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On Motion  
The same is received and adopted.  
Read Report of the Committee of Public Accounts relative to the accounts and expenditure of Lockman Street Extension, with appendix.

Petition of Patrick Coleman for leave to alter two buildings on Jacob Street

On Motion  
The same is referred to Committee of Laws & Privileges to report on.

Petition of Eliza Campbell relative to her Taxes.

On Motion  
The same is referred to Committee on Taxes

Petition of John Donald relative to Building alterations.

On Motion  
The same is referred to Committee of Laws & Privileges to report on.

Read Ordinance relative to Horse Railway, a first and second set to horse cars, Planets filled up with 25<sup>th</sup> and 60<sup>th</sup> Railway

Petition of Joseph S. Belcher on behalf of Mrs. Maudan Joseph Belcher relative to Taxes.

On Motion  
The same is referred to Committee on Taxes

Petition of John W. Philan relative to alterations to Building.

On Motion  
The same is referred to Committee of Laws & Privileges to report on.

Read Memorial of Halifax Yacht Club relative to coming Boat Races.

Read Report of Chairman of Commissioners of Water Supply relative to Water supply to Richmond Depot and intervening Streets.

Read Letter from Samuel Albright relative to nuisance from Cadeys Slaughter House, at Richmond

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continued

The following tenders for the loan required by the City for the Gasman Street extension were opened and read

- By From J. C. Hill Esq. offering \$200.00 at 6% and 3% from
- Saml Broadfield Esq. " 8,000.00 " 6 " 3 "
- J. Allison Esq. Secty of Church endowment fund " 10,000.00 at 6 " 5 "
- Stans Don & Morrow whole or part of the loan " at 6 " 3 "
- J. J. Drummer Esq. " 3,000.00 at 6 " 3 "
- J. C. Drummer " 4,500.00 at 6 " 4 "
- Am Duggan " 2,000.00 at 6 whole from
- J. D. Island " 10,000.00 at 5 1/2 "

The Committee recommend that the offer of Mr Allison Secty of the endowment fund for \$10,000 and that of J. D. Island Esq for \$10,000 in accordance with their respective tenders be received, they being the most beneficial to the City.

Respectfully submitted  
Chairman

On Motion the same is received and adopted. Read Report of Committee on Taxes relative to various petitions.

Read Report of Committee of Streets on subject of widening Water Street - North End.

Read Report of Committee of Police on dismissal of Policemen Brophy and Carrigan from the force.

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The Committee on Police

Report Patrick Brophy, having been suspended from duty in consequence, being found in a drinking saloon, be dismissed from the force.

Also that Jas Carrigan having been arrested on a charge of assault and in view of former charges that he also be dismissed from the force.

Wm Montgomery  
Chairman

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P. Walsh  
ref to slaughter  
houses

P. Walsh and others relative to slaughter  
houses head of Ferrish and other streets

Blaszkaday has special leave to submit  
report of the Chairman of Goebman Street  
Extension with Report of Engineer & other  
papers, &c

Read Accounts of Commissioners of Poor for 1870  
Read Report of the Chairman of Commissioners of Goebman  
Street Extension as submitted this day.

The following Resolution is next introduced.

Resolved. That  
Regular Meetings of this Council be held on the  
first and third Fridays of each month the  
meetings first to commence at 7 o'clock P.M. and the  
Council second at two o'clock P.M.

Moved by Alderman  
Montgomery seconded by Alderman Childs  
which resolution on being put is passed.

Council next  
proceed to consider the Bill or act relative  
to New City Hall Police Station &c

Read  
the first Clause when the following amendment  
is introduced.

Consideration  
Resolved. That  
the further consideration of the Bill  
proposed to borrow funds to erect  
a City Hall be deferred for eight months. Moved  
by Alderman Farrell seconded by Alderman  
Mushy which amendment on being put is  
lost & on voting for the same & against it  
and the being called for appeared thus

For amendment	against it
Alderman Farrell	Ald. Childs
" " Gallagher	" Montgomery
" " Richardson	" Graham
" " Mushy	" Blaszkaday
" " Murphy	" Duggan
	" McCulloch
	" Gray
	" Finn

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The Bill for 3 months is lost 2 voting for 12 against

Consideration of Bill re. put to Hugh H. Hall continues

and passed 9 voting for and 5 against it.

Wesley gives notice of reconsideration.

Read Second Clause a Motion is made that the order "to purchase real estate within the said City not to exceed in amount twenty thousand dollars" be struck out, which Motion on being put is lost 4 voting for the same 10 against it, and the names being called for appeared thus

Alderman Taylor	Alld. Childs	Stirling
Storr	Montgomery	Graham
Wesley	Mulh. P. Macradar	
McCulloch	Duggan	McMahon
(4)	Richardson	Gray
		(10)

Second clause put & passed

and 8. Clause which on being put are severally passed. Read 3. 4. 5. 6. 7

Clause when a Motion is made that the interest be taken from the Loan for the next 10 years which motion on being put is lost.

as read is passed.

Read Clause when a Motion is made that the interest be provided for out of the General assessment, which motion on being put is lost 3 voting for 4 against it.

Alderman McCulloch	Alld. Richardson	Gray
Wesley	McMahon	Taylor
Storr	Macradar	Stirling
(3)	Duggan	Murphy
	Tridham	Montgomery
	Childs	(11)

Clause 10 on being put is passed 11 for 3 against it.

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Read Clause 10, 11 & 12 which on being put are severally passed

On Motion the Bill is ordered to be fairly engrossed and presented to the Legislature for approval.

Alderman Story gives notice of reconsideration.

The following Resolution No 2 is next introduced.

Resolved That the amount of the Loan accepted by the Commissioners for the extension of Westman Street, and that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to dispose of the same as it may be required from time to time.

Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery which resolution on being put is passed.

Alderman Story submits a resolution by way of Notice relative to complaints against Measurers of Coal.

On Motion the Council adjourns until Friday evening at Eight o'clock.

rel to loan Street, and that His Worship the Mayor be authorized to dispose of the same as it may be required from time to time.

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# Evening Session.

At an adjourned Meeting of the City Council held this evening Present. His Worship the Mayor, the Mayor, Alderman Sinclair, Montgomery, McCulloch, Duggan, Power, Murphy, John Graham, Taylor, Kitch

Read proceedings of last Meeting which were confirmed.

His Worship the Mayor submits accounts of Commissioners of Poor for Paupers for 1870.

Alderman Power submits Report Committee of Law & Privileges with suggestions relative to alterations to Building act.

Montgomery submits Report Committee on Police

Alderman Taylor submits affidavit of William Connabell relative to Taxes.

Alderman Sinclair submits Petition of J. P. & J. D. Sutton and others relative to New Street Smith's Field.

Alderman Kitch notices of reconsideration given at last Meeting relative to first clause of Bill for the erection of New City Hall is not taken up.

Moved by Alderman Kitch seconded by Alderman McCulloch that the question of the first Clause being passed "re-received" which Motion on being put is passed 6 voting for the same and 5 against it.

Read Report of the Committee of Law & Privileges as submitted this day relative to Building act.

Read Report of Committee on Police relative to appointment of Police to vacancies and supernumeraries.

Read affidavit of William Connabell relative to the Taxes.

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same is directed to be annexed to the report of Committee on Taxes.

On Motion they

Read Petition of J. B. P. Dutton & others residents of Board of Health relative to New Street in S. Smith's fields from the South end of South Park Street.

The same is referred to the Committee of Streets to report on.

On Motion

Read following resolution of Alderman Heisbet given notice of some time since relative to sewerage as follows

Read following

Whereas Petitions from all parts of the City are constantly presented to this Council asking for the construction of sewers which it is impossible for this Council to construct owing to the want of means at the disposal of the Street Committee.

Therefore Resolved, that a Special Committee in connection with the Street Committee be appointed to take into consideration the whole question of sewerage and Streets and to report to this Council at an early day. Moved by Alderman Heisbet seconded by Alderman Stuy, which on being put is passed.

Res. Com. on Sewerage

Committee Alderman Montgomery Heisbet and Duggan, with the Street Committee.

Read Report of Committee of Laws & Privileges relative to various petitions for building alterations

of Com of Laws & Privileges relative to various petitions for building alterations

First Clause adapted in consequence of Mr Murray not having complied with previous resolution.

The following resolution No 2 is next introduced on the Clause relative to Messrs Clemens Building

Resolved that the clause of the report of the Committee of Laws & Privileges referring to Messrs Clemens Bros be read received and that Messrs Clemens Bros be allowed to submit plans and specifications of the proposed

Resolved

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proposed alterations in the building by  
The City Architect and that said architect  
be requested to report upon the same at an  
early day. Moved by Alderman Duggan  
seconded by Alderman Taylor which on being  
put is passed.

Moved by Alderman  
McGullogh seconded by Alderman  
That the remainder of the report be adopted  
which motion on being put is passed.

On Motion the  
order of the day is suspended to take up  
Report of Committee of Police submitted  
this day.

The name is read

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The Committee on Police

Report recommended to the Council  
Com of Police named as present existing in the police force  
submitted this  
day

Do to report that  
from twenty two applicants - Eighteen of  
whom appeared personally before the Committee  
for examination - Henry Dean and James Lee  
have been selected as suitable persons to be  
recommended to the Council to fill the two  
vacancies at present existing in the police force.

Due to the frequent absence of  
a number of policemen from duty from sickness  
and other causes, especially during the winter  
season, great inconvenience is experienced by  
the Marshall in having three or four vacancies  
at the same time in his limited force to  
correct this great and growing evil, the  
Committee recommend the appointment of three  
supernumerary police men, who shall take the  
place and receive the pay of any policemen  
absent temporarily from duty, and who shall  
be entitled to fill the first vacancies that  
occur in the force.

For this purpose the Committee  
recommend the appointment of John Murphy  
John Smith and Richard Galtrett and  
that they be entitled to fill permanent  
vacancies as they occur in the order in which  
their names appear in this report.

Wm Montgomery  
Chairman



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when on Motion  
of Alderman Montgomery seconded by Alderman  
Power the said report was adopted

On Motion  
the following Gentlemen are appointed a  
Committee to prepare a Bill relating to  
Commissioners of Poor Alms and Hospital  
Committee Alderman Duggan, Sinclair,  
Taylor with His Honor the Recorder

On Motion  
Council adjourn

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James Dee and  
Henry Dean were this day sworn in to  
office as Police Constables for the City of  
Galifax by His Worship the Mayor

March 3<sup>rd</sup>

Evening Session

At a Special

Meeting of City Council summoned for this evening. Present: His Honor the Mayor, Alderman Montgomery, McCulloch, Wilder, Gray, Duggan, Power, Murphy, Finn, and Nesbitt.

There not being a quorum to do business the Council stands adjourned until Saturday evening at 7:30 hours.

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Afternoon Session

Meeting of the City Council held this day  
President His Worship the Mayor, in the Chair,  
Alderman Sinclair, Montgomery, McCulloch,  
Mophony, Hyde, Richardson, Gray, Duggan,  
Walsh, Murphy, Finn, Graham, Taylor and  
Kusht.

Read over proceedings  
of last Meeting which were confirmed.

Alderman Gray  
Chairman submits report of Committee  
of City Prison with a/cs for month of February  
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Also Report of  
the Committee of Public Accounts relating  
to various charges against the City.

Alderman  
Duggan the Chairman of Special  
Committee of Public Accounts submits  
the Draft of an act relating to Poor asylum  
and Hospital to regulate the Election  
of Commissioners of City Council.

Also Petition  
of Abellign Hood asking permission to  
alter a Building

Also Petition  
of Patholic Young Men's Club relating  
to creation of a Gymnasium

Alderman Sinclair  
submits Petition of Thomas Gough relating  
to material furnished to Compton for  
fencing

Alderman Finn  
submits Petition of William Craig asking  
relief or appointment to a situation.

Alderman McCulloch  
submits Petition of James Adams and others  
relating to sewer on Birmingham Street.

Alderman Montgomery  
submits Petition of Garrett Miller relating  
to property at Fresh Water Bridge purchased  
from General Mining association.

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The Mayor submits  
an Estimate of Commissioners of Schools relative  
to amount assessed on City for 1871 for School  
purposes.

Also Report of  
City Architect on alterations requested of  
Messrs. Clemens, Brothers on their Building  
in Barrington Street.

Also Letter from  
James Thompson Solicitor for Alexander Moir  
relative to property taken to widen Lombard  
Street.

Also Petition  
of Geo. S. Major for situation of Coal Measures.

Also Letter from  
John Dilby resigning his office as supervisor  
of Coal Measures.

Read Report from  
City Prison with accounts for Feb 1871.

City Prison Halifax  
March 1871

At a Meeting of the  
Commissioners of the City Prison held this  
day Present: The Chairman Alder Smelaw,  
Walton & Mahony.

The following accounts were submitted  
and Examined

Report  
Com. City Prison  
with receipts for  
Feb 1871

No	1	Ch. Duard (dry goods)	48 89
	2	John Hogans & Son	26 82
	3	John Paper (ox heads)	38 40
	4	James & Co (flouring)	9 50
	5	Infirmary Health Com (Sweeping)	57 60
	6	James & Sons (meal)	40 00
	7	Mary Darr (Cash)	2 00
	8	Chapman & Co (dry goods)	4 48
	9	Agnes & Priddy & Co (drugs) \$6.33.7.1869	
	10	John & Eliza (Cabbiers)	3 00
	11	Wm B. Dillinger (Cabb)	13 00
	12	Conlon & Sons (cabbiers)	4 00
	13	D. Hooper (Cabbiers)	4 00
	14	W. J. Fraser (Cabbiers)	3 00
	15	Albro & Sons (Cabbiers)	9 18
	16	Wm & Wm (Cabbiers)	15 00
	17	J. S. Duff (Cabbiers)	11 23
	18	John Duff (Cabbiers)	17 5
	19	John & Eliza (groceries)	10 97
	20	J. Duff (Cabbiers)	29 25
	21	John Elliott (Cabbiers)	3 00
			\$335.07

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Employees		Carried forward	335.07, 335.07
A John McEacher	(Keeper)	19 00	
D Mc Sullivan	( " )	18 00	
C J H Power	( " )	18 00	
A James Doyle	(messenger)	18 00	
Ex Geo Smith	(Capt. Station)	10 00	
J John Sullivan	(longkeeper)	6 00	
C Geo Kearney	(shoemaker)	4 00	
J Arthur Evans	(Tailor)	4 00	
J J Egan	(charwoman)	2 50	
K John Quinn	(cooper)	8 00	
L William Cooper	(chain keeper)	3 00	
M Jas O'Brien	(Blacksmith)	30 00	
N Geo Lucas	(carpenter)	24 00	
	(school teacher)	10 00	174 50
			<u>850.57</u>

The Com. they do not feel justified in adding for payment Messrs O'Connell & Co's account for \$6.33 which seems to have been rendered in 1870 of which the Committee have not the items. The remaining accounts amounting in the whole to the sum of Five hundred & nine dollars and fifty seven cents having been found correct are recommended for payment.

Wm. M. Gray  
Chairman

when the following resolution is introduced.

Resolved that the Report of the Committee of the City Prison be read this day be adopted, that the accounts referred to amounting to the sum of Five hundred and nine dollars and fifty seven cents be paid and that His Honor the Mayor be authorized to draw a cheque for the same. Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Murphy which on being put is passed.

Res. read  
of City of  
Prison on also.

On Motion the subject of further reorganization at Provincial and City Hospital, for Sewer Patents is referred to Special Committee on the accounts of that Institution with a request that they will report at an early a day as possible.

On Motion the order

March 1871 Order of the day is suspended to read the various papers submitted this day.

Read Report of Committee of Public accounts submitted this day.  
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Report Com of Public accounts

The Committee on Public accounts beg leave to report that at a Meeting of the Committee held this day at which Montgomery Taylor and Boyd, Chairman and Alderman were present. The following accounts were examined

No.	1	Halifax Gas Light Co	(Police office)	136 60
	2	do	(Refugee Relief)	31 40
	3	do	(Fire Dept)	32 10
	4	Charles Amoyed	(advertising)	1 50
	5	Compton Co	(Expenses 1 Clerk)	2 50
	6	W. McDonald	(advertising)	34 00
	7	J. P. Moffat	(Pub. Demog)	3 00
	8	Chas. W. McKinlay	(stationary)	37 68 1/2
	9	Geo. C. Grassie	(advertising)	57 92
				<u>\$1189.89</u>

The sum of eleven hundred & eighty nine dollars and eight nine cent which having been found correct are recommended to the Council for payment.

Wm. Winters Gray  
Chairman

When the following resolution No. 2 is introduced. Resolved.

That the report of Committee of Public Accounts read this day be adopted and that His Honor the Mayor be authorized to draw a cheque for the same amounting to \$1189.89.

Approved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery which resolution on being put is passed.

Read Report relative to Commissioners of Poor asylum and Hospital

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Wm Hood

Wm Hood asking permission to alter Building.  
Read Petition of

The same is referred to Committee of Laws & Privileges.  
On Motion

Petition

Catholic Young Men's Club

Catholic Young Men's Club asking the Councils permission to erect a Gymnasium.  
Read Petition of

The same is referred to Committee of Laws & Privileges.  
On Motion

Committee on Capitalizing Common Lots.  
Read Report

Petition

Geo Gough

Geo Gough relative to material supplied a former Committee of Common for paving &c.  
Read Petition of

The same is referred to Committee of Common, to enquire into the facts.  
On Motion

Petition

Wm Craig

Wm Craig asking to be appointed to a situation.  
Read Petition of

Petition

James Adams & others

James Adams and others relative to sewer in Birmingham Street.  
Read Petition of

The same is referred to Committee on Streets to report on.  
On Motion the same

Letter

Garrett Miller

Garrett Miller relative to property at South end purchased by him from General Mining association.  
Read Letter from

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

Letter

Secy of School Comm

Secy of School Commissioners with estimate for School Purposes for 1871.  
Read Letter from

The same is referred to Committee of Public Accounts to report on.  
On Motion the

of City Property relative to alterations required by Mrs Clemens on their building.  
Read Report

The same is referred to Committee of Laws and Privileges.  
On Motion

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Letter James Thompson solicitor for No. 1111 No. 1112 No. 1113 No. 1114 No. 1115 No. 1116 No. 1117 No. 1118 No. 1119 No. 1120 No. 1121 No. 1122 No. 1123 No. 1124 No. 1125 No. 1126 No. 1127 No. 1128 No. 1129 No. 1130 No. 1131 No. 1132 No. 1133 No. 1134 No. 1135 No. 1136 No. 1137 No. 1138 No. 1139 No. 1140 No. 1141 No. 1142 No. 1143 No. 1144 No. 1145 No. 1146 No. 1147 No. 1148 No. 1149 No. 1150 No. 1151 No. 1152 No. 1153 No. 1154 No. 1155 No. 1156 No. 1157 No. 1158 No. 1159 No. 1160 No. 1161 No. 1162 No. 1163 No. 1164 No. 1165 No. 1166 No. 1167 No. 1168 No. 1169 No. 1170 No. 1171 No. 1172 No. 1173 No. 1174 No. 1175 No. 1176 No. 1177 No. 1178 No. 1179 No. 1180 No. 1181 No. 1182 No. 1183 No. 1184 No. 1185 No. 1186 No. 1187 No. 1188 No. 1189 No. 1190 No. 1191 No. 1192 No. 1193 No. 1194 No. 1195 No. 1196 No. 1197 No. 1198 No. 1199 No. 1200  
for selection of property taken for extension of Loebman Street  
Alex. Noyes

Read Letter from

Charles & Major asking to be appointed Treasurers

Read Petition

from Wm. Kelly from Wm. Kelly asking to be relieved from serving as Supervisor of Treasurers of Cal.

Read Letter

of Committee on Taxes of 4th Feb 1871

Read Report

Resolved That

The time for making the necessary affidavits in regard to assessment of property be extended in the grade of streets to the time given in the affidavits. That petition of this Council signed and that in case of meeting the subject be referred back to the Committee on Taxes. Moved by Alderman Montgomerie seconded by Alderman Duggan which resolution on being put is passed.

The following Resolution is next introduced.

Resolved That

Resolved the City Treasurer be instructed to refund to Wm. Stummel and Wm. Stummel that portion of the School Tax they paid from under protest. The necessary affidavits having been made by Wm. Stummel & Wm. Stummel & Wm. Stummel seconded by Alderman McCulloch which resolution on being put is passed.

The remaining portion of the reports is adapted.

of Committee of City Property (Feb 20th 1871)

Read Report

Committee Room Feb 20/71

Property having duly considered the various reports subjects referred to them by the Council of City Property as follows. In reference to the petition of the officers of the Gallegary Vesting



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Report of St. Paul and Charles Streets and now used as  
City Probation Engine House

Visiting Dispensary requesting that the  
Building situated on the Grand parade corner  
be assigned to them to be  
used as a Dispensary. The Committee are unanimous  
in their opinion that the said building should  
not be allowed to remain in its present position  
for that or any other purpose, first because  
one of the objects in building a New Engine House  
was to get rid of so undesirable an encumbrance  
of the only open square in the centre of the City,  
secondly because if said Parade is to be further  
used for building purposes they believe it is  
the desire of a large portion of the community  
that the contemplated City Hall should be  
there located.

Thirdly because they do not  
believe that the intelligent and wealthy of  
the City desire that an old dilapidated  
building like that in question shall be fitted  
up as a dispensary building, but rather  
that one shall be erected in some suitable  
locality having all the necessary conveniences  
for that purpose, and they are led to believe  
that it is the desire of many that such  
building shall be a memorial of the ever  
to be lamented, worthy citizen, whose career  
of usefulness was so prematurely terminated  
by the loss of the Stearns City of Boston  
park last year. To such a building it is believed  
that the friends of the deceased would  
contribute largely and they would recommend  
that, if necessary, the Council should supplement  
from the City Treasury said contributions with  
such sums as would complete the building  
in such manner as would be worthy of the names  
whose names it would hang down to posterity.

The Committee have advertised  
for suitable places where to impound cattle  
found at large in the City or suburbs and  
have already obtained one or two offers of places  
conveniently located. They anticipate further  
offers upon the whole of which they will  
again report at an early day.

Regarding the property situated  
near the three mile house which was the  
subject of the resolution passed by the Alderman  
Abdole. The Chairman has made enquiry  
at the Crown Land Office and found the property  
in

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in question was a portion of a road marked on the original plans of the then Town of Halifax but had never been opened for public use. That the whole road had been subsequently granted by the Crown to John Evans Esq. and that this portion was by him conveyed to the present occupants. That a suit at law would have to be instituted to amend said grant which if successful would cost about three hundred dollars besides necessitating the payment of the improvement made thereon and that although no benefit would accrue to any number of our Citizens. The Committee recommend that no further action be taken thereon.

The Committee recommend that His Worship the Mayor and His Honor the Recorder take the necessary measures to obtain immediately an extension of the Grants of Water Property in front of the High Church. In conformity with a report of a Committee on that subject submitted to and approved by the Council during the past year.

Respectfully submitted  
James Duggan  
Chairman

On Motion the same is received and adapted.

Read ordinance relating to Horse Railway Traces. a third time Clause by Clause

On Motion the same is directed to be fairly engrossed and sent to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Honorable Executive Council for approval.

Read Report of the Committee of Streets on petition of St. Albans relative to widening Water Street north end

On Motion the same is received and referred back to the Committee of Streets to have a plan made of the same and also to ascertain the probable cost of the undertaking.

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The Committee of Public Accounts on Commissioners  
of Lockman Street Extension &c

Read Report of

To His Worship the Mayor  
& Council of the City of Halifax.

A Meeting of Committee  
of Public Accounts held at office of Commissioners  
of Lockman Street Extension on 2nd Feb 1871  
Present Aldermen Gray Montgomery Story  
Richardson & Taylor.

Reports  
of Com of Public  
Accounts on Com  
of Lockman St  
&c

The Chairman Alderman Gray  
intimated that the Committee was called  
to examine the accounts of the Commissioners  
of Lockman Street, and as he was one of the  
Commissioners, he wished the Committee to  
name a Chairman for this meeting in his place.

The suggestion was agreed  
to, and Alderman Taylor chosen Chairman pro  
tem.

The accounts, vouchers and bills  
in connection with the works were thoroughly  
submitted to the Committee as well as the various  
careful and scientific calculations of the Engineer.

These were carefully examined  
and compared by the Committee,  
and found to be well vouched and very accurate.

Your Committee have classified the  
several charges, as per statement. It is  
intended to exhibit more clearly the expenditure  
under the several heads.

Your Committee beg to express  
their great satisfaction for the ready assistance  
afforded them by the Chairman and the  
Commissioners generally in their investigations  
of the voluminous accounts & vouchers, also their  
indebtedness to the Engineer for the able and  
lucid explanations he afforded on many  
intricate points in connection with this  
important work.

The result of our examination  
is as follows

Money charged to appropriation	£68099 00
Contract	28620 04
Other	4084 89
Total expended	<u>£100803 93</u>

All of which is respectfully submitted

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Wm Taylor, Chairman

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On Motion the same is received and adopted. The following resolution No 5 is next introduced.

Res  
rel to amount  
of money required  
by Council on  
Docketman St  
Extension

Resolved That applications be made to the Legislature for an act to enable the City of Halifax to borrow any amount of money not to exceed the sum of Twelve Thousand dollars for the purpose of paying for the land taken to widen Docketman Street by Cornwallis Street and also to pay for the cost of constructing said Street and other incidental expenses offered by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Montgomery which resolution on being put is passed.

Alderman Montgomery lays on the table by way of notice a resolution relative to order of business of Council.

Read act relative to appointments of Commissioners of Poor by Council, etc.

Read 1, 2, 3, 4 clauses which on being put are severally passed.

On Motion the same is ordered to be fairly engrossed and presented to the Legislature for approval.

The following Resolution No 6 is next introduced.

Resolved  
to bill for  
borrowing the  
money for

Resolved That His Honor the Recorder be requested to prepare a bill in accordance with the resolution passed this day relative to the borrowing of Twelve Thousand Dollars for the completion of Docketman Street Extension and that His Honorship be requested to forward the same to the Legislature for enactment. Moved by Alderman Gray seconded by Alderman Duggan which on being put is passed.

On Motion  
Council Adjourn