

Grand Junction Colo Jan 7<sup>th</sup> 1904

Adjourned regular meeting of the City Council Mayor  
Sampson in the Chair - The following aldermen responded  
to roll Call - Buckins - Harbo - Merrill - Ramey - Smith -  
Stockton - Alderman Waldroup was a few minutes tardy -  
Alderman Rader absent -

On motion the regular order of business was suspended  
and the bids on Pumps and Boilers were opened.

Those bidding on Boilers were - The Denver Boiler & Iron  
Works - The Star Boiler works of Denver - Hendrie & Bolthoff  
Denver and N O Nelson Mfg Co St Louis -

Those bidding on Pumps were, The Jeausville Iron works of  
Jeausville Pa, Laidlaw Dunn - Gordon Co, Cincinnati O. Henry Ralbothington  
St Louis Mo, The Snow Pump Co, N O Nelson Mfg Co St Louis Mo,  
Hendrie & Bolthoff Denver, Stearns Roger Mfg Co Denver and  
J H McGowan Co Cincinnati O. The bids were taken up  
carefully and read at length - Also a bid for furnishing power  
by the Grand Jet Elec & Gas Co was received

Bids on  
Pump  
Opened

Artesian  
Water

Mr Geo Smith representing the Chamber of Commerce presented a resolution from that body to the effect that as the Western Slope Oil Gas & Development Co had offered to donate the use of its machinery for boring purposes, also several hundred feet of casing, the casing to be paid for if used permanently, if the City would provide for half the cost of boring for artesian water on the City and County property, and the County to bear the other half of the expense. The matter was taken under consideration -

On Motion Council adjourned to meet Jan 8<sup>th</sup> 1904 at  
8 P.M

Frankly Leslie  
City Clerk