King 14

original resolution is then put and carried 14 voters for it and 2 against

Alderman McSheath comes in

Read draft of letter to Lieut Col. Stoddard when it is moved by Alderman Sutherland seconded by Alderman Morrissey that said letter be fairly engrossed, signed by His Worship the Mayor and be transmitted to Lieut Col. Stoddard which motion being put there appeared for the same 12 against it 5

and

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and the names being called for they appeared thus

For the Motion		Against Motion	
Alderman Bennett - Young	Alderman	Stairs	
Pugsley - Morrissey		Evans	
Wills - King		Kepp	
Conway - Longard		Murray	
Cochran - Pollock		McSheath 5	
Harvey - Sutherland 12			

Alderman Evans gives notice of reconsideration of above

On motion - Alderman Pugsley which is seconded by Alderman McSheath has leave to introduce the following resolution relative to employing An Architect for erection of City Prison.

Resolution rel to City Prison

Resolved that Henry G. Hill be employed to Superintend the construction of the City Prison in accordance with Plan and Specification upon which the tender was founded and accepted. And be it also resolved that five percent upon the tenders be paid him for his service.

Moved by Alderman Pugsley seconded by Alderman McSheath - to which following amendment is introduced

Resolved that H. G. Hill be employed to superintend the erection of City Prison according to plan and Specification upon which the tender was founded and accepted and that he be paid 5 per cent on the outlay deducting his charge for Plans and Specification

Moved by Alderman Murray seconded by Alderman Morrissey, which amendment being put this appeared for the same 10 against it 7 amendment carried - and the names being called for they appeared thus

For the Amendment		Against amendment	
Alderman Conway - King	Alderman	Bennett - Evans	
Cochran - Murray		Pugsley - McSheath	
Harvey - Kepp		Wills - Pollock	
Stairs - Longard		Young -	7
Morrissey - Sutherland 10			

Alderman Pugsley gives notice of reconsideration of above

Sound Naper elected

On motion Michael Power is appointed Pound Naper for the City

On motion - Joseph Naper is selected Naper and Registrar of Cemetery -

Alderman Conway asks leave to present a Memorial from Samuel Marshall Naper of Frontier Magazine leave granted

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granted. said Memorial is read
Aldermen of the City of Halifax

To His Worship the Mayor and

Memorial Samuel
Marshall re. to his
Salary

The Memorial of Samuel Marshall
Keeper of Powder Magazine sheweth that the Salary which he receives for
the performance of the duties of his office is entirely too small to afford
him a living he therefore prays your Honourable Council will take his case into
consideration and grant him such an Increase of Salary as in their Judgement
they may deem sufficient and he as in duty bound will ever pray

Samuel Marshall

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when following resolution is introduced (824)

Resolved that the Salary of the Keeper of Powder
Magazine be twenty five pounds per annum.

Moved by Alderman Conway seconded
by Alderman Morrissey to which following amendment is introduced

Resolved that a Committee of this Council
be appointed to take up the subject of the Powder Magazine, to make
regulations to fix the period at which the Keeper shall attend, and to
name a suitable sum as Salary for the Keeper and report to the Council
which 2^d amendment being put is carried 11 voting for it and 6 against
it

On Motion Alderman Sutherland, Stairs, Morrissey, Harvey,
and Ross are appointed the Committee

On motion James Spike is selected Health
Inspector for the City

On Motion Harry A. Parker is selected Keeper
of Markets

Under Keeper of Fish Market is next taken
up when following resolution (825) is introduced

Whereas for the benefit of the Citizens
a change is required in the Management of the Fish Market

Be it therefore Resolved that a Committee be appointed to investi-
gate into the matter, and suggest to this Council some means for the
better regulation of said Market

Moved by Alderman Evans seconded by Alderman
Longard which resolution being put their appeared for the same to against
it 6 For Committee on proceedings of 16th October

Council next proceed to elect an Under
Keeper of Fish Market and the following persons having been proposed the
names

Resolution rel. to
Powder Magazine

Health

Health Inspector
elected

Keeper of Market
elected

Resolution rel. to
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names are taken when they appeared for

Andrew Bracket	Daniel McQueen	Samuel Freeman
Wills	Cochran	Stairs
Longard	Conway	Young
Evans	Morris	Munn
Pollock 5	King 5	Kepp 6
		W. Heath
		Sutherland 7

and their not being a majority of votes the names are again taken when they appeared thus for

Andrew Bracket	Daniel McQueen	Samuel Freeman
Wills	Cochran	Stairs
Longard	Conway	Young
Evans	Morris	Munn
Pollock 8	King 8	Kepp 8
		W. Heath
		Sutherland 8

There not being a clear majority of votes the names are again taken when they appeared thus for

Andrew Bracket	Daniel McQueen	Samuel Freeman
Wills	Cochran	Stairs
Longard	Conway	Young
Evans	Morris	Munn
Pollock 8	King 8	Kepp 8
		W. Heath
		Sutherland 8

Motion is made that the Council adjourn until tomorrow at 2 o'clock which Motion being put is lost 5 being for it and 12 against it

The following resolution is introduced

Resolved that James Butler in Water Street Surgeon and James Quinn of Halifax, Mason - be accepted as assistants for the erection of City Prison. Moved by Alderman Sutherland seconded by Alderman Evans - which resolution being put is carried 13 being for it and 4 against it

Surgeon of Bridewell

On Motion Dr. Rexing's Name is appointed

Keeper of Bridewell

On motion William Mc Donald appointed

Health Board Secy

On Motion John C. Kravgen is appointed

A motion is made that the Salary be Twenty

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Twenty five pounds -
Amendment that the Salary be £12. 10.0 which
amendment being put is lost 4 voting for it and 13 against it and the
names being called for, they appeared thus

<p>For amendment</p> <p>Alderman Pugsley Evans Longard Cochran</p>	<p>Against amendment</p> <p>Alderman Bennett - King Wills - Murray Conway - Ross Harvey - M^r Muath Stairs - Pollock Young - King Morrissey - Sutherland</p>
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The original is then put and carried 13 voting
for it 4 against it

Read application of Philip Senior for
Lugger of Oil, which on Motion stands over for the present

The following Committees are next appointed

Committees appointed

Public Accounts	City Property
Alderman Stairs Murray Cochran Ross Conway Longard	Alderman Pugsley M ^r Muath Cochran Evans Pollock Sutherland

Common	Tenders
Alderman Stairs Young Bennett Evans Pollock King	Alderman Anderson Young Morrissey Ross Conway Longard

Cemetery	Hacks and Trucks
Alderman Anderson Murray Bennett Wills Harvey Sutherland	Alderman Pugsley M ^r Muath Morrissey Wills Harvey King

Council adjourns until tomorrow at Two O'clock

Wm. J. May

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Thomas W. Boy and John Arthur sworn into
office as City Constables in presence of Alderman Anderson

Whelpay Mayor

At an adjourned meeting held this day present
His Worship the Mayor Alderman Pugsten - Anderson
Mr. Heath, Young Evans, Reps Harvey, Pollock, Conway
Sutherland

Read over proceedings of yesterday

Alderman Sutherland submits resolution
relative to Roads in Ward N^o 6 which resolution is ordered to lie on
the Table for the present

His Worship the Mayor submits a letter
from Henry Brown relative to the City Clock, the same is read.

The City Council next proceed to take into
consideration the Motion of Alderman Evans for reconsideration of
resolution passed yesterday relative to Constables Salaries when
following resolution (N^o 1) is introduced

Resolved that the Resolution passed
yesterday relative to the Salary of the Constables be now reconsidered
Moved by Alderman Evans seconded by Alderman Conway which on
being put is lost & voting for it And 8 against it and the names
being called they appeared thus

Resolution act to Salary
of Constables

For the resolution		Against resolution	
Alderman Pugsten	Alderman Anderson	Monisey	
" Conway	Wills	" Reps	
" Harvey	Pollock	" M ^r Heath	
" Young	Stairs	" Sutherland &	
" Evans 5			

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A Motion of adjournment is made when there appeared for the same 5, against it 8 Motion lost

Call of Council is next made

The following resolution is next submitted

Resolved that the threat used by Alderman Evans of attempting to defeat the action of this Council by saying he would represent to Col. Stoddard that the letter was illegally passed, and in a hole and corner meeting, is improper. And that the Alderman is out of order and until a proper apology is made to this Council he be under censure. Moved by Alderman Sutherland seconded by Alderman Stairs

Resolution rel to Alderman Evans

His Honor the Recorder's opinion having been requested relative to requiring Strangers to withdraw, when the subject of question of order is under discussion submits the following

The sending out Strangers is a privilege of Parliament of both houses. I have no doubt this Council may request strangers to withdraw, but they cannot I think transact public business or pass resolutions with closed doors - altho' I think they may so discuss their internal arrangements

Beaumont Murdock
Recorder

the same is read by him

The City Council next proceed to take into consideration Alderman Pugsley's notice for reconsideration of amendment introduced yesterday by Alderman Murray relative to payment of Henry S. Hill as Architect to the City Prison

Alderman Pugsley asks leave of Council to withdraw his notice of reconsideration when on Motion leave is granted.

On motion Alderman Evans, Morrissey, and Mr. Heath are appointed a Committee on subject of resolution passed yesterday relative to Fish Market.

Read Philip Ferris application for Guager of Oil.

The Hour having expired since the call of the Council was made, and Alderman Bennett, Cochran, and Murray having come in.

Resolution (N^o 3) moved by Alderman Sutherland seconded by Alderman Stairs, this day submitted is now before the Council the same is again read - when the following amendment is introduced

Resolved