

October 7<sup>th</sup>  
1862  
At an adjourned Meeting of the City Council held this day  
present His Worship The Mayor, Alderman Compton, Keel, Mr. Bullock, Dunbar,  
Mcagher, Ackhurst, Egan, Poggis, Ironsman, Hallister, Conway, Meyrick,  
Kieby and Jennings

Read over proceedings of the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst.

On motion the Report of the Committee on Water  
Appeals is taken up and read.

Report of Com  
on Water Appeals

Committee Room 9. Sept 1862

The Committee of Water Appeals beg to report, that they have had under  
consideration the petitions referred to them by the Council since the presentation of their  
last report. viz from the Commissioners of the Pools Asylum, Mr. Mrs Flynn and  
Mr William M Laren, and as in the judgement of the Committee neither of the Petitioners  
have shewn any reasonable grounds for their exemption from the operation of the  
law, the Committee recommends that the Commissioners be instructed to collect the rate  
levied without further delay.

The Council did the Committee the honor to refer to them a  
lengthened correspondence, between the Commissioners of Water Supply and Alderman  
John A Nash, and they have now to report that after a careful and patient  
examination of the positions assumed and the points at issue by and between  
the contending parties, they are unanimously of opinion that the demands of Mr  
Nash cannot be sustained or conceded.

Annexed to their Report the Committee lays before the  
Council an opinion obtained from His Honor the Recorder, which they beg to  
say, entirely accords with their own views and those put forth by the Commissioners.

The Committee therefore recommend to the Council to sustain  
the arrangements of the Commissioners Correspondence, and if necessary to test  
the matter in a Court of Law.

Referring to the account of Dr Cogswell as rendered to the  
Commissioners, the Committee have ascertained from one of their own members  
Alderman Kieby, who was chairman of the Committee that negotiated the  
purchase and transfer of the Works, that this claim was understood and admitted  
at the time, and is therefore correct and the Committee recommend its payment  
by the Commissioners.

Respectfully Submitted on behalf of the Committee

James Duggan  
Chairman

Read Report of His Honor the Recorder on the subject  
Recorders Office 14. Aug. 1862

Dear Sir

I do myself the honor to surmount replies to the questions  
sent to me by you as Chairman of the Committee on Water Appeals.

Query 1<sup>st</sup> can a tenant make a agreement with Commissioners for  
supply of Water to premises without consent of Landlord.

Answer

As under the 9<sup>th</sup> section of the Water Act, the owners in  
fee simple, or leaseholders for reasonable terms, or for life, or for  
a term exceeding five years, are to be assessed, and are liable for the Water Rates  
I think that the Commissioners must deal with Landlords, and cannot legally

Report of His  
Honor the Recorder  
on the Above Subject.



October 7<sup>th</sup> 1862 make agreements for Water Supply with Tenants, who occupy for less than five years, are to be assessed and are liable for the Water Rates, I think that the Commission should deal with Landlords without consent of Landlords unless the Tenants come within the terms of the Special agreement exception, when the supply is for Steam Mills, Manufactories, Baths and Hotels which is to be rated by agreement with the parties, and I hold that the parties here referred to mean those who work, occupy, or keep such premises, and use the Water which is to be paid for according to the amount consumed

Query 2<sup>nd</sup>

Could Landlord prevent Tenant from obtaining supply sufficient to carry on business he knowing business before leaving property.

Answer

The Commissioners can only legally deal with Landlords and should not enter into questions between Landlords and their Tenants "if a Landlord do not require the supply for his Tenant below five years, the Commissioners have no power to enforce assessment for the Water, if however the Tenant comes within any of the exceptions in the 9<sup>th</sup> Section, and occupies a Steam mill & then it is competent for the Commissioners to agree with Tenant without regard to Landlord.

Query 3<sup>rd</sup>

Can Citizens demand separate service pipe for Water Closet and other uses

Query 4<sup>th</sup>

Can Citizens demand separate service pipe for each and every Tenant in same House

Answer

Under the 5<sup>th</sup> Section of the 1862 Act "the service pipes for Water Supply to Houses, Buildings, and Establishments are to be carried by the Commissioners at the public Expense, from the mains to the side line of the Streets when it shall seem expedient to the Commissioners to lay such pipes, or when required so to do by notice in writing from the owner of any House or Building, opposite to which a main is laid, and such service pipes at the same time shall be carried through the Wall of the House, to which Water is to be supplied and all beyond that distance at the expense of the Owner of premises so supplied."

In my apprehension it was never contemplated by the act, that any but one service pipe was to be carried thro the Wall of any one House, but the main and the service pipe, must be capable of supplying the House with Water

It will be noticed that the service pipe is to be carried through the Wall of the House, and it is not reasonable, that if there were several Water Closets and several Tenants in one House, that a separate service pipe, should be carried from the main through the Wall of that House, for each Water Closet and each Tenant at the public Expense, thus piercing the Wall in different parts and adding largely to the cost. The Branch pipes for the different Water Closets, and the different Tenants are intended to be furnished and carried at the Expense of the owner of the House from the one service pipe which enters the Wall, otherwise I can find no significance to the directions given in the act of 1862 that "all beyond that distance (the Wall) shall be done at the expense of the owner"

The Commissioners will of course lay pipes of a capacity to afford an ample supply to each House, as the 9<sup>th</sup> Section of the act obviously founds the assessment on a designed sufficient supply

Alderman

James Duggan  
Chairman of Committee  
on Water Appeals

I have 17

William Sutherland  
Recorder



October 4<sup>th</sup>  
1862

Res. rel. to Water  
appeals.

The following Resolution is introduced

Resolved that the Report of the Committee on Water  
appeals just read be approved of, and adopted  
Moved by Alderman Conway Seconded by  
Alderman Jennings. which on being put is passed

Read Report of Committee of Streets of 30. Sep.

Streets Office Caspex 30. Sep 1862

Report of Com.  
on Streets.

The Committee of Streets beg leave to report for the information  
of His Worship the Mayor and the City Council

That on consideration of the petition of Mrs. S. John Esq  
and others. referred to this Committee by the City Council on the 10. Sep to report upon  
the Committee anxious to protect the rights of the Citizens, without commencing legal  
proceedings. consulted His Honor the Recorder, who with the Committee visited the  
premises referred to in the petition. His Honor advised the appointment of three Gentlemen  
to visit the locality and report their views in regard to the improvements in front of  
Marchingtons Wharf North, and whether they interfere with the free access to said  
property or are in any way injurious to it, the Committee in accordance with  
his Honor's advice requested by Resolution, the services of William Cunard, Thomas  
Polton and Jonathan Allison Esquires for that purpose, these Gentlemen having  
kindly acquiesced with the request of the Committee have delivered the enclosed award  
which the Committee are of the opinion will settle the differences between the proprietors  
of Marchingtons Wharf and the Committee

The Committee would further report that they have ordered  
the necessary alterations, and recommend an addition to the law requiring the Owners  
of Wharves to provide Granite Sills for the entrances to said Wharves, to be laid by the City  
in the same way and on the same terms, as the Brick Side Walks, and Granite Curbs  
are now laid

all of which is respectfully Submitted  
Petition and award on file

John W. Cullock  
Joseph Keye

On Motion said Report is adopted and ordered to  
be handed to the Committee of Streets to act upon

The City Council next proceed to appoint a  
Presiding Officer to hold the Election in Ward 5. for the seat now vacant, when  
on Motion Alderman Conway  
is appointed Presiding Officer for holding said Election  
on Motion the Council adjourn



October 15th  
1863

At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day  
Present. His Worship the Mayor. Alderman Compton. Smlay. McCulloch  
Dunbar Magher. Ashhurst. Egan, Pogg, Coleman. Frenneman. Parvaster  
Leahy. Conway Roche. Meynell Kichey & Jennings

Read over Proceedings of the 4. October

The City Council were summoned to appoint the  
various City Officers. for the ensuing year. and the transaction of other business

Read return of Election for Ward No 3

Return of Election  
for Ward No. 3.

William Roche Esq having received  
a majority of votes, and having taken and subscribed the Oath of Office prescribed by Law  
is sworn into office as Alderman and Justice of the Peace for the City of Halifax

Alderman Frenneman hands in a Report from Committee  
of Common

Petition from  
John McGuire

Alderman Jennings presents Petition from Thomas  
McGuire relative to his Taxes

Petition from  
John Rodis.

Alderman Conway presents Petition from Charles  
Rodis and others relative to a sewer in Gray Lane

on motion said Petition is referred to  
Committee of Streets to report upon

on motion Petition of Mrs McGuire is  
referred to the Committee on Taxes to report upon

Communications from  
Major Nugent.

His Worship the Mayor hands in communication  
from Major Nugent relative to Road through Government Field from Brunswick to  
"Stinging Street" "See Letter on File"

Communication from  
Provincial Secretary.

Read Communication from Hon Provincial  
Secretary disavowing Bye Law relative to City Prison

On motion the 1st Clause of said Bye Law is  
omitted. and the same ordered to be retransmitted to His Honor the Administrator  
of the Government, and the Honorable Executive Council for approval

On motion the Communication from Major Nugent  
is referred to the Committee of Law and Privileges to take such further action  
thereupon as they may seem fit

Application from  
Mr Sutherland

The City Council next proceed to the Election of  
of City Officers

Read application from Mr Sutherland Esq for Office  
of Recorder when the following Resolution is introduced

Resolved. That the Salary of the Recorder  
be the amount fixed by the act of Incorporation. viz. Two hundred Pounds  
moved by Alderman McCulloch seconded by Alderman  
Roche

to which the following amendment is introduced  
Resolved. That the sum of Four Hundred  
dollars be added to the Recorder's Salary for the ensuing year in lieu of all  
legal services rendered by him, exclusive of those strictly belonging to his Office as  
Recorder.

Moved by Alderman Egan. Seconded by Alderman Frenneman



October 15th 1862 which amendment on being put is passed lost & voting for the same and against it  
 The original Resolution is then put and passed & voting for the same and against it and the names being called for they appeared thus  
 For the Resolution. Alderman Meagher  
 Conway  
 Smyth  
 Coleman  
 Leahy  
 Hill  
 McCulloch  
 Boggs  
 Roche &  
 against the Resolution  
 Alderman Abbott  
 Hallister  
 Greenman  
 Pichey  
 Moyneil  
 Jennings  
 Egan  
 Dunbar &

William Sutherland is elected Recorder.  
 John L. Craig elected City Clerk.  
 John J. Dimp. asst. City Clerk for the ensuing year.  
 L. Hartshorn is elected City Treasurer for the ensuing year.  
 G. Cotter is elected City Marshal for the ensuing year.  
 W. S. Morris Clerk of License Licence for the ensuing year.

William Sutherland Esq is most unanimously Elected Recorder for ensuing year  
 John L. Craig is most Elected City Clerk for ensuing year  
 Thomas Rhind is unanimously Elected Assistant City Clerk  
 Laurence Hartshorn is unanimously Elected City Treasurer  
 Garret Cotter is unanimously Elected City Marshal  
 William S. Morris is unanimously Elected Clerk of

Election of Constables.

On motion. Thomas Hayden, James Park, David Evans John Keefe, Philip Parsons, William Roddick, Patrick Canfield, Lewis Butt John Arthur, Maurice Power, William Hennigan and John Campbell are appointed Police Constables for the ensuing year

Election of Clerks of the Market.

Read application of Robert Motton, Peter Maher and Tom Smith for situation of Clerks of the Market  
 Robert Motton and Peter Maher are unanimously elected Clerks of the Market for the ensuing year

Election of Weighers of Flour.

Read application of Mr Grant, W. R. Cogswell, George Irwin Samuel Carten, John Parker and Alex McHat for situation of Weighers of Flour  
 George Irwin, William Grant, John Parker, W. R. Cogswell and Samuel Carten are Elected Weighers of Flour for the ensuing year

James Pollock. Supr of Streets.

James Pollock is most unanimously Elected Superintendent of Streets for the ensuing year

John C. Craigen Clerk of Streets.

John C. Craigen is unanimously Elected Clerk of Streets

A Motion is most made that the Election of Pound Keeper be deferred for the present, and that the present Incumbent be requested to make a return to this council of the fees received by him for the past year - when it is moved in amendment that the Election be proceeded with - the amendment is lost and the motion carried

Read application from James Speke for the Office of Health Inspector where the following Resolution is introduced



October 15<sup>th</sup>

Resolved that the sum of One Hundred Dollars be given to the Health Inspector, for his extra services in connection with the Internal Health Committee. Moved by Alderman Compton Seconded by Alderman Cogan which on being put is passed.

James Spike Elected Health Inspector for the ensuing year

James Spike is unanimously Elected Health Inspector

Read applications of Will G Anderson and James Duggan and William Smith for Keeper of Markets when the following Resolution is introduced

Resolved that the Salary of the Keeper of Markets be fixed at Seventy five pounds per annum. Moved by Alderman McCulloch Seconded by Alderman Roche which Resolution on being put is lost. Voting for the same and 13 against it on the names being called for they appeared thus

For the Resolution	Alderman Conway	against it Alderman	Ackhurst
	McCulloch		Hullister
	Keil		Ermeneman
	Roche		Meagher
	Dunbar. 5		Janlay
			Coleman
			Leahy
			Meynell
			Richy
			Compton
			Cogan
			Journeing
			Boggs 13

Resolved that the Resolution passed by a former Council granting the sum of Forty pounds for the purpose of Sweeping the Market Square, Parade and Steam Boat Slip be now repealed, and that the Internal Health Committee be instructed to direct the Health Inspector to attend to those duties in future

Moved by Alderman Conway. Seconded by Alderman Coleman which on being put is passed

The Votes are next taken for Keeper of Markets when there appeared for James Duggan 9 Votes and William G Anderson 9 Votes His Worship the Mayor being called upon for his casting vote, gives it for 8000 Anderson. William Anderson is therefore Elected Keeper of Markets for the ensuing year

W. Andersons Keeper of Markets

Alderman Compton gives notice of reconsideration of Resolution. Negatives this day, relative to Extra Grant to the Recorder.

On Motion the Council adjourn until Friday at 9 o'clock



October 10th 1862 Thomas Hayden, James Purk, David Evans, John Keefe  
Philip Parsons, William Reddick, Patrick Caulfield, Lewis Butt, John Arthur  
Maurice Power, William Mannigan and John Campbell are this day sworn into  
the Office of Policemen for the City of Glasgow in presence of His Worship The Mayor

October 17th Robert Moton and Peter Maher are this day sworn into Office as  
Clerks of the Market in presence of His Worship The Mayor

William G. Anderson is this day sworn into office as Keeper of Markets  
in presence of His Worship The Mayor

Garrat Lotter is this day sworn into office as City Marshal in presence  
of His Worship The Mayor

J. D. G. Marshall is this day sworn into office as City Architect  
in presence of His Worship The Mayor

October 21st James Spike is this day sworn into office as Health Inspector in  
presence of His Worship The Mayor



October 14th  
1852

At an adjourned meeting of the City Council held this day present  
His Worship the Mayor Alderman Compton Inlay Hill McCulloch Dunbar  
Meagher Ackhurst Egan Roggs Coleman Finneman Hallister Leary  
Conway Roche Meynell Richey & Jennings

Read over proceedings of the 15th Inst

On motion Alderman Egan has leave to submit application  
from John Law for situation of Swager of Oil

Petition of  
Miss Wallace

His Worship the Mayor submits petition of Miss Wallace  
relative to her Taxes

The City Council next take up Alderman Compton's  
notice of reconsideration passed at last meeting

The reconsideration on being put is passed 9 voting for  
the same and 7 against it

The reconsideration stands over for the present

Petition of  
Elizabeth Wallace

Read petition of Elizabeth Wallace relative to her taxes, on  
motion the same is referred to the Committee of taxes to report upon

The City Council next proceed to the Election of  
City Officers

James L. Gums Elected  
Surgeon of Bridewell

James O'Rume is unanimously Elected Surgeon  
of Bridewell for the ensuing year

Matthew Campbell  
Gov. of City Prison

Matthew Campbell is next unanimously Elected  
Governor of the City Prison for the ensuing year

Read applications from Rich Omara, John Kennedy  
and John Collins for situation of under keeper of City Prison

The following Resolution is introduced

Resolved that the Salary to be paid to  
under keepers at the City Prison shall for the future be forty five pounds each  
and no provision supplied

Moved by Alderman Richey seconded by Alderman  
Conway which on being put is passed

John Kennedy John Collins and Richard Omara  
are next Elected under keepers of City Prison

The following Resolution is next introduced

Resolved that the appointment of Registrar  
of Cemetery be deferred for the present, and that the Committee of Cemetery be  
requested to define the duties of the keeper and report to this Council

Moved by Alderman Roche and seconded by Alderman Inlay which on being put  
is passed 12 voting for the same and 5 against it, and the names being called  
for they stood thus

For the Resolution

Alderman Hallister Egan Finneman Meagher Conway Inlay Meynell  
Compton Richey Jennings & Black Ackhurst 12  
against it McCulloch Leary Hill Roggs Dunbar 5

Resol. to apppt  
of Registrar  
of Cemetery



October 17th  
1852  
D. J. Marshall  
City Architect

Had application of B. D. Marshall and John Lantay for  
situation of City Architect  
B. D. Marshall is Elected City Architect for ensuing year

Had application from James Connor John Heenan John Brennan  
Edward Saul Thomas Graves Thomas Wilson Jun James Fortune Jos Mc Gill  
Dennis Heffernan

Election of  
Gaugers of Oil

On motion James Connor John Heenan John Brennan Ed Saul  
Thomas Graves Thomas Wilson J James Fortune Joseph Mc Gill & Dennis Heffernan  
are elected Gaugers of Oil for ensuing year

Read Report of  
Com. of Common

on motion said report is received  
Read Report of Committee of Common relative to grant to Credit Club

Read Appeal from  
J. C. Halburton

on motion said appeal is referred to the Committee of Water appeals  
Read appeal from J. C. Halburton relative to his Water Rates

Read Memorial of  
William Hare

South end  
and Privileges  
Read Memorial of William Hare Esq relative to Road  
on motion the same is referred to the Committee of Laws

Read Return of Award  
of Arbitrators

See Petitions and awards on file  
Read Return of Award of Arbitrators of Public Sewers

Records

Read Report of City Clerk relative to insecurity of City  
Records

To His Worship the Mayor and the City Council  
Gentlemen

Report of  
City Clerk  
rel. to insecurity  
of City Records

I respectfully wish to bring to your notice the insecurity  
of the Public Records of the City, as they are now kept, the whole of the Records of the  
City Council since the first establishment of the Corporation in 1841 are deposited in  
an iron safe in the assistant Clerks Office, which safe offers sufficient security as  
far as their liability to loss is concerned, but in the case of a fire occurring in the  
Basement Story of the Building, and that before the safe could be got out of the  
Room where it now is, or the books taken from it, the whole would be destroyed, and in  
the ruins below. I would also beg to state that the Plans of the City recently made by Mr  
Gassip, and which have cost such a large amount of money, have no other protection  
than iron boxes in the City Clerks Office, and in case of fire would be as liable to  
destruction as any other moveable article, I would therefore suggest to the City  
Council that a Committee be appointed to take the matter into consideration and  
adopt such measures as they may think best for the better security of those important  
Records

Halifax 17th Oct 1861

John L. Cragg  
City Clerk

on motion the same is referred to Committee of City  
Propriety

Read Petition of  
Robert C. Cakes

Had Petition of Robert C. Cakes  
Resolved on hearing the Petition of Robert  
C. Cakes, that the matters therein referred to, having been adjudicated by competent  
authorities, it is not in the power of this Council to interfere

Moved by Alderman Jennings seconded by Alderman  
Kiehey which on being put is passed



October 17th

Read Return of Weights of Flour for Quarter ending 31st March 1862

Return of Number of Barrels Flour and Meal weighed by Samuel Carter ending 31st March 1862

7704 Bbls — 90 Bbls Short — 737 1/2 Bbls Short —

Return of Number of Barrels Flour and Meal for Quarter ending 31st March 1862 weighed by John Parker

2479 Bbls — 38 Bbls Short — 546 1/2 Bbls Short —

Return of Number of Barrels Flour and Meal weighed by William Grant for Quarter ending 31st March 1862

6032 Bbls — 14 Bbls Short — 184 1/2 Bbls Short —

Return of Number of Barrels Flour and Meal weighed by George Irwin for Quarter ending 31st March 1862

7717 1/2 Bbls — 18 Bbls Short — 980 1/2 Bbls Short —

Return of Number of Barrels Flour and Meal weighed by W. R. Cogswell for Quarter ending 31st March 1862

6030 Bbls — 112 Bbls Short — 1102 1/2 Bbls Short —

Read Return of Weights of Flour for Quarter Ending 30th Nov 1862 Samuel Carter

11,401 Bbls — 152 Bbls Short — 1122 1/2 Bbls Short —

John Parker

12,340 Bbls — 51 Bbls Short — 478 1/2 Bbls Short —

William Grant

12,477 Bbls — 84 Bbls Short — 1138 1/2 Bbls Short —

George Irwin

15,064 Bbls — 240 Bbls Short — 2259 1/2 Bbls Short —

W. R. Cogswell

13,774 Bbls — 520 Bbls Short — 3903 1/2 Bbls Short —

On Motion Council Rese



November 3 1862 At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day  
Present His Worship The Mayor Alderman Compton. Hill  
Mr. Cusack Dunbar. Ackhurst. Sagan. Rogers. Coleman. Pennefather  
Maister. Leahy. Conway. Roche. Meynell & Jennings

The City Council were summoned to appoint a Board of Health, and Health Wardens, and the transaction of other business

Read over Proceedings of 17th October

Report of Com. of Rates & Taxes of Rates & Taxes Alderman Meynell Chairman Reports from Committee

Petition of S. A. Mulgrew relative to his building in Cranville Street Alderman Hill hands in petition of S. A. Mulgrew

Reports from Com. on Batt. Colors or Battalion Colors Alderman Jennings Chairman Reports from Committee

Report from Com. of Streets from Committee of Streets relative to Grays Lane Alderman Conway Chairman hands in report

Petition from Keyson Kerry relative to Taxes Alderman Roche hands in petition from Keyson Kerry

Petition of Brown Bros. & Co. Pros. of relative to a Crispin His Worship The Mayor hands in petition of Brown Bros. & Co.

Read Report of Com. of Streets Sewer in Grays Lane Read Report of Committee of Streets relative to Sewer in Grays Lane on motion the same is adopted

Petition of Mrs. Stone relative to his taxes Alderman Ackhurst hands in petition of Mrs. Stone

Read Report of Committee on Battalion Colors Submitted this day

Report of Com. on Battalion Colors Committee appointed by this Council to prepare a stand of colors for presentation to the Battalion of Volunteers now under the command of Capt. Charnley beg leave to report as follows that they have discharged that duty to the best of their ability and believe will be found both in design work and quality such as will prove satisfactory

At a Meeting of said Committee held on the 20th ult. for the purpose of making arrangements for presentation of the Colors, a sub-committee was appointed consisting of Alderman Coleman Sagan Dunbar and the Chairman to confer with His Excellency the Commander in Chief, General Doyle and Captain Charnley on the subject. His Excellency Earl Mulgrave being absent, General Doyle was consulted on the subject who



November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1862 expressed a willingness to do all in his power to assist in carrying out the object we had in view, it was proposed that Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst. be the day on which the presentation take place it being the Birth day of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales in which proposition the General readily concurred. The Committee next brought to notice of the General the resolution of this Council relative to the inauguration of the Schools of the City being present, when General Doyle expressed his willingness to arrange the Troops, that the children of the schools present might have a good view of the whole proceedings.

A Resolution was passed appointing Alderman Ackhurst & Alderman James Duggan and William Townsend Esq. a Committee to take charge of the arrangements of the several schools on the Ground.

At a meeting of the Committee on the 30<sup>th</sup> ult. it was resolved to notify the several Schoolmasters to meet on Saturday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November at 3 o'clock for the purpose of ascertaining as near as possible what number of scholars would likely be present. Your Committee regret to say there was only one Teacher present and that one the teacher of a private school leaving the inference that but little interest is felt in the matter, the Committee propose to erect a small Tent for the reception of the colors, when first conveyed to the Common until the time of presentation and also that the City Marshal take charge of them on the morning of presentation and convey them to the Common before the arrival of the Troops, and remain in charge until the arrival of His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen.

Your Committee would recommend that the City Council meet on the morning of 10<sup>th</sup> Instant at the Mayors Office and proceed to the Common in a body.

Your Committee unanimously recommend that the Lady of His Worship the Mayor be respectfully requested to present the colors to the Volunteers on behalf of the City.

Your Committee would further recommend that Lady Mulgrave, Lady Brine and the Admiral be invited in the name of the Mayor and Aldermen to be present on the occasion.

Your Committee would further recommend that the colors be kept in the City Hall in charge of His Worship the Mayor for the time being all of which is respectfully submitted.

L. Jennings. Chairman

Alderman Jennings hands in petitions of W.D.M. Tennant and Colonel Puff relative to their Taxes. On Motion the same are referred to the Committee of Taxes to report upon, as also the petition of Nevan Sherry and Thomas Stone on same subject.

Read Report of Committee of Rates & Taxes submitted this day.

Committee Room 20. Oct 1862

Committee on Rates and Poor Tax met this day present Alderman Meagher Hill Conway Ballister, Popp, & the Chairman.

The petition of the Administrators to the Estate of the late Patrick Drummond was read and after examination and information received the Committee agree to recommend that the amount to be assessed upon should be £3000.

Petitions of W.D. McKennec & Col. Puff

Report of Com. of Rates & Taxes.



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Petition of Miss Wallan was also read and considered and the Committee are of opinion that they cannot recommend the Council to grant any relief.

Petition of Thos Mc Guire was read and considered and it was of the opinion of the Committee that he was justly taxed. They therefore could not recommend any relief.

all of which is respectfully submitted

E. D. Meynell  
Chairman

On Motion said Report is adopted

Read Memorial of Brown Potts relative to a crossing  
on motion the same is referred to the Committee of Streets

Read Memorial of Jozy St Meteler relative to the alteration of  
a Building in Granville Street

Caenfax 15th October 1862

To His Worship The Mayor and Aldermen  
of the City of Caenfax,  
Gentlemen

I have received a note from the City Architect calling my attention to a violation of the law in the repairs undergoing on my Building in Granville Street. The alterations in contemplation are merely to raise the side adjoining the Baptist Chapel to the height of the present roof which will be flat and covered with felt rendering it less liable to catch fire. I may add that the Building has been shatened 14 feet in the rear and I hope that Permission will be granted me to proceed with the work as contemplated.

Respectfully

J. St. Meteler

On motion the same is referred to a Committee of three to report upon Committee Aldermen Jennings, Hill & Ackhurst

On motion the Report of Committee on Palladium Colours is adopted

The City Council next proceed to Elect a Board of Health for the ensuing year, when the following Gentlemen are appointed

Ward 1 Alpine Grant

Barnard O'Neill

2 William Handick

John S McLean

3 Thomas Walsh

William Fraser

Ward 4 Philip Thomson

Hugh W Blackadar

5 James Mettel

John Naylor

6 John Shindell

William A Penny

On motion the Health Wardens who served last year are reappointed

On motion Michael Power is appointed Pound Keeper for Ensuening Year

The following Resolution is next introduced

Whereas an award from the Assessors appointed by this Council to apes the owners of property along the line of Sewers constructed in 1861 in the following localities

Memorial of  
Jozy St. Meteler

Michael Power  
Pound Keeper