

Grand Junction, Colorado, February 20th, 1912.

Regular meeting

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction convened in regular session at 4 o'clock p.m., in the City Hall, with Mayor Todd in the chair.

Roll call

The following Commissioners, upon call of roll, responded as present: Todd, Vedder, Vorbeck, Rankin, Kolmburg.

City Attorney Bucklin was present.

Minutes

The minutes of the regular meeting of February 6th and adjourned session of February 10th were read and approved; the minutes of the regular meeting of February 13th were also read and approved.

Report of City Weigher accepted

The monthly report of the City Weigher having been approved by the Mayor, the same was, on motion of Commissioner Kolmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, ~~the report was~~ accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills, having been approved by heads of departments and audited, were read by the Clerk:

	Claim of	No	Fund	Amount	For
Bills read.	Treasurer's Cash Acct	10,501	General	9 25	Partap r
	Geo. L. Crawford	502	"	11 50	One day, special survey
	Earl Woodruff	503	"	2 50	Mamm for City hall parking
	Treasurer's Cash Acct	504	Fire	3 68	Freight
	Fletcher Farmer	505	Police	6 85	Work as teamster
	J. M. Todd	506	"	5 00	Cash furnished bootlegging case
	S. B. Hutchinson	507	"	4 25	"
	Mrs. Louis Harms	508	"	4 50	Room for Kramer
	Barton & Terrill	509	"	1 50	Living service for Police
	Louis L. Kramer	10,510	"	5 00	Services in cigarette case

Claim of	No	Fund	Amount	For
M. Lewis	10,511	Police	10 00	Meal tickets for prisoners
Labr Acct Dept Highways	10,512 - 518	Highways	84 65	Labr - street cleaning
Treasurer's Cash Acct	10,519	"	3 62	Material for drag
C. P. McCarry	520	"	431 40	Street sweeper re
Walter Stork	521	Health	90 00	Musical R M Hospital
Treas. Cash Account	522	Parish	10	Keese murder
Labr Acct. Dept Health (C. B.)	10,523 ²⁵	Park	60 00	Labr - Pruning trees in M. Park
Citizen Printing Co.	10,529	Water	4 00	Printing, Water Books
Treasurer's Cash Account	530	"	6 20	Postage and express
Labr Acct Dept. Water & Sewers	10,531	"	45 00	Labr - Sh. main repairs
" " " " "	826- 852	San. Curb	545 85	Labr - Pipe line
" " " " "	853- 879	" "	448 45	" " "
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John Brainerd	888	" "	417 35	Board Muds. Pa. roll
Treas. Cash Acct	889	" "	238 07	Freight
Treas. Cash Acct	890	" "	187 20	" on Pipe bands
Frank A. White	891	" "	15 00	Hauling
F. Farmer	892	" "	20 62	"
Fred Barber	893	" "	216 80	Engineer - John C. Bass
Laura B. Sawyer	894	" "	75 00	Rent of Engineer's Office
Geo. L Crawford	895	" "	6 75	Use of horse wagon
Barton & Terrill	10,526 527 - 528	Police Health	14 00	Livery service hauling
Labr Acct Dept. Water & Sewers	897- 900	San. Curb	245 75	Engineer's pay roll

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, that the bills as read be allowed and warrants ordered drawn for the several amounts.

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

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

Communication re Plumbing Inspector. A communication from George Fletcher, Bert Watson and other contracting and journey men plumbers in reference to the appointment of a plumbing inspector, and recommending the appointment of John A. Dixon as such inspector, was read.

Referred to Committee. On motion of Commissioner Vedder, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, the communication was referred to a com-

mittee of two, to be appointed by the Mayor. The Mayor appointed as said Committee, Commissioners Vedder and Rankin.

Communication

A communication from Char. M. Miller, asking refund of money paid for expressman's license, on account of having gone out of the business, was read.

Referred

On motion of Commissioner Kolmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vedder, the communication was referred to the Mayor and the Commissioner of Highways.

The following resolution was introduced and read by Commissioner Vorbeck:

Resolution.

Resolution read

Whereas, It appears from the records of the County Treasurer that a receipt was drawn for the 1906 assessment on lots Nos. 17, 18 and 19 in Block 123, in Sewer District No. 1, said property being owned by J. B. Barnicle, but records also show that said receipt was later on credited back on the books of the said County Treasurer; and,

Whereas, Mrs. J. B. Barnicle, widow of said J. B. Barnicle, claims that said assessment for 1906 was paid by her; and

Whereas, the said Mrs. J. B. Barnicle wishes to avoid any cloud to her title to the premises described, and proposes to pay said 1906 assessment, provided the City of Grand Junction waives the interest which has accrued since said assessment of 1906 was due, said amount so offered being \$9.87; and

Whereas, the fact of the records showing that a receipt was made, and afterward credited back, and the fact that said Mrs. J. B. Barnicle claiming to have paid the assessment, gives cause for reasonable doubt as to whether such payment was made or not; be it therefore,

Resolved, that the County Treasurer be, and is hereby authorized by this Council to collect the sum of \$9.87 from Mrs. J. B. Barnicle as full payment

1906
for the assessment on above-described lots,
under Sewer District No. 1, as a compromise
settlement.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded
by Commissioner Holmburg, that the
resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, each Commissioner,
as his name was called, voted as follows:
Resolution adopted
Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea;
Rankin, yea; Holmburg, yea.

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

The Council now proceeded to open
and consider bids for the hauling of
lumber and steel bands for the wood-stair
pipe of the Kaunah Creek pipe line.

Bids opened
The following bids were opened and read:

Davis, Cresswell & Brooks,	Lumber	\$2.30 per M.	Bands, 94 per cub.
W. M. Chelf	"	4.45 " "	" 18 " "
J. J. Scoville & Son	"	3.00 " "	" 2 ⁰⁰ " ton
Wellington Patton	"	2.55 " "	" 12 ⁰⁰ " cub.
John W. Atkinson	"	2.14 " "	" 7 ^{3/8} " "
James W. Milne	"	3.50 " "	" 12 ^{1/2} " "

The bid of John W. Atkinson being the
lowest, it was moved by Commissioner
Vedder, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck,
that the bid of Mr. Atkinson be accepted,
and that a contract be entered into by
the City with him for the hauling of
lumber and bands, according to speci-
fications.

Bid of
John W. Atkinson
accepted
The motion being put, upon call of
roll; the Commissioners voted as fol-
lows: Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Vorbeck, yea;
Rankin, yea; Holmburg, yea.

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

On motion of Commissioner Vorbeck,
seconded by Commissioner Vedder, the Council
adjourned.

Charles K. Holmburg
City Clerk