

Grand Junction, Colorado, May 3^d, 1911.

Adjourned
Session The City Council of the City of
Grand Junction convened in adjourned
session at 4 o'clock p. m., in the Council
Chamber, City Hall, with Mayor Todd in the
Chair.

Roll call

Upon call of roll, the following Commissioners responded as present: Todd, Vedder, Vorbeck, Scovill, Kolmburg.

Acting City Attorney Tupper was present.

The following bills of Judges and Clerks of Election, having been audited and approved, were read by the Clerk:

Bills
Read

| Claim of | No | Fund | Amount | For |
|------------------------|------|---------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| W. J. Ponsford | 7464 | General | 5 00 | Services Judg. of Election, Pet 9 |
| J. M. Billings | 7465 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| Emma J. Budelier | 7466 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| Mrs. Emma Beemer | 7467 | " | 5 00 | " Clerk " " |
| Mrs. Augusta Van Allen | 7468 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| F. E. Welch | 7469 | " | 5 00 | " Judg. " " 10 |
| W. H. Wilson | 7470 | " | 5 00 | " " " " 10 |
| A. L. Halligan | 7471 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| Bessie E. Smith | 7472 | " | 5 00 | " Clerk " " |
| Mrs. E. E. Hatch | 7473 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| J. A. McCulloch | 7474 | " | 5 00 | " Judg. " " 11 |
| Fred Vorburg | 7475 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| J. R. Fallis | 7476 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| Anna F. Kolmburg | 7477 | " | 5 00 | " Clerk " " |
| Josephine R. Pearce | 7478 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| James Woods | 7479 | " | 5 00 | " Judg. " " 12 |
| G. W. Knowles | 7480 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| W. E. Bliven | 7481 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| Kate McCabe | 7482 | " | 5 00 | " Clerk " " |
| Alicia M. Barnes | 7483 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| J. F. Byers | 7484 | " | 5 00 | " Judg. " " |
| Geo. O. Turner | 7485 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| R. O. Blasien | 7486 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |
| Flora G. Haskell | 7487 | " | 5 00 | " Clerk " " |
| Bernice Starks | 7488 | " | 5 00 | " " " " |

Moved by Commissioner Kolmburg and seconded by Commissioner Scovill that the bills as read be allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the General fund for the several amounts.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Scovill, yea; Kolmburg, yea.

Bills
Allowed.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the bills allowed.

The following resolution, introduced by
Commissioner Vedder, was read by the
clerk:

Resolution

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, in conformity with the laws of the State of Colorado, and with the Charter of the City of Grand Junction, and a resolution of the City Council, duly adopted and approved the 12th day of April, 1911, the question of the adoption or rejection of an ordinance, entitled: "An Ordinance to ratify the condemnation proceedings of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, Petitioner, versus Wm. VanPelt, et al, Respondents, in the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District, of the State of Colorado, within and for Mesa County: To create an indebtedness on behalf of the City of Grand Junction, by the issue of its bonds, in the sum of four hundred fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of paying the judgment in said condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the right to use three hundred inches of water from Kannah Creek and the water shed thereof, and for the improvement and repairing, enlargement and extension of the water works now owned and operated by the said City of Grand Junction" was duly submitted to the qualified electors of said city, at an election duly called and lawfully held in said city, on the 29th day of April, 1911; and

WHEREAS, in conformity with the laws of the State of Colorado, and with the Charter of the City of Grand Junction, and a resolution of the City Council, duly adopted and approved the 12th day of April, 1911, the question: "Shall the City Council of the City of Grand Junction issue and sell City Bonds in the aggregate sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars, in the form of, and for the purpose designated in the ordinance entitled: An Ordinance to ratify the condemnation proceedings of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, Petitioner, versus Wm. VanPelt et al, Respondents, in the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Colorado, within and for Mesa County; to create an indebtedness on behalf of the City of Grand Junction, by the issue of its bonds, in the sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars for

the purpose of paying the judgment in said condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the right to use three hundred inches of water from Kannah Creek, and the water shed thereof, and for the improvement and repairing, onlargment and extension of the water works now owned and operated by the said City of Grand Junction?"was duly submitted to the qualified taxpaying electors under the law, at an election duly called and lawfully held in said city, on the 29th day of April, 1911; and

WHEREAS, on the first day of May, 1911, all returns having been received by the City Clerk of the City of Grand Junction, the City Council, as a Board of Canvassers, proceeded to canvass the same, making an abstract of the votes cast upon the question of the adoption or rejection of said ordinance, by which it appeared that a total of 1058 votes were cast upon the question; that 721 votes were cast by the voters indicating his choice "for the ordinance"; that 337 votes were cast by the voters indicating his choice "against the ordinance"; that the said abstract of votes cast upon the question of the sale of said bonds show that a total of 605 votes were cast upon the question; that 411 votes were cast by the voters indicating his choice "for the bonds"; and that 194 votes were cast by the voters indicating his choice "against the bonds".

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the question of the adoption or rejection of said ordinance entitled:

"An Ordinance to ratify the condemnation proceedings of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, Petitioner, versus Wm. VanPelt, et al, Respondents, in the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Colorado, within and for Mesa County; to create an indebtedness on behalf of the City of Grand Junction, by the issue of its bonds, in the sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of paying the judgment in said condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the right to use three hundred inches of water from Kannah Creek and the water shed thereof, and for the improvement and repairing,

enlargement and extension of the water works now owned and operated by the said City of Grand Junction?"

has been duly submitted to a vote of the duly qualified electors of the City of Grand Junction; that a majority of all the votes cast on said question were "for the ordinance"; and therefore, it is hereby declared that said election resulted in favor of the passage and adoption of the said ordinance.

IT IS THEREFORE HEREBY ORDERED that the said ordinance be recorded and numbered "People's Ordinance No. 1", and that pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of said City, the said ordinance be published in The Daily News, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in said city; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the question,

"Shall the City Council of the City of Grand Junction issue and sell City Bonds in the aggregate sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars, in the form of, and for the purpose designated in the ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance to ratify the condemnation proceedings of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, Petitioner, versus Wm. VanPelt, et al, Respondents, in the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Colorado, within and for Mesa County; to create an indebtedness on behalf of the City of Grand Junction, by the issue of its bonds, in the sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of paying the judgment in said condemnation proceedings, for the acquisition of the right to use three hundred inches of water from Kannah Creek, and the water shed thereof, and for the improvement and repairing, enlargement and extension of the water works now owned and operated by the said City of Grand Junction?"

has been ^{duly} submitted to a vote of the qualified taxpaying electors under the law, of the City of Grand Junction; that a majority of all the votes cast were "for the bonds" and, therefore, it is hereby declared that said election resulted in favor of the issuing and selling said City Bonds, in the aggregate sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars, all as hereinbefore set forth; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the bonds authorized as aforesaid, be prepared, executed, sold and delivered, pursuant

to the laws of the State of Colorado, the Charter and ordinances of the City of Grand Junction, and the orders and resolutions of the City Council.

Adopted and approved this 3rd day of May, 1911.

Attest:

M a y o r .

City Clerk.

Moved by Commissioner Kolmburg, and seconded by Commissioner Vedder that the resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Scovill, yea; Kolmburg, yea.

Resolution
adopted

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution passed and adopted.

Motion to
advertise
for Bids for
Water Bonds

Moved by Commissioner Kolmburg and seconded by Commissioner Vedder that the Commissioner of Finance and Supplies be authorized and instructed to advertise in four issues of the two daily Grand Junction papers, in four issues of the Economist of Chicago and in a New York financial paper, for bids for the purchase of the \$450,000 city water bonds; bids to be opened at 4 o'clock p. m., Thursday, June 15, 1911, and a certified check of \$5,000.00 to accompany each bid.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Scovill, yea; Kolmburg, yea.

Motion
Carried

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried.

Moved by Commissioner Vedder and seconded by Commissioner Scovill that the cement needed by the city for paving and sewer work be purchased from the United States Portland Cement Company of Concrete, Colorado, and that the Commis-

sioner of Finance and Supplies be authorized and instructed to place the order for contract with said Company.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Scovill, yea; Kolmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried.

Moved by Commissioner Kolmburg, seconded by Commissioner Scovill, that G. A. Combs be appointed janitor for the City Hall, his appointment to date from May 1st.

The motion being put, each Commissioner, as his name was called, voted as follows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Scovill, yea; Kolmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Scovill, that Mr. O. P. M. Steel be temporarily employed to do clerical work in the City Hall, at \$3.50 per day.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Scovill, yea; Kolmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried.

On motion of Commissioner Kolmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, the Council adjourned until to-morrow, May 4th, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Charles K. Kolmburg,
City Clerk.

Motion
carried

G. A. Combs
appointed
City Hall
janitor

O. P. M. Steel
employed
to do clerical
work

Adjourn-
ment