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Grand Junction Mar 8th 1888.

Board met at 7,30 with the following members present
H. H. Rea, J. J. Lumsden, S. J. Scoville, Thos H. Hadcock
J. W. Bridges and A. F. Paff and J. P. Sweeney Mayor

Minutes previous meeting read on motion approved.
Petition from citizens, ^{asking the Board to refuse to make contract with, Electric Light Company} read and on motion laid on the table.

The following proposition was submitted, read and on motion accepted.

"I will, in consideration of being employed to do all of the hauling necessary in the removal of garbage, hauling of materials &c, which is to be done under the direction of the Marshall, Street Commissioner or other proper officer, and paid for by the town; perform such work at the rate of fifty cents per load or at the rate of forty five cents per hour for man and team, for the time actually employed in such work.

The rate of compensation in each case whether by the load or hour, to be determined by the officer employing me in such case, subject to the approval of the Board." B. K. Kennedy.

The following Report of the Committee on electric lights was read and accepted.

"We the undersigned members of the Council appointed as a committee to investigate the subject of Electric lights, find that the Council have a legal right and power to grant a franchise to electric light and telephone companies; and we do hereby recommend that a franchise be granted to the Grand Junction Telephone & electric light Co and that a contract be entered into for fifteen lights for the term of five years, providing that a satisfactory contract can be made." J. W. Bridges, H. H. Rea, A. F. Paff Chairman.

On motion the same committee was appointed to further investigate the Electric Light proposition. The following report was then read and on motion accepted. The your Finance Com to whom was referred ~~the subject~~ the subject of the Annual Appropriation, beg leave to make the following report to wit.

After having examined into the past years expenditures and after carefully noting the large amount of very necessary expense to be incurred the coming season, we are of the opinion that a total appropriation of \$6700 should be made and that it be divided \$2300 for the Street Fund and \$2000 for the Street Fund and \$1500 for the Police Fund and \$400 for Water Fund and \$500 for the Street Light Fund." J. J. Lumsden Chairman.

An Ordinance entitled "The Annual Appropriation Bill" for the Fiscal Year beginning April 1st A.D. 1888 and ending March 31st A.D. 1889 was introduced and on motion placed on its passage. The yeas and nays were then called with the following results.

- H. H. Rea yes
- J. J. Lumsden "
- Thos H. Hadcock "
- J. J. Scovill "
- J. W. Bridges "
- A. F. Paff "

The Ordinance was then declared passed and adopted.

An Ordinance ^{entitled An Ordinance} concerning Licenses was introduced and on motion placed on its passage the yeas and nays being called with the following result.

- H. H. Rea voting yes
- J. J. Lumsden " "
- Thos H. Hadcock " "
- J. J. Scovill " "
- J. W. Bridges " "
- A. F. Paff " "

The Ordinance was then declared passed and adopted.

On motion Board adjourned to meet Monday evening Mar 12th 1888

A. J. Stumpey
Recorder