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Committee of Laws & Privileges to report. On motion the same is referred to

Committee of St. John's Church & Commercial St. relates to the visitors of the Gas Works. Read petition from (Monaghan) On motion the prayer of petitioners is granted.

Internal Affairs.

Read Annual Report of Committee of

City Property.

Read Annual Report of Committee of

published in the Annual Report. On motion they are ordered to be

of Hacks and Cabs

Read Annual Report of Committee

the publishing of the Annual Report is appointed.

Committee Aldermen Coon, Richardson, Bossip, Murphy, Cozway and Emmas

On motion a Committee to Superintend

Treasurer are referred to Committee of Public Accounts to see if they can be published under the control of publishing Committee. The following Resolution is next introduced.

Resolved that an additional Watchman be appointed for the North West Arm Road and Common.

Moved by Alderman McLaughlin seconded by Alderman Brennan which on being put is passed.

The following Resolution is next introduced.

Resolved that the Commissioners of Water Supply be requested to place Fire Hydrants on the Quinlan St. Road also at the Head of Export Wharf and in the rear of Pentagon Building and such other places as the Fire Wards may direct.

Moved by Alderman McLaughlin seconded by Alderman Brennan which on being put is passed.

On motion Alderman Richardson for Ward 2 and Alderman Murphy for Ward Four are appointed presiding Officers for holding elections on the 2nd Oct.

On motion Council adjourn.

Resolved to place Hydrants on Dump Road and other places

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At a special Meeting of the City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor Alderman Dunbar, Richardson, Ackhurst, Cassip, Cash, Symonson, Fuller, Conway, Stom and Emming.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Richardson, Chairman submits annual report of the Committee of Geometry.

Alderman Ackhurst submits petition of Rose & O'Neil and others, Committee of California Industrial School etc to grant to that establishment.

Read Resolution of meeting of August 2nd. (as follows)

Resolved that the fence placed on the South end of Albert St by Mr. Shalen be allowed to remain at present - on condition that the same shall be removed at any time this Council may deem necessary.

Moved by Alderman Symonson seconded by Alderman Cash which on being put is lost & coming for the same and against it.

Read Resolution of 20th August last.

A motion is made that Alderman Symonson have leave to withdraw the resolution which motion on being put is passed & coming for and against it and the names being called for they appeared thus.

In the motion
Ald Ackhurst
Cash Fuller
Emming Conway
Richardson, Stom
Dunbar, Cassip &

against it
Ald Symonson
McLulloch
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Read communication Secy Dist Wards re: to Storage of Petroleum

Resolved to 1000 feet Hose

Read communication from Secty. of S. W. Wards, with extracts of the meeting of the Board, relative to Storage of Petroleum, and those required for the Department - when the following resolution is next introduced.

Resolved that the Resolution adopted by the Council be acceded to and that the Chairman be authorized to order the quantity of hose applied for viz One thousand feet of English hose the amount to be provided for in the next year's estimate.

Moved by Alderman McLulloch seconded by Alderman Dunbar which resolution on being put is passed.

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2nd Letter from
Secy of Gov of Poor
rel to Poor Asylum

Recd letter from Secretary of
Commissioners of Poor with extract from minutes of Board of Commissioners
rel to Poor Asylum.

Poor Asylum
Halifax Sept 10th 1867

Sir.

I am directed by the Board of Commissioners
to forward to you extracts from the minutes of their proceedings
which I beg to hand you herewith.

W. H. Richey Esq
Mayor

Board of Commissioners

W. Reynolds
Secy.

Extract from the minutes of the

Poor Asylum
Halifax Aug 11th 1867

It was moved by the Hon. Edwards Kemmy
and seconded by De Carter that three hundred pounds be set
aside for the purpose of remunerating the Building Committee
this resolution passed unanimously and the following gentlemen
appointed the Committee viz.

Mr. Conway Esq, Geo. S. Mitchell Esq, and C. Swinney Esq.

Resolved that a copy of the resolution
passed by the Board, relative to remunerating the Building
Committee be sent to the Government and City Council

A true copy
W. Reynolds
Secy.

introduced.

when the following resolution is next
introduced.

On hearing the resolution and Extracts
of minutes read from Commissioners of Poor in reference to amount
proposed for the payment of Building Committee while the Asylum
is being erected, resolved that this Council are quite satisfied the
Resolution should be sustained.

Moved by Alderman Wash
seconded by Alderman Fuller to which the following amendment
is introduced.

Resolved that this Council do not
approve of taking any city funds to pay any of the Commissioners
of Poor Asylum and City Hospital for superintending the
New Building on the South Common as they do not consider
it requisite there being already a person appointed for that
purpose.

Moved by Alderman Greenman
seconded by Alderman Dunbar which amendment on being put
is passed ye voting for the same and against it and the names

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being called for they appeared thus

For the, amendt.
Mr. Aekhurst, Chairman
" Ammas Richardson
" Storr Gollip
" Simban McMullock 8

against it
Mr. Tollen,
" Nash
" 2

being by this Council.
-siderations.

Alderman Conway being excused from
Alderman Tollen gives notice of recon-

Read letter from
City Architect
rel McEwan's building

relative to Miss McEwan's building.
Stephen relative to nuisance at Steam Boat Slip when the following
resolution is introduced.

Read letter from City Architect
Committee Street.
Read letter from Alexander

is authorized to take the steps necessary to prevent the nuisance
complained of by Mr. Stephens and do any thing they think necessary
and the Council will provide the expense incurred.

Resolved that the Committee of City
is authorized to take the steps necessary to prevent the nuisance
complained of by Mr. Stephens and do any thing they think necessary
and the Council will provide the expense incurred.

Memory submitted this day
publishing Committee to have published in the annual report

Read Annual Report of Committee of
On motion the same is referred to
publishing Committee to have published in the annual report

and others President and Committee of Calypso Industrial School
to a grant to that institution
next introduced.

Read letter from Acting S. M. General
Read petition of Hon. S. B. Hill
when the following resolution is

of Directors of Calypso Industrial School located at Spring Garden
be received and the prayer granted and that the Mayor be requested
to pay from the Contingent Fund the sum of one hundred dollars
towards the funds of that useful institution.

Resolved that the memorial of the Board
of Directors of Calypso Industrial School located at Spring Garden
be received and the prayer granted and that the Mayor be requested
to pay from the Contingent Fund the sum of one hundred dollars
towards the funds of that useful institution.

seconded by Alderman Chairman.

Moved by Alderman Aekhurst
On motion the same resolution
lay on the table till next meeting of Council.

On motion Council adjourns.

1868
Sept 30th.

At a Special meeting of the City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen John Dunbar, Aekhurst, Nash, Gammann, Murphy, Gullen, Gurney, Leahy Starr and Chapman.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Aekhurst Chairman submits Report of Committee of Public Accounts

His Worship the Mayor submits Report of N. P. Grassie Esq. Inspector of Petroleum.

His Worship the Mayor submits and reads his annual Report. Alderman Gullen's notice of reconsideration of resolution of last meeting which on being put is passed.

Read Resolution and amendment of last meeting, and the amendment on being put is lost and the resolution on being put is passed. 7 votes for and 4 against it and the names being called for they appeared thus.

For the resolution.
Ald. Murphy,
Leahy, John
Gullen, Gammann
Nash, Chapman.

Against it.
Ald. Gammann,
Aekhurst
Starr
Dunbar &

On motion the order of the day is suspended to allow Alderman Dunbar to introduce a resolution.

On motion His Worship the Mayor leaves the Chair and Alderman Aekhurst is called on and the following resolution is introduced.

Resolved that this Council cannot allow our esteemed Mayor Matthew W. Riches Esq. who for the past three years has discharged the duties of Chief Magistrate of the City with so much benefit to the public and so much credit to himself without expressing their sincere regret on parting with him, during that period the members of the Council have both in their official and private intercourse with His Worship ever experienced the utmost kindness and courtesy, and while the public service has largely benefitted by the judgment and ability displayed by him during his term of Office in the discharge of his important public duty, the members of this Council will ever retain a lively recollection of the kindness and urbanity which has marked his personal intercourse with them.

Res. rel. to late Mayor Matthew W. Riches

Moved by Alderman John Dunbar seconded by Alderman John which resolution on being put is passed unanimously.

The Mayor resumes the Chair and the above resolution is read by the Clerk.

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On motion Alderman Erb is relieved from serving as presiding Alderman in Ward One and Alderman Goepp is appointed in his stead.

Annual Report of Committee of Public Accounts submitted this day.

Committee Room
Sept 27th 189.

The Committee of Public Accounts met this day present Aldermen Dunbar, Fuller, Starr and the Chairman. The following accounts were presented for examination.

Printing	J. C. Besshill	\$ 134.25
City Market	H. A. Smyth	16.75
Printing	A. D. Korne	152.15
Contract Fund	C. Kaiser	50.00
City Property	M. J. McCormick & Johnston	3.47
	H. A. Fisher	172.04
		\$ 548.16
		19.50
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		\$ 528.66

The above accounts having been examined and found correct are respectfully recommended for payment.

Wm. Ackhurst
Chairman

Resolved to Public Accounts for the Month

Resolved that the Report of Committee of Public Accounts be received and adopted and that the Mayor be authorized to draw cheques and pay the same.

Moved by Alderman Ackhurst seconded by Alderman Lecky which resolution on being put is passed.

On motion His Worship the Mayor reads his annual report.

On motion the same is ordered to be handed to the Publishing Committee for the purpose of having it published in the Annual Report.

when the following resolution is introduced.

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Resolved that in consideration that the Government of Nova Scotia shall release and discharge the City of Halifax from all present or future liability under the various acts of the Province respecting the Provincial Railway & that the Mayor or Recorder of this City is authorized to discharge and release the said Province of Nova Scotia and the Dominion of Canada from all claims in or right to any portion or shares in said Railway. It is also hereby further resolved that the Council of N.S. & Canada consent that the present suits against the City shall be settled upon the terms of each party paying their own costs.

Resolved to pay full not in suit, to the Province of N.S. & Canada

x seconded by Alderman Aekhurst which on being put to pass.

Alderman Pennington submits annual report of Committee of Streets.

Read Resolution of last meeting relative to grant to Halifax Industrial School which on being put to pass.

Read Report of Special Committee relative to case of Mr. Young drowned on Parade. Committee Room.

The Committee to whom was referred the letter of James P. Goffin relative to boy drowned on parade beg to report.

That they have examined a number of witnesses and are satisfied that the death of child on parade was in a very dangerous state and the loss of life was a consequence thereof and although they think the parents of the boy have no legal claim for damages against the common council yet as it was thought culpable neglect on the part of some of the City Department they recommend that the sum of One hundred dollars be given to Mr. Young the mother of the child as a small compensation for the loss sustained.

John Starr Chairman

Resolved that the Report of Committee be received and adopted.

Moved by Alderman Starr and seconded by Alderman Aekhurst which on being put to pass. Council Adjourned

x On the passing of the above Resolution (which was asked for by the Government) the following Order in Council approved by the Lieutenant Governor (Sir Fenwick Williams) and Hiram Blanchard Attorney General, "It is resolved by His Excellency and Council that the Attorney General be authorized to discontinue said suit and that the costs on the part of the Government be paid" - was transmitted to the Mayor.

As the foregoing Order in Council should have been placed on record when it was received but was somehow omitted, I have taken it upon myself to supply it - For a full account of the transactions to which it refers, see Appendix to Annual Report of 1893. 4 and Mayor Pichey's Valedictory Address in Annual Report of 1866-67. P.A.B.

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October 2nd.

James Egan for Ward One, William Dunbar for Ward Two, James Butler for Ward Three, Samuel Symonson for Ward Four, William Barron for Ward Five, and Frederick Worley for Ward Six, having been returned as duly elected Aldermen for their wards and having taken and subscribed the oath of allegiance and the oath of qualification as well as that of Justices of the Peace are sworn into Office as Aldermen and Justices of the Peace for the City of Halifax.

Sho^{sh} Kind
A. S. H. H. H.

Oct 2nd.

At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen Egan, Richardson, Dunbar, Egan, Mack, Butler, Symonson, Barron, Worley, and Worley.

Read over proceedings of 21st Sept which are being amended and confirmed.

Read returns of Elections. Mayor

Read the returns of Elections for Mayor for the ensuing year as follows.

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5	Ward 6
Step ^r Egan	11	11	11	11	11	11
Wm McLaughlin	7	7	7	7	7	7

Wm Ackhurst
Majority of Mr Egan's 66 votes.

His Worship then publicly declares Step^r Egan Esq. elected Mayor for ensuing year.

On motion the City Clerk is directed to inform His Excellency the Civil Governor of the election of Mayor and request him to name a time and place for swearing Mr Egan in Office.

On motion of Alderman Mack seconded by Alderman Richardson. Resolved that this Council attend the funeral of the late Andrew McMillan Esq. Master of the Company of Halifax this day in a Body.

On motion Council adjourns.

Ed. Mahony for Ward One and Thomas Halek for Ward Two having been returned as duly elected Aldermen for the Wards set opposite their names and having taken and subscribed the oath of allegiance the oath of qualification as well as that of Justices of the Peace are sworn into Office as Aldermen and Justices of the Peace for the City of Halifax.

Sho^{sh} Kind
A. S. H. H. H.

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Oct. 3rd

At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day, present His Worship Stephen Scrimmgeour Esq Mayor, Aldermen Sayer, Mahony, Richardson, Dunbar, Gossip, Nash, Kelly, Walsh, Brennan, Conway, Kelly, Morrow, Linnick and Morley.

Council were summoned to receive the returns of Elections in Wards One and Four and the transaction of other business.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

His Worship the Mayor submit letter from Dr. Mayor Richey relative to vacancy in Ward One, the same is read. On motion Tuesday the 8th Oct next is appointed the day for holding elections in Ward One for the vacancy occasioned by the Election of Stephen Scrimmgeour to the Office of Mayor.

On motion Alderman Dunbar is appointed Presiding Officer for holding elections in Ward One on Tuesday next.

On motion H. J. West and Joseph West Esq are appointed City Auditors for ensuing year.

On motion a Committee consisting of the senior Aldermen of each ward are appointed to draft the various standing committees for ensuing year. Committee Aldermen Sayer, Mahony, Gossip, Walsh, Conway and Linnick.

Committee return to make up report. Alderman Conway Chairman of Special Committee to draft standing committees submit report of the Committee.

Committee Room.
Oct 3rd 1867.

The Committee to whom was referred the appointing of the various standing committees do report the following list for the concurrence of this Council.

Public Accounts	Common	Cemetery
Ald Sayer	Ald Graham	Ald Scholain
" Dunbar	" Mahony	" Richardson
" Gossip	" Nash	" Nash
" Brennan	" Walsh	" Brennan
" Morrow	" Conway	" Sayer
" Deillio	" Linnick	" Linnick

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City Tavern.
Mr Sinclair
" Dunbar
" Kask
" Walsh
" Conway
" Emming

City Property
Mr Sinclair
" Mahony
" Kask
" Murphy
" Kask
" Corley

Streets
Mr Mayor
" Jannaman
" Kask

Law & Councils
Mr. Beaham
" Dunbar
" Kask
" Walsh
" Barron
" Deillio

Police
Mr Beaham
" Mahony
" Butler
" Murphy
" Barron
" Corley

Orders
Mr Sinclair
" Richardson
" Butler
" Walsh
" Conway
" Corley

Committee of
(Sundries) 1867

Stairs & Trucks
Mr Beaham
" Murphy
" Butler
" Deillio

City Hospital
Mr Mayor
" Mahony
" Deillio
" Jannaman
" Barron
" Corley

Rates & Taxes
Mr Sinclair
" Dunbar
" Deillio
" Jannaman
" Conway
" Deillio

Internal Works
Mr Barron
" Deillio
" Emming

Library
Mr Mayor
" Richardson
" Deillio
" Walsh
" Barron
" Corley

License
Mr Sinclair
" Richardson
" Butler
" Jannaman
" Barron
" Deillio

The same is read.

are taken up serially.

Accounts as read, are adopted.

Commons as read are adopted.

Industry as read is adopted.

Tavern as read is adopted Alderman Dunbar being substituted for Alderman Richardson.

Property as read is adopted.

Committee of Streets read. A motion that Alderman Beaham be substituted for Ald Mayor on this committee on being put is lost - 3 yeas for and 11 against it and the names being called for appeared thus.

On motion the same

On motion Committee of Public

On motion the Committee of

On motion the Committee of

On motion the Committee of City

On motion the Committee of City

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Oct 8th

For the motion
Ald. Kash
" Lecky
" Dumber 3

against
Ald. Walsh, Mahony,
" Butler, Leger, Manning
" Conway, Barron, Richardson
" Morley, Swannan, Joseph II.

A motion is made that Alderman Swannans name be struck off the Committee of Streets which motion on being put is lost 2 voting for the same and 12 against it and the names being called for they appeared thus.

For the motion
Ald. Kash
" Dumber

against it
Ald. Walsh, Joseph, Morley
" Butler, Richardson, Conway
" Lecky, Barron, Mahony
" Johnny Swannan, Leger, II.

A motion that Alderman Conway be substituted for Alderman Lecky on Street Committee is lost 2 voting for and 12 against it.

Read is adopted.

On motion Committee of Streets as

read is adopted. Committee of Laws and Ordinances read Alderman Kash substituted for Alderman Butler, passed as amended.

Committee of Police read, On motion Alderman Butler substituted for Alderman Kash, passed as amended.

Committee of Orders passed as reported.

Wicks & Trucks do do
City Hospital do do
Salt & Taxes do do

Committee of Internal Affairs read and on motion Alderman Barron is substituted for Alderman Dumber on this committee.

Committee Library passed as reported.

Committee of Licenses read and on motion Alderman Richardson is substituted for Alderman Dumber on this committee 8 voting for and 5 against it.

On motions the list of committees as amended are adopted.

On motion Council adjourns.

Oct 9th

Mr J. Hut is sworn into Office this day as one of the City Auditors in presence of His Worship the Mayor.

Oct 9th

John A. Sinclair Esq. having been returned as duly elected an Alderman for Ward No. One and having taken and subscribed the oaths of allegiance and of qualification as also that of Justice of the Peace is sworn into Office as Alderman and Justice of Peace for the City of Halifax.

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At a Special Meeting of the
The Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen
Sinclair, Gray, Mahony, Richardson, Kash, Butler, Walsh, Murphy,
Sennaman, Conway, Leahy, Connor, Emmet and Corley.

The Council were summoned to
receive a communication from Messrs. Hendall, Tennard & Co. relative
to their Alarm Telegraph and the transaction of other
business.

Read over proceedings of last meeting
which were confirmed.

On motion of Alderman Conway,
the name of Alderman Leahy is substituted for his on the
Committee of Streets.

His Worship the Mayor submits
a communication from Messrs. Hendall, Tennard & Co. relative to the
erection of a Fire Alarm Telegraph, with other papers relative
thereto.

Also copy of Resolutions from Council
of Poor Asylum and Hospitals.

Also returns from Messrs. of
Flour for 300,000 mths ending Sept. 30th 1867.

Also returns from City
Marshall of Police Force for election.

On motion the name of Ald.
Sinclair is to be filled in the blanks of the various standing
Committees passed last meeting.

Read communication from Messrs.
Hendall, Tennard & Co. rel to their Alarm Telegraph.

Also copy of resolutions
from Board of Fire Guards and minutes of Board of Fire Insurance
Companies on the same subject.

On motion the following Committee
is appointed to take the above into consideration, and report to
this Council.

Committee Ald. Sinclair, Richardson, Kash, Sennaman, Conway and Corley.

The following resolution is next
introduced.

Resolved that a Committee just
appointed relative to their Alarm Telegraph be authorized to
open up communication with the various Cities of the United States,
Canada, or New Brunswick on that subject, and this Council will defray
any necessary expense incurred.

Moved by Alderman Sennaman
seconded by Alderman Butler which on being put is passed.

Read Annual Report of the Committee
of Streets.

Res. rel to Fire
Alarm Telegraph
rel to communication
with various Cities

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Oct 9th.

On motion the same is referred to the publishing committee have printed with the Report of Committee of Streets on the 1st May last, in the Annual Report,

Read extracts from minutes of the proceedings of Board of Commissioners of Poor Asylum and City Hospital when the following resolution is introduced,

Resolved to borrow money to enable the Com of Poor Asylum to carry out the works

Resolved that notice be given in the papers advertising for the City and such other papers as His Worship the Mayor might suggest that tenders will be received at the Office of City Treasurer until the 25th day of November from such persons as might be willing to lend to the City of Halifax, such sums of money not to exceed in all the sum of twenty thousand dollars so as to enable the Commissioners of City Hospital and Poor Asylum to carry into effect the law passed in the year 1863 Chap 46 Sect 10 for the erection on a new Poor Asylum on the Common.

And be it further Resolved that in the event of said debentures not being disposed within the time specified His Worship will be authorized to pledge such quantity of said debentures as might be required to defray the expenses incurred in the proceeding with the work for the erection of said Asylum during the current year.

Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Leahy to which the following amendment is introduced.

That the latter part of the resolution be struck out.

Moved by Alderman Jennings seconded by Alderman Worley which amendment on being put is passed & voting for the same and yeas and nays as follows
Yeas 1 for appeared thus!

- For the Amendment
- Ald Smelair
- Wmms
- Mahmy
- Ernest
- Nicholson
- Worley
- Greedy
- Burton &

- against it
- Ald Hask
- Alderman Murphy
- Barnes
- Conway
- Walsh
- Leahy

Alderman Hask gives notice of reconsideration. Resolution as amended is passed.

On motion Alderman Smelair is appointed to the vacancy on publishing committee vacant by the election of His Worship the Mayor.

Architect

Read annual report of the City
On motion the same is referred to the publishing committee to have placed in the Annual report.

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On motion, the City Architect is requested to make a Special Report on the subject of a building which is being repaired or altered in Lomee Street west of Kennedy corner, with instructions to stay proceedings if the same is in violation of the Building Act.

Read Report from N. V. Jones Esq. Inspector of Petroleum and Coal Oils where the following resolution is introduced.

On hearing the report of Inspector of Petroleum oil read and finding that a large portion was under the fire test, it was resolved that the Report be handed to His Worship the Stipendiary Magistrate to take such proceedings as he may deem necessary.

Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Nash which resolution on being put is passed.

On motion Council adjourn.

1867
Oct 15th

At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen, Sinclair, Lloyd, Mahony, Richardson, Dunbar, Walsh, Cash, Quirk, Halek, Murphy, Brennan, Conway, Kelly, Barron, Drillis, Semmig and Morley.

Council were summoned to elect the various City Officers for ensuing year and the transactions of other business.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Conway Chairman submits report of City Survey Committee with the accounts for September.

Alderman Walsh submits petition of Thomas Dwyer rel to repairs to his house.

Alderman Drillis submits petition of H. Jackson rel to grant of school house.

The Mayor submits report of oil quaged by James Fortune.

His Worship the Mayor submits petition of Lewis S. Swintons rel to his taxes.

Also Report of City Architect on Robert Baxter's building being repaired in Camp St.

Alderman Cash's notice of reconsideration, relative to loan for erection of a New Poor Asylum on being put is passed & voting for and against it when the following resolution is introduced.

Res. rel. to Res. of the 12th

Resolved that the Resolution of the 12th August relative to loan of money for City purposes of cost of building New Poor Asylum be confirmed and His Worship the Mayor be authorized to borrow the money at not less than 6 per cent.

Moved by Alderman Cash seconded by Alderman Barron which resolution on being put is passed.

Read Report of Committee of City Survey with accounts for the month of September.

Committee Room
Oct. 14. 1867

The Committee of City Survey met this day Present Ald. Cash, Sinclair, Semmig Walsh and the Aldermen.

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No	1	Mr. Brown Ho	\$ 44.40
	2	John Russell	72.00
	3	Mrs. Brown Ho	3.17
	4	Mr. Stephens	3.00
	5	H. Hutab Ho	6.89
	6	A. G. Brown	1.20
	7	Jeremiah Conway	1.15
	8	John Smith Ho	1.57
	9	Mr. Ackpurtson	23.12
	10	John Hayden	1.00
	11	Master Campbell	3.00
	12	David Stone son	4.11
	13	Mr. K. Sullivan	62.65
	14	Rich. Dawson	1.40
	15	Internal Depts	20.40
	16	Wm. Brown	1.50
	17	John Wagon 1863	9.49
	18	Ed. Gilman Ho	12.23
	19	Charles Cornstead	25.02
	20	John Allen	6.50
	21	Edwards A. Act	28.20
	22	H. Roach	5.00
	23	J. W. Cash	100.00
	24	Wm. Doyle	2.00
	a	Mr. Cooper	30.00
	b	John Dunn	6.00
	c	Wm. Gordon	6.00
	d	John Meacher	18.00
	e	Wm. D. Woods	18.00
	f	John Smith	18.00
	g	Jas. Doyle	18.00
	h	Wm. Doyle	7.00
	i	John O'Brien	13.60
	j	Thomas Quirk	
			<u>805 \$617.95</u>

Let Prisoners
for the Month

The Committee having carefully examined the above account amounting in all to the sum of \$617.95 amounting in all to the sum of \$617.95 for maintenance and wages for the month of Sept found them correct and recommended that this Council would authorize His Worship the Mayor to draw a cheque for payment of the same.

The Committee has leave to report for the information of His Worship and City Council that the number of prisoners now in confinement are as follows, men 46 women 39. Boys in reformatory of England a total of 94 amongst the men are 21 Blinds, which the Committee are strongly of opinion should not be sent to that establishment they would therefore respectfully urge on His Worship the necessity of having them removed.

J. Brown
Chairman

1864
Oct. 15th.

On reading the report of Committee of City Council as to payment of accounts incurred in the month of September it was resolved that the accounts be paid and that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to draw a cheque for that purpose.

Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Dunbar which resolution on being put is passed.

Alderman Grossip has special leave to submit a petition of Robert Baxter relative to his building.

Order of the day suspended to allow Alderman Grossip to introduce the following resolution re to Market.

Resolved the keeper of the market shall be responsible to the General Court Committee for the proper performance of his duties.

Moved by Alderman Grossip seconded by Alderman Simms.

On motion the same is ordered to lie on the table till next of Council.

Council next proceed to elect various City Officers

Application Recorder

On motion William Sutherland is unanimously selected Recorder of the City for ensuing year.

Application Treasurer

Read application of E. W. Greenwood and Augustus St. Leon for office of Treasurer. On motion E. W. Greenwood is selected Treasurer for ensuing year.

Application City Clerk for Office of City Clerk.

Read application of Mr. Leagg. Moved by Alderman Barron seconded by Alderman Grossip that the salary of City Clerk be reduced to \$800 per annum. Amendment that the salary remain as at present which amendment on being put is passed. 14 voting for and 3 against it.

On motion Mr. Leagg is selected City Clerk for ensuing year.

Application 2nd Asst City Clerk

On motion Thomas Rind is selected Asst City Clerk for ensuing year at the previous salary enjoyed by him.

Application 1st Asst City Clerk

Read application of William [Name] when the following resolution introduced. Resolved.

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Oct 15th
Res to salary
of 2nd Asst City Clerk

Resolved that one hundred dollars be added to the salary of the second Assistant-Clerk for ensuing year.

Moved by Alderman Kask seconded by Alderman Gray to which the following amendment is introduced that the salary remain as at present.

Moved by Alderman Greig seconded by Alderman Butler which amendment on being put is lost 5 voting for the same and 12 against it.

Resolution on being put is passed.

On motion Williams is elected the second Assistant-Clerk for ensuing year.

Application of City Marshall for situation of City Marshall

Read application of G. Cotton

Resolved by Alderman Kask that the salary of the City Marshall be increased by \$200 to which the following amendment is introduced that the salary remain as at present.

Moved by Alderman Conroy seconded by Alderman Immis which amendment on being put is passed 10 voting for the same and 6 against and the names being called for appeared thus

For the amendt.		against it
Ald. Kask		Ald. Conroy
Conroy	Narrow	" Murphy
Korel	Immis	" Leahy
Richardson	Greig	" Hale
Levor	Williams	" Deilly
Dembar	Emery "	" Butler 6

Application of Deputy Marshal for Deputy Marshall.

Read application of Donald

A motion is made the election be deferred till next meeting of Council which motion on being put is passed 12 voting for and 5 against it and the names being called for appeared thus

For the motion		against it
Ald. Kask	Narrow	Ald. Immis
Conroy	Murphy	Richardson
Hale	Deilly	Dembar
Leahy	Gray	Greig
Hubley	McMahon	Emery 5
Levor	Butler	

Application of Clerk of License re-elected Clerk of License for ensuing year.

On motion Mr J Morris is

Application of Marshall & Mr Umlah for the office of City Architect.

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On motion the election of a City Architect is deferred till next meeting of Council.

Application
Super City Outing

for situation of keeper of City Building.
is re-elected.

Read application of Mr. Blasebrook
On motion Mr. Blasebrook

A motion is made that the Clerk of Streets election be deferred till next meeting of Council
amendment that the election be proceeded with amendment
passed 10 voting for and 7 against and the names being called
for appeared thus

For amendt.
Ald. Sammons, Murphy
Wales, Willis
Lynn, Worley
Loring, Mahanoy
Loyd, Burton 10

against it
Ald. Hask, Barron
Simms Mahanoy
Smelzer, Duntan,
Lanning 7

A motion is made that the salary of Clerk of Streets be \$400 per annum, amendment
that the salary remain at present \$300.

Amendment passed!!
10 voting for the same and 6 against it and the names being
called for appeared thus:

For the amendt.
Ald. Sammons, Burton
Murphy, Willis
Worley, Hask
Richardson, Mahanoy
Loyd, Smelzer 11

against it
Ald. Hask,
Wales,
Duntan,
Barron,
Simms
Conrad.

Application
James Glavin, and James Nelson

for situation of Clerk of Streets
the names are taken when, Wm. Sammons is elected 10 voting
for him and 4 against him.

Read application of W. A. Seldon

On motion the election of Clerk of Markets is deferred till next Council.

Application
Arthur S. Carter, Cyrus Lewis, David Evans, and H. J. Copwell

for situation of weighers of Flour.
are re-elected.

Read application of John
On motion the said gentlemen

On motion the order of the day
is suspended to take up memorial from Prof. Baxter relative
to his building in Lane Street. The same is read and on motion
referred to Recorder and Committee of Laws & Judiciary to report on.

Read petition of Mr. Dwyer re
to an alteration to his building.

On motion the same is referred to
Committee of Laws & Judiciary to report on.

On motion Council adjourns.

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A Special Meeting of the Council held this day & went to worship the Mayor. Aldermen Smeal, Byron, Major, Richardson, Dunbar, Cassin, Cook, Curtis, Gresh, Murphy, Penman, Conway, Kelly, Barron, Bellis and Koley.

Council were summoned to proceed unto the election of City Officers and the transaction of other business.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Cook submits report of Committee of Laws and Privileges relative to Baxters Building.

Alderman Barron submits report of Committee of Police on charge of Deputy Marshall.

Alderman Penman submits letter from Secy. of School Commissioners relative to erection of a Corps at the Acadian School.

His Worship the Mayor submits letter from Comy. Brown keeper of City Books.

Also letter from Wm Parker Supervisor of Unickers of Snow and Mail relative to expense of Unicking Mount.

Order of the Day suspended to read report of Committee of Laws and Privileges submitted this day.

On motion the same is adopted.

Read letter from Secretary of School Commissioners asking permission to erect a porch at Acadian School.

On motion the leave of Council is granted to meet the same.

the various City Officers

After Mayor are appointed Inspectors of Weights & Measures for ensuing year.

Read application of S. D. Marshall and William Smeal for office of City Architect.

On motion S. D. Marshall is selected City Architect for ensuing year.

Read communication from Wm Parker Supervisor of Weights of Snow & Mail.

wherein the following resolution is introduced.

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On reading a communication from the Highness of Siam. Resolved that a Committee be appointed consisting of one Alderman from each ward with power to bind for persons and papers, to take into consideration said communication and to report to the Council at as early a day as possible.

Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Park which resolution on being put to a vote passed.
Committee Alderman Spielaji, Dumber, Park, Sommon, Conway and Norley.

Read return from City Marshall of Archie Store for collection for current year.

City Marshall's Office
Calicut Oct 11th 1867

To His Worship the Mayor and
Aldermen of City of Calicut
Gentlemen.

In compliance with section 155 Chapter 81 Sec 27 of the City Charter I hereby submit a list of specimens to act as day and night police for the City of Calicut for the ensuing year subject to your Honors approval.

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen
Yours
Obedient
City Marshall

- John Arthur, Louis Vouts, Michael
- Mr. Grant, Amos Burke, Maurice Power, Amos Kuffe, Amos Erley
- George Morgan, Duncan McKean, Jacob Green, Amos Comission
- Samuel Huter, John, Seamus, Conquation, Amos Sullivan, Amos
- Orwell, Amos Quaker, Amos Humphry, Amos O Sullivan, Amos
- McDonald, James Horsey, David Richmond, Bartholomew Sullivan,
- Robert Mc Donnell, David Power, Joseph Dalton, Donald McDonald
- Joseph Burns, Archibald Cox, Amos Morris, Nicholas Quaker,
- Arthur Lewis, Louis Emerton, Nicholas Power, Edmund Erley
- Amos Mc Lintay, and James Sullivan.

Mr. Cox recommended in this list has been on the force since April last has not given that satisfaction which would be expected I beg to suggest the appointment of William Adams who is at present serving as a Special Constable in his place.

On motion the said return is approved and adopted.
Adams being substituted for Cox in said return.

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On motion Amos Spike is unanimously re-elected Waste Inspector for the ensuing year.

On motion John Stearns is re-elected Deputy Waste Inspector for ensuing year. The following resolution is next introduced.

Resol to City Engineer

Resolved that a Committee be appointed to consider the advisability of establishing a City Engineer's Office or Board of Works for the City of Keosauqua to report at an early day.

Moved by Alderman Gossip seconded by Alderman Conway which resolution on being put is passed & voting for and against it and His Worship being called on for his cast^{ing} vote gives it in favor of the resolution Committee: Mr. Seyor, Richardson, Gossip, Murphy, Barron and Deelis.

Application Supt Streets

Read application of Robert Austin and S. Gowen for Office of Superintendent of Streets.

On motion Robert Austin is unanimously re-elected Superintendent of Streets, at same salary as heretofore enjoyed by him.

On motion Amos Suggan is re-elected keeper of Markets for ensuing year at the former salary.

On motion John L. Barry is re-elected City Assessor for ensuing year.

Applications for Salt & Grain Measurers of year

Read applications of John Martin, Thomas M. Combs, Ambrose Keating, Williams, B. Thos. Henry, Mercury, David Hall, Charles Casey and Amos Mitchell for situation of Salt and Grain measurers for ensuing year.

On motion these gentlemen are re-elected for ensuing year, and John Martin Superior.

On motion His Worship the Mayor is authorized to appoint a Superannuery in case of Mr. McElmoo's illness.

Applications for Coal Measurers

Read application of William Billy, Charles E. Major, Frederick Clarke, Amos Ball, Daniel Long, Patrick John, Patrick Caulfield, David Barry, Henry Porter and C. S. Hall for situation of Coal Measurers for ensuing year.

On motion these gentlemen are re-elected for ensuing and William Billy Superior.

Applications for Measurers Wood

Read application of Thomas Amos and Patrick Guinn for situation of Measurers of Wood.

On motion these gentlemen are reappointed for ensuing year. S. Amos is Superior.

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Applications of Thomas Beane, William Humbolt, James S. Adams, John Wommon, Joseph Mulcahy, Joseph McMill, Richard Fitzgibbon, John Gaub and Edwards Hamner for Office of Gauger of Fish Oil for City of Halifax for Oil gauging on our motion John Bealman, Thomas Beane, William Humbolt, James Adams, John Wommon, Joseph Mulcahy, Joseph McMill and John Gaub are elected the gaugers of oil for ensuing year.

A motion that Edwards Hamner be elected gauger of oil is lost 7 for 9 against it.

Applications of Henry M. Allison for situation of Keeper of Clocks on motion Henry Beason is elected.

On motion Bernard Pelpin M.D. is elected Surgeon of City Prison for ensuing year.

On motion Matthew Campbell is re-elected Governor of City Prison.

On motion Ellen Campbell is re-elected Matron of City Prison.

On motion John Meagher, John Hood, and John Quinn are re-elected underkeepers of City Prison for ensuing year.

On motion Joseph Keeler is re-elected Register of Land for ensuing year.

On motion the election of Ward Assessors is deferred till next meeting of Council.

On motion George Langille is appointed keeper of Arms for ensuing year.

The following resolution is next introduced.

Resolved that a committee of three from Ward 5, 16 be appointed to find a position for a Stand at the North end and to report the same to the Council.

Moved by Alderman Nash seconded by Alderman Murphy which resolution on being put is passed.

Committee Alderman Smith, Leahy and Morley.

On motion Dennis McElroy and Richard J. Adams are appointed Surveyors for the ensuing year.

On motion Augustus Heigh and Thomas Saunders are appointed Inspectors of Masons work for ensuing year.

On motion John McElroy, Henry Spike and James Sutton are appointed Surveyors of Lumber for ensuing year.

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A motion to adjourn on being put is lost 6 voting for and 9 against it.

The following resolution is

next introduced

Resolved that Commissioners of Streets be not permitted to borrow money to spend on the street service without the consent of the Council.

Moved by Alderman [Name] seconded by Alderman [Name] which resolution on being put is passed 9 voting for the same and against it and the names being called for appeared thus.

For the resolution.	
Mr. Lamb.	Barrow
Halek.	Byrney
Emelayi	Boydell
Burton	Dunbar 9
Worley	

Against it	
Mr. Brannaman	
Reynolds	
Lalor	
Quaham	
Scott 5	

On motion Council adjourn.

Oct 21st

John Arthur, Lewis Dutt, James Burke, Michael McLeods, Maurice Jones and John Wills sworn into Office as Sergeants of Police this day by His Worship the Mayor.

Police for 1867-8

1 John Foley, 2 George Ferguson, 3 Duncan McEwan, 4 Archibald Jones, 5 Tom Hamilton, 6 Edmund De Efield, 7 Benjamin Robertson, 8 James Spruell, 9 John McEwan, 10 James Macgibbon, 11 John O'Sullivan, 12 James McEwan, 13 David Richmond, 14 Matthew Morrison, 15 James McDonald, 16 David Brown, 17 Robert McEwan, 18 Robert McEwan, 19 Donald McDonald, 20 Hugh Cairns, 21 Joseph Morris, 22 John Adams, 23 Nicholas Macgibbon, 24 James Sullivan, 25 William Duke, 26 John Cameron, 27 James Jones, 28 Martin Quinn, 29 David McEwan, 30 sworn into Office as Sergeants for the City of Halifax by His Worship the Mayor this day.

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At a Special Meeting of City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor, Alderman Sinclair, Mayor Deacon, Richardson, Dumbard, Hunter, Walsh, Deamon, Conway, Brown, Jennings and Worley.

Council were appointed to elect Ward Assessors for ensuing year and the transactions of other business.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Sinclair submits report of Committee on letter from Elour Hughes. His Worship the Mayor hands in report on the Accounts of St. John W.D. presented to the City by the Mayor of that City.

On motion the thanks of this Council are tendered to the Mayor of St. John for his kindness, the same to be communicated by His Worship the Mayor.

On motion John Barrett is re-elected Higher of Kay at Richmond for ensuing year.

Council proceed to elect Ward Assessors as follows for ensuing year:

- | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Ward One | Ward Two | Ward Three |
| Charles Stecher | Charles Cornelius | Oliver Donohoe |
| Alonzo Brown | William Handick | Asa W. Murphy |
| Ward Four | Ward Five | Ward Six |
| Charles Roman | L. H. Duple | Rich. P. Rodme |
| Michael Smith | John O'Malley | James Roman |

Read letter from Lewis S. Gairbanks relative to his taxes.

On motion the same is referred to Committee on Taxes.

Read Report from Elour Hughes

Read Report from Committee on Elour Hughes communication submitted this day.

It is motion is made that the report be adopted and the usual advertisement issued for applications for said situation, to which the following amendment is introduced.

That only one Higher of Elour be appointed, which amendment on being put is passed 9 voting for and 5 against it and the same being called for appeared thus.

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For amendment.
Mr. Barron.
Alderman Cannon
Alderman Richardson
Alderman Mahony
Alderman Butler 9

against it
Mr. Nash,
Cannon
Emclair
Halse
Morley 5

reconsideration.
relative to his salary.
is introduced.

Alderman Cannon gives notice of
reads petition of John Cannon
where the following resolution

Resolved that the City Treasurer
be directed by His Worship the Mayor to pay to John Cannon
the sum of \$220 in addition to the \$200 now paid him for
the sum of City Tax notices re. and that all fees received by
the City Treasurer on account of the City.

Res. rel. to
John Cannon
rel. to various
Dacc notices

seconded by Alderman Nash which resolution on being put
is passed.

Moved by Alderman Cannon

seconded by Alderman Nash that a Committee of this Council be
appointed to prepare an address to His Excellency the Lieutenant
Governor on his departure from this Service.

Amendment is introduced.
An address.

Resolved that a Committee be appointed to prepare

Moved by Alderman Butler seconded
by Alderman Mahony which amendment on being put is passed
and the name being called for appeared thus.

in which the following

For the amendt.
Alderman Cannon, Halse
Barron Cannon
Morley Richardson
Mahony Butler 8

against it
Mr. Nash, Barron
Emclair Cannon
Gossip
Cannon 6

On Motion Council adjourns
8 for 6 against it.

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Thomas Saunders, was this day sworn into Office as Measurer and Inspector of Masons work for the City for ensuing year by His Worship the Mayor.

James Beardon, was this day sworn into a Measurer of Builders

City Officers sworn in this date

John L. Barry, was this day sworn into Office as City Assessor for ensuing year by His Worship the Mayor.

Rich. J. Norme, and Daniel McPherson sworn into Office as Juries Venues.

Oct 25th. Robt. Weston & John Mahon, were this day sworn into Office as Inspector of Hights & Measure by His Worship the Mayor.

John Storrust, was this day sworn into Office as Wigher of Hay at Richmond by His Worship the Mayor.

Oct 29th. John Adams, sworn into Office as Supernumerary Measurer of Salt and Grain for the City in presence of His Worship the Mayor.

Nov. 5th. Thomas James and Patrick Seimay sworn in as Measurers of Wood for the City.

Henry Murray sworn into Office as Supernumerary Measurer of Salt and Grain by His Worship the Mayor.

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At a Special Meeting of City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor & Aldermen Smielair, Graham, Payer, Mahony, Richardson, Dwyer, Gossip, Nash, Butler, Halek, Murphy, Brennan, Conway, Leahy, Barron, Deullis, Timmins and Kitley.

Council were summoned to elect an additional weigher of Flour & Meal and the transaction of other business

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed

Alderman Conway submits report from City Prison Committee written for Oct.

Alderman Conway submits statement from Governor of City Prison rel to number of prisoners in City Prison and expense of maintenance for the year ending 31 Oct. 1869.

Alderman Timmins submits letter from Executors of late Capt. All relative to dedication of Street North end.

Alderman Butler submits report of Committee on Orders for Sanitary the Annual report.

Alderman Brennan submits a report of Committee of Streets relative to building being erected by Adam Jones in Upper Water St.

Alderman Smielair submits report of City Assurance Board

Alderman Leahy submits report of Committee of Public Accounts.

Alderman Nash submits report of Committee of City Property.

Alderman Nash submits report of Committee of Laws and Sanitation on petition of Hugh Almond. Also reports of Committee on petition of Dennis Daniels rel to their building.

Alderman Barron submits petition from City relative to extension Lockman St.

Alderman Barron submits petition of William Roche Esq. rel to Water Tax.

His Worship the Mayor submits a letter from Chas. Dunning rel to sum required for maintenance of City Hospitals.

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relation to his dues
relation to Survey License
of Petroleum
relation to appointment of Edward Brown on some part of last year's
for and " deposit
Session write up for October.

Also petition of Edward Brown
Also letter from John Young
Also two reports from Inspector
Alderman Gray's notice of reconsideration
Read Report of Committee of City
Commissioners from
Oct. 6th 1867

Committee of City Council met this
presented Alderman Donnan, Cash, Walter and the Chairman
where the following accounts relation to maintenance and wages
for the month of Oct were submitted and carefully examined and
found correct and recommend to this Council for payment.

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ago for Oct
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No			
1	John Allen		29.50
2	D. J. Campbell Co		49.95
3	John Worley		98.00
4	David Stratton Sons		11.40
5	Charles J. Barnstead		21.80
6	E. H. Cupman Co		43.50
7	Henry Brown Co		45
8	Thomas Durrey		1.50
9	H. W. Salvestri		4.90
10	D. E. Tommy		164.03
11	H. P. Swain		1.42
12	Richard and Hunt		1.00
13	H. Evans Co		63.80
14	Mr. Brown		10.20
15	Wm. D. Wright		5.50
16	Richard Nelson		3.50
17	E. Murray		12.00
18	John Keivell		97.00
19	C. Williams		3.57
20	H. O'Brien		3.15
21	Wm. Greely		60
22	John Miller		1.50
23	of Army & Woods		18.00
24	John Magner		18.00
25	John Smith		18.00
26	Amos Abouin		21.60
27	Amos Doyle		18.00
28	Margt. Whyte		7.00
29	Chas. Quirk		9.45
30	Lot. Rowson		6.00
31	John Dunn		5.20
32	J. M. Cooper		30.00
			720.27

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The Committee beg leave to inform His Worship the Mayor and City Council that there are at present confined in the City Prison the following number of prisoners
Men 48. women 105. boys in reformatory 8 making a total of 161. on the day of visitation there was not a single case of sickness, the Committee made a careful inspection of the various cell and room, within the prison and found every place clean and orderly also the various public departments the manner in which they are conducted is highly creditable to the person in charge.

Report -
Information of 85.
to His Worship the Mayor
rel to
City Prison from
Committee

In testimony
Chairman

when the following resolution is introduced.

On reading the report of Committee of City Prison relative to prison accounts for salaries and wages for Oct. 1867 it was resolved the said accounts be approved and adopted and that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to draw a cheque for payment of the same.

Moved by Alderman
Lewy seconded by Alderman
Leahy which resolution on
being put is passed.

Read Report of City Property
rel to repairs at Sands.
City Property resolution introduced.

Read Report of Committee

On hearing the Report of Chairman of City Property read it was resolved the same be approved and adopted and the Committee be permitted to proceed with the work and advertise for tenders.

Moved by Alderman
Wash seconded
by Alderman Leahy which resolution on being put is passed.

Read Report of Committee of
Committee Room
Nov. 1867

Sands.

Report of Com
of Dances rel
to Sundry Persons
Dances.

Committee of Dances met this day present Alderman Dunbar, Gossip and the Chairman. The City Assessor was also in attendance by invitation the petition of Lewis & Fairbanks was read the City Assessor gave the following explanation that on the 10th of June 1867 he the said Assessor, and ward and Ward Assessors of Ward 4 called at the premises of Mr Fairbanks and ascertained from his Clerk that he was a party tenant at \$75 per annum that during the day they called at the Office of S. B. Will in the performance of their duty and ascertained also from Will that Mr Fairbanks was a party tenant - the City Assessor then filled

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up a notice went back, and served it on the clerk. The Assessor further states that he has reason to believe, that Mrs Dayton's was in the City when the notice was served. The Committee had before them the petition of Lewis H. Coxeter who rented a house a fresh-water owned by A. O'Neil Esq. that he occupied the premises for more than one year that he was assessed in 1867 as usual and served with notice to that effect, the third and last petition was from Mrs Mary Cramer who was assessed for a house which she occupied at fresh water also for a house which which she purchased and now occupied in ward five and for which she was assessed and she now complains of. The Committee after carefully taking into consideration the prayer of petitioner and also to the explanation received from the City Assessor were unanimous in coming to the conclusion of recommending to the Council the sustinment of the various assessments above referred and that His Honor the Mayor would be authorized to notify the City Treasurer to that effect.

Jr. Comma
Chairman

On motion the same is adopted.

Read Report from Committee of Streets relative to Building erected by Mrs Ann Jones when the following resolution is introduced

Res rel to
Mrs Ann Jones
building

Resolved that Mrs Ann Jones be instructed not to erect her contemplated building in Upper Water Street further out than the range of buildings owned by her on the North side, which will be three feet further back than where the old building stood and that appraisers be appointed to value the property taken by the City in accordance therewith.

Moved by Alderman Brennan seconded by Alderman Semming to which the following amendment is introduced.

That Mrs Ann Jones be allowed to proceed with her building purposes without any imder-ance.

Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Nash which amendment on being put is passed. 12 voting for the same and 6 against it.

Public Accounts.
Read Report of Committee of Committee from
Oct 30th 1868.

The Committee of Public Accounts met this day present Alderman Dymon Brennan, Mayor and Corcoran.

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The following accounts were laid before the Committee

Report from
Committee of
Public Accounts

	Dr. McKay Co	\$1.25
	Dr. Holloway	35.33
	Mr. Sprunt	1.00
	Mr. Conlon	3.50
	Dr. Spelman	36.25
	Dr. W. D. Dora	1.55
	John Hunter	16.50
	Geo. Morrison	7.10
	Phelan Kelly	28.25
	Thomas Galby	1.97 1/2
	Thomas Galby	2.00
	Mr. Purcell	30.25
	Dr. Rogers	10.25
Mis.	E. C. Cook	43.00
	Williamson Recd	15.60
	Blackadar Recd	47.77
	Wm. Keel	47.40
		<u>\$355.22 1/2</u>

The Committee are at a loss to understand the charge for repairing Gray Hydrant. John Hunter's account supposing that such charge should be sent in to the Water Department.

The Committee also deem that some explanation is desirable as to the authority for ordering wire lamps by Mr. D. Murphy and kept record as stated in Phelan and Kelly's account. Mr. Purcell's account subjects charges ten dollars for "hire at Auction Recorder Office" without specifying particulars of service.

The Committee recommend payment of the above accounts after satisfactory explanation with reference to those alluded to.

The Committee have referred Messrs Kelly and Blackadar Bill of cost amounting \$25.20 to his Honor the Recorder to examine and investigate the same.

The Committee find that several of the accounts have not been rendered since April last and strongly advise that all accounts for the various services of the City be rendered monthly for the inspection of the Committee.

Wm. Greig
Chairman

Resolved that the Report of the Committee of Public Accounts be received and adopted and that the accounts submitted be paid subject to satisfactory explanations with reference to those alluded to as requiring them.

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Moved by Alderman Sinclair which resolution on being put is passed.

Read Letter from J. C. Bell
rel to dedication
Bloomfield St

Read letter from John A. Bell
the Executors of the Estate of late Hon. Capt. Bell.

On motion the deed of dedication is accepted and referred to the Mayor the Recorder for investigation which on being put is passed 16 voting for the same and 6 against it.

Read Application
Donald Draser

Read application of Donald Draser for situation of Deputy Marshall. On motion Donald Draser is elected for ensuing year.

Read application
for Wighers of Flour & Meal

Read application of Patrick Thomas, John Arthur, David McDonnell, William J. Curtis and John McAlpine for the Office of Wigher of Flour & Meal. One vote being taken John Arthur is duly elected to that office.

Council next proceed to elect a Serjt of Police in place of John Arthur elected a Wigher of Flour.

Read application
Serjt of Police

Read applications of James McDonnell, John Foley, Nicholas Power and John McMillan for office of Serjt of Police. A motion is made that James McDonnell be appointed to which the following amendment is introduced.

Resolved to by
Charter regarding
Police force

Resolved that in terms of the City Charter the Board of Council abstain from interference with the Police force leaving them in the hands of the City Marshal in communication with the Mayor due regard being had to the exceptional case which occurs once a year upon a list of the Police submitted to the Council in October.

Moved by Alderman Beaham seconded by Alderman Leahy which amendment on being put is lost 12 voting for the same and 16 against it and the names being called for they appeared thus

For the amendt.
Ald. Beaham
Leahy 2.

against it. Buxton
Ald. Nash
Barron
Hale
Drillis
Conroy
Jennings
McDonald
Mahony
Nolan
Emery
Gale
Pogor
Dumbart.

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On the vote being taken for
Police Sergt James McDonald is elected 11 for the same and
7 against it

Report of Committee
Wells Orman

Read Report of Committee of
Laws & Privileges, relative to petition of
Wells Orman alteration to his building
On motion the same is adopted

Read Petition
E. P. Barrett
Success

relative to his taxes
to Committee of Taxes.

Read petition of Edward Arner
On motion the same is referred

Read Report of Committee of
Laws & Privileges relative to Dennis Deissel's petition for leave
to repair his building.

On motion the said report is adopted.

On motion Council Rise.

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At a Special Meeting of City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor Alderman Sinclair, Graham, Linn, Mahony, Richardson, Dunbar, Gossip, Mack Buxton, Galk, Murphy, Greenman, Conway, Leahy, Barron Drillis, Lemmig and Worley.

Meeting which were confirmed

Read over proceedings of last

Alderman Gossip submits letter from His Honor the Recorder relative to the accounts of Miss Almonchard and McCully referred to him.

Alderman Barron submits petition of Alice Dorce rel to clothing.

O'Boole rel to her taxes

Mrs petition of Maria

Alderman Drillis submits letter from Isaac Nelson asking to be reappointed Gauger of oil.

Alderman Greenman submits petition of Mrs J. Doran agent of J. W. Connaughton relative to his taxes.

His Worship the Mayor submits petition of Sereenib Gray 4th Imps Dept relative to his taxes.

Read letter from Charles Swining

Read Letter from Charles Swining
rel to maintenance of City Hospital

when the following resolution is introduced.

On hearing the letter of the Chairman of City Hospital read it was resolved that an abstract full of particulars be furnished to this Council who will were satisfied they are not called upon for more than one third of such expenditure request His Worship the Mayor to draw a cheque to pay the same moved by Alderman Mack seconded by Alderman Graham to which the following amendment is introduced.

On reading the letter of Charles Swining rel to maintenance of City Hospital. Resolved that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to draw a cheque for the said sum of \$5000.00 for the purpose therein mentioned. Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Lemmig which amendment on being put is passed yeas for and nays against and the Mayor being called on for his casting vote gives in favor of the amendment.

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and the names being called for they appeared thus.

For the amendment
Mr. Conway, Sinclair,
Symmes, Taylor, Dumber,
Gossip, Mackom

against it Alderman
Mr. Cash, Richardson,
Graham, Bunter,
Borron, Worley.

Alderman Cash gives notice of reconsideration

The following resolution is next introduced
Resolved, that His
Worship the Mayor, be requested to state to the Chairmen of
Subwards that the Committee of Public Accounts are a
Committee to review and examine into all accounts that may
come before them.

Moved by Alderman Gossip seconded by Alderman
Borron which resolution on being put is passed.

Read letter from His Honor
the Recorder relative to claims of Mrs. McElally and Blanchard
for costs for suit for Railway interest.

When the following resolution
is introduced

Resolved that the letter from His Honor
the Recorder, relative to accounts of Mrs. Blanchard and
McElulloch be adopted and His Worship the Mayor be
authorized to draw a cheque and pay the same.

Moved by Alderman
Symmes seconded by Alderman Bunter which resolution on
being put is passed.

relative to her taxes

Read petition of Maria O'Boyle

On motion the same is referred

Read Petition to Committee on Taxes.

Personal Grant
relative to

to Bray 2nd to Reg' all to his taxes.

Read petition of Perennial

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Worron agent of Chas. W. Comaughton relative to his taxes.

On motion the same is referred to Committee of Taxes.

Roche Eng' all to Water Tax.

Read petition of Williams

On motion the same is referred
to Committee of Taxes to confer with the Chairmen of
Water Supply.

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On motion the following gentlemen
are appointed a Committee on Storage of Petroleum.
Committee Aldermen Gayot, Mahony, Hunter, Sammons, Barron
and Ammery.

Read Report
Inspector of
Petroleum

Petroleum and Gas oils

Read Report of the Inspector of

to Committee just appointed

On motion the same is referred

On motion Council adjourns.

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At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen Sinclair, Graham, Taylor, Gregory, Buchanan, Dunlop, Cooper, Nash, Baxter, Walsh, Murphy, Cameron, Conway, Kelly, Barron and Kerley.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Nash reads in report of Committee of City Property relative to tenders for work at Ground Garage.

Alderman Kerley submits petition from citizens North end of Ward Six relative to appointment of constables.

His Worship the Mayor submits petition of Elias Townsend & others rel to Sagamore License.

Also petition of William Burton rel to his taxes.

Also petition from George Button relative to his taxes.

Also letter from Mayor St George relative to removal of small wooden bridge in Koflar Grove.

Also a report from Prof. G. Gowan Inspector of Petroleum and Coal Oil.

Alderman Bessie submits report from Committee of Public Accounts.

Alderman Nash notices of reconsideration relative to voting \$500 for enlargement of City Hospital on basis put is lost 5 votes for the same and 10 against it and the names being called for appeared thus.

For reconsideration
Chas Nash
Cameron
Kerley
Graham
Baxter 5

against it
Chas Barron
Murphy
Walsh
Conway
Gregory
Cooper
Taylor 10

On motion the Order of the Day is suspended to allow Alderman Nash to introduce a resolution when the following resolution is introduced.

Whereas in consequence of the many reports that are about as to the want of food for many people on our shores and believing there are sufficient grounds.

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grounds to believe that unless some assistance be furnished to those people in some shape either by furnishing employment or otherwise such distress may prevail. Therefore resolved that His Worship the Mayor be requested to call a public meeting for the purpose of adopting such means as may by the public be deemed best.

Resolved to distressed people on our shores

Moved by Alderman Pass seconded by Alderman Barron to which the following amendment is introduced

That the resolution lie on the table till next meeting of Council.

Moved by Alderman Butler seconded by Alderman Loxley which amendment on being put is passed 10 voting for the same and 6 against it and the names being called for they appeared thus.

For the amendt.
Mr Graham, Barron
Kash, Loxley
Lynn, Richardson
Rohony, Butler
Gosley, Mayor 10

against it
Mr Kash, Murphy
Smelair, Barron
Morley, Dumbart.

Read Petition from Citizens Ward 6 re Police force

Read petition from Citizens of Ward 6 asking the appointment of an additional Police force for that ward when the following resolution is introduced

Resolved that the petition from certain inhabitants of Ward 6 be referred to the City Engineer in order that he should be and inspect and report on an increase of Police Superintendence to Ward 6 accordingly.

Moved by Alderman Graham seconded by Alderman Pass to which the following amendment is introduced.

On reading the petition of a number of inhabitants of Ward 6 asking for an increase of Police force for the protection of life and property in that ward, resolved therefore that four additional permanent policemen be added to the present force and that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to carry the same into effect.

Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Kash which amendment on being put is lost 8 voting for the same and 8 against it and the Mayor being called on for his casting vote gives it against the amendment.

For the amendt.
Mr Barron, Barron
Murphy, Rohony
Kash, Morley
Kash, Comday 8

against it
Mr Kash, Graham
Smelair, Dumbart
Richardson, Loxley
Gosley, Butler
The Mayor

On motion Council adjourn.

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At a Special Meeting of City Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor Aldermen Sinclair, Graham, Sayer, Mahony, Richardson, Dunbar, Gossip, Ash, Hales, Murphy, Senamon, Norway, Kelly, Cannon, Drillis and Morley.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which are confirmed.

Alderman Senamon submits report from Committee on Streets & Sidings.

Alderman Cannon submits report from Committee of City Council with accounts for the month of December.

Alderman Sinclair submits petition of S. S. & S. Spirits and other petition to creation and removal of lamps set at South and Church St.

His Worship the Mayor submits heads of various City Officers as follows City Treasurer, City Clerk, City Clerk, Clerk of Council, Clerk of Streets and Highways Inspector.

Alderman Cannon notices of consideration of resolution of last meeting relating to appointment of Police for Ward Six on being put is passed 10 voting for the same and 6 against it.

Read Resolution and amendment as entered last meeting and the amendment on being put is passed 11 voting for and 6 against it and the names being called for appeared thus.

For the Amendt.
Mr. Senamon, Cannon,
Murphy, Walsh,
Hales, Cannon,
Drillis, Graham,
Morley, Mahony, Sayer.

against it.
Mr. Ash, Richardson,
Gossip, Graham,
Sinclair, Dunbar.
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Read Report of Committee of City

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The Committee of City Council met this day Present Alderman Dunbar, Ash, Sinclair, Walsh & the Chairman. When the following bills for the maintenance of City Council were presented and found correct and recommended for payment.

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1	Thos. A. Campbell, do	\$222.00
2	Charles Williams	3.20
3	Thomas Conway	9.20
4	Mr. Evans do	58.00
5	John Lewis	61.75
6	H. P. Brown	4.73
7	Wm. S. Knight	6.80
8	Charles Somers	27.50
9	John Kelly	110.60
10	George Murphy	1.20
11	Edwards & Co	28.34
12	E. O. White, do	25.50
13	J. D. Nash	27.18
14	J. H. Dickinson	16.00
15	E. H. Chapman	1.47
16	John Wroble	26.00
17	Geo. DeLid, do	1.91
18	John Keegan	18.00
19	John Wilson	18.00
20	John E. Woods	18.00
21	William Cooper	20.00
22	Thomas Quirk	8.40
23	James Brown	20.80
24	James Doyle	18.00
25	Wm. Doyle	7.00
26	J. W. Kelly	6.66
27	J. Cornelius Boston	6.00
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		\$704.13

Read
Report of Com.
City Prison
with accounts
for Nov

The Committee beg to report for the information of His Worship the Mayor and City Council, that the number of prisoners confined in City Prison at present are as follows: Males 36. Females, boys: Total 91

In Company
Chairman

where the following resolution is next introduced
Resolved that the accounts of City Prison be approved and adopted and His Worship the Mayor be authorized to draw checks to pay the same.
Moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Summings which resolution on being put is passed.

Public Accounts
Read Report of Committee of
Committee Room
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At a meeting of Committee of Public Accounts present Alderman Casey Chairman Alderman Brown Wmbar and Carmon.

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The following accounts were laid before the Committee and examined.

1	Arch Sinclair	\$1.25
2	Ames Duggan	6.80
3	Halifax Gas Co	20.70
4	do do	82.80
5	do do	3.30
6	do do	5029.02
7	Steele & August	34.72
8	City of Halifax	20.00
9	Wm. H. Butcher	100.00
10	Ames H. Smith	100.00
	M. W. Sickey	100.00
	Attorney bills including Court fees	211.75
		<u>\$5710.34</u>

Reads Report
Committee
of Public Ac-
counts for the month
of Nov.

The Committee understands from the Mayor the records that the above sum of \$5710.34 is all that the City of Halifax is liable for in the Railway suit and recommend that it should be paid out of the contingent fund. The Committee also recommend that the accounts from Nov 6 & 8 included be paid.

Resolved that the report of the Committee of Public Accounts be received and adopted and that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to draw cheques to pay the same.

Moved by Alderman Gossip seconded by Alderman Semmings which resolution on being put is passed.

Read Report
Copp. City
Property

Read Report of Committee of City Property relating to tenders for work at Arcade Market House and Fish Market when the following resolution is introduced.

On hearing the Report of Committee of City Property it was resolved the same be received and adopted and that the same be handed to Committee of Public Accounts or Finance to know if there are any funds before the contract may be entered into.

Moved by Alderman Gossip seconded by Alderman Peaham which resolution on being put is passed.

Read Report of Committee on Storage of Petroleum.

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Read Report of Inspector of Petroleum
and kerosene inspected from 8th to 25th Aug. 1867
when the following resolution
is introduced

Resolved that the Report of the Committee
on Storage of Petroleum be received and adopted and that the
Committee of City Property be requested to locate the
location of the building.

Reported
to Petroleum
& kerosene

Moved by Alderman Brennan seconded
by Alderman Nash to which the following amendment is next
introduced.

Resolved that the Report respecting the site
for a building for storing petroleum be altered substituting the name
Africville instead of the property formerly leased to the Yacht
Club

Moved by Alderman Conway seconded
by Alderman Lemmings which amendment on being put is passed
& voting for the same and yeas 11 and nays 10 and the names being called
for they appeared thus.

In the yeas
Ald. Anthony Habel
Henry Morley
Conroy
Richardson
Dumbell

yeas 11
Ald. Nash
Graham
Sinclair
Brennan
Mahony
Sayer
Conroy

And the resolution on being put is passed
unanimously.

Alderman Conway has special leave
to submit a report of Committee of Taxes.
on being put is lost

Read Report of Committee of Taxes
submitted this day. ^{copy}
On motion the same is received and
adopted.

Read Report of Committee for printing
the Annual Report
Committee Room. 25th to 167

Committee on Endors met this day present
Aldermen Richardson, Habel, Sinclair & the Chairman to open tenders
for printing 1000 copies of Annual Report as follows.

Wm. Blackadar Book. \$1200, 2. Henry 1500, 3. Wm. McNeil \$1400
The Committee therefore recommend
the acceptance of W. McNeil's tender. it being the lowest
Jas. Butler Chairman

On motion the same is received & adopted.

On motion Council adjourns.

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John Story, John Adams, John Westcott and William Morrison having been appointed Solicitors for the City of Halifax, under a resolution of City Council passed on the 6th inst were this day sworn into office by His Worship the Mayor.

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At a Quarterly Meeting of the City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen, Deacons, Mayor, Richardson, Barber, Gossip, Wash, Carter, Murphy, Seaman, Comay, Fish, Barron, Leming and Harley.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.
Alderman Gossip submits report of Committee of Public Accounts.
His petition of H. J. Rodgers asking permission to alter building in Barrington Street.

His Worship the Mayor submits bound copy of the accounts of the City of Quebec forwarded by the Mayor of that City.
Also letter from John B. Barry Esq. City Assessor with roll tax list for and on account of school purposes.

Also letter from Hill Sumner Esq. relative to taxes of Amos J. Boston.
Also Annual Report from the City Marshal.
Also petition of William Roberts relative to his taxes.

Also a minute setting for the necessity of Council providing funds to meet the expenses incurred in the appointment of additional Police force with a memorandum from City Treasurer of sums overdrawn.

Read Report of Committee of Public Accounts.
Committee Room

Read Report of Public Accounts with a/c for Nov

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The Committee of Public Accounts met this day present Alderman Barber, Seaman and the Chairman.

The Chairman laid before the Committee the following accounts:
1 De B. Giffin \$16.00
2 H. J. Rome 34.12 1/2
3 H. J. Rome 70.00

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The Committee of Public Accounts
unto reference to the Order of His Worship and others for repairing
Grand Parade rails, erecting staking in City Market, and putting
up fence at Market slip, find that there are no City funds
available for such services and they recommend to the City
Council not to enter into further contracts or expenditures until
the next years estimate is produced, as all the available resources
of the City, embraced in the Estimate of 187 General and contingent
are absorbed.

With reference to the Accounts 12, 73 the Committee
find there are no means available at present for their payment.

When on motion of Alderman Bossie
seconded by Alderman Graham the same is agreed and adopted
is voting for the same and 3 against it.

The following resolution is
next introduced

Resolved to
Place for Hay
Market

Resolved that a Committee be appointed
to ascertain where a suitable place could be procured for a
Hay Market and report the same to the Council as soon as
possible.

Moved by Alderman Dunbar seconded by Alderman Barron
to which the following amendment is introduced,
That the same lie on the
table.

Moved by Alderman Emming seconded by Alderman
Graham which amendment on being put is lost voting for the
same and 9 against it and the resolution on being put is passed
9 voting for the same and 3 against it and the names being called
for appeared thus.

For Resolution
Ald. Rash, Barron, Dunbar,
Murray, Emming,
Barron, Taylor,
Eggar, Mackenzie.

against it
Ald. Graham,
Emming,
Bossie,
Burtin,
Richardson, 5

Committee Alderman Eggar, Richardson, Rash, Murray, Taylor
and Emming

Alderman Rash submit resolution by
way of notice relative to report of Committee of Public Accounts
passed this day.

Read minutes
of His Worship
the Mayor as to
Police

Read minutes of His Worship
the Mayor relative to Police requirements when the following
resolution is introduced.

Whereas His Worship the Mayor
having drawn the attention of the Council to the fact
that he has no available funds to meet the extra
expense.

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expenses incurred by the late addition made to the police force and whereas the sum of five hundred dollars being included in the estimate of 1866 for the purpose of erecting a station house in the North end of the City and whereas the sum having been found entirely inadequate for the purpose intended the same having been abandoned for the present - Resolved therefore that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to direct the City Treasurer to transfer said five hundred dollars to the police funds for the purpose set forth in the preamble moved by Alderman Conway seconded by Alderman Summing to which the following amendment is introduced.

Resolved that the resolution of Alderman Conway be handed to the Finance Committee to report upon.

Moved by Alderman seconded by Alderman Graham which amendment on being put is lost - 5 voting for the same and 9 against it and the names being called for the appeared thus.

For the amendt.
Messrs. Graham
Dunbar
Richardson &

against it
Messrs. Summing
Conway
Morley
Sayer
Makenny
Sturte

Resolution on being put is passed voting for the same and 5 against it
Alderman Dunbar gives notice of reconsideration.

And Alderman Nathan Chairman of City Property protests against taking any money voted for City Property to pay police while City Property debts remain unpaid.

Read petition of Will Domingo rel to L. J. Horton taxes

Read petition of William Summing Esq on behalf of Samuel J. Norton rel to taxes. On motion the same is referred to Committee on cases.

Read petition of Am Roberts rel to his taxes

Read petition of Roberts relative to his taxes. On motion the same is referred to Committee on cases.

Read pet of S. B. Rodgers rel to Building alterations

Read petition of Thomas S. Rodgers relative to alteration to his building in Barrington Street. A motion is made that the same be referred to Committee of Laws and Privileges. Amendment that the petitioner have leave to go on with his improvements.

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which amendment on being put is lost voting for and 7 against and
His Honorship the Mayor being called on for his casting vote gives
it in favor of the motion voting against the amendment which
is lost

Alderman Nash submits resolution by way of notice
relating to other force.

Council next proceed to elect
Stewards for ensuing year when the following gentlemen are
appointed

Wards One
Duncan Grant
A. S. Semmens
W. Taylor

Wards Two
James Lewis
William Kandiak
John McCalloch

Wards Three
James Suggan
Mr McDonald
Edwards J. Cook

Wards Four
Mr. Murray Sr
Hugh Blackadar
W. J. Lower

Wards Five
Felix Logan
John Burns
John Cook

Wards Six
D. Story
Mr. Keith
Tom Blundell

On motion Council adjourn

