

1870
August 8

At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day present His Worship the Mayor. Aldermen Montgomery, Mahoney, Tuttle, Gray, Duggan, Blackadar, Murphy, Worley, Story and Davis

The Council were summoned to receive the valuation Books of assessment for current year and the transaction of other business

Read over proceedings of last Meeting which were confirmed

Chairman submits report of City Prison a/c for month of July 1870

submits report of Committee of Laws & Privileges on petition of Sebastian Complain

Also petition of Messrs Stephens & Son relative to alteration to Building

submits Petition of Samuel Symonds & others relative to road at Governor Farm

Ephraim Wright relative to Building alterations

Mayor submits the valuation Books of assessment for current year

Mr Dehurst & others arbitrators on Lockman Street Extension in reference to matters referred back to them

Also Deed in fee from William Evans Esq & wife of piece of Ground purchased for building an Engine House on.

Read Report of City Prison accounts for month of July 1870.

when the following resolution No 1 is introduced

Resolved, That

the report of the Committee of City Prison with accounts for the month of July amounting to Four Hundred and Eighty three dollars and five cents be received and accepted and His Worship the Mayor is hereby authorized to draw a cheque for the payment of that aforesaid accounts voted by Alderman Blackadar seconded by Alderman Story which on being put is passed.

for a/c. over

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City Prison
Committee Room
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At a Meeting of the Prison Committee this day. Present Alderman Preft. Mahoney, Sheriff and the Chairman. The following accounts for the month of July were submitted, examined, and passed

Report
of Committee
of City Prison
with acts
for July

No 1	Jos J Sereno	60 10
2	Jos Hogan & Son	140 7
3	Jos Parker	49 20
4	J. Boylett & Co	20 54
5	Jas Duffler & Co	12 00
6	D. W. Stout	15 96
7	Thos Duggan	10 13
8	L. Damstead Sons	16 76
9	C. G. Kelly & Bell	2 18
10	W. B. Pallasfert	53 55
11	Daniel Koshins	9 70
12	Jos Mahony	4 00
13	D. J. Stout	2 50
14	Chas J. Witt	38 28
15	Donald Murray & Co	1 15
16	Conlon Bro	9 00
		<u>605 59</u>
A	Margt Doyle	10 00
B	Jos Meagher	10 00
C	Jos Doyle	18 10
D	J. Bell	18 00
E	M. Sullivan	18 00
F	Wm Cooper	20 00
G	Geo Burgess	4 00
H	W. Q. Sereno	26 00
I	J. Cosgrove	5 10
J	Mathews Evans	150
		<u>147 50</u>
		<u>\$ 147 50</u>

amounting in all to the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Three Dollars and Nine Cents.

Respectfully recommended for payment

Hugh W. Blackader
Chairman of Committee

No 2 is next introduced

The following Resolutions

of General assessment for current year returned by the City assessor to the office of the City Clerk

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res
Book
assessments

one Book for each ward, clearly and correctly made up in writing and signed by the City Assessor and the respective wards assessors having been seen and approved by this Council. Resolved that said valuation Books be returned to the City Assessor in order that he may without delay make up one General Book of assessment therefrom in which shall be distinctly shown the amount of the tax upon each individual or company and the shall sign the said Book of assessment and return the same to the office of the City Clerk agreeably to Law. Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Butler which being put is passed

On Motion the order of the day is suspended to read the various papers submitted this day.

Petition
of Heat White
Building Privileges

Read Petition of Heat White and Jas Parker Junr asking certain Building Privileges

On Motion the same are referred to Committee of Laws & Privileges

Petition
of John Doul

Read Petition of John Doul & others relative to state of Pumpool road

On Motion the same is referred to Committee of streets to report on

Opinion
of His Honor
the Recorder
re liability
Horse Railway

Read opinion of His Honor the Recorder relative to liability of Horse Railway Company to repair certain streets

On Motion the City Clerk is instructed to send a copy of the above opinion to Superintendent of Street Railway

Read Report of Committee of Public accounts as submitted last Meeting

Committee Report
Public accounts

July 29 1870
Meeting of Committee of Public

Accounts present Alderman Gray Myles, Story & Blackadar Acting Chairman. The following Accounts were examined

Report of Com
of Public acct

Read and found correct		Fire Department	
No	1 Peter Sulger		31 45
	2 Geo Brown		3 13
	3 Blackadar Bros		26 50
	4 Eggoble		47 14
	5 James Dempster		1 29
	6 James Ruggan		4 30

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continued

No	Name	Amt forward
7	Edward Doran	400
8	Marvin Phelps	120
9	Sam Winter	175
10	Wm Hogan & Son	23.10
11	Thos Kelly	150
12	Samuel Safford	81.75
13	Edw Langard & Co	400
14	Wm McDonald	400
15	Geo Safford	300
16	Chas Melan	54.22
17	Thos Spelman	15.50
18	Watson & Mayers	300
19	Patrick Walsh	985 2/10 91
Bklyt Accounts		
No 1	Geo P North	400
2		200
3	St Stephen Spn	17.75
4	W D Blackadar	33.10
		<u>\$333.35</u>

Amounting in all to Three Hundred and Thirty Three Dollars and Eighty five cents Recommended for payment.

Respectfully submitted

Wm D Blackadar
acting Chairman

when the following resolution is introduced

Resolved, That the report of the Committee on Public accounts be adopted and that W D Blackadar the Mayor be requested to draw a cheque for the amount of the said accounts viz \$333.35 Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Blackadar which being put is passed

A dedication from Henry Safford & Wife of Street near Jubilee

On Motion the same is referred to Committee of Streets and if satisfied with the dedication to be handed to recorder for his legal conformation

Read Report of James Coughlan relative to injuries sustained by him falling in on June

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Petition
of Saml. Samuel
Simon & others
relatve to Road at
Govt Farm

referred to Committee of Streets to report on.

On Motion the is

Read Petition of

same is referred to the Committee of Streets

On Motion the

Petition
of Ephram
Wright

Ephram Wright relative to building alterations,

Read Petition of

made that the same be referred to Committee of Laws and Privileges.

On Motion is

the prayer of petitioners be granted, which amendment on being put is passed & voting for the same and against

Amendment, That

Petition
from Wm. Eckhurst
relatve to
Extension
of Lockman St.

Wm. Eckhurst & others relatve to awards in Extension referred back to them.

Read Letter from

report of Messrs. H. G. Newell, George Blacklock, and William Eckhurst upon the reconsideration of their award made in the cases of Patrick Godfrey and the Estate of the late James Cogswell for land and buildings to be taken for the Extension and widening of Lockman Street read this day, stating that they saw no reason in the objections made by the parties interested to alter their award as set out in. It is Resolved that the award made by the said arbitration in those two instances be confirmed and that the Commissioners

Res. for the
to pay the
amounts of
the several
wards to the
parties
entitled to
receive the
same and to
proceed with
the
completion
of the street.
Moved by
Alderman Gray
seconded by
Alderman
Cuggan which
on being put
is passed

for the Extension of Lockman Street be respected, that the Commissioners

Petition
of Hester
Stephens
& Son

Hester Stephens & Son relatve to an alteration to Building

Read Petition of

of the Petitioners is granted

On Motion the prayer

piece of Ground purchased from William Swans Esq

Read Used of

same is referred to His Honor the Recorder to see if the title is good & report thereon.

On Motion the

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Committee of Laws & Privileges

Read report Committee
relative to petition of Sebastiano
Compain on certain buildings. Privileges.
petition of W Compain the committee of laws and privileges,
recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted,
in accordance with his explanation made to the Committee
and to be satisfactory to the City architect

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Wm Montgomery Chr

On Motion said
report is adopted: 6 voting for the same and 4 against it

Alderman Gray gives notice of reconsideration

The following
Resolutions Nos 68/ are then introduced and passed

Res
rel to 50 m
aid of the
Regatta

Resolved,
That
the sum of Fifty dollars be appropriated by this Council
in aid of the Regatta fund of the Halifax Rowing
Club and that Messrs Mayor the Mayor be authorized to
draw a cheque for that amount. Moved by Alderman
Story seconded by Alderman Butler and passed

Res
rel to Com
on annual
Scull race

Resolved,
That a
Committee be appointed to make arrangements for the
annual scull race to take place on the first of September
ensuing. Moved by Alderman Story seconded by Ald
Davis which being put is passed

Mayor Story Walsh

Committee Alderman

Resolved,
That the
sum of Twenty four dollars be added by this Council
to the fund provided by Doctor Goodwell for
the annual scull race. Moved by Alderman
Davis seconded by Alderman Worley which being
put is passed

Read award of
arbitrators in case of the City of Halifax is Bartholmeus
Walsh for land taken for Lockman Street

following resolution is introduced when the

Resolved
That
the award of the appraisers in the case of
Bartholmeus

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Patrick Walsh for damages to property sustained by
the extension of Lockman Street amounting to \$240.00 to
received and adopted and that the same be handed over to
the Commissioners of Lockman Street with instructions to
pay the amount in question. Moved by Alderman Blackadar
seconded by Alderman Graf which being put is passed

On Motion Council adjourns

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August-12

At a Special Meeting of City Council held this day Present - His Worship, the Mayor, Alderman Smelaw, Spyer, Montgomery, Mahoney, Muldo, Gray, Duggan, Murphy, Graham, and Borley.

The Council were summoned to proceed with consideration of the Estimate and the transaction of other business. Read over proceedings of last Meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Montgomery submits report Committee of Laws & Privileges on petition of Neal White & Co and John Parker. Alderman Gray's notes of reconsideration given at last Meeting no being put is lost voting for the same of against it.

Miscellaneous items

Council next proceed to consider the Estimate. Miscellaneous items

On Motion \$500 is placed in Estimate for Califase Dispensary.

On Motion the item of for short collection of Taxes is struck out.

On Motion \$600 passed for Oil Lamps

On Motion \$1000 passed for Public Gardens

On Motion the interest on Debentures amounting to \$13414⁰⁰ is passed

Read credit account which is passed Extra assessment - City's Proportion of County Rates \$17819 passed
Insane Asylum \$1000

Read item of City's one third proportion of Maintenance of City Hospital

following Resolution No. 1 is introduced when the

Resolved, That an amount be placed in the Estimate for City's one third proportion City Hospital, until a satisfactory statement be sent this Council by the Commissioners of said Institution. Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery which on being put is passed

On Motion the Estimate of Commissioners of Poor \$8860⁰⁰ is passed

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of Commissioners of School \$45,735 is passed
placed as short collection on this side.

On Motion the Estimate

On Motion \$1,000 is

placed for Sanitary purposes which includes the amount
over drawn

On Motion \$2,000 is

put down for salary of Suptendary Magistrate

On Motion \$200

for Repairs of Electoral List, and the items of interest
on Lockman Street Loan, Interest on Loan for New Engine
House. Expenditures for reception of Prince Arthur are
severally

On Motion \$400

Montgomery seconded Alderman Sinclair that \$400 be
placed in the Estimate for the Industrial School
Moved in amendment that the vote be deferred. Motion
to defer passed by consent

Moved by Alderman

resolution is next introduced

The following

Resolved

That
the light and ordinary assessment amounting to
\$84,720.40 and the Esche assessment amounting to
\$90,762.44 do pass and that the citizens to be assessed for
the total sum of \$175,482.84 as passed this day and
that the City assessor be instructed to make up his
book of assessment upon the basis of that sum. Moved
by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery
and passed

On Motion Council adjourns

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Copy of order to City Assessor } office of City Clerk
Halifax August 18th 1870

Copy of
order to
City Assessor

Sir I have it in command from the City Council to direct you to make an assessment upon the respective Wards of the City in the sum of Eight Seven thousand Seven hundred and twenty dollars and twenty cents for and towards City purposes for the current year and the further sum of One thousand seven hundred and sixty two dollars four cents for the purposes set forth in the annexed List for Extra assessment as provided by Law and under resolution of Council passed at a Meeting held yesterday a copy of which is enclosed

To John J. Barry Esq
City Assessor

Very Sir
Your obedient Servant
Thos. Stinson
City Clerk

Extra assessment

City's Proportion County Rates	\$17819	00
Insane Asylum	1000	00
Estimate of Wages of Poor	8860	44
Do of School Commrs	45735	00
Amount Short collection on above	1000	00
Sanitary Expenditure	2000	00
Salary & Disbursements Magistrate	2000	00
Salaries of Electoral Dept	200	00
Interest on Poor Asylum Loan	1500	00
Do on Queen's House Loan	660	00
Expenditure for reception Prince of Wales	1000	00
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City assessment	81120	12
Extra Do	90762	44
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Total assessment	\$178482	56

for 1870 & 1871

Thos. Stinson
City Clerk

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August 21st

of the City Council held this day. Present His Worship the Mayor, Alderman Sinclair, Montgomery, Dunbar, Mahoney, Wilde, Butler, Gray, Blackadar, Walsh, Elm Storr, and Davis

In a Special Meeting of the City Council

of last Meeting which were confirmed

Read over proceedings

Yearly statement of accounts from City Treasurer

The Mayor submits

Mr G. H. Ritchie on behalf of owners of property corner of Bell Lane and Water Street known as Beddian Corner relative to stoppage of drain

Also a letter from

assessment Book for current year 1870/71

Also the General

submits report from Street Committee relative to dedication of streets

Alderman Butler

to elect a Sergeant of Police a vacancy being caused in that office by the demise of the late Sergt Storr

Council proceed

from Nicholas Power, William Fluke, William Adams, John Hamilton and Joseph Satcham.

Read applications

when William Fluke is elected - Sergt of Police

The votes are taken

of Committee of Privileges of 15th July 1870 relative to the Isles Section

Read Report

and privileges, beg to report as follows

The Committee of laws

Report

of Copy of Law Petitions of the Isles the committee recommends the Council to grant the Privileges asked by the petitioner provided the City architect is satisfied that the facts stated by the petitioner are correct

In regard to the

petition of Conroy the Committee recommend the Council to grant the privileges asked for

In regard to the

Mr Montgomery
Chairman

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On Motion the same is

adopted

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Report of Com & C. and John Parker Junr relative to an alteration to
of Laws & Privileges Building
on Section 1st & 2nd
of Calab

Read Report

Committee of Laws & Privileges on Petition of Neal White
relative to an alteration to
portion of report relative to Neal White's bill is adopted
and on Motion the petition of John Parker is granted

Letter
from Ch of Com
on Lockman St.
Extension with
Letter from Engineer

Chairman of Commissioners of Lockman Street Extension
with Letter from John Murphy Engineer.
where the following
Resolution No 1 is introduced

Read Letter from

Resolved.

Pro
rely to state
S. Sellow

Noratio S. Sellow to be granted the sum of Two Hundred
dollars for his services on the Extension of Lockman
Street and the Commissioners of that department be
authorized to pay the amount. Moved by Alderman
Darrow seconded by Alderman Butler to which the
following amendment is introduced.

That the amount
be made two hundred and fifty dollars. Moved by
Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery
which on being put is lost & voting for the same and
against it

on being put is passed

Resolution No 2 is next introduced

That the amount
be made two hundred and fifty dollars. Moved by
Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery
which on being put is lost & voting for the same and
against it

The original resolution

The following

Resolved,

That
the bill clerk be instructed to write to the Commissioners
of Water Supply and to the Malibago Gas Light Company
requesting them to have their pipes laid down immedi-
ately on the extension of Lockman Street. Moved
by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Butler
which on being put is passed

Petition
of Martyn Mearns

Martyn Mearns relative to damage to property
by Lockman Street Extension
same is referred to Commissioners of Lockman
Street Extension

Read Petition

On Motion the

On Motion the

Deed of Dedication and letter from J. B. Hill Esq
relative to roads at Old Poor Asylum are referred
to Committee of streets to report on

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No. 38 relative to rule of order of Council is next introduced

The following resolution

Resolved, That an additional rule be added to those already adopted for the regulation of Meetings of this Council, to be known as No. 40. Res. of the rules and regulations in force for the conduct of business

Res. of the addition of the City Council (1870)
Rule of Council

Regular Meetings of the Council shall be held on the first and third Fridays of each month to commence at 8 P.M. such Meetings to include the regular Meetings provided for in the Charter, and not to interfere with the right of the Mayor in regard to calling special Meetings moved by Alderman ~~Barrow~~ seconded by Alderman Barrow, to which the following amendment is introduced

That the discussion of said resolution be deferred until after the 1st October next. Moved by Alderman Davis seconded by Alderman Gray, which amendment on being put is lost - voting for the same and 5 against it.

notice of reconsideration

Alderman Gray gives

Notice is next introduced

The following resolution

The General assessment Book for the current year returned by the City Assessor to the office of the City Clerk having been seen and approved by this Council.

Resolved.

That the same be deposited with the City Treasurer agreeable to Law. Moved by Alderman Dunbar seconded by Alderman Butler which on being put is passed

On Motion the report of Budget of Harris is referred to Commissioners of Lochman Street Extension

On Motion Council adjourn

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Sept 1st 1870

John Lonas is this
day sworn into office as a Police Constable for the
City of Halifax by His Worship the Mayor.

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Sept 29th

A Special Meeting
of City Council held this day. Present His Worship

The Council were
summoned to appoint Presiding officers and Inspectors
for the Election on 4th October and transaction of
other business.

There not being a
quorum to do business the Council stands pro facto
adjourned until tomorrow at same hour.

Sept 10th

At an adjourned meeting of the City Council held this day. Present: Mayor, Alderman, Sinclair, Mayor, Dumbas, Fuller, Guggan, Blackadar, Wash, Flynn, Graham, Corley, Story and Davis

Council pursuant to previous notice to appoint Presiding officers Inspectors of Elections in the various Wards on 1st October next

The Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed

Alderman Wash submits Petition of John O'Malley relative to his property taken for Extension of Lockman Street

Alderman Corley submits report of Special Committee on Casage Slaughter House North End

Alderman Flynn submits Petition of Young Mens Literary association

Council Proceed to appoint Presiding officers for holding the Elections on 1st October next when the following Gentlemen are appointed

Presiding Officers for Election

Alderman	Montgomery	Ward one
Alderman	Wylde	Ward Two
Alderman	Gray	Ward Three
Alderman	Walsh	Ward Four
Alderman	Flynn	Ward Five
Alderman	Story	Ward Six

In case of absence or illness of the above Alderman Sinclair for Ward one, Ald. Shakney, for Ward Two, Ald. Guggan, Ward Three, Ald. Murphy, Ward Four, Ald. Graham, Ward Five and Ald. Davis, Ward Six will act as the Presiding officers

Council next appoint Inspectors of Elections

Inspectors	Ward No one	Ward No Two
	James Greenwood	Allen C. Brown
	H. H. Fuller	Wm. T. Taylor
	John S. Murray	Wm. McDonald
	Chas. J. Wylde	James Gordon

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Inspectors
continued

Hardy Free
Arnald Scott
William F. Ford
William Paul
Edw. Lawrence

Hardy Four
P. H. Nichols
John J. Crows
Arch. Kearney Junr

Hardy Five
E. H. Walsh
D. J. Smith
John M. Saterdoo
Thomas Hensworth

Hardy Six
James Durcan
John O. Sullivan
John H. Mumford
Thos. Hunt

On Motion Council adjourn

1846
Sept 10th

At a Special Meeting
of the City Council held this day Present Messrs
Washburn the Mayor Alderman Sinclair Montgomery
Mayor Mahoney Duggan, Hunt, Clark and Story

The Council were
summoned to proceed with business standing
over and the transaction of other business

There not being a
quorum to do business the Council stands adjourned

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Sept 26th

At a Quarterly Meeting of the City Council held this day Present His Worship the Mayor Alderman Sinclair, Mayor Montgomery, Mayor Hyde, Putley, Gray, Duggan, Alderman Mackay, Murphy, Barron, Flynn, Corley, Story

Read over proceedings of last Meetings Sept 10th & 20th which were confirmed

Alderman Putley
Chairman submits report of Street Committee to 1st Sept

Alderman Mackay
Chairman submits report of City Prison accounts

Alderman Barron
submits report of Committee of Common for Past Year

Alderman Mayor
submits Petition of Mrs Thos Goudge relative to Taxes

His Worship
The Mayor submits Letter from John L Barry City Assessor with correspondence from Union Marine Insurance Company relative to Taxes

also yearly
return of Clerk of License to 15th Sept 1870

also
Petition of Patrick Goddard relative to property taken for the Lockman Street Extension

Read Report of City Prison accounts for August 1870

Committee Room
Sept 26th 1870
The City Prison Committee met this day present Alderman Mayor, Story & Chairman

The following accounts were

Report examined and passed

Committee of City Prison	1	John J. Sweeney	4500
do	2	W. J. Dadas & Co	1500
do	3	J. Dadas & Co	6566
do	4	Samuel W. Dames	350
do	5	James Putley & Co	850
do	6	Trayer & Sons	560
do	7	C. J. Armstrong	3250
do	8	John Parker Junr	4680

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accts
continued

City Prison also continued

9	W. H. Gallister	19 25
10	William Saxon	16 05
11	J. D. Wash	17 00
12	D. H. Story	15 02
13	Conly Bros	6 00
14	L. Houlby	40 05
15	John McCulloch	1 55
16	Edward Lawson	19 75
17	Salmon Castwood	25 07
18	Dan Hoskins	6 00
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		\$130.67
		<hr/>
A	J. Pitt	15 00
B	Margaret Maple	10 00
C	James Maple	18 00
D	Catherine Evans	1 50
E	Joe Cooper	30 00
F	Sam O'Brien	21 00
G	John Dunn	6 00
H	M. Sullivan	18 00
I	J. Meagher	10 00
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		\$115.50
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		\$246.17

Amounting in all to Seven Hundred and Seventy Eight Dollars and Seventeen Cents, All of which is respectfully submitted

Hugh H. Blackadar
Chairman

when the following resolution No 4 is introduced Resolved That the Report of City Prison Committee for August be received and that the Mayor be requested to pay the accounts reported up amounting to Seven Hundred and seventy eight dollars and seventeen cents. Moved by Alderman Blackadar seconded by Alderman Corley which on being put is passed

Read following resolution No 2 introduced by Alderman Montgomery relative to Industrial School

Whereas an act has been passed by the Dominion Government entitled "An Act to empower the Police Court in the City of Halifax to sentence juvenile offenders to be detained in the Halifax Industrial School and whereas the second section of said act requires

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requires the City Council to provide for the expense of such offenders before they can be sentenced by placing a sum sufficient therefor in the estimate.

Resolved

That in order to carry out the provisions of the said act a Res. sum not exceeding \$100. to be placed as a charge on the contingent fund to provide for payment of such offenders as shall be sentenced to the said Industrial School at the rate of Forty dollars per annum for each day. Moved by Alderman Montgomery seconded by Alderman Sinclair which on being put is passed

Res. re sum not exceeding \$100. to be placed as a charge on the contingent fund to provide for payment of such offenders as shall be sentenced to the said Industrial School at the rate of Forty dollars per annum for each day. Moved by Alderman Montgomery seconded by Alderman Sinclair which on being put is passed

Read Report

of Committee of Ward Six relative to Caser's Slaughter House

Res. Resolution passed on the 13 day of July in accordance with the prayer of the Petitioner of Caser's Slaughter House

According to a Report of the Committee of Ward Six relative to Caser's Slaughter House owned by Mr Caser. I beg leave to report after visiting the same found an open trench leading from the drain that carried away the blood, from 10 to 20 ft long all exposed at low tide, and smelling very offensive and would consider it dangerous to public health and especially those living within a few yards of the same and would recommend that such measures be adapted that would abate the nuisance complained of

Respectfully Submitted
J. Hill Collier
Walt Carter

when the following resolution was introduced

Resolved

That a Committee be appointed to consider the petitions presented to this Council complaining of the nuisance of Caser's Slaughter House and to confer with the proprietors of the various Slaughter Houses of the City with a view of considering the question of the location of such establishments. Moved by Alderman Collier seconded by Alderman Blackadar which on being put is passed.

Res. presented to this Council complaining of the nuisance of Caser's Slaughter House and to confer with the proprietors of the various Slaughter Houses of the City with a view of considering the question of the location of such establishments. Moved by Alderman Collier seconded by Alderman Blackadar which on being put is passed.

Committee Alderman Sinclair, Graham, Story

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of the Council of Young Men
at Young Men Hall

of the Council of Young Men
at Young Men Hall

John C. Hall

Read Petition of
Society of Young Men
asking a Lamp Post to be placed near St. Vincent's
On Motion the

request of said Petition is granted
Read Petition of
John C. Hall relative to property taken for Extension
of Lockman Street

A Motion is made
that the same be on the table. amendment. That
the same be referred to Lockman Street Extension
which motion on being put is lost. A motion for
the same and against it. The names being called
for appeared thus

For the amendment
Ald. Duggan, Murphy, Ald. Montgomery, Clark
Nash, Stackadar, John Sinclair
Duffer, Stout, John Wilde
Parrow, Wakover, Foley

passed & for & against
Original resolution

submitted Petition of Joseph Fair & others relative
to water supply in Richmond.

On Motion the same is referred to Commissioners
Water supply

Read Report of
The Committee of Streets on Petition of J. C. Allison

Street Office
16th Nov 1870

The Committee of Streets beg
leave to report on petition of J. C. Allison relative
to a brick sidewalk, south end of Pleasant Street. The
same having been referred to them by the Council to
report on

Your Committee would
state that the work already recommended by the
Alderman for Ward No. 1, will absorb all the funds that
can be appropriated to that Ward for street service
and there being no brick sidewalk funds on hand
they cannot see how the work can be raised for what
purpose. They will be happy to attend to it at the
earliest opportunity.

Also on Letter of
Edwin O. King relative to defective sewerage (South
Park)

Report of the
Committee of
Streets on
Petition
of J. C. Allison

Sept 26 (Park Street)

Your Committee have had an interview with Mr King and find that he complains that the Culvert leading across South Park is not sufficiently large to carry off the surface water from the land on West side of Street thereby causing it to flood his premises

They have promised Mr King that through the summer they will have the Culvert made large enough to prevent the recurrence of an overflow on his premises

J Butler
Chairman

On Motion the same is received and adopted.

Letter from Robt Matthews
to the Committee
Stephen P Philan

Read Letter from Robt Matthews solicitor relative to Building

On Motion the same is laid on the table for the present

Letter from Angus Mc
Phellans

Read Letter of Angus McPhellans et al relative to water to be supplied to John Street

On Motion the same is referred to Commissioners of Water supply to report on

Letter from P. Hill
with deed of dedication
Poor adplum property

Read Letter from P. Hill Esqr with deed of dedication of Street at

On Motion the same is referred to Committee of Streets with Honor the Recorder to report on

The following Resolutions is next introduced

Resolved
to report
on progress
at Freshwater
Bridges

Resolved, That the Committee of City Property be empowered to complete the work now in progress at Freshwater Bridges by the extension of the present culvert from the line of Pleasant Street to the sea wall now being constructed and that for this purpose they may appropriate such monies as may be necessary out of the sum placed to the credit of said Committee in the annual Estimate not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars. Moved by Alderman Duggan seconded by Alderman Walsh which on being put is passed

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Woot is next introduced

The following resolutions

Resolved

That the Capt. Treasurer be instructed to send to the Capt. of the different Companies the certificates that entitle their men to vote on the first of October next. Moved by Alderman Parson seconded by Alderman Gorley passed.

resolution to be is next introduced

The following

Resolved.

Res. for the information of the Council His Worship the Mayor be pleased to obtain from the Chairman of the Water Commission a statement of expenses of Water Com. incurred in repairing the Street and Grafton St. now occupied by the Electric Com. out of what funds said expenses have been paid and by whose authority expended.

Moved by Alderman Duggan seconded by Alderman Sutter which on being put is passed.

Petition
Mary Gudge

Mary Gudge relative to the Taxes same is referred to Committee on Taxes

Read Petition

On Motion the

Letter
from John Barry

John Barry Esqr relative to Taxes of Union Marine Insurance Company same is referred to Committee on Taxes

Read Letter

On Motion the

Letter
from Patrick Godfrey

Patrick Godfrey relative to property taken for extension of Lockman Street. same is laid on the table

Read Letter

On Motion the

On Motion Council adjourns

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for Ward No one, Robert Richardson Esq for Ward No 2, Lawrence
 J Power Esq for Ward No Three, Hugh W. Blackadar,
 Esq for Ward No 4, William Saylor Esq for Ward No
 Five have been returned as duly elected Alderman for
 their respective Wards, and having taken and subscribed
 the oath of allegiance the oath of office as Alderman
 and also of Justice of the peace for the City of
 Califasc sign the roll and take their seats at Council
 accordingly in presence of His Worship the Mayor

At Special Meeting
 of the City Council held this day present His Worship
 Mayor in the Chair, Alderman Sinclair
 Montgomery, McCulloch, Mahoney, Wilde, Richardson
 Duggan Power Walsh, Blackadar, Plinn, Graham,
 Saylor, Story & Davis

The Council were
 summoned to receive the returns of Elections of the
 various Wards to appoint two City auditors and
 the transaction of other business

Read over
 proceedings of last Meeting which were confirmed

Alderman Duggan
 submits petition of Messrs Morris & Co relative to
 their Taxes

The City Clerk
 next proceeds to read the return of Election of
 Mayor for the ensuing year, when the following
 is the result

Votes
 for Mayor

Ward No one	Gov H & Henry	157 votes	McDunbar
			116
	Two	00	88
	Three	181	122
	Four	141	105
	Five	354	282
	Six	86	95
		1012	548
		248	
	Majority for Mr Henry	1264	

Alderman Story
 submits a protest from Mr Williams Dunbar against
 the Election of Gov H & Henry on the ground of his
 being disqualified for the office under Sec 24 Chap
 11 of the Ord

The same is read

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To His Worship The Mayor
and
Aldermen of City Council
now in Council convened

Gentlemen

At the Civic Election held on Saturday last I was a Candidate for the Mayoralty and was opposed by Honorable Wm Henry who received a majority of votes.

Protest
from Mr Dumbas
against the
Election of
Wm Henry

On the first day of October the said William Henry held and now holds the office of "Advocate General" in this Province, by appointment from the Crown and as such is a ministerial law officer of the Crown within the meaning of section 24 of Chapter 189 of a Victoria.

On these grounds I hereby protest against the return of the said William Henry, and his being sworn into office of Mayor of the City of Halifax and I hereby petition both as an Elector and Candidate that you will enquire into his eligibility before you shall declare him to be Mayor and before he shall be sworn into office.

I have therefore to request that you will appoint some time and place in order to afford me an opportunity of establishing the fact of his ineligibility.

The honor to be
Your obedt Servt
Wm Dumbas

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where after some discussion the following resolution was moved by Alderman Montgomery and seconded by Alderman Milde

Whereas a protest has been offered to the Council against the return of Wm Henry as Mayor unaccompanied by sufficient data to enable the Council to decide on the matter

Therefore Resolved that this Council do down till tomorrow evening at 10 o'clock in the order to give the party interested an opportunity of appearing before the Council with proof for or against the said protest which Resolutions on being put is passed

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On Motion of Alderman Duggan Geo. Mitchell is elected one of the City auditors for ensuing year

On Motion Council adjourns until tomorrow at 4 P.M.

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Evening Session

Was adjourned. Meeting of the City Council held this Evening Present, Mr. Mayor in the Chair Alderman, Sinclair, McCulloch, J. P. Richardson, Duggan, Fowler, Walsh, Dunbar, Blackadar, Graham, Taylor, Story and Tipton

Read over proceedings of last Meeting, which were confirmed

Mr. Mayor submits a letter from J. G. Hill Esq. President of Industrial, School, Handing the Council for their support of the institutions for fundless boys

Also the account Sales of property known as Old Poor Asylum

submits letter from William Dunbar Esq. relative to the election of Mayor

To His Worship the Mayor and Members of the City Council

Gentlemen

Referring to my Protest against the return of Mr. J. Hill presented to the City Council, yesterday, on the ground that he holds by Commission from the Crown, the office, and acts in the capacity of "advocate General of the Court of Vice Admiralty" which renders him ineligible to be elected to the office of Mayor. he being a "ministerial Law officer of the crown" within the meaning of the statute. I have to inform you that at the instance of several

from Mrs Dunbar re: to the Election of Mayor

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several of my friends, I have come to the conclusion to leave the matter at this stage entirely in your hands

Letter continued

Under section 52 of Act of Vict. No. 16 Henry will be required to take the oaths of qualification in which these words occur: "I do swear that I am duly qualified by law for the office of Mayor." In view of this fact, and that Mr Henry is a legal gentleman able fully to appreciate the objections urged against him in my protest, I am forced to the conclusion, that the wisest course for me to adopt is not to embarrass your deliberations further than to ask you to apply the ordinary test of qualification; and thus throw upon you the responsibility of accepting him, and upon the candidate the obligation of confirming his qualifications by solemn oath

I am
Your obedt Servt
Wm Dunbar

Halifax Oct 4th 1870

In Return
of Election of various Wards as entered on the 3rd instant

Read & Returned

when it is moved by Alderman Duggan, seconded by Alderman W. Colwell that the Honorable William St. Henry be declared the Mayor elect for the ensuing year and that the City Clerk be directed to notify His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and request him to name a time and place for swearing Mr Henry into office

On Motion Council adjourn

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Alderman Story
has special leave to submit the reports of City Prison
accounts for month of September The same is read

Calais Oct 7th 1860

The Committee of City Prison
met this day when the following accounts were examined
and passed

Report
of Committee
of City Prison
with acc'ts
for Sept

No	1	Lordly & Stimpson	126	15	
	2	N. W. Story	22	84	
	3	Davis & Co	53	30	
	4	F. O'herly	14	00	
	5	Deane & Co	38	10	
	6	W. B. Mott	70	16	
	7	John McDaniel	2	60	
	8	John Forrest	2	41	
	9	Thomas Hughes	8	00	
	10	Darnsted & Son	16	32	
	11	James Butler & Co	7	00	
	12	John Hogan & Son	4	60	
	13	John Parker Junr	15	00	
	14	Connell & Kelly	1	83	
	15	Black Bros & Co	4	50	
	16	John Healy	1	00	
	17	Wm Laidlaw	2	50	121.10
	L	George Lucas	10	00	
	P	George Harcus	4	00	
	C	James O'Brien	26	00	
	W	Wm Coker	30	00	
	E	Wm Doyle	10	00	
	F	John Weagher	10	00	
	G	James Doyle	48	00	
	H	W. Sullivan	18	00	
	J	Fredk Bell	18	00	
	K	Catherine Grand	1	50	154.50
					\$ 575.60

Amounting in all to Five
Hundred and seventy five Dollars & 60 Cents Respectfully
recommended for payment

Hugh M. Blackadar
Chairman

The following resolution No 1 is introduced when
Resolved That

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To revise the list of standing Committees

Letter from Sarah Stonekeeper relative to an account of
Shawkeeper Messrs. J. H. & H. Ritchie for deed of property taken
for Lockman Street Extension

Read Letter

On Motion the same is referred to Commissioners of Lockman
Street Extension

Read List

List
of Com. for
revision

of Standing Committees for ensuing year

On Motion. Motion the same is taken up

of Public accounts and on Motion Alderman
is substituted for Ald Power 9 voting for 5 against

Read Committee

of Common Council on Motion Ald Power is
substituted for Ald Gray

Read Committee

Cemetery passed as reported

Read Committee

City Prison Ald Gray substituted for Ald Duggan

Read Committee

City Property Ald Duggan substituted for Ald
Gray

Read Committee

of Laws & Privileges Alderman Richardson substituted
for Ald Wyldes and Flynn for Ald Graham

Read Committee

of Police Ald. Graham. substituted for Ald Flynn

Read Committee

of Tenders Ald. Wyldes substituted for Ald
Richardson

Read Committee

of streets Read when Alderman Mculloch
moved and Alderman Flynn seconded that
Alderman Mculloch be substituted for Alderman
Wash which is being put is lost 4 voting for
the same 9 against 1

Read Committee

Street Committee passed as Reported

Read Hack & Street Committee which
is passed

Read City Hospital Committee which
is passed

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Read City Rates & Taxes Committee which is passed

Read Interrogatory Health Committee on Motion Alderman Murphy is substituted for Alderman McCulloch on that Committee.

Read Committee Library passed
Friends
Oil Lamps

On Motion the list of Committees as amended are passed

The Mayor submits a letter from George Blacklock and Mrs Stirling Presidents of two curling clubs relative to the erection of a skating rink on South Street Common

On Motion the same is referred to Common to report on

On Motion Alderman Sinclair is appointed Acting Mayor in the absence of His Worship the Mayor from the City

On Motion Council adjourn

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Frederick Gordon sworn into office as Police Constable this day by Alderman Sinclair acting Mayor

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until Monday at 2 o'clock on being put is lost giving
for the same kind of against it

On Motion Thos
Rhoad is unanimously reelected City Clerk for ensuing
year

On Motion Wm
Craiger is unanimously reelected assistant City
Clerk for ensuing year

On Motion
William J Stewart is reelected second assistant
Clerk for ensuing year

On Motion
W. H. Harris is reelected Clerk of License and Keeper
of Markets for ensuing

Election Garrett Catter is reelected City Coroner Marshal
Officers for
ensuing year

On Motion
Horatio P Sellon is elected City Architect
for ensuing year

On Motion
Amos Glazebrook is appointed Keeper of City
Buildings for ensuing year

On Motion
Henry Tremannin is elected Clerk of Streets
for ensuing year

On Motion
Robert Austin is appointed Superintendent of
Streets for ensuing year

On Motion
James Spink is appointed Health Inspector
for ensuing year

On Motion
John Shear is appointed Deputy Health Inspector
for ensuing year

On Motion
John Parker, George Price, Samuel Carters, David
Crans, William P Cogswell & David Mc Donald
are appointed weighers of Flour & Meal for ensuing
year

On Motion
John Martin, Ambrose Keating, William Smith
Charles Carey, James Mitchell and John
Adams are appointed weighers & measurers
of salt & Grain for ensuing year

Read applications
for the vacancies of Mr David Hall and
Mr Berry & order they having retired

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The votes are
taken when Edward Keating and James
Parnstead, are elected Highers & Measurers of salt
& Grain for ensuing year

Measurers
of Coal

On Motion, Mr.
Sylv. Frederick Clarke, John Chubb, Patrick
Daly, David Barry, Patrick Hall, William
Smith, William Kemp, James Jackson & Thomas
Donohoe are appointed Measurers of Coal for
ensuing year.

On Motion

Council adjourn

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Flour & Meal

John Parker Supervisor
Samuel Carter, George Swin, William B. Cogswell, John
Hughes Arthur, David W. Donnell & David Grand sworn
into office as Weighers of Flour & Meal for the City
of Baltimore by His Worship Alderman Sinclair
acting Mayor

Measures
Salt & Grain

John Harting
Supervisor Ambrose Keating, William Blitt, Chad
Carey, James H. Stetson, John Adams, Edward
Keating & James H. Garnstead were this day sworn
into office as Weighers and Measurers of salt &
Grain for the City of Baltimore by His Worship
The Mayor

Coal
Measures

William Blitt
supervisor Frederick Clarke, John Cahill, Patrick
Cahill, David Barry, Patrick Hall, William
Starr, William Smith, James Jackson & Thomas
Dopahs sworn into office as Measurers of Coal
for the City of Baltimore by His Worship
Alderman Sinclair acting Mayor

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At a Special
Meeting of City Council summoned for this day
Present Alderman Sinclair in the Chair
Alderman Hyde, Richardson, Gray, Power,
Horn, Graham, Taylor and others. There not
being a quorum to do business, Council stands ipso
facto adjourned until Saturday at 3 P.M.

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Oct 25

At a Special Meeting of the City Council held this day present, Mayor in the Chair, Alderman Spence, acting Mayor, Alderman Richardson, Alderman McCulloch, Alderman Walker, Alderman Taylor, Story, Gray, Duggan, Walsh, Graham, and Neill.

The Council were summoned to proceed with the Election of officers and the transaction of other business.

Read over proceedings of last meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman McCulloch submits accounts from Chesham Matthews, Gounds & S. O. Nash for arbitrations fees in cases of Lockman Street Extension. Alderman Wash submits Petition of Edward Kenny and others relative to creek Ground on Common.

The Chairman submits a Letter from John S. Bell Chairman of Water Commissioners relative to supply of water to John Street and Richmond.

Also Letter from J. Norman Ritchie Esq. Solicitor of John Milled relative to injuries sustained by falling into an excavation in Jacob Street.

Also Letter from J. Norman Ritchie Esq. Solicitor on behalf of James Stanford relative to junction of road near 3 mile house.

Also Writ of summons in suit of William & others vs The City of Halifax.

Alderman Taylor submits Petition from Samuel Poan and S. Annabel relative to their Sages.

Council proceed to Elect the various City officers for ensuing year.

On Motion Thomas James and Patrick Tierney are Elected Measurers of Wood for the ensuing year.

On Motion James Fortune, John Penman, Isaac McElroy, Edward Gray, Joseph McCulloch, John Gaul, Richard Fitzgerald

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John Heenan and Dr. Hamblin are re-elected Gaugers of Oil for ensuing year

On Motion John S. Barry is re-elected City assessor for ensuing year

On Motion James Mc Donald is re-elected Deputy Marshal for ensuing year

On Motion David Power is elected Assh Deputy Marshal for the ensuing year

Election

Chief officers continued of Council

return of Police Force for re-election and approval of Council

Head City Marshal

When on Motion of Alderman Nugent seconded by Alderman Nesbit, the election of the Police force is deferred and the whole subject of Police is referred to Police Committee to report, on at next meeting of Council

On Motion Matthew Campbell is elected Governor and Ellen Campbell Motion of City Prison for ensuing year

On Motion the appointment of Under-keepers of City Prison is deferred until the Committee report from City Prison is handed into the Council.

On Motion Bernard Gelpin is elected Surgeon of City Prison for ensuing year

On Motion Joseph Keffer is Elected Registrar of Cemetery for ensuing year

Council next proceed to appoint Ward assessors for ensuing year, when the following Gentlemen are appointed

Ward One
John Hession
William Gossett

Ward Two
John Connor
Chas J. Hill

Ward Three
Walter J. Smith
Saml H. Gray

Ward Four
Joseph Power
William Nelson

Ward Five
Henry G. Sullist
David Elliot

Ward Six
William Brown
Richd J. Foome

Ward assessors for ensuing year

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The following resolution No. 1 is next introduced Resolved, That,

Res. re: to this pound.

the Committee of Art Property be authorized to construct three channels to be placed in such localities as may be most convenient for the Citizen. Moved by Alderman Wyld seconded by Alderman Duggan, which on being put was passed

Alderman Graham has special leave to present a petition from James W. Plum relative to his taxes

On Motion John Forrest is elected a Wager of Bay at Richmond Station

On Motion George Currie is elected Wager at Keating's County Market, Wm Caldwell at Caldwell's Wharf and Patrick Power at Barbanks Wharf.

Election of Cane officers continued

On Motion Henry Skiper & John McPherson are appointed Surveyors of Summets & Shingles for ensuing year

On Motion Jeremiah Barnstead & Dennis Carrol are appointed Inspectors and sealers of Leather for ensuing year

On Motion Henry G. Wright & John J. Edwards are appointed Inspectors & Measurers of Madon Work for ensuing year

On Motion Daniel McPherson and Richard J. Poore are appointed Fence Viewers for ensuing year

On Motion James Reardon & Maurice Downey are appointed Inspectors of Painters Work for ensuing year

Council next proceed to appoint Fire Ward for ensuing year when the following Gentlemen are appointed

Five Wards for ensuing year

Ward One
Henry Peters
Joseph Dyghart
Wm H. Seal

Ward Two
William Murray
James Springer
John Watson

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Ward Three
Alderman Duggan
William Mc Donald
Henry G Taylor

Ward Four
Wm Kearney Junr
Alderman Blackadar
Wm D Power

Ward Five
John Flynn
John S Scriven
Chas Mc Donald

Ward Six
Alderman Nesbit
James P Smothers
Thos Bentley

Dodson & James Cullighan and George Thompson are appointed Inspectors of Fresh & Pickled Beef to York for ensuing year

Read summons in case of Williams & Severman vs the City of Halifax in re Lockman Street Extension

On Motion the same is referred to His Honor the Recorder to defend and also to Communicate with Commissioners of Lockman Street Extension on the subject.

Letter from solicitor John Thomas Ritchie on behalf of John Walle's relative

Read Letter from John Thomas Ritchie solicitor on behalf of John Walle's relative to injuries sustained by falling into an excavation in Jacob Street

On Motion the same is referred to Commissioners of Lockman Street Extension to report on

Letter from solicitor J N Ritchie on behalf of W Stanford's relative

Read Letter from J N Ritchie solicitor for W Stanford's relative to injuries to his property at the Three Stanford mile house

On Motion the same is referred to Street Committee to report on

Resolution No 2 is next introduced

The following Resolved That

Res to own the land in Chart

the Committee of City Property be requested to enquire into the ownership of a certain lot of land bounded by the junction of the Duch Village Road with the road leading round Bedford Pass and presently occupied by a Blacksmith's forge and report at an early day to the Council. Moved by Alderman Wolfe seconded by Alderman Storey which resolution on being put is passed

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The following
Resolution No. 3 is next introduced Resolved That

That the City Treasurer be authorized to advance One Thousand dollars to the Internal Health Committee to enable them to continue the removal of ashes and the performance of other works said sum to be repaid from grants of next year. Moved by Alderman Graham seconded by Alderman Walsh to which the following amendment is moved by Alderman McDulloch seconded by Alderman Starr. That the amount be placed at \$600.00 which amendment on being put is lost and the Original Resolution on being put is Passed

On Motion Council adjourn