

Grand Junction Church Feb'y 18<sup>th</sup> 1896 -

Council met pursuant to adjournment at 7.30 P.M. Mayor Wilson presiding. An roll call there were found to be present Aldermen Wharton, Deane, Lee, McCary and Coleman. Also Mayor Allison, Albert Alderman Burton and Gammon. The minutes of the meeting of February 11<sup>th</sup> were read. An motion of Alderman Coleman they were changed as to read "Certain grievances of the Expressmen were referred to the Finance Committee with instructions to report at the next regular meeting" instead of, "The Expressmen of the City were requested to present any grievances they may have at the next regular meeting of the Council" And to read that "The reports of the City Officers of the month of Dec. 1895 were accepted" instead of, "Except the report of the City Treasurer" The minutes as thus changed were then adopted. Dr. F.A. Smith petitioned the Council for permission to erect a frame stable within the fire limits. Referred to the Fire and Water Committee with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of the Council.

A report of a special Committee pertaining to the office of the City Treasurer was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Dr. W.A. Bull et al then addressed the Council regarding a telephone system for the City.

An Motion a Committee consisting of Aldermen Wharton and Coleman and the City Attorney was appointed by the Mayor to confer with a Committee of Citizens regarding the matter and to report at an adjourned meeting two weeks from tonight. The report of the City Treasurer for the month of January 1896 was read and referred to the Committee on Finance. The Official Board of Dr. F.A. Smith as City Physician was read and on motion approved. The official Board of Edward Anderson as special Policeman at the depot was read and on motion the Clerk was instructed to return the same as not acceptable.

On motion Council adjourned until Tuesday Evening March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1896 at 7.30 P.M.

J.W. Coff Clerk