

Grand Junction, Colo. Dec 12. 1894

City Council met in regular session, present Hon M. L. Allison Mayor, Aldermen Wallace, McKay, Gammon, Devereux, McQuillan Minutes of November 19 read and approved.

The petition for crossing over the railroad on W. Main Street was read and on motion referred to the Street & Alley Committee with power to act

The petition to extend the city ditches to Crawford's Subd was read & on motion referred to Street & Alley committee with power to act

Petition to appoint Chas B. Hays, Special Policeman without pay from the city was read and on motion he was appointed during the pleasure of the council, Wallace, McKay, Gammon, Devereux, McQuillan voting yes.

The petition of C. J. Assman to move a one story frame building to lots at N.E. Cor 2nd & Main for 5 months only was read, and on motion, petition was accepted and he was granted permission to move the building, and the City Attorney is ordered to draw an agreement with Mr Assman, with ^{good & sufficient} bond attached, conditioned in the sum of \$100. for the faithful performance of the same, to remove the building in 5 months if so required by the city Wallace, Gammon, Devereux, McQuillan voting yes McKay voting no.

Resignation of Chas E. Jenkins as alderman from 1st Ward read and on motion accepted

J. A. K. Crawford and Dumean McKay were then placed in nomination for alderman from 1st Ward to fill the unexpired term of Chas. E. Jenkins.

On motion the City Clerk was appointed teller Ballot being cast and read, the vote stood 5 votes Crawford 1 vote McKay & Mr J. A. K. Crawford having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared elected

The reports of Police Magistrate, City Marshal, City Weigher and City Treasurer for November 1894 were read and referred to the Finance committee

The Finance Committee reported that the reports of the City officers

for the months of August, September and October had been examined and found correct with exception of 25 cents found short in City Treasurers account.

The committee reported recommending the adoption of the Ordinance on bicycles.

On motion the ~~ordinance~~ ^{report} was adopted, and the ordinance passed. Wallace, McCary, Gammon, Devereux, McQuellan voting yes.

The street and alley committee reported recommending the petition of R. E. Fletcher and others for ^{the construction of} a sidewalk along the south side of Block 101 the same to be 10 feet wide.

On motion the report was adopted, and the same ordered to be done, Wallace, McCary, Gammon, Devereux, McQuellan voting yes.

The bid of Geo. P. and J. H. Smith for the abandoned horse car wheels, was on motion accepted, on payment of \$2.00 to the City Treasurer.

The following bills were presented and read

J. C. Brownfield	7 ⁰⁰	W. R. Barton	2 ²⁵	Rice Bros	5 ³⁵
Mitchell Drug Co	1 ⁹⁰	C. Malone	7 ⁵⁰	C. Malone	10 ³⁵
D. F. Blair	9 ⁴⁰	E. Elmer	8 ⁰⁰	Prescott West	9 ⁹⁰
C. C. Knowles	3 ⁷⁵	W. P. Jordan	2 ⁵⁰	T. H. Haddock	11 ⁴⁰
Fred Mills	12 ²⁵	T. C. Hatcher	8 ⁷⁵	Roger Brumick	7 ⁰⁰
O. L. Carson	4 ³⁵	Felix Toupain	5 ⁰⁰	Prescott West	7 ⁶⁰

On motion they were allowed and the Clerk instructed to draw warrants for the same, Wallace, McCary, Gammon, Devereux, McQuellan voting yes.

The bills of the Star Times Publishing Company for \$2.75 and \$15.08 were read, and on motion they were allowed and the Clerk instructed to draw warrants for the same, McCary, Gammon, Devereux, McQuellan, voting yes Wallace voting no.

On motion the following persons were selected to act as judges in their respective wards of the special election to be held on December 28th 1894 as called and authorized by Ordinance No 38, passed and approved November 19th 1894 to wit:

Chas. B. Birch, J. L. Bennett, W. S. Binning, Judges Ward No 1.
 W. A. Rice, James Conino, W. L. Mueky, Judges Ward No 2.
 S. W. Coleman, J. C. Glassford, John Phillips, Judges Ward No 3.
 W. F. Miller, F. M. Welsh, Felix Toupain, Judges Ward No 4.
 Wallace, McCary, Gammon, Devereux, McQuellan, Cosgrove voting yes.

On motion the following places were selected at which to hold the election:

1st Ward. Brick building called Turners Hall near Cor. 2nd & Colo. Ave.
 2nd Ward - Brunswick Hotel sample room on W. S. 4th St on Alley bet Main & Road Sts
 3rd Ward - Y. M. C. A. Bldg on W. 6th Cor 5th & Main Sts
 4th Ward. City Hall building, Wallace, McCary, Gammon, Devereux, McQuellan, Cosgrove voting yes.

On motion, the City Clerk was instructed and empowered to notify the proper county officials to prepare a list of the legal voters under the law for use at Special election to be held Dec 28th 1894.

On motion, it was resolved that a committee of three, the Mayor to be chairman, be appointed with instructions to investigate the necessary steps to be taken to obtain a proper registration list of the persons entitled to vote at the special election; that they be empowered to consult the City Attorney and such other attorneys on the motion as they may deem proper and that the City Clerk be instructed to follow their recommendations Wallace, McLary, Gannon, Devereux, McQuellain, Cosgrove voting yea.

The committee on purchase of team reported and the matter referred to Mr McLary with power to act.

David Roberts, Manager of the Grand Junction Water Co. addressed the Council, inviting the members to examine the books of the Company, with a view of determining its income.

Also requesting the Council to place an electric alarm connecting the hose house with pumping stations of works.

On motion, the matter of electric alarm was referred to the Street & Alley committee for report.

It was moved that a committee of 3 be appointed to examine the books of the water company.

On vote, Gannon & McQuellain voted yea, Wallace, McLary, Devereux, Cosgrove voted no.

On motion the use of the city hall for Court purposes by the County, was granted, the County to furnish light heat and janitor.

On motion, Council adjourned.

Samuel G. McQuellain
City Clerk

Amendment by Wallace that when Council adjourns it adjourns to meet at a day certain, and the Water Co. can then submit their books for information of Council.
Amendment sixth drawn.