

Grand Junction, Colo. Mch 15, 1898.

The City Council met pursuant to adjournment at 7:30 P. M. Mayor Ela presiding. On roll call the following aldermen responded, Fallis, Hadcock, W. C. Hinney, Starr, Wadsworth, Wells, Meyer and Whorton.

The Minutes of the meeting held March 8 were read and approved.

The committee appointed to receive bids for cleaning the streets, asked for further time.

The St. & C. Committee reported that they had arranged with Mr. Lunsden for dirt at 15¢ per load, for as many loads as might be necessary.

The St. & A. com. reported that Mr. Stone would accept a City Warrant for <sup>on a basis of 984</sup> \$2500.00 in payment for the property on Main St., Spruce St. and an alley.

On Motion the appropriation for General Fund was amended by Ordinance No. 72 to increase that fund \$2000.

The roll was called on that motion as follows: - Ald. voting: Fallis yea; Hadcock yea; Starr. yea; McKinney, yea; Wadsworth, yea; Wells, yea; Meyer, yea; Whorton, yea. The motion carried.

Bids on lots for City Bond, were received and read. On motion the matter was left with the St. & A. Committee to investigate and report at the next meeting.

The written opinions of the City Attorney, regarding the granting of Saloon Licenses by the present Council, was read.

The matter was discussed at some length. A motion <sup>that</sup> the applications for Saloon Licenses be laid on the table until next Tuesday evening, March 22, and that <sup>when</sup> the Council adjourn <sup>it be</sup> until that time & again consider the matter.

The roll was called resulting as follows: Ald. voting: - Fallis nay; McKinney, yea; Hadcock. nay; Starr, yea; Wadsworth, yea; Wells, nay; Meyer, yea; Whorton, yea. The motion was declared carried.

An Ordinance, Numbered 72. Entitled An Ordinance to amend Subdivision Sixth of Ordinance No. 71, Passed and adopted March. 8th. 1898. was introduced.

A motion was made to suspend the rules. The roll was called as follows: Ald. voting: - Fallis yea; Hadcock, yea; McKinney, yea; Starr, yea; Wadsworth, yea; Wells, yea; Meyer, yea; Whorton, yea. The motion carried and the rules were suspended.

The ordinance, No. 72. was then placed on its passage and adopted by the following vote: - Fallis, yea; Hadcock, yea; McKinney, yea; Starr, yea; Wadsworth, yea; Wells, yea; Meyer, yea; Whorton, yea;

The Ordinance was declared passed & adopted. Alderman Hadcock moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas the District Court sitting in and for Mesa County, has this day granted a temporary Injunction against the City of Grand Junction Et. al. restraining the Council from consummating the settlement of the Controversy long existing between the City and the Water Co. by the issuance of City bonds and the purchase of the Water Co's plant and system of Water Works and Whereas said Injunction was granted.

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without notice to the Defendants therein named - notwithstanding the fact that under the Ordinance heretofore duly passed and adopted said Bonds could not be issued until on or after April 1st 1898. and. - Whereas said District Court will in reasonable contemplation adjourn by Saturday of this week.

Therefore: - Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, that the Honorable Judge be and is hereby respectfully requested to hold the present term of said Court open and not adjourn the same until on or after Monday evening March 21st 1898. in order that reasonable time be had to apply for a dissolution of said Injunction and be it further resolved that a copy of this Resolution be certified to the Clerk of said Court.

The roll was called upon this resolutions resulting as follows: - Ald. voting: Fallis, yea; Hadcock, yea; McKinney, yea; Starr, yea; Wadsworth, not voting; Wells, yea; Meyer, yea; Whorton nay. The Resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the following named persons were selected to serve as Judges of Election, in the various precincts of the City for the Ensuing year:

- First Ward, 9th Precinct: - J. A. R. Crawford, Tom Brady & W. J. S. Henderson.
- Second Ward, 10th Precinct: - James Purcell, Chas. McCary and J. M. Graham.
- Third Ward, 11th Precinct: - Geo. A. Curry, T. S. Ramey and M. M. Shores.
- Third Ward, 16th Precinct: - H. S. Wallace, J. C. Glasgow and J. V. Howard.
- Fourth Ward, 12th Precinct: - W. W. Smith, Frank Welch and J. A. Barton.

Ald Wells moved that the City Attorney be instructed to secure such assistance as he deems necessary to assist in conducting the Injunction Suit.

The roll was called resulting as follows: - Fallis yea; McKinney yea; Hadcock yea; Starr yea; Wadsworth nay; Wells yea; Meyer yea; Whorton nay.

The motion carried.

On motion Council adjourned until Tuesday evening March 22. at 7:30 o'clock.

Warrick E. Forry  
City Clerk.