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June 25th
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Nash seconded by Alderman Roome which amendment
 on being put is passed 12 Voting for it and 2 against it,
 and the names being called for they appeared thus,
 For the amendment Against it
 Aldermen Roome Twining Alderman Evans
 Barnstead Thompson Conway
 Lounds Jennings
 John Puggan Trennamin
 Leahy " Nash
 Bell " Cogswell

of the City of
London

The following resolutions are
 next introduced
 Resolved that a Committee be
 appointed from this Council one of each Ward for decorating
 and putting the Streets in order with arches &c and
 that in cleansing the Streets the Superintendent of
 Streets act under their direction Moved by Alderman
 Nash seconded by Alderman Evans which on being put
 is passed.
 Committee Alderman Pugsley, Barnstead,
 Thompson, Trennamin, Roome Bell.

Resolved to the
decoration of Streets
&c

Resolved that a Committee for
 illuminating and decorating the City Buildings
 consisting of an Alderman from each Ward be appointed
 and that they invite the Citizens to cooperate with them
 in carrying out a general illumination Moved by
 Alderman Twining seconded by Alderman Nash
 which on being put is passed.
 Committee Aldermen Cogswell Lounds, James
 Puggan, Miles Leahy and Pichey

Resolved that a Committee of
 One from each Ward with His Honor the Recorder be
 a Committee to prepare the address to His Royal Highness
 the Prince of Wales and to assist the Mayor and the
 present Committee in carrying out the intentions of the
 Council. Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by
 Alderman Evans which on being put is passed,
 Committee Alderman John Puggan Nash, Twining
 Evans, Conway, Jennings.

Resolved to borrowing
£1000 for reception
of Prince of Wales

Resolved that that City Treasurer
 be authorized to open a cash account with one of the
 Banks of the City to the extent of £1000 agreeably to a
 resolution passed this day. Moved by Alderman Nash
 seconded by Alderman Roome which on being put is
 passed 12 Voting for it and 2 against it and the
 names being called for appeared thus,
 For

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At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen Cogswell John Pughan, Lourds, Nash, Twining, Thompson, Trennamis, Evans, Leahy, Conway, Poome Bell and Jennings,

The City Council were summoned to consider the preparations necessary for the Reception of the Prince of Wales, Alderman Nashs resolution relative to Buildings on Market Hill, and the transaction of other business.

Read over proceedings of 15 June

Communication of Dr Hume relative to state of New City Hospital

Alderman Nash submits communication from Dr Hume City Medical Officer relative to state of New City Hospital, received

Report Committee of Common

Alderman Bell Chairman submits report of Committee of Common received,

Communication R Davis

Alderman Leahy submits Petition of Robert Davis and others, sub committee of Sports on Common Received

Communication J. B Shaw et al rel to City Street

Alderman Conway submits a communication from Thomas B Shaw and others relative to the state of City Street, received

W Communication of Wm McDonald Keeper City Prison

His Worship the Mayor hands in a communication from William McDonald Keeper of City Prison received.

Protest against the Report of Committee of Common

Alderman Cogswell hands in his protest against the Report of Committee of Common, received.

On Motion the order of the day is suspended to allow the communication from Dr Hume submitted this day to be read.
The same is read (See file)

The following resolution is next introduced

Resolved that sum to be expended on reception of Prince of Wales

Resolved that the sum to be expended for which the citizens are to be assessed for the reception of the Prince of Wales do not exceed £500. Moved by Alderman Evans seconded by Alderman Conway to which the following amendment is introduced:

Resolved that a sum not exceeding £1000 be appropriated towards the expense that it will be necessary to incur in giving a suitable reception to the heir apparent to the Throne and a credit to that amount be obtained from one of the Banks. Moved by Alderman

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 Continued on being put is passed 12 Voting for it and 2 against it,
 and the names being called for they appeared thus,
 For the amendment Against it
 Aldermen Poome "Swining Alderman Evans
 Barnstead "Thompson Conway
 Lounds "Sennings
 John Duggan "Frennamin
 Leahy "Nash
 Bell "Cogswell

The following resolutions are next introduced

Resolved to the decoration of Streets

Resolved that a committee be appointed from this Council one of each Ward for decorating and putting the Streets in order with arches &c and that in cleansing the Streets the Superintendent of Streets act under their direction Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Evans which on being put is passed.

Alderman Pugsley, Barnstead, Frennamin, Poome Bell.

BALLOT PAPER

Election for Alderman for Ward No. 3, City of Halifax, May 27th, 1931

- I. **LOGAN**
 v Logan
 of Halifax
 Dentist
- II. **QUIGLEY**
 John Gordon Quigley
 of the City of Halifax
 Steamship Agent

Resolved that a committee for decorating the City Buildings - Alderman from each Ward be appointed invite the citizens to cooperate with them at a general illumination Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Nash which on being put is passed.

Committee Aldermen Cogswell Lounds, James Duggan, Miss Leahy and Pichey.

Resolved that a committee of One from each Ward with His Honor the Recorder be a committee to prepare the address to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and to assist the Mayor and the present Committee in carrying out the intentions of the Council. Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Evans which on being put is passed.

Committee Alderman John Duggan Nash, Swining Evans, Conway, Sennings.

Resolved to borrowing £1000 for reception of Prince of Wales

Resolved that that City Treasurer be authorized to open a cash account with one of the Banks of the City to the extent of £1000 agreeably to a resolution passed this day. Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Poome which on being put is passed 12 Voting for it and 2 against it and the names being called for appeared thus,

John,

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For the Resolution
Ald. Roome " Thompson
Barnstead " Cogswell
Lounds " Jennings
John Cuggan " Bell
Leahy " Trennamin
Twining " Nash

Against it
Ald. Conway
Evans

On Motion the order of the day is suspended to take up Petition of Sub Committee on Sports on Common submitted this day. (See file)
When following resolution is introduced

Resol. rel. to Horse Racing on Common

On reading the Memorial of Robert Pairs and others relative to the use of the Common for Horse Racing. Resolved that the prayer of the petitioners be complied with providing such Horse Races do not interfere with the different sports on the Common and that ~~the~~ said Races do not take place on the same day or days allotted for the other sports. Moved by Alderman Evans seconded by Alderman Leahy which on being put is passed, P. voting for the Resolution and 6 against it and the names being called for they appeared thus

For the Resolution
Ald. Lounds Jennings
John Cuggan Trennamin
Leahy " Nash
Conway " Evans

Against it
Aldermen Roome
Barnstead
Cogswell
Bell
Thompson
Twining

Alderman Cogswell gives Notice of reconsideration.

Communication of Wm Cogswell rel. to Water Lot, Fresh Water Bridge

His Worship the Mayor next submits a communication from Alderman Cogswell relative to Water Lot at Fresh Water.

On Motion the same is referred to the Committee of City Property to report on.

The following resolution is next introduced
Resolved that no booths be erected on the Common on the day of the Horse Racing and no liquor sold without special license from the City and further that the Race or Races if they take place at all shall take place within one week after the arrival of the Prince of Wales. Moved by Alderman Jennings seconded by Alderman Trennamin which on being put is passed.

The order of the day is suspended to allow Alderman Nash to introduce a resolution relative

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When following resolution is next introduced

Resolved to report of proceedings of Council.

Resolved that a Committee be appointed to adopt such measures as they may deem proper to ensure a more satisfactory report of the proceedings of the Council. Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Evans which on being put is passed.

Committee Aldermen Cogswell Nash and Conway

On Motion the order of the day is suspended to take up Report of Committee of Command and Alderman Cogswell's protest thereto.

The said Report and Protest are read. (See file) When on Motion said Report and protest lie on the Table for the present

On Motion the Council adjourn

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At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen Cogswell, S. Lounds, Barnstead, Nash, Twining, Thompson, John Cuggan, Moir, Tremnam, Evens Leahy, Conway, Roome, Bell and Jennings,

The City Council were summoned to take up Alderman Cogswell's notice of reconsideration, and the transaction of other business.

June Read over proceedings of 25th

His Worship the Mayor hands in a draft of address to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,

Report City Architect
rel to Buildings

His Worship the Mayor submits Report from City Architect relative to buildings erecting not according to Law

His Worship the Mayor submits communication from Secretary of Yacht Club

His Worship the Mayor submits reply to invitation sent to the Mayors of New York and Charlottetown P. E. I. The same are read (See File)

Alderman Thompson Chairman submits report of Committee of City Property. On Motion the same is received

Alderman Cogswell's notice of reconsideration is next taken up

On Motion the Resolution passed at last meeting relative to Horse Racing is reconsidered 10 Voting for the Reconsideration and 5 against it, and the names on the Motion being called for they appeared thus,

For the Reconsideration	Against it
Alderman Roome " Cogswell	Alderman John Cuggan
Barnstead " Tremnam	Lounds
Bell " Moir	Leahy
Twining " Jennings	Conway
Thompson " Nash	Evens.

Read Resolution passed at last meeting relative to Horse Racing on the Commons, which on being put there appeared for the same 5 against it 10 The Resolution is therefore lost.

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Alderman Bogswell by permission lays on the table a resolution by way of Notice relative to a cattle Show

The order of the day is suspended to take up communication from Yacht Club this day submitted,

Alderman Evens hands in a resolution by way of Notice relative to Trotting Matches-

The following resolution is next introduced

Resol. voting £75 to Yacht Club.

Resolved that the application of the Yacht Club be complied with and that Seventy five pounds be granted to them to be paid out of the £1,000 already voted. Moved by Alderman Twining seconded by Alderman Conway to which the following amendment is introduced

On reading the Memorial of the Yacht Club. Resolved that the sum of Twenty five pounds be voted out of the sum of £1,000 voted by this Council to defray the expenses to be incurred for the reception of the Prince of Wales. Moved by Alderman Evens seconded by Alderman Lounds which amendment on being put is lost in voting for the same and 11 against it and the names being called for appeared thus

For the Amendment
Aldermen Moir
Lounds
Evens

Against it
Ald. John Duggan - Hoome
Barnstead - Thompson
Conway - Bogswell
Twining - Nash
Spennings - Bell
Trennaman

The original resolution is then put and passed.

Alderman Evens gives Notice of reconsideration

The order of the day is suspended to allow Alderman Nash to introduce a resolution relative to Streets.

When following resolution is introduced

Resolved that a committee be appointed to take such measures as will carry out the object of the committee who reported on the necessity of dividing the Street Moneys, also for taking away the Rubbish twice a Week from the Streets, and that the same committee be requested to act. Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Twining which on being put is passed.

Committee Alderman John Duggan Nash Thompson

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The following resolution is next introduced.

Resolved that after the passing of this Resolution the Superintendant of Streets shall not expend any sum or sums of Money on any street lamp or Sewer within the City without first obtaining the consent of a majority of the Aldermen representing the Ward where such Sums are to be expended. Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Brown, which on being put is passed.

Resol. rel to Supt. Streets expending Money.

Resolved that Notice be given by Advertisement that a Governor of the City Prison will be required in the month October next and that applications for said situation be made. Moved by Alderman Swiring seconded by Alderman Nash which on being put is passed.

Resol. rel to advertising for Governor of City Prison.

Alderman Bell submits Resolution by way of Notice relative to extra Watch at North end of City.

The order of the day is suspended to take up the Report of Committee of City Property this day submitted. (See file) on Motion said report is adopted.

The following resolutions are next introduced

Resolved that Tenders be advertised for repairing the Walls and railing around the Grand Parade and also for erecting a fence at the North side of the Garrison field on the Street leading from Brunswick to Maitland Street. Moved by Alderman Thompson seconded by Alderman Barnstead which on being put is passed.

Resol. rel to advertising for Tenders for repairs to Parade.

Resolved that His Worship the Mayor be authorised to draw a check to pay Alderman Cogswell for the purchase of the Water Lot offered by him to the City, together with the expenses incurred by him in the transfer of the same. Moved by Alderman Thompson seconded by Alderman Towns which on being put is passed.

Resol. rel to paying Dr Cogswell for Water Lot at Fresh Water.

Whereas it has been judged expedient by this Council to appoint a Committee of Tenders who consider it their office to receive and report upon all Tenders sent in to this Council

Resolved that in the opinion of this Council it is expedient the said Committee be discontinued for the future which resolution on being put is lost.

Resolved that the Committee of Cemetery be authorised to remove the bank on the North side of the Cemetery by days works provided the

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tenders be not satisfactory Moved by Alderman Twining
seconded by Alderman Bell to which the following
amendment is introduced

Resol. rel. to taking
tenders for the
removal of the Bank
in Cemetery,

Resolved that the City Clerk
do advertise for tenders from persons willing to remove the
Bank of earth north of the Cemetery Moved by Alder-
man Evans seconded by Alderman Conway which on
being put is lost. The original resolution is then put
and passed.

Alderman Conway has leave
to lay on the table a resolution by way of Notice.

On Motion the Council adjourn.

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A Meeting of the City Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor Alderman Eggswell, John Duggan, Lounds, Barnstead, Twining Thompson, James Duggan Moir Evens, Conway, Bell Richey and Jennings.

The Council were summoned to take up the Estimate for ensuing year and the transaction of other business

In absence of His Worship the Mayor Alderman Conway is called to the Chair.

Read over proceedings of 3rd July

Alderman Thompson Chairman submits report and Estimate from Committee of Public Accounts, On Motion the same is received.

Alderman Richey Chairman submits Report of Committee of Tenders. On Motion the same is received -

Alderman Bell Chairman of Common submits Communication from J. W. Ritchie Esq^r Attorney of Major General Trollope relative to the settlement of lawsuit concerning Common. On Motion same is received.

Alderman Twining Chairman verbally reports from Committee of City Prison.

The Chairman hands in the Quarterly returns of Weighers of Flour, also an extract from Minutes of Board of Health also half yearly return of Paupers in the Poor Asylum, also Letters from Mayors of Boston and Montreal accepting the invitation of the City to be present at reception of the Prince of Wales. The same are read.

On Motion the order of the day is suspended to allow Alderman Twining to introduce a resolution relative to an Under Keeper for the City Prison, when the following resolution is introduced

Resolved that an additional keeper is required for the City Prison and that notice for applicants be made in Newspapers. The Salary not to exceed Sixty pounds and found. Moved by Alderman Twining seconded by Alderman Jennings which on being put is passed.

Alderman Evens gives notice of reconsideration -

Alderman Evens Notice of recon- sideration given last Meeting relative to vote to Yacht Club is next taken up. The Resolution is read.

Communication from J. W. Ritchie relative to Settlement of Suit concerning Common

Resol. rel. to an additional under Keeper for City Prison

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is put and lost
The Motion to reconsider the resolution

Read Report and Estimate of
the Committee of Public Accounts this day submitted.
On Motion said Report and Estimate are adopted

Committee Room July 5th 1860

The Committee of Public Accounts
met this day present Aldermen Nash, Bell and the
Chairman.

The annual Estimate having been duly
considered the Committee concur in recommending to
the Council for adoption, the following Estimate of
Expenditure for the current year viz for

Annual
Estimate for
Year 1860

Salaries

Mayor	250 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Recorder	200 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
City Clerk	250 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Assistant City Clerk	175 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
City Treasurer	300 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Clerk of License	150 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
City Assessor	100 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Ward Assessors	36 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
City Architect	125 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Reporter	40 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Superintendent of Streets	200 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Clerk of Streets	175 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
City Marshal	200 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Constables	960 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Watchmen	936 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Sailor	20 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Health Inspector	100 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Keeper of Markets	100 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Inspector of Weights & Measures	50 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Keeper of City Clock	15 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Do " City Court House	50 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Sweeper of Markets & Parade	30 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
	<u>4462⁰⁰0⁰⁰</u>
<u>City Prison</u>	
Governors Salary	150 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Keeper	100 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Under Keeper	80 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Medical Officer	30 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
Maintenance of Criminals &c	650 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰
	<u>1010⁰⁰0⁰⁰</u>

Carried over - £5472⁰⁰0⁰⁰

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Amount Brought Forward £5472.0.0

Board of Health

Rent of hired Hospital	25.0.0	
Medical Officers	60.0.0	
Secretary	25.0.0	
Nurse	40.0.0	
Maintenance & Contingencies	500.0.0	
Maintenance of New Hospital	<u>200.0.0</u>	650.0.0

Fire Department

Engine Service	450.0.0	
Tanks	200.0.0	
Pumps & Wells	30.0.0	
New Hose	250.0.0	
Keeper of Engine House &c	25.0.0	
Inspector of Hose	20.0.0	
Secretary & Stewards	15.0.0	
Rent of Engine House Argyle St.	15.0.0	
Rent of Do. Maitland St.	5.0.0	
Gas for Engine Houses	25.0.0	
Contingencies	<u>20.0.0</u>	1055.0.0

Interest

Debentures Old Street debt on £9,000.	540.0.0	
Debt on Ordnance Buildings £556.9.4	33.4.9	
Debentures City Hospital on £10,000.	590.0.0	
Do " Prison on £1,000	<u>500.0.0</u>	1763.4.9

Insurance

City Hospital Court Buildings £2,500	23.5.0	
" Prison on £2,000	15.0.0	
" Market House on £3,000	19.0.0	
Engine House Spring Garden on £350	3.17.6	
City Court House on £1,500		
Engine House at Parade on £250	17.2.6	
Fishmarket on £100		
		<u>77.5.0</u>

Miscellaneous

Fire Plugs, Hydrants & Repairs	680.0.0	
Gas Company for 130 Street Lamps	600.0.0	
Ditto for City Building Market &c	55.0.0	
Printing & Stationery	300.0.0	
Repairs to City Property	500.0.0	
Fuel for City Offices	50.0.0	
Commissioners Poor for City Paupers	1350.0.0	
Lunatic Paupers at Insane Hospital	500.0.0	
Contingencies	550.2.3	
Copying Field Books of City Survey	<u>30.0.0</u>	4365.2.3

Amount carried forward, £10382.15.0

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Total amount brought forward £13382.15.0

Deduct

Resources of the City for the present year derivable from the following sources

Nett from Liquor & Auction Licenses	200.0.0	
Exhibition	Do	24.0.0
Hack & Trucks	Do	40.0.0
Police Fines		240.0.0
Do. Fees		40.0.0
Fees in Mayors Court		140.0.0
City Marshals Fees		100.0.0
Rent of City Property		191.15.0
Sweeps and Night Carts	14.0.0	
		<u>2082.15.0</u>

Add for probable loss on Assessment 700.0.0

Making the amount required for 1860 £ 12,000.0.0

Estimate
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Your Committee have to remark that they have used every economy in limiting the amounts required for the different services of the City for the present year. Yet notwithstanding, the total amount has swelled up to the sum of Twelve Thousand pounds and cannot be reduced below that sum without serious inconvenience to the interests and requirements of the City.

The erection of the City Hospital and City Prison has added largely to the amount of our annual Estimate but the want of those institutions had long been felt as a reproach to our City and their erection could no longer be delayed; but became a matter of necessity. Yet notwithstanding by the ungracious action taken by the upper branch of the Legislature during the last session, we are unable to put either of those institutions into that useful and efficient position which they were originally designed to occupy, the City Hospital in point of fact has become a tax without any corresponding benefit, whatever.

The increase of our population and the extension of the City proper, has also added largely to our expenses by an increase to the number of Paupers, Lunatics, Criminals & Vagrants. There has also been an increase in the number of fire Plugs, Hydrants and Gas Lamps throughout the City besides various incidental expenses connected with the management of our City affairs.

The Committee have put down the sum of Twelve Hundred and fifty pounds for the Maintenance of Paupers at the Poor Asylum but would recommend that not more than One thousand pounds be paid over for that purpose previous to the account from the Commissioners being audited by