

Grand Junction, Colorado, October 30, 1913.

Pursuant to adjournment of October 25th, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction convened at 10 o'clock a. m., in the City Hall, with Mayer Todd in the chair.

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

City Attorney Tupper was present.

The minutes of the regular meeting of October 21st and adjourned session of October 23d were read and approved.

A communication from O. R. Prucell, making application for permit to erect an illuminated sign at the Orpheum Theatre, Main street, was presented and read.

On motion of Commissioner Vedder, seconded by Commissioner Verbeck, the application was referred to the Mayor and Clerk, with power to act.

A communication from J. W. Sawyer, in reference to condition of building and lots adjoining the City Hall recently vacated by City, was read.

On motion of Commissioner Verbeck, seconded by Commissioner Holmburg, the matter referred to in the communication of Mr. Sawyer was referred to the Mayor and the Com-

missioner of Highways, with instructions to report to the Council at its next meeting.

The quarterly reports of the Commissioner of Health and Civic Beauty and the City Clerk having been examined and approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Supplies, the reports were, on motion of Commissioner Verbeck, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, accepted and ordered placed on file.

The Council having been informed that several of these appointed to serve on the election boards for the regular municipal election to be held November 4th, it was moved by Commissioner Holmburg; seconded by Commissioner Rankin, that Mrs. Emma Beemer be appointed a receiving clerk in place of M. Hertz, declined to serve; and that Mrs. Pauline Gaiser be appointed a counting clerk in place of Mrs. Maggie Rell, declined to serve, for Precinct No. 9; and that Frank R. Hall be appointed a receiving judge in place of Mrs. Alice Marmaduke, declined to serve, for Precinct No. 10; that R. L. Hughes be appointed a receiving judge in place of N. N. Smith, declined to serve, and that Quince E. Evans be appointed a counting clerk in place of A. F. Relender, declined to serve, for Precinct No. 12.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows:

Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Verbeck, yea; Rankin, yea; Holmburg, yea,

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried, and it was so ordered.

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

<u>No.</u>	<u>Fund.</u>	<u>Claim of</u>	<u>Amount.</u>	<u>For</u>
16,297	Highways	J. J. Silva	\$25.30 ✓	1800 lbs. Oats
298	"	C. Vandusen	40.95 ✓	6825 lbs Alfalfa hay

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

The motion being put, each Commissioner, as his name was called, voted as follows:

Todd, yea; Vedder, yea; Verbeck, yea; Rankin, yea; Holmburg, yea,

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

The following resolution, introduced by Commissioner Verbeck, was read:

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, The Nineteenth General Assembly of the State of Colorado has passed a so-called racing bill; and

Whereas, under the provisions of said law a Race Commission is created, the members of which are to be appointed by the Governor, and

Whereas, it is desirable to have the Western Slope of our State represented on said Commission; and,

Whereas, we believe Dr. A. P. Drew of our city would be a man for this position who is peculiarly qualified for the duties required; and

Whereas, during his long residence in our midst he has become well known to our people, and has earned an enviable record as one of its honored and respected citizens; be it therefore

RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction that we respectfully urge His Excellency Governor E. M. Ammons to appoint Dr. A. P. Drew as a member of said Race Commission; and be it further

RESOLVED, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the proceedings of this Council, and that a copy of same be transmitted to His Excellency Governor E. M. Ammons.

Moved by Commissioner Verbeck, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, 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; Verbeck, yea; Rankin, yea; Holmburg, yea.

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

On motion of Commissioner Verbeck, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, the Council adjourned until Monday, November 3d, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Charles K. Holmburg

City Clerk.