

August 12, 1897.

The City Council met pursuant to adjournment at 8 o'clock P. M. Chairman Wadsworth presiding & the following aldermen present: - Kelly, Hadcock, Wells, Meyer and Whortton. Absent Mayor Cla and Aldermen W. Kinney and Stern.

The minutes of July 13, 27, & 29 were read and approved.

A petition from Mrs. H. T. Carpenter, regarding a hotel to be built on the corner of 5th & Main Streets, was read and on motion was referred to the Fire and Police Committee.

The reports for the month of July of the City Treasurer, Marshal and Janitor were submitted and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee reported the officer's reports for the month of June, to be correct.

The St. & A. Com. reported on seats for Cottonwood Park. On motion the Committee were instructed to purchase ten seats, as described, and place them in the park.

The City Attorney read a communication from the Denver & Rio Grande R. R. officials, regarding a street 40ft in width, to connect Lawrence Ave. with Grand Ave. On motion the matter was left with the St. & C. Com. and City attorney.

The Electric Light Contract was read and on motion was accepted and the Mayor & City Clerk instructed to sign it.

The following O. R. bills were allowed and the Clerk instructed to draw warrants for the same: -

From Fire Fund: - -	No. 280	to P. H. Hadcock,	\$4.25
"	Police	" 281 "	H. W. Mann 10.50
		" 282 "	H. F. Miller 1.00
		" 283 "	Dr. Price 1.00
From General Fund: -			Total 12.50

No. 284	to Henry Grubbs	2.00	
" 285	" H. W. Mann	1.00	
" 286	" F. P. Knowles	.75	Total from General Fund. \$3.75

From St. & C. Fund: -			
No. 287	to Western Planing Mill Co.	\$48.78	
" 288	" F. M. Gordon	6.71	
" 289	" C. D. White	14.39	
" 290	" H. A. Rediker	2.10	
" 291	" P. H. Hadcock	15.25	
" 292	" Stephen Scoville	54.00	
" 293	" John Riche	\$7.00	
" 295	" James Delemater	5.25	No. 319. to T. M. Swift 5.25
" 296	" D. Quinn	15.75	" 318 " Harry Kitzmiller 5.25
" 297	" Tom Loren	15.75	" 311 " W. R. Rakestraw 5.25
" 298	" J. J. Julian	10.50	" 312 " Jim Smith 5.25
" 299	" S. Rasmussen	7.00	" 313 " J. C. Hittkand 2.60
" 300	" Harvey Day	3.50	" 314 " S. J. Bennett 7.50
" 301	" George Helmick	10.50	" 315 " David O'Connor 1.75
" 302	" J. H. Dodgion	11.35	" 316 " Charlie Swancy 3.50
" 303	" James Green	42.00	" 317 " Peter Johnson 3.50
" 304	" M. A. Dufford	7.00	" 318 " Malcolm White 5.25
" 306	" J. A. Crawford.	5.25	" 319 " Andy Milneir 5.25
" 308	" E. C. Lewis	11.37	" 320 " Ely Loupaine 4.37
" 307	" F. Payne	1.75	
" 308	" Harry Miller	3.50	

Total from St. & C. Fund. -

The bill of the Grand Junction Water Co. for \$1775. for Hydrant Rental was on motion rejected.

The bill of Mr. Layton for - 2.65 witness fees. was referred to the City Attorney.

On motion Ordinance No. 63. was called up and placed upon its passage, and was adopted by the following vote. The roll was called resulting as

Follows. Ald. Fallis yea. Hadcock, yea; Wells, yea; Meyer, yea;  
Whorton, yea.

The License Com. recommend that the  
License for a Merry Lo Round be \$100 for 30 days or less.

On motion the matter of grading the sidewalk  
on the north side of Main Street was left with the  
Street & A. Com.

On motion the Marshall was instructed to  
attend to the matter of draining the pool of water  
near the Depot & have it filled up.

A motion that the Chair appoint a committee  
of three to ~~the~~ investigate the matter of Bonding  
the City's Indebtedness, carried and the following  
Aldermen were appointed on that committee.

Aldermen { Wells, Meyer and Hadcock.

The Street and A. Com were instructed to  
make a contract, in conjunction with the County  
for filling the cut on First Street.

On motion Council adjourned until Tuesday  
evening, August 26, at 8 o'clock.

A. E. Horn  
City Clerk.