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Organization of the Board of Delegates
of the City of San Diego, State of California,
under the Charter prepared by the Board of
Fifteen freeholders, Elected December 5-1888,
in pursuance of the provisions of Section 8, article
2. of the Constitution of the State of California,
and submitted and ratified by the qualified
Electors of the City of San Diego, California, at a
Special Municipal Election held on the second
day of March 1889, and confirmed by the Leg-
islature of the State of California, upon the
Sixteenth day of March 1889.

Regular Meeting.

Common Council Chamber
Board of Delegates May 6th 1889.

A regular meeting of the Board of Delegates
of the City of San Diego California, was held this
day at 10 o'clock A.M.

Present Delegates, Lyons, Stone, Pauly, Marshall
Julian, Bratt, Davis, Day, Wetherbee, Rediger
Hewitt, Heath, Seybolt, Thompson, Low, Hulbert
Kammann and Cooper, and Clerk Thomas
Absent, none.

City Clerk Thomas states that the Election of a
temporary Chairman is in order.

On motion of Delegate Pauly seconded by delegate
Lyons, delegate Kammann is nominated, Kammann
with draws. On motion of delegate Kammann
seconded by delegate Marshall, Delegate Heath
is nominated, On motion of delegate Bratt seconded
by delegate Marshall, delegate Heath is elected
by acclamation, to the position of temporary Chairman

Chairman Heath states that nominations for
permanent Chairman are now in order,
Delegate Hulbert nominates delegate Wetherbee
Delegate Marshall nominates delegate Bratt.
Nominations closed by Chair.

Chair appoints as Tellers delegates Stone, Cooper & Julian
Vote. Bratt - Thirteen (13)

Wetherbee - Four (4)

Total number of Votes Cast Seventeen (17)

Necessary for a choice ~~Ten~~ (10)

Delegate Bratt having received a majority
of all votes cast, the Chair announces him to

be duly elected as permanent Chairman, and on motion of delegate Wetherbee seconded by delegate Marshall the Election of delegate Bradt as permanent Chairman is made unanimous.

Messis Levi and Gassen appear before the Board as a committee of two from the Board of Alderman, and state that the Board of Alderman of the City of San Diego Calf. have Elected as permanent Chairman of that Board, A.T. Christian, and that they are now in readiness to convoke in joint session with the Board of Delegates. The report is received, and the Committee then retire.

The Clerk presents an inaugural message from Mayor Yunn, which is read, and on motion of delegate Wetherbee seconded by delegate Cooper and by the unanimous vote of the Board it is ordered, that said message, be spread upon the record of this Board. Said message reads as follows, to wit. —

To the Common Council of the City of San Diego.
Under the authority given by the Constitution the people of San Diego have framed and ratified a Charter for their own government. It has been approved by the Legislature: and the City passes to day under the operation of the new organic law. —

The new Charter was drafted with due deliberation: it was considered Section by Section: and, after ample debate upon each proposition, and careful revision, it was finally, at the end of a session of thirty days, adopted as a whole by the unanimous vote of the Board of Freeholders. It was published for twenty days in two of our daily ^{Newspapers}, and after a period of thirty days from the completion of the publication, it was submitted to the people. There had been a abundant time given the Electors to read and study the instrument: there had been the fullest discussion of its provisions in public meetings and in the columns of the Press. The remarkably large vote polled at the Charter Election showed how general and deep an interest was felt in the subject: and the great majority cast in favor of ratification gave emphatic evidence of the popular approval of the proposed plan of City government. Never was a question of Public policy more clearly presented, never was the deliberate judgment of the people more distinctly expressed. —

The movement of the Citizens of San Diego which has given us the recent significant decision at the ballot box is very much more than a transient manifestation of discontent with the preceding administration of City Affairs. It is the result of a belief that had been steadily growing in the public mind until it had become a fixed conviction, that we must reform the municipal Constitution before we could effectively reform the municipal administration. It was obvious at the outset that such a consummation could only be reached through the concurrent action of all Citizens who were convinced of its necessity, without regard to their differences of opinion upon questions of party polities. The movement was therefore necessarily non-partisan in its organization: and the attainment of its primary object was logically followed by the election of Non-partisan officers to carry the provisions of the new instrument of government into practical operation. It will undoubtedly continue to manifest itself in future City elections.

A City is essentially a corporation organized to secure certain public benefits and doing business upon the Capital represented by its assessment roll, in which every tax-payer is a shareholder, and the City officers are the Directors chosen to carry on its affairs for the Common advantage. The shareholders in other corporations do not concern themselves about the political views of their trustees, so long as the trust is profitably and honestly managed: and the fact that this is a public corporation affords no reasons for a departure from the Common sense rules of private business. In the election which has placed the government of this city in our hands, upon a distinct presentation of the issue, the people very plainly declared against the application of any political test, and demanded that the business of the City should be conducted upon strictly business principles. The obligation resting upon us as the servants of the people is manifest.

The system of municipal administration which we are about to inaugurate in San Diego differs radically from that which has preceded it. While some of its features may seem novel to California Cities, that are entirely consistent with the Constitution of our State, and have been satisfactorily tested for several years in the best governed Cities of the older States of the Union. The old Charter united legislative and executive powers in a council, whereof the mayor was the presiding Officer

The new Charter distinctly separates the legislative and executive departments. The legislative power is exclusively vested in a common Council of two houses one a continuous body representing the City at large, the other representing the several wards of the City, and renewed at each general municipal election. The executive power is vested in the Mayor, and in subordinate departments, each charged with its particular functions and duties, and responsible for the proper performance of its own special work, and all under the supervision of the chief executive. The common Council enacts the ordinances and regulation for the local government, and provides the revenue for its maintenance: the executive carries the ordinances and regulations into effect, and supervises the expenditure of the revenue. The Legislature possesses a check upon the executive in the control of the revenue, and power to fix and regulate official salaries, and in the power of Confirmation of executive appointments vested in the Board of Delegates. The Executive possesses a check upon the Legislature in the veto power. Under this system the exercise of all powers is guarded by careful limitations: the public business is so organized as to secure the utmost efficiency: and official responsibility is fixed where it properly belongs. With an honest purpose to carry out the provisions of the Charter in letter and in spirit, the government can always be economically administered, with ample regard to the growth of the City. It is equally adequate to the requirements of the present population and of a population and of a population times greater, the force of employees may at any time be reduced or expanded according to the necessities of the time: and the limit of taxation, with a just valuation of property, will always allow a sufficient revenue for the reasonable and proper expenses of administration. Such amendments as experience may show to be desirable may be made at intervals of two years by the Electors of the City. Instead of resorting to the former tedious, costly and uncertain method of seeking relief from the State Legislature, the great majority of whose members can have no personal interest in or knowledge of the special needs of our municipality.

In undertaking to put in motion an entirely new form of government, we assume a task which demands more than ordinary devotion to duty. We shall, as a necessity of the situation, have to deal with difficult questions at the beginning of our course, the settlement of which will require the exercise of the most judgment and the utmost patience. We must remember that our work is not to be done in a day. Above all

things the harmonious co-operation of the several departments is earnestly to be desired. This will give us the best assurance of success, and will most certainly bring to our administration the strong support of the people, who have called us to this service, and to whom we are responsible for its faithful performance. The question of finance meets us at the outset. The City assessment roll for the current year has just been made up, and the final footings were only completed yesterday evening.

It will devolve upon the Common Council to make the levy of taxation during the present week. In calling your attention to this subject, I shall briefly review the financial condition of the City, as ascertained from the report of my predecessor in January last, and the books in the Office of the City Clerk. The assessment roll for the year 1888 amounted to \$23,699.11 $\frac{1}{4}$, upon which a tax was levied for all purposes of 89 cents in the \$100 $\frac{1}{2}$ making a total sum of \$210.922 $\frac{1}{4}$. The total receipts of the City Treasury in 1888 (exclusive of the proceeds of sewer construction bonds) were \$447.535. $\frac{25}{2}$. The total expenditures for all purposes (other than sewer construction) were \$392.210 $\frac{24}{2}$. The balances in the several funds on January 1st were as follows: Bonded debt redemption, interest and sinking funds \$18,857. $\frac{69}{2}$ Park Fund \$1,628. $\frac{56}{2}$ Library Fund \$7,333. $\frac{27}{2}$ School Fund \$37,129. $\frac{87}{2}$ Total \$59,949. $\frac{29}{2}$. The general fund was reported overdrawn \$4,624. $\frac{28}{2}$. The total Bonded Indebtedness of the City January 1st was \$513,000, reported as follows.—

Bonds of 1885 due in 1905 (7 per cent) \$66,000. Bonds of 1887 due in 1905 (7 per cent) \$1,000. Bonds for Sewer Construction, due in 1907 (5 per cent) \$370,000. Bonds for Public School Construction, due in 1909 (5 per cent) \$76,000."

The total current expenses of the City in 1888, exclusive of public schools and interest and sinking funds, were \$249,591. $\frac{90}{2}$ of which \$99,637. $\frac{65}{2}$ was for Salaries. There are now in the office of the City Clerk unpaid demands aggregating to date the sum of \$25,873. $\frac{07}{2}$ of which sum \$3,668. $\frac{82}{2}$ had accrued prior to January 1st 1889.

The Assessment roll for the current fiscal year aggregates \$15,436.271. being \$8,262.846. less than that of last year. The limit of taxation under the Charter is 90 cents in the \$100 $\frac{1}{2}$ and the full levy would amount to \$138,926. $\frac{44}{2}$ or \$71,995. $\frac{20}{2}$ less than last year. The 90 cent limit includes the Public school tax, and all other items of

expenditure except for the interest and Sinking funds.

A careful estimate of the probable expenses of the City Government for the current year (including the unpaid demands now on file in the Office of the City Clerk) shows that, aside from the Public School the sum of \$174,640⁰⁰ is the smallest amount that can be set down: and this allows nothing for contingencies. It will not be safe to estimate a larger yield from the tax levy of this year than \$120,000⁰⁰ as nearly three millions of the assessments will be found in the "Unknown list," and is likely to be delinquent at the end of the year. The largest estimate that can be made of revenue from other sources is \$5,000⁰⁰: making the total probable revenue for the current fiscal year about \$177,000⁰⁰ —

The estimates for probable expenditures contemplate a reduction of about Thirty Thousand dollars in the Salary account, and of over forty five thousand dollars in the general expense account, or a total reduction of over Seventy five thousand dollars.

Besides the amount to be raised for general purposes, the sum of \$44,990⁰⁰ will be required to meet the bonded debt redemption, interest and sinking fund demands, which will call for an additional levy of about 30 cents. or 1^{1/2}% in all.

The summary here given of the financial situation will sufficiently indicate the necessity of the most rigid economy in every department of the administration. The officers and employes of the City will be expected to render diligent service, and the number of employes and amount of Compensation must be confined to the lowest limit compatible with the proper transaction of the Public business.

It is not pleasant to have to communicate these facts in regard to our finances, but we must meet the issue squarely and take the assessment as we find it: we are powerless to change it. If we face the situation with the fixed determination "to live within our means" I am not sure that we shall not profit by the experience, —

It is my own opinion that the aggregate property valuation of the City is really very little, if any, less today than in 1888. The population is larger than when the previous assessment was made: and while in some parts of the City there has undoubtedly been a considerable decrease in values, in other sections there should have been no reduction from the former valuation, which was originally much too low. Besides this it should be borne in mind that there have been large additions to the roll in the valuable improvements made

during the year. A very strong pressure from the public was brought upon the Assessor to reduce the valuations; but I doubt if the result is exactly what was desired. The just assessment of property for taxation is one of the most difficult problems of administration. The rights of every taxpayer are concerned to have an equitable valuation. Boards of Equalization are vested with important powers in this respect. I commend the general subject to the consideration of the Common Council.

While the revenues of the City will be extremely narrow during the present year, that fact should not preclude the carrying forward of really necessary public improvements. There are certain improvements that are valuable investments; when made they are substantial assets, and in due season pay a large interest on their cost. Our sewer system is an improvement of this nature: boulevard construction, good pavements and sidewalks, and respectable public buildings belong to the same list. Let the work only be honestly done, so that the people get a dollars worth for every dollar ex-
pended, and indebtedness in such improvements
is not to be greatly dreaded in a progressive Com-
mercial City. Under the provisions of the Charter,
street and boulevard improvements can be carried
on without burdening the property owner with large
immediate assessments, and without increasing the
public indebtedness. We shall probably never
see a more favorable time than now in which
to take steps toward the erection of a City Hall,
such as San Diego ought to possess. Reference to
the need of a City Hall leads me to urge upon the
Common Council the necessity of providing with-
out delay for the safe keeping of the records, maps
&c. in the different departments of the government.
Some of these records are of priceless value,
for, if destroyed they cannot be replaced;
and they are now in hourly danger of
destruction. If possible, the offices of the
City should all be brought together under
one roof: In some substantial brick building,
and provision should be made for storing
in some fire proof vault the more important
archives of the City. Early provision should
be made for the proper indexing and printing
of the City Charter. A sufficient number of
Copies should be printed to supply all the
Officers of the City, and to exchange with
other Cities, and also to supply the public demand.

Enough copies could be sold to very nearly defray the expense of printing.

Section 24 of Article 8 of the Charter provides that all ordinances, orders and resolutions of the City of San Diego in force at the time this Charter takes effect, and not inconsistent therewith, shall continue in force until amended or repealed. - The whole body of general ordinances adopted under the old Charter should be reviewed, and a code of general ordinances in harmony with the Charter should be framed and adopted. This work is of immediate importance, and should be placed in the hands of the City Attorney without delay. The Charter provides for the publication in book form of all ordinances of a general nature at least once in two years, I would suggest that in the publication of the Charter, arrangements be made with the printer to have a sufficient additional number printed in shape to be bound up with the first edition of the ordinances so published. This can be done at a very small increase of the cost.

The City of San Diego owns in addition to its magnificent fourteen hundred acre Park tract, a great deal of valuable real Estate and other property. No list of this ^{city} property has ever been published, nor, so far as I have been able to ascertain, has any list of it ever been made up. I would recommend the appointment of a committee on public property by each board of the common council; and that that the Board of Public Works be required to keep a corrected list of all the real Estate, buildings and other property of the City on file in their office, and return the same with the proper valuation thereof, in their annual report to the Mayor.

There are doubtless other recommendations which might properly be submitted in this communication; but the extremely limited time afforded me in which to obtain and consider the information regarding the affairs of the city already committed upon, obliges me to forbear.

I assume the office of Mayor of San Diego with a very distinct realization of its responsibility. I shall endeavor to discharge the duties devolved upon me as they are written in the law, without fear or favor, in the interest of the City and its Citizens. And I earnestly ask your co-operation in this honorable service.

Douglas Gunn

San Diego May 6 / 1889.

Chairman Bradt now introduces to the Board of Delegates
the Board of Alderman, and the members of the Board
of Alderman are now seated with the Board of De-
legates in joint session, and president N. T. Christian
of the Board of Aldermen, presides.

W.M. Gassaway
City Clerk

E. Bradt Pres

Joint Session.

Council Chamber of the Common Council
of the City of San Diego Calif. May 6/1889.

A joint session, of the common council of the City of San Diego Calif. was held this day at 11 o'clock A.M.

Present. Alderman W. T. Christian, W. A. Begole, D. Cave, S. Levi, C. F. Francisco, H. F. Horcross, J. C. Fisher, A. G. Gassen, and W. A. Perry.

Delegates: W. J. Lyons, Melvin Stone, C. W. Pauly, J. H. Marshall, A. H. Julian, G. G. Bradt, J. P. Davis, W. R. Day, G. M. Weatherbee, P. H. Rediquet, C. C. Heath, D. H. Hewitt, A. B. Sybolt, F. C. Thompson, L. G. Neubart, G. P. Low, C. F. Kamman, and Wm Cooper, and Clerk Thomas.

Absent. None.

President Christian of the Board of Alderman calls the common council to order and on motion of Alderman Levi seconded by delegate Marshall, the council proceeds to the election of a City Clerk.

President Christian declares that nominations are in order, and now —

Delegate Julian nominates J. A. Thomas.

Say	" " "	W. D. Morry
alderman Horcross	" "	Cd. A. Buck

" Francisco	" "	F. T. McWorthy
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" Begole	" "	K. J. Ware
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Delegate Pauly	" "	W. M. Gassaway.
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There being no further nominations the President now appoints as tellers alderman Fisher and delegate Weatherbee, and the council now proceeds to ballot with the following result.

First Ballot. J. A. Thomas receives Five (5) votes

W. D. Morry	" Five (5)	"
W. M. Gassaway	" Thirteen (13)	"
K. J. Ware	" Two (2)	"
Ed. A. Buck	" One (1)	"
F. T. McWorthy	" Two (2)	"

No one having received a majority of all votes cast a second ballot is taken, and is found to be as follows.

Second Ballot. J. A. Thomas receives Eight (8) votes

W. D. Morry	" Six (6)	"
W. M. Gassaway	" Thirteen (13)	"

No one having received a majority of all votes cast, a third ballot is taken, and is found to be as follows.

Third Ballot. J. A. Thomas receives Eight (8) votes

W. D. Morry	" Six (6)	"
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W.M. Gassaway receives Thirteen (13) Votes.
No one having received a majority of all votes cast, a fourth Ballot was taken, and is found to be as follows.

Fourth Ballot. J.A. Thomas receives Nine (9) Votes.

W.D. Morris " Nine (9) "

W.M. Gassaway " Nine (9) "

No one having received a majority of all votes cast, a fifth Ballot is taken, and is found to be as follows.

Fifth Ballot. J.A. Thomas receives Seven (7) Votes

W.D. Morris " Ten (10) "

W.M. Gassaway " Ten (10) "

No one having received a majority of all votes cast, a sixth Ballot is taken, and is found to be as follows.

Sixth Ballot. J.A. Thomas receives Five (5) Votes.

W.D. Morris " Eight (8) "

W.M. Gassaway " Fourteen (14) "

W.M. Gassaway having received a majority of all votes cast, President Christian declares him to be duly Elected to the position of City Clerk, and on motion of Alderman Sorcross seconded by delegate Marshall, the election is made unanimous.

President Christian states that nominations for City Attorney are now in order, and the following nominations are made to wit:

Delegate Julian nominates N.L. Titus

" Lyons " H.S. Slaughter

Alderman Cave " Jas. P. Goodwin

Delegate Fairman " W.R. Guy

There being no further nominations the Council proceeds to Ballot, with the following result.

First Ballot. N.L. Titus receives Six (6) Votes

H.S. Slaughter " Seven (7) "

Jas. P. Goodwin " Thirteen (13) "

W.R. Guy " One (1) "

No one having received a majority of all votes cast, a second Ballot is taken, with the following result. To wit -

Second Ballot. N.L. Titus receives Four (4) Votes.

H.S. Slaughter " Ten (10) "

J.P. Goodwin " Thirteen (13) "

No one having received a majority of all votes cast, delegate Julian withdraws the name of N.L. Titus, in favor of H.S. Slaughter, and a third

Ballot is taken, and found to be as follows.
 Third Ballot. H. S. Slaughter receives Thirteen (13) votes
 Jas. P. Goodwin " Fourteen (14).
 Jas. P. Goodwin having received a majority
 of all votes cast. President Christian, de-
 clares him to be duly elected, to the position
 of City Attorney, for the City of San Diego, Calif.

On motion of Alderman Levi, seconded by alder-
 man Fisher, the joint session of the Common Council
 now adjourns, Sine Die, - and the two Boards
 proceed to their respective rooms.

W.M. Gassaway G.S. Bratt Pres
 City Clerk

Reconvening of Board of Delegates.

Common Council Chamber
 Board of Delegates May 6. 1889.

Upon reconvening the Board of Delegates upon
 motion of Delegate Julian seconded by delegate
 Kamman, adjourn until 2 o'clock P.M. of this day.

W.M. Gassaway G.S. Bratt Pres
 City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Common Council Chamber
Board of Delegates May 6th 1889

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day, at 2 o'clock P.M. with President Bratt presiding.

Present. Bratt, Lyons, Stone, Pauly, Marshall, Julian, Davies, Wetherbee, Rediger, Hewitt, Heath, Seybolt, Thompson, Low, Hurlburt, Cooper and Kamman, and Clerk Thomas
Absent, Day.

Delegate Wetherbee offers a resolution requesting visitors and members to refrain from smoking during all sessions of the Board, and moves sec
onded by Delegate Davies to adopt the same.

Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Julian moves to Amend by referring said resolution to the Committee on rules, when such a Committee is created, and the Amendment is put and carried and it is so ordered. - Delegate Day here enters & takes his seat.

On motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Lyons the Chair appoints Delegates Julian, Seybolt and Marshall as a committee of three on rules and order of business.

The appointment by the mayor of G.W. Jones as Auditor and ex-officio assessor for the City of San Diego, Calif. is read, upon motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Marshall, the appointment of G.W. Jones as auditor and ex-officio assessor is unanimously confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

Delegate Rediger moves, seconded by Delegate Julian, that a financial Committee of three be appointed by the Chair. The motion is put and carried, and the Chair defers action.

On motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Marshall it is ordered, that when the Board adjourns, it adjourns to Meet May 7th 1889 at 7:30 P.M.

The Appointment by the mayor of J.A. Hamilton C.F. Rockfellow and James M. Brooks as members of the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the City of San Diego, Calif. is read, and on motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Hewitt action on the appointment is deferred until May 7th 1889 at 7:30 P.M.

The appointment by the Mayor of P.C. Remmidino, M.D., W.A. Smart M.D., Fred R. Burnham M.D., T.A. Davis M.D., and T.L. Magee M.D., as members of the Board of Health of the City of San Diego, Calif., is read and on motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Wetherbee, action on the appointment is deferred until May 7th 1889 at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

The appointment by the Mayor of John Ginty, George N. Hitchcock, D. Cave, C.W. Hendrick and E.T. Blackmer as members of the Board of Directors, of the Public Library, of the City of San Diego, is read, and on motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Davies action on the appointment is deferred until May 7th 1889 at 7.30 P.M.

The appointment by the Mayor of C.W. Bushy Head, C.J. Edwards, A.G. Hermes, and E.F. Goddard as members of the Board of Police Commissioners of the City of San Diego, Calif., is read, and on motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Julian action on the appointment is deferred until May 7th 1889 at 7.30 P.M.

On motion of Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Lyons, the Chair appoints Delegates Cooper, Stone and Davies a committee of three to confer with a like Committee from the Board of Alderman, consisting of Alderman Fisher, Cave & Begole in reference to fixing the amount of the tax levy for the fiscal year of 1889.

On motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Pauls, The President appoints Delegates Hewitt, Pauls and Day as a Committee of 3 to confer with a like Committee from the Board of Aldermen, in reference to procuring a suitable building for a City Hall.

A communication from D.G. Stephens in reference to Renting the Norton Bank Block to the City was read, and is referred to the Committee on City Hall.

Delegate Lorr introduces a resolution, authorizing the City Clerk to purchase the necessary Books & Stationary for the different Departments, at a cost not to exceed \$300⁰⁰ and moves seconded by Delegate Kamman to Adopt.

Delegate Davies seconded by Delegate Rediger moves to amend by fixing the maximum amount at \$150⁰⁰ and this amendment being put and Carried, is inserted in said resolution, and now the original motion as amended is put to vote and Carried and

Said resolution is adopted as amended, and reads
as follows. to wit:-

Be it resolved, that the City Clerk of the City of
San Diego, be and he is hereby authorized to pur-
chase necessary books and stationery for the dif-
ferent departments of the City, at a cost not exceed-
ing One Hundred and fifty Dollars, upon requi-
sition being made for the same by the heads of the
different departments.

On motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Dele-
gate Pauly the Board adjourns.

W.M.Gassaway
City Clerk

G.L.Bradt Pres

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber.
Board of Delegates. May 7th 1889.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Delegates of the City San Diego, California, was held this day, at 7.30 o'clock P.M. with President Bradt, presiding. Present, Lyons, Stone, Pauly, Marshall, Julian, Bradt, Davies, Day, Wetherbee, Rediger, Heath, Hewitt, Seybolt, Thompson, Neulhart, Low, Kamman. Cooper, Clerk Gassaway. Absent. None.

The minutes of the first regular meeting of the joint session; and of the reconvening of the Board of Delegates, and of the adjourned meeting held at 2 o'clock P.M. May 6th 1889, are read, and on motion of Delegate Low, seconded by Delegate Seybolt, the minutes are approved as read.

A communication from Clerk Gassaway, appointing Jno. F. Patton Deputy City Clerk was read, and on motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Cooper, said appointment was made unanimous.

A communication from City Clerk Gassaway, stating that it will be necessary for the City to adopt an official seal, and recommending the adoption of the one now in use, is read, and on motion of Delegate Heath, seconded by Delegate Neulhart the seal now in use, and of which the attached is an impression is hereby adopted as the official seal for the City of San Diego California.

A communication from Sewer Inspector S. T. Goldthwait referred from former Council, is read, and referred to Board of Public Works, when such Board is organized.

A communication from Health Officer, Dr. D. Gochenauer, is read, and referred to the Auditor.

A communication from the Board of Education showing the long and short terms of office, of each member of said Board, is read, and ordered filed.

The confirmation of the various appointments of the Mayor deferred from the last meeting of the Board, is now taken up, and Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Day offers the following resolution, viz-

Resolved, That all officers to be confirmed by this Board of Delegates shall be by ballot, and that a majority of all the Votes of the members of this Board shall be necessary for a confirmation, and the vote taken "Serratin" which is adopted.

Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Pauly moves that the Board proceed with the confirmation or rejection of said appointees in accordance with the above resolution. This motion is put & Carried. and the confirmation or rejection of the Board of Fire Commissioners heretofore appointed by the Mayor is taken up. and the President appoints as tellers, Delegates Low and Day. The name of J. K. Hamilton being the first in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot, with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation, Eighteen (18) votes Yes

There being a unanimous vote in favor of said confirmation, the President now declares, the appointment of J. K. Hamilton, as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, By the Mayor to be duly confirmed By the Board of Delegates.

The name of E. F. Rockfellow was next in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Seventeen (17) votes Yes.

one being thrown out - on account of being a double Ballot. There being Seventeen (17) votes cast in favor of, and none against, the President declares the appointment of E. F. Rockfellow, as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, By the mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. The name of Jas. M. Brooks was third in order, and the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Four (4) Votes.

Against

Fourteen (14) "

There not being a sufficient number of votes in favor of Confirmation, The name of Jas. M. Brooks is declined and the President so declares.

The confirmation or the rejection of the Board of Health, heretofore appointed by the Mayor is taken up. The name of P. O. Remindino M.D. being the first in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eighteen (18) votes Yes

There being a unanimous vote in favor of said confirmation, the President now declares the appointment of P. O. Remindino M.D. as a member of the Board of Health, By the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. The name of W. H. Smart M.D. being next in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result -

In favor of Confirmation Eighteen (18) Votes Yes
 There being a unanimous vote in favor of said confirmation, The President now declares the appointment of W.A. Smart M.D. as a member of the Board of Health, By the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. - The name of Fred R. Burnham^{mo} being the next in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eighteen (18) Votes Yes
 There being a unanimous vote in favor of said confirmation, The President now Declares the appointment of Fred R. Burnham M.D. as a member of the Board of Health By the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

The name of T.A. Davis M.D. being the next in order the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result. In favor of Confirmation Seventeen (17) Votes

Against " " One (1) "

There being Seventeen (17) votes cast in favor of, and one (1) against, The President declares the appointment of T.A. Davis M.D. as a member of the Board of Health By the Mayor, to be duly confirmed By the Board of delegates. - The name of T.L. Magee M.D. being next in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot, with the following result

In favor of Confirmation Seven (7) Votes.

Against " " Eleven (11) "

There not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of Confirmation, the name of T.L. Magee M.D. is declined, and the President so declares.

The confirmation or the rejection of the Board of Police Commissioners, heretofore appointed by the mayor is now taken up. The name of C.W. Bushyhead being the first in order, the Board proceeds to ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eleven (11) votes

Against " " Seven (7) "

There being Eleven (11) votes cast in favor of, and Seven (7) against. The President declares the appointment of C.W. Bushyhead as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners, By the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Day moves to postpone action upon the appointees of Police Commissioners, until Monday May 13. 1889. - The motion is put and lost.

The name of C.J. Edwards being the next in order, the Board of Delegates proceed to ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Ten (10) Votes.

Against Confirmation Eight (8) Votes
 There being Ten (10) Votes cast in favor of, and Eight (8) Votes against. The President declares the appointment of C.J. Edwards as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners. By the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. - The name of C.F. Kumes being next in order the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Nine (9) Votes

" Against " " Nine (9) "

There being Nine (9) votes cast in favor of, and Nine (9) votes cast Against. There not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of. C.F. Kumes is declined as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners, and the President so declares. - The name of E.F. Goddard being next in order, the Board proceeds to ballot, with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Thirteen (13) Votes

" Against " " Five (5) "

There being Thirteen (13) votes cast in favor of, and Five (5) against. The President declares the appointment of E.F. Goddard as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners. By the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

The confirmation or rejection of the Board of Public Library Directors, heretofore appointed by the mayor is now taken up. The name of John Ginty being the first in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Fifteen (15) Votes

" Against " " Three (3) "

There being Fifteen (15) Votes being cast in favor of and Three (3) Votes against. The President declares the appointment of John Ginty as a member of the Board of Directors of the San Diego Public Library, by the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. - The name of Geo.N. Hitchcock being second in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Twelve (12) Votes

" Against " " Six (6) "

There being Twelve votes cast in favor of and Six (6) against. The President declares the appointment of Geo.N. Hitchcock as a member of the Board of Directors of the San Diego Public Library. By the mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. The name of D.Cave being third in order

The Board proceeds to Ballot, with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eleven (11) Votes

Against

Seven (7)

There being Eleven (11) votes cast in favor of and Seven (7) against, The President declares the appointment of D. Cave as a member of the Board of Directors of the San Diego Public Library. By the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. The name of E. W. Hendrick being fourth in order. The Board proceeds to Ballot, with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Fourteen (14) Votes.

Against

Four (4)

There being Fourteen cast in favor of & Four (4) against the President declares the appointment of E. W. Hendrick as a member of the Board of Directors, of the San Diego Public Library. By the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. The name of E. T. Blackmer being fifth in order the Board proceed to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Seventeen (17) Votes.

Against

One (1)

There being Seventeen (17) Votes cast in favor of and one (1) Against, The President declares the appointment of E. T. Blackmer as a member of the Board of Directors, of the San Diego Public Library by the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

The appointment by the Mayor of Jno. F. Sinks, Geo. B. Hensley and Geo. S. Matfield as Commissioners of the Board of Public Works is read, and on motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Kamman action on the same is deferred until the next meeting.

On motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Kamman it is ordered that when the Board adjourns, it be until Friday May ^{10th} 1889 at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

Delegate Lyons presents an ordinance fixing the Salary of the City Clerk and his deputies, which ordinance is read, and Delegate Low seconded by Delegate Pauly moves to adopt the same, Delegate Heath seconded Delegate Harbut moves to lay on the table, and this motion is put & Carried

Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Cooper moves that a committee of three be appointed to act with a like Committee from the Board of Alderman, and recommend the amount of Salaries and Number of deputies in the City. This motion being put and carried, the President appoints, for said Committee Delegates Heath, Say & Thompson

The appointment of Will R. Rogers as deputy treasurer to serve without compensation is read & on motion of Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Stone, the appointment is confirmed.

A petition from J.M. Dodge, Treasurer & Tax Collector asking that he be allowed two deputies at a salary of Seventy Five dollars per month each is read, and referred to the special Committee on Salaries & Deputies heretofore appointed.

On motion Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Kauiman, The Board adjourned.

M.M. Gassaway

G.L. Bratt Pres

City Clerk,

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber.
Board of Delegates May 10th 1889.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day May 10th 1889 at 7.30 o'clock P.M. with President Bradt presiding.

Present. Lyons. Stone. Pauly. Marshall. Julian. Davies. Day. Wetherbee. Rediger. Heath. Hewitt. Sembolt. Thompson. Culbert. Low. Kamman. Cooper. Bradt and Deputy Clerk Tatton.
Absent. None.

The minutes of an adjourned meeting held May 7th 1889 at 7.30 o'clock P.M. were read, and approved as read.

The Special Committee on Rules present their report and upon certain amendments, being inserted the said report is adopted. - The said report reads as follows to wit:-

Rules of the Board of Delegates of the of the City of San Diego, California.

Rule I. The regular meeting of the Board of Delegates shall be on the first Monday of each month; or if that day be a legal holiday, then on the next day at the hour of 7.30 o'clock P.M. from the first Monday of ~~January~~ April to the first Monday of October and at 7 o'clock P.M. from the first Monday of October to the first Monday of April.

Rule II. The President shall call the Board to order precisely at hour appointed for the meeting.

Rule III. The roll of Delegates shall be called by the Clerk, and absentees noted.

Rule IV. The Standing Committee shall be as follows

1st Finance

2nd Streets. Alleys and Highways

3rd Sewer

4th Fire

5th Water. Gas. Electric Lights and Telephone.

6th City Lands

7th Parks

8th Public Buildings

9th Harbor and Wharf.

10th Health and Morals.

11th School and Library.

12th Police

13th Ways and Means.

Rule V. The order of "Business" shall be as follows:

1st Reading minutes of previous meeting.

2nd Reading Mayors Messages, Communications, Petitions, Memorials and Ordinances.

3rd Referring of matters to proper Committee by presiding Officer.

Rule VI. No member shall vote when personally interested in the decision of the question before the Council, nor shall any member be security on any Bond, note or obligation to the City.

Rule VII. Any member or other person desiring to address the Board shall rise to his feet and address the presiding Officer, otherwise he shall not be recognized or heard - this rule shall apply to making of motions and seconding the same.

Rule VIII. No personal or improper language shall be allowed, in the presence of the Board, while in session, by members of the Board, or any other person under penalty, if by one not a member of the Board to Expulsion from the room during the Session, and if by a member of the Board, to such punishment as may be fixed by law.

Rule IX. When two members arise at the same time to address the Chair, the Presiding Officer shall decide who shall have the floor.

Rule X. When the presiding officer desires to leave the Chair he shall appoint some member of the Board to fill the same pro tem.

Rule XI. When an amendment to a resolution or motion is moved and seconded, the vote shall in all cases be first upon the Amendment, unless the mover of the resolution or motion shall accept the such Amendment. And more than one Amendment to an amendment shall not be allowed to the same question.

Rule XII. A motion to refer to a Committee, or to lay on the table, shall, if seconded, preclude all amendment all amendments to the main question until such motion is decided.

Rule XIII. The previous question being moved and seconded shall preclud all furthe debate until it has been decided.

Rule XIV. A two third vote of all the members present shall be necessary to suspend these rules.

Rule XV. When a question has been once put and decided, it shall be ordered for any member who voted in the majority, to move for the the reconsideration thereof: but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be made after the ordinance or resolution shall have gone

out of the possession of the Board, and no motion of reconsideration shall be made except at the meeting at which the resolution or Ordinance was accepted. The Presiding when voting with the majority may move to reconsider.

Rule XVI. No person shall speak more than twice to the same question without leave of the Board, nor more than once until every member choosing to speak, shall have spoken.

Rule XVII. When a motion is seconded, it shall be stated by the presiding Officer, before debate, and every such motion shall be reduced to writing if any member desire it.

Rule XVIII. After a motion is stated by the presiding Officer, it shall be deemed to be in the possession of the Board, but it may be withdrawn at any time before decision or amendment.

Rule XIX. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received unless-

1st To Amend it.

2nd To Commit it.

3rd To lay it on the table.

4th To postpone.

5th The previous

6th To Adjourn.

Rule XX. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate.

Rule XXI. Every member who shall be present when a question is put, shall vote for or against the same, unless the Board shall excuse him, or unless he be personally interested in the question in which case he shall not vote, but no member shall be permitted to vote on a question when a division is called, unless present when his name is called in its regular order.

Rule XXII. A member called to order shall immediately sit down unless permitted to explain and the Board if appealed to, shall decide on the case, but without debate, if there be no appeal, the decision of the Presiding Officer shall be submitted to.

Rule XXIII. In all divisions taken by the Board on call of a member it shall be the duty of the Clerk to enter on the minutes the name of the members so calling for a division.

Rule XXIV. A Committee appointed to report on any subject, shall if called for, report the facts in relation to the matter or subject referred, with their opinions thereon in writing, and no report shall be

received as the report of the committee, except the same be signed by a majority of the Committee, but nothing herein contained shall prevent a minority from submitting their report, which may be read if called for.

Rule XXV. No member shall absent himself after the Board of Delegates convenes without permission from the presiding officer.

Rule XXVI. Whenever it shall be moved and carried that the Board go into a Committee of the whole, shall the presiding Officer shall leave the Chair and shall appoint a chairman of the Committee of the Whole, who shall report the proceeding of the Committee.

Rule XXVII. There shall be a purchasing committee, who shall have charge of all the material needed by the Board, said committee shall make a requisition for such material as may be ordered by the Board of Delegates.

Rule XXVIII. No person other than members of the Board shall address the Board on any matter except by permission of the President or by vote of the Board.

Rule XXIX. All communications, memorials, Petitions, Ordances and resolutions shall be filed with the City Clerk in duplicate - one copy addressed to the "Board of Alderman" and one copy to the "Board of Delegates".

Rule XXX. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the Board room the President shall have power to order the same ceased.

Rule XXXI. All committees shall be appointed by the President unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

Rule XXXII. The Janitor shall be sargent at arms and shall at all times enforce good order during the meeting of the Board.

Rule XXXIII. The minutes of all meetings must be signed by the Presiding officer thereof, and the City Clerk.

Rule XXXIV. These rules may be changed or abolished only by a two third vote of the Board.

Communication from the Mayor submitting for a reconsideration the names of C. F. Kennes (nominated as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners) and T. L. Magee (nominated as a member of the Board of Health) is read, and upon motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Julian, it is ordered that the communication be filed, and appointments acted upon.

Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Low moves to go into a Committee of the Whole

for the purpose of reconsideration of action taken on the above nominations, this motion is put and carried, and now on motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Marshall, Delegate Rediger takes the Chair.

Delegate Low seconded by Delegate Henlbur moves that the Committee of Whole report back to the Board of Delegates that they recommend, that the Board of Delegates be reorganized, from the Committee of the Whole. This motion is put and carried and now upon President Bradt's resuming the Chair the above verbal report is made and received, and President Bradt declares the Board of Delegates to be in session.

On motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Henlbur, it is ordered that the Board of Delegates resolve itself into executive session for the purpose of considering all nominations submitted by the Mayor.

In accordance with the above order the room is now cleared and all spectators, reporters, and the Clerk retire.

Upon reconvening President Bradt calls the Board to order, and upon motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Marshall, it is ordered that the Board proceed to the confirmation or rejection of the nominations submitted by the Mayor, and upon motion of Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Rediger, it is further ordered that the above proceeding be, by an Aye and No vote of the Board, and the confirmation or rejection of the Commissioners of the Board of Public Works heretofore appointed by the Mayor be taken up, The name of Jno. F. Sinks being the first in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Thirteen (13) Votes.

Against	Five (5)
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There being Thirteen (13) votes in favor of Confirmation and Five (5) against confirmation, The President now declares the appointment of John F. Sinks as Commissioner of the Board of Public Works By the Mayor to be duly confirmed.

The name of Geo. D. Hensley, being the next in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot, with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Seven (7) votes.

Against Confirmation Eleven (11) Votes.

There being seven (7) votes in favor of Confirmation and Eleven (11) against Confirmation & There not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of Geo. B. Hersey, is declined as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, and the President so declares.

The name of G. H. Matfield being third in order, the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Seven (7) votes

Against " Eleven (11) "

There being seven (7) in favor of Confirmation and Eleven (11) against Confirmation, & There not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of G. H. Matfield is declined as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, and the President so declares.

The confirmation or rejection of C. F. Heimes, as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners is now taken up, and the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eighteen (18) votes.

There being a unanimous vote in favor of Confirmation, The President declares the appointment of C. F. Heimes, as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners, By the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates. The confirmation or rejection of T. L. Magee M.D. as a member of the "Board of Health" is now taken up and the Board proceeds to Ballot, with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eight (8) votes.

Against " Ten (10) "

There being Eight (8) votes in favor of Confirmation and Ten (10) against Confirmation, & There not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of T. L. Magee M.D. is declined as a member of the Board of Health, and the President so declares. The confirmation or rejection of Iro. P. Burt as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners is now taken up, and the Board proceeds to Ballot with the following result.

In favor of Confirmation Eighteen (18) Votes.

There being a unanimous vote in favor of Confirmation, The President declares the appointment of Iro. P. Burt as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, By the Mayor to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

A communication from G.W. Jones Auditor calling the attention to article 6 - Chapter 2. Sec. 9 Clause 14

of Financial Administration requiring the Common Council to determine and designate by Ordinance to what funds shall be apportioned all moneys arising from the Levy of all License Taxes in the City, is read and filed.

A Communication from the Board of Education notifying the Common Council that \$45000⁰⁰ is necessary for the general maintenance of the Schools for the ensuing year is read, and on motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Heath, the same is laid on the table.

The following report from a special Committee is read. Viz:-

Joint Tax Levy Committee's Report.

We your joint Committee from the Board of Alderman and Board of Delegates, would respectfully report that we have met in joint session, and after hearing evidence from the various departments in the City, and after a full discussion, would make the following report.

We would recommend that the Levy upon the Interest and redemption funds be fixed at 35 cents upon the \$100. in valuation and that the full limit of 90 cents, on each \$100. be levied upon the several funds, making a total Levy of $\frac{1}{2} \frac{25}{100}$ on each \$100 divided as follows.

Municipal Bond redemption and Interest fund seven (7) cents on each \$100. Dollars.

Sewer Bond redemption and Interest fund Twenty Two (22) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Municipal School Improvement fund, Bond redemption and Interest fund, Six (6) cents on each \$100. Dollars

School fund, Twelve (12) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Public Library fund four (4) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Salary fund Thirty One (31) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Fire Department fund Five and one half (5 1/2) cents on each \$100. Dollars.

Police fund One cent on each \$100. Dollars

Street fund Five (5) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Harbor & Wharf fund one half (1/2) cent " "

Sewer & Drainage fund Ten and one half (10 1/2) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Street Light fund Five (5) cents on each \$100. Dollars

Public Health Four and one half (4 1/2) cents " "

" Building Two (2) Cents " "

Office Fund, one & onehalf ($\frac{1}{2}$) cents on each \$100. Dollars.
 Annual " Seven & onehalf ($\frac{1}{2}$) " " " "
 In addition the Committee deem it their duty
 to make an additional Statement of the manner
 of arriving at the above conclusion, We find
 the total Indebtedness of the City to be $\$25,873 \frac{2}{3}$ as
 yet unpaid upon investigation we find
 that the actual amount necessary to carry
 on the different departments of the City is one
 hundred and thirty five thousand dollars, (including
 schools) per annum. We find that the
 total amount of assessment Roll of the
 present year is $\$15,436.271 \frac{2}{3}$ which after a
 proper reduction for delinquents and unknown
 will give about $\$13,500.000 \frac{2}{3}$ valuation on
 the full limit of 90 cents upon this amount
 would give but $\$121,500 \frac{2}{3}$ or a deficiency
 of $\$73,500 \frac{2}{3}$ we find that the School department
 is in better condition than any other depart-
 ment of the City, having a Cash Balance of
 $\$64,000 \frac{2}{3}$ on hand at the present time (\$3000 $\frac{2}{3}$ de-
 rived from the City and \$4,000 from the State
 and County) putting this fact into consid-
 eration and from statements made to our
 Committee by the Committee from the
 Board of Education we consider the next
 Levy made to the School fund to be a
 very liberal one, namely $\$16,700 \frac{2}{3}$ this added to
 the amount now on hand gives them
 $\$80,700 \frac{2}{3}$ which from their own statement is
 $\$3,700 \frac{2}{3}$ more than the amount absolutely
 necessary to meet the actual demands
 of this department. Realizing the disas-
 trous result which would be caused by
 the failure to maintain any one of the de-
 partments of the City, the Committee have
 endeavored to so apportion the Tax Levy
 as to maintain each and every department
 but to give a surplus to none.

Respectfully,

Committee of Aldermen Jno. C. Fisher Chairman

{ D. C. Cave

{ W. H. Begole.

Committee of Delegates,

{ Wm Cooper

{ Melvin Stro

{ J. P. Davies

And on motion Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Day. the report is adopted.

An ordinance levying a Tax on all property in the

City of San Diego, California, for the fiscal year 1889, is read. And on motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Marshall, and by the following vote viz. Ayes, Delegates, Lyons, Stone, Pauly, Marshall Julian, Davies, Day, Wetherbee, Rediger, Heath, Hewitt, Seybold, Thompson, Neubert, Low, Kannan, Cooper, Bradt. - Noses None. - The same is adopted as read.

Said Ordinance reads as follows.

"Ordinance No. one.

An ordinance levying a tax on all property in the City of San Diego California, for the fiscal year 1889. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City San Diego, as follows.

Section 1st. The following taxes are hereby levied for the fiscal year on all taxable property, assessed and situated in the City of San Diego, California, viz. - one dollar and twenty five cents ($\$1.25$) on each one hundred dollars, valuation of taxable property, apportioned as follows.

- for 1. Fire Department fund. five and one half cents ($5\frac{1}{2}$)
2. Salaries fund Thirty one cents (31)
3. Police Department Fund, one cent (1)
4. Street Fund Five Cents (5)
5. Harbor and Wharf Fund. one half cent ($\frac{1}{2}$)
6. Sewer and Drainage Fund Ten and one half cents ($10\frac{1}{2}$)
7. School Fund. Twelve Cents (12)
8. Street Light Fund Five Cents (5)
9. Park Improvement Fund. (0).
10. Public Health Fund. Four and one half cents ($4\frac{1}{2}$)
11. Library Fund. Four cents (4).
12. Public Building Fund. one and one half cents ($1\frac{1}{2}$)
13. Office Fund. one and one half cents ($1\frac{1}{2}$)
14. General Fund. Seven and one half cents ($7\frac{1}{2}$)
15. Sewer Bond Redemption and Interest Fund. Twenty Two cents (22).
16. Municipal Bond Redemption and Interest Fund Seven cents (7).
17. Municipal school Bond Redemption and Interest Fund. Six cents.

Section 2nd. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after one publication thereof in the San Diego Daily Sun."

Delegate Neubert seconded by Delegate Low moves that the President defer the signing of the above ordinance until Monday May 13th 1889. This motion is put and lost, and now Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Julian moves that the President be instructed and authorized to sign ordinance No. one, being an ordinance levying a tax on all property in the City of San

Diego, California for the fiscal year 1889, and this motion being put and Carried, the President signs said Ordinance No. one, in open session

On motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by
Delegate Cooper, the Board adjourns, until to-
morrow May 1st At 10 o'clock A.M.

M.M. Gassaway
City Clerk,

G. Broadt Pres

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber, Board of
Delegates, May 7th, 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 10 o'clock A.M. with President Pradt presiding.

Present, Delegates - Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Day: Davies: Rediger: Wetherbee: Hewitt: Heath: Thompson: Seybolt: Hulbert: Law: Kammam: Cooper: Pradt ^{and} Deputy Clerk Patton.

Absent - None.

On motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Stone the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting is deferred to the next meeting.

President Pradt now appoints the following Standing Committees, to wit:

Finance: - Heath, Wetherbee: Davies.

Streets, Alleys & Highways: - Pauly: Day: Seybolt.

Sewer: - Julian: Thompson: Seybolt.

Water, Gas, Electric Light & Telephone: - Marshall: Davies: Thompson.

Fire: - Rediger: Heath: Pauly.

City Lands: - Law: Lyons: Kammam.

Parks: - Day: Stone: Rediger.

Public Buildings: - Hewitt: Day: Julian.

Harbor & Wharf: - Wetherbee: Marshall: Cooper.

Health & Morals: - Hulbert: Cooper: Law.

School & Library: - Davies: Law: Stone.

Police: - Seybolt: Kammam: Lyons.

Ways & Means: - Stone: Pauly: Hewitt.

Purchasing: - Day: Cooper: Hewitt.

On motion of Delegate Cooper sec. by Delegate Wetherbee the appointments are confirmed.

On motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Heath the City Clerk was instructed to have prepared in pamphlet form the rules of the Board of Delegates, together with the Standing Committees of both Boards.

A Message from the Mayor submitting the name of Addison Morgan, as a member of the Board of Health, is read. Delegate Davies seconded by Delegate Lyons moves to receive the message and proceed to the consideration of the nomination.

Delegate Law seconded by Delegate Pauly moves to postpone action until Monday, May 13th 1889. This motion is sent and lost, and now the original motion being sent and carried

the Board now proceeds, by an Aye and No vote, to the confirmation or rejection of Addison Morgan as a member of the Board of Health, with the following result. *tantum:*

Yes: Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davis: Day:
Ridiger: Netherback: Hewitt: Heath: Thompson: Seybold:
Hulbert: Gov: Kamman: Cooper: Bradt.

There being a unanimous vote in favor of confirmation, the President declares the appointment of Addison Morgan as a member of the Board of Health, by the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

A message from the Mayor submitting the names of George B. Hensley and Joseph Frankenham, as members of the Board of Public Works, is read, and on motion of Delegate Netherback seconded by Delegate Kamman the message is received and the Board proceeds to the confirmation or rejection of Geo. B. Hensley as a member of the Board of Public Works with the following result. *tantum:*

Yes: - Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Ridiger: Heath: Hulbert: Kamman
No: - Lyons: Davis: Day: Netherback: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Gov: Cooper: Bradt.

There being eight votes in favor of confirmation, and ten against, and there not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of confirmation - the name of Geo. B. Hensley, is declined, and the President so declares.

The name of Joseph Frankenham, as a member of the Board of Public Works, being next in order, the Board proceeds to vote with the following result. *tantum:* (By Aye & No vote.)

In favor of confirmation eighteen (18) votes.

There being a unanimous vote in favor of confirmation, the President declares the appointment of Jno. Frankenham as a member of the Board of Public Works, by the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

On motion of Delegate Day seconded by Delegate Kamman the Clerk is instructed to notify the Mayor of the result of the above vote upon the above nomination.

The following Special Committee Report is made, viz:

Report of Committee on Salaries.

We, your Joint Committee from the Board of Aldermen and Board of Delegates would respectfully report that we have met in joint session and after full discussion and careful deliberation have decided to fix the salary of the City Clerk at One hundred dollars (\$100⁰⁰) per month.

That of the Deputy City Clerk at Seventy-five dollars (\$75⁰⁰), per month.

That of the Deputy Auditor at Seventy-five dollars (\$75⁰⁰), per month.

That of one Deputy of the City Treasurer and Tax Collector at Seventy-five dollars (\$75⁰⁰), per month.

We would also recommend that W. X. Raper, the old janitor be retained at fifty-five dollars (\$55), per month, for taking care of all the City Offices, as well as the room of the Police Judge, and to act as sergeant at arms during the sessions of the Boards.

Respectfully submitted. John C. Fisher, Chairman

A. F. Morenos

Board of Aldermen Committee.

A. G. Gasson

C. E. Heath, Chairman

W. R. Day

C. C. Thompson "

Board of Delegates Committee.

On motion of Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Julian the report is accepted.

A message from the Mayor, submitting a requisition from the Auditor for the following articles, to wit:

Auditor's Office. { 1 Book Register of Bills presented.
{ 1 Cash Book
{ 1 Ledger.

{ 2 Small Record Books

{ 1 Cash Book

Treasurer's Office { 1 Ledger

{ 1 Paid Warrants Book

{ 1 Stub Book Treasurer Receipts.

On recommending that the Board make the proper authorization for the expenditure, pending the organization of the Board of Public Works, is read. On motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Thompson it is ordered that the purchase of the items named in the requisition be authorized.

The following Majority and Minority Reports of Special Committee are read. To wit:

"Majority."

Report of Com. on City Hall and Public Buildings.

Your Com. on City Hall and Public Buildings respectfully report that they have rec'd offers from various property owners, and having duly & carefully considered all of them, would recommend the acceptance of D. G. Stevens' offer of the Norton Bank Building at \$200 per month, for one year with the privilege of two years, including also an option to purchase said Building & the ground for the sum of \$10,000. The Bid of D. G. Stevens, reduced to writing, & signed together with a sketch of the Norton Bank Building is herewith presented.

Respectfully,

Com. of
Aldermen

C. F. Francisco
A. F. Morenos

Com. of
Delegates

Chas. W. Painter
W. R. Day "

Minority.

Your Committee appointed on Halls and Guewingo beg leave to submit the following minority report: Your Committee met, and after considering several propositions would recommend the proposition submitted by Mr. C. S. Hamer as being the most central and suitable building for the offices of the City of San Diego.

Respectfully submitted

D. K. Keeler.

And now Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Julian move to adopt the minority report. This motion is put and lost. And now on motion of Delegate Davies seconded by Delegate Lyons the Majority report is adopted.

On motion of Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Netherbar the City Attorney is instructed to draw a lease in accordance with the above majority report.

On motion of Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Hulbur the matter of alterations and repair upon the Norton Bank Building is referred to the Building Committee.

A message from the Mayor, renewing the nomination of George B. Hensley, as a member of the Board of Public Works, is read and on motion of Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Kamman the message is received, and the Board proceeds to the confirmation or rejection of the above nomination with the following result, viz:

In favor of confirmation, Delegates - Pauly: Marshall: Ridiger: Heath: Hulbur: Kamman.

Against confirmation - Delegates - Lyons: Stone: Julian: Davies: Day: Netherbar: Heurt: Thompson: Seydel: Dow: Cooper: Brack. There being six votes in favor of confirmation and twelve against, and there not being a sufficient number votes cast in favor of confirmation - the name of Geo. B. Hensley is declined and the President so declares.

Delegate Ridiger offers a resolution permitting members of the Board to smoke, and moves seconded by Delegate Marshall to adopt the same. The motion is put and declared by the President to be lost.

Delegate Ridiger calls for a division and a rising vote being taken, the President again declares the motion to be lost.

On motion of Delegate Dow seconded by Delegate Cooper the Board adjourns until Monday, May 13, 1889, at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

W. M. Gassaway
City Clerk

G. Brack
President

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber.
Board of Delegates, May 13, 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 7.30 o'clock p.m. with President Bradt Presiding.

Present, Delegates; Lyon: Stare: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Pediger: Matherbae: Heath: Hewitt: Seybold: Thompson: Huburt: Dow: Kammam: Cooper: Bradt and Deputy Clerk Paxton.

Absent, None.

The Minutes of an Adjourned Meeting held May 10, 1889, at 7.30 o'clock p.m. are read, and adopted as read.

The Communication from G.W. Jones, Auditor, in regard to the apportionment of Seine Tax, heretofore filed by the Board is read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The City Attorney presents a Lease for the "Horton Bank Block" drawn in accordance with the Majority report of the Special Committee on Buildings, heretofore adopted, which is read, and now on motion of Delegate Davies seconded by Delegate Huburt the following resolution is adopted. *Amend.*

Joint Resolution No. 1.

Be it Resolved, by the Common Council (the Board of Aldermen concurring) that the President of the Board of Delegates and the President of the Board of Aldermen be instructed to sign the instrument for the Lease of the premises known as the "Horton Bank Block", and more particularly described in the indenture of Lease, this day given, and that the City Attorney be instructed to have the same recorded.

A message from the Mayor, submitting a Petition requesting that he again submit the name of Geo. B. Hensley, as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, is read, together with said Petition, and on motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Dow, the message is received, and the Board proceeds to act upon the said nomination.

Delegate Heath now requests by motion, seconded by Delegate Pauly, that his (Heath's) name be passed in the roll call to the last, next before that of the President. The motion is put and declared by the President to be Lost. Whereupon Delegate Heath calls for a division and the motion is again declared to be Lost by a rising vote of seven Ayes and ten Nays.

The Board now proceeds to act upon the nomination of Geo. B. Hensley, as a Commissioner of the Board of Public

Moves, with the following result viz:

In favor of confirmation; Delegates: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Davies: Rediger: Heath: Hulbert: Kamman. - eight (8)

Against confirmation; Delegates: Lyons: Julian: Day: Hewitt: Wetherbee: Seybolt: Thompson: Law: Cougher: Bratt - ten (10)

There being eight votes in favor of confirmation, and ten against, and there not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of confirmation, the President declare the name of Geo. B. Hensley to be declined.

On motion of Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Day, the Clerk notified the Mayor of the result of the above vote.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of the City Clerk et al. is read and on motion of Delegate Law seconded by Delegate Lyons, and by the following vote, tuit:

Yes: Delegates: Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Seybolt: Thompson: Hulbert: Law: Kamman: Cougher: Bratt - (18)

The Ordinance is adopted as read. Said Ordinance reads as follows, tuit:

Ordinance No. 2.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of the Clerk of the City of San Diego, the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of said City, the compensation of the Deputy Auditor, and the compensation of one deputy of the City Treasurer and Tax Collector.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Section 1st. That the compensation of the following named officers shall be as follows:

Section 2. That of the Clerk of the City of San Diego be and the same is hereby fixed at one hundred dollars a month.

Section 3. That of the Deputy Clerk of said City, that of the Deputy Auditor, and that of the Deputy Treasurer and Tax Collector be and the same is hereby fixed at seventy-five dollars a month each, payable monthly.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

An Ordinance to appoint a Janitor and fix his compensation, is read and on motion of Delegate Kamman seconded by Delegate Hulbert, and by the following vote, tuit:

Yes: Delegates: Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Seybolt: Thompson: Hulbert: Law: Kamman: Cougher: Bratt - (18)

The Ordinance is adopted as read. Said Ordinance reads as follows, tuit:

Ordinance No. 3.

An Ordinance to appoint a Janitor and fix his compensation.

Be it ordained by the Common Council as follows:

Section 1. That W. H. Parker is hereby appointed Janitor.

Section 2. - That the duty of said Janitor shall be to take care of all city offices including Police Court room and to act as sergeant at arms during the sessions of the Common Council.

Section 3. - That the compensation of said Janitor be and the same is hereby fixed at fifty-five dollars a month payable monthly.

Section 4. - This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

A message from the Mayor, stating that the Auditor has made requisition for certain books, blanks etc. as immediately necessary for the proper performance of the duties of his office, and of the Treasurer and Tax Collector, and recommending the Common Council to make proper authorization for the expenditure, pending the organization of the Board of Public Works, is read and on motion of Delegate Coozer seconded by Delegate Low the City Clerk is instructed and authorized to make such purchases as may be necessary for the immediate use of the Auditor, and Treasurer & Tax Collector.

A communication from Auditor Gorres, stating that he has appointed three temporary deputies at salaries not exceeding seventy-five dollars per month each, to extend and complete the Assessment Roll of the City of San Diego, is read together with the following Report from Mayor Gunn upon the same, viz:

To the Common Council: I have investigated the application for additional temporary assistance in the office of the Auditor, and respectfully recommend that the same be allowed as necessary for the proper performance of the service named within the time allowed by law. Douglas Gunn.

On motion of Delegate Metherbar seconded by Delegate Kamman the Auditor's appointments are ratified for a period of not exceeding ten days.

On motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Pauly it is ordered, that inasmuch as W. J. Lyon, a member of this Board, having signed a petition recommending the appointment to Public Office of a certain person, the confirmation or rejection of which appointment rests with this Board, and that he be permitted to purge himself.

After giving notice, President Bradt now in open session signs Ordinance No. 2. being "an Ordinance fixing the compensation of the Clerk of the City of San Diego, the compensation of the Deputy Clerk of said City, the compensation of the Deputy Auditor, and the compensation of one Deputy of the City Treasurer and Tax Collector."

After giving notice, President Bradt now in open session signs Ordinance No. 3. being "an Ordinance to appoint a Janitor and fix his compensation".

A message from the Mayor renewing the nomination of Geo. B. Hensley, as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, is read, and Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Metherbee moves to receive the message and proceed to act upon the above nomination.

Delegate Ridger offers an amendment in the form of a Resolution confirming the nomination of Geo. B. Hensley, as a Member of the Board of Public Works, and move seconded by Delegate Marshall to adopt.

Delegate Day seconded by Delegate Julian moves to lay the amendment on the table. & this motion is put and carried. and now the original motion being laid aside, the Board proceeds to act upon the nomination of Geo. B. Hensley as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works with the following result. *tantum*:

"In favor of Confirmation: Delegates: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Davis: Ridger: Heath = 6

Against Confirmation: Delegates: Lyons: Julian: Day: Metherbee: Hewitt: Syburt: Thompson: Tulburt: Kannan: Dow: Cooper: Bratt = 12

There being six votes in favor of Confirmation, and twelve against, and there not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of Confirmation, the President declines the name of Geo. B. Hensley to be declined.

On motion of Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Day the Clerk notifies the Mayor of the result of the above vote.

Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Cooper moves to adjourn until tomorrow at 2 o'clock P.M.

Delegate Metherbee seconded by Delegate Stone moves to amend by adjourning until tomorrow (May 14) at 7.30 o'clock P.M. This amendment is put and carried. & now the motion as amended is carried, and the Board adjourns until tomorrow May 14, 1889, at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

W.W. Gassaway
City Clerk.

G.S. Bratt
President

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber, Board of
Delegates, May 14th, 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 7.30 o'clock P.M. with President Pratt Presiding.

Present, Delegates & Guests: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Sybols: Hulbert: Gov: Kamman: Coughenour: Pratt & Clerk Gassaway.

Absent & None.

The Minutes of an Adjourned Meeting held May 11th, 1889, at 10 o'clock A.M. are read, and adopted as read.

A Petition for a Retail Liquor License, submitted by William Burgler, is read ^{to} on motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Julian. The Petition is referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

On motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Day the Board adjourned until Monday, May 20, 1889, at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

*M.M. Gassaway
City Clerk.*

*G. Pratt
President*

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber, Board
of Delegates, May 20th, 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 7.30 o'clock p.m. with President Bradt Presiding.

Present, Delegates & Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Law: Kamman: Cooper: Bradt and Deputy Clerk Paxton.

Absent, Delegate: Hulbert.

The Minutes of an Adjourned Meeting held May 13, are read and approved as read.

The Minutes of an Adjourned Meeting held May 14, are read and approved as read.

A Message from the Mayor renewing the nomination of Geo. P. Hensley, as a member of the Board of Public Works, is read by motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Cooper. The message is received, and the Board proceeds to the confirmation or rejection of the above nomination with the following result. *Totit:*

In favor of confirmation, Delegates & Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Davies: Rediger: Heath: Cooper = (7)

Against Confirmation, Delegates & Lyons: Julian: Day: Wetherbee: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Law: Kamman: Bradt - (10)

There being seven votes in favor of Confirmation, and ten against, and there not being a sufficient number of votes cast in favor of confirmation - the name of Geo. P. Hensley is declined, and the President so declares.

A Communication from City Clerk Bassaway, calling attention to the expiration of the present Insurance upon the City Hall, is read & referred to the Building Committee.

The following report from the Building Committee of the Board of Aldermen and Board of Delegates, is read & filed. *Totit:*

"Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of arranging the rooms for the Common Council and other offices, beg leave to submit the following report: After consultation with Committee of Board of Delegates we have agreed to the following plans: a draught of which accompanies and forms a part of this report (plans submitted) all of which is respectfully submitted.

H. A. Pomy
W. A. Begole"

The following Petitions for Liquor License are read and referred to the Health and Morals Committee, &c. v. t.:

"Geo. Romburgh - Retail.

E. Van Nostrand - "

A Communication from D. Gochmaner, Secretary Pro Tem. of the Board of Health, showing the terms of office of the members of said Board, is read, and filed.

A Communication from W. A. Stayner, soliciting the Insurance of the City Hall, is read, and referred to the Building Committee.

The following Communication from Jas. D. Schuyler, City Surveyor is read. v. t.:

"I submit for your consideration the enclosed proposition of the Cal. Southern and Cal. Central Ry. Cos., by D. McCool, Genl. Manager, for the transfer of the title of the R.R. Cos to a portion of Arctic St. back to the City, in consideration of being relieved of Street Assessments on I. st. sparing, together with a plat of the deposit grounds.

Jas. D. Schuyler
City Surveyor"

(Accompanied by the proposition of D. McCool & a plat of the deposit grounds)

No now Delegate Marshall excepts, by motion, seconded by Delegate Julian to the consideration of the said proposition.

Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Matherbae moves to amend by referring to the "Committee on Streets, Alleys & Highways."

This amendment is carried & now the original motion as amended is carried & the matter referred to the Committee on Streets, Alleys & Highways."

A Message from the Mayor submitting the name of Daniel Schuyler as a Member of the Board of Public Works, is read and Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Day moves to defer consideration until the next meeting.

Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Lyons moves to amend by proceeding to the confirmation or rejection of said nominee immediately. This amendment is lost & Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Fox moves a substitute for the original motion - that the consideration of said nomination be postponed until tomorrow evening. This substitute is carried & the matter deferred until tomorrow evening.

An Ordinance determining and designating the fund to which shall be apportioned all moneys arising from the levy of all license taxes. Read & on motion of Delegate Day seconded by Delegate Julian and by the following vote. v. t.

C. yes: Delegates & Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Matherbae: Heath: Knott: Thompson: Seybold.

Saw: Kammian: Coozer: Bract.

Moos, & More.

The Ordinance is adopted as read. Said Ordinance reads as follows; Yea or Nay:

Ordinance No. 5.

An Ordinance determining and designating the fund to which shall be apportioned all moneys arising from the levy of all license taxes.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Sec. 1. That all moneys arising from the levy of all license taxes shall be apportioned to the fund known as the General fund of the City of San Diego.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

An Ordinance Constituting the Police force of the City of San Diego and fixing the compensation of the same, is read and Delegate Rodger seconded by Delegate Saw moves to adopt the same as read.

Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Pauly moves to amend by - 1st Making the salary of eleven policemen not to exceed \$75 per month each

2nd. Making the salary of one policeman (being the twelfth) not to exceed \$90 per month.

3. Striking out Section 3rd.

On motion of Delegate Rodger seconded by Delegate Lyons it is ordered that the above amendments be acted upon separately.

Delegate Rodger seconded by Delegate Coozer moves to amend Article No. 1. of Delegate Marshall's amendment by striking from Section 2nd of said Ordinance the words "an average of" & leaving the compensation at \$80 per month for said eleven policemen. This amendment is carried & the words "an average of" are stricken out.

Article No. 1. of Delegate Marshall's amendment as amended is now put to vote & declared by the President to be carried, whereupon Delegate Rodger calls for a division and the following is the result of a roll call upon the same, viz:

Yea, Delegates, Lyons: Stone: Rodger: Wetherbee: Thompson: Seybold: Saw: Kammian: Coozer: Bract.
Noes, Delegates, Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Daries: Day: Heath: Hewitt.

Article 2. of Delegate Marshall's amendment is now put to vote with the following result. Yea or Nay:

In favor of Article 2. of said amendment, Delegates Marshall, Against some, Delegates & Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Daries: Julian: Day: Rodger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Saw: Kammian: Coozer: Bract.

Other being one vote for and sixteen against said amendment

is declared to be lost & the twelve policeman's salary remains as before. Article 3. of Delegate Marshall's amendment is now put to vote with the following result, viz: (This being the Article to strike out Section 3rd of the Ordinance.)

In favor of Article 3 of amendment, Delegates: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Hewitt: Coysen: Bradt.

Against, Delegates: Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Rediger: Metherbee: Heath: Thompson: Seybolt: Law: Kammam.

There being seven votes for and ten against said amendment is declared to be lost & section 3rd of said Ordinance remains as before.

And now the question of adoption with the amendment to section second inserted is put to vote with the following result, viz: Ayre, Delegates, Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Metherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybolt: Law: Kammam: Coysen: Bradt.

There being a unanimous vote in favor, said Ordinance is declared to be adopted as amended. Said Ordinance reads as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 4.

An Ordinance constituting the police force of the City of San Diego, and fixing the compensation of the same.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

Section First - That the subordinate officers and regular policemen of the Police Department of the City of San Diego shall be constituted and consist of twelve persons to be appointed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1, Article IX. of the Charter of said City.

Section Second - That eleven of said persons so appointed shall receive and be paid a salary not to aggregate or exceed more than eighty dollars per month for each of said eleven persons, as may be determined and apportioned by the Board of Commissioners of the Police Department. That one of said twelve persons so appointed may receive and be paid a monthly salary of one hundred and five dollars.

Section Third - That all special policemen whom the Board of Commissioners of the Police Department may consider necessary to appoint under the provisions of Chapter 1, Article IX. of the Charter of said City, for duty within the City, at any of the public gatherings or on any special days or occasions, may, if the Board of Commissioners of the Police Department so order, receive and be paid each five dollars for each day of eighteen hours of such special police service or duty.

Section Fourth - That the Board of Commissioners of the Police Department shall have the control, regulation, and superintendence of the city jail or prison of the City of San Diego.

Section 5th - That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its passage."

A Petition from the Southern California Breeders Association, for a reduction of liquor license, for the sale of intoxicating liquor at Pacific Beach Driving Park, is read, and on motion of Delegate Davies seconded by Delegate Day the same is laid on the table.

Joint Resolution No. 4. is read and Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Pediger move to adopt. The motion is carried and resolution adopted. Said resolution is as follows:

Joint Resolution No. 4.
Resolution of the Common Council of the City of San Diego,
State of California.

Whereas, on the 16th day of April, 1889, the Sewer Committee and the Fire Committee of the City Council did make a joint report to said Council recommending the placing of ninety-six fire hydrants, and said Council did on said day adopt said reported recommendation.

Whereas, Ordinance No. 212, of said City in force on April 16th 1889, and now in force, provides for placing of fire hydrants by the following words "Hydrants to be located upon order of the City Council" and said Council has never passed an order authorizing any person or corporation to place said hydrants so recommended to be placed, nor any of them.

Therefore, Be it resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the said action of said City Council had on April 16th, 1889, adopting said recommendation be and the same is hereby rescinded, and Be it further resolved, that the recommendation of said Sewer and Fire Committees to have said 96 hydrants placed, be and the same is not assented.

Joint Resolution No. 2. is read, and on motion of Delegate Wetherbee seconded by Delegate Julian, and by the following vote, carried:

Aye, Delegates - Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Pediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybolt: Dow: Kannan: Cooper: Bradt.
Nay, None.

The resolution is adopted as read. Said Resolution reads as follows:

Joint Resolution No. 2.
Be it Resolved, by the Common Council; the Board of Aldermen concurring: that the sum of Thirty-two hundred and thirty-four (\$3235²⁰) dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the General fund to the Salary fund.

Joint Resolution No. 3. is read and on motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Davis and by the following vote, carried:
Ayes: Delegates & Lyons: Stark: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davis: Day: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Davis: Kamman: Cooper: Bratt.

The same is adopted as read. Said Resolution reads as follows:

"Joint Resolution No. 3."

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, the Board of Alderman concurring, that the City Clerk is hereby instructed to return to John G. Capom a certain certified check in amount one thousand dollars deposited by said John G. Capom with the former City Council, as a guarantee of good faith in a certain contract for street improvement, the said contract by reason of conflict with the Charter being inoperative and void."

A Petition asking that the reported nuisance in the way of a dance hall at the corner of Chestnut & 7th streets, be investigated, is read, and Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Julian moves to refer to the Health & Morals Committee.

Delegate Davis seconded by Delegate Rediger move an amendment to refer to the Committee on Police. The amendment is carried and the Petition so referred.

The following report from the Public Building Committee is read. ~~Carried~~:

Your Committee on Public Buildings beg leave to make the following report:-

The City Hall is being changed as fast as workmen can do so. The Treasurer & Tax Collector moved in to-day. It is the intention to have the entire building in condition to move in by June 1st. But to do so it will require some money to pay for the cleaning and changes to be made. And would recommend that your Committee be authorized to make such changes, repairs and cleaning that may be needed. We also beg leave to report that Mr. Ortoland agrees to put in at his own expense 30 lights and run till 12 o'clock for \$25 per mo.

Respectfully submitted

D. C. Hewitt, Chairman
Building Committee.

On motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Marshall the report is received and the recommendations therein contained are laid on the table, pending the organization of the Board of Public Works.

On motion of Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Cooper the Board adjourns until tomorrow, May 21st at 7:30 o'clock p.m.

M. M. Gassaway,
City Clerk,

G. H. Bratt
President

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber: Board of
Delegates, May 21st. 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 7.30 o'clock p.m. with President Bradt presiding.

Present, Delegates & Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Day: Radiger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Hubert: Low: Kamman: Cooper: Braat and Clerk Gassaway.

Absent, Delegate: Davies.

The Message from the Mayor, nominating Daniel Schuyler as a member of the Board of Public Works, laid over from the last meeting of the Board, is now taken from the table and now upon motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Hubert the message is received, and the Board proceeds to the confirmation or rejection of said nomination, with the following result, to wit:

In favor of confirmation, Delegates & Stone: Julian: Heath.
Against Confirmation, Delegates & Lyons: Pauly: Marshall: Day:
Radiger: Wetherbee: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Hubert: Low:
Kamman: Cooper: Braat.

There being three votes in favor of confirmation, and fourteen against, the name of Daniel Schuyler is declined and the President so declares.

A Petition from Thomas Miller, for the position of Pound Master, is read and on motion of Delegate Radiger seconded by Delegate Julian the same is received and filed.

The following Message from the Mayor is read. To wit:

Mayors Office,
San Diego, Cal. May 21, 1889.

To the Board of Delegates: I am not prepared this evening to submit another name to the Board, but hope to be able to do so to-morrow evening: or at the date to which you may adjourn.

Respectfully
Douglas Gunn, Mayor.

Delegate Radiger seconded by Delegate Cooper moved that when the Board adjourn it be until tomorrow (May 22nd) at 7.30 o'clock p.m. The motion was lost.

Delegate Radiger seconded by Delegate Cooper moved that when the Board adjourn it be until tomorrow (May 22nd) at 8 o'clock p.m.

Delegate Day seconded by Delegate Julian moved to amend

by making the adjournment date May 23rd, at 8 o'clock p.m. Delegate Ridger accepted the amendment, and the motion as amended was carried, and the order made that when the Board again met it be until May 23rd, 1889, at 8 o'clock p.m.

After giving notice, President Bradt did, in open session, sign Ordinance No. 5: Being An Ordinance determining and designating the fund to which shall be apportioned all moneys arising from the levy of all license taxes.

After giving notice President Bradt did, in open session, sign Ordinance No. 4: Being An Ordinance constituting the Police force of the City of San Diego; and fixing the compensation of the same.

The following report from the Committee on Police was read viz:

Your Committee appointed to investigate the charges made against the saloon business and garden on corner of 7th and Front sts. under the management of Fred. Kaiser, respectfully report that they have made careful inquiries among the neighbors in the immediate vicinity of said saloon and garden and the testimony of the immediate neighbors is to the effect that said saloon and garden has been kept and managed orderly and properly and that no disturbance has taken place, and that it has been closed permanently at 11 o'clock in the evening. We have ascertained these facts from some of the best citizens living in the neighborhood. We have also found Mr. Kaiser to be a man of good results and habits, having a very respectable family, with whom he lives in the house adjoining the saloon. We have found also that Mr. Kaiser obtained the liquor license for said saloon on the 10th of May, 1889, and that said saloon and garden is intended for a Concert Garden, such as the City Garden on corner 5th & Psts. The dances had there on Saturday and Sunday evening being solely for the purpose of initiating the place. There will therefore be no further dances there. On conclusion we find therefore, that there is no foundation for any of the charges preferred against the said saloon and garden.

Respectfully submitted

The Committee on Police

A. B. Seybold

Chas. F. Kammann

M. J. Lyons

Accompanying said Report was a Petition signed by forty one citizens asking that the saloon above referred to, be allowed to continue.

And now on motion of Delegate Ridger seconded by Delegate Corrider the Report is received.

The Health and Morals Committee reported favorably upon the

Following Petitions for Liquor License, wit:

Geo. Homblung - Retail
E. Van Houten -
Wm. Ziegler -

On motion of Delegate Ziegler seconded by Delegate Marshall, the report was received and the Petitions granted.

On motion of Delegate Day seconded by Delegate Lyons, the Board against

W.M. Gassaway,
City Clerk,

H. Bratt
President

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber,
Board of Delegates, May 23rd, 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 8 o'clock p.m. with President Bradt presiding.

Present, Delegates: Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Day: Davies: Rediger: Wetherbee: Hewitt: Heath: Thompson: Seybolt: Hubert: Kamman: Gav: Cooper: Bradt. The Clerk Gassaway.

Absent: None.

The Minutes of an adjourned meeting, held May 20th were read and approved as read.

The Minutes of an adjourned meeting held May 21st were read and approved as read.

The following message from the Mayor was read. &ovit:
Mayors Office.

San Diego, May 23rd, 1889.

To the Board of Delegates: I have the honor to submit the name of Jacob Gruendike as a member of the Board of Public Works.

Respectfully - Douglas Gunn, Mayor.

Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Kamman moved to receive the message and carried by Aye and No vote to the confirmation or rejection of the nomination.

Delegate Cooper seconded by Delegate Gav moved to amend by postponing action until tomorrow May 24, at 7.30 o'clock p.m. Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Kamman moved to amend the amendment - that the Board take a recess of ten minutes. The amendment to the amendment carried, and the Board took a recess of ten minutes.

Delegate Cooper with consent of Delegate Gav withdrew his amendment, and thereupon the original motion was put to vote, with the following result. &ovit:

In favor of confirmation, Delegates: Stone: Pauly: Julian: Davies: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Thompson: Kamman: Cooper: Bradt. Against Confirmation, Delegates: Lyons: Marshall: Day: Hewitt: Seybolt: Hubert: Gav.

There being Eleven (11) votes cast in favor of confirmation and seven (7) votes against - the President declared the appointment of Jacob Gruendike as a member of the Board of Public Works, by the Mayor, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

A Petition from the El Cajon Lodge D.O.G.T. asking the Common Council to provide for a free drinking fountain for Roses on

X. street, near 23rd street, was reading on motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Julian the Petition was referred to the Water Committee.

After giving notice President Bradt in open session signs Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4.

Delegate Wetherbee offered a preamble and Resolution instructing the President of the Board to require a public apology from Delegate Heath for certain remarks made by said Delegate Heath, and alleged in said Resolution to be a reflection on the integrity, ability &c of the Board, and moved seconded by Delegate Day to adopt the same.

Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Rediger moved to amend by striking said resolution printed in pamphlet form and a copy thereof presented to each member of the Board. This amendment was lost.

Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Cooper moved to immediately postpone action upon said Resolution. This motion was lost, and now the original motion to adopt was put to vote and lost.

On motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Kammann the City Attorney was instructed to prepare an Ordinance officially designating the place of meeting of the Council Committee.

On motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Cooper the Board adjourned until Monday, May 27th / 1889 at 7.30 o'clock p.m.

M. M. Gassaway
City Clerk,

G. S. Bradt
President

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber, Board of
Delegates, May 27-1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 7.30 o'clock p.m. with President Bradt presiding.

Present Delegates - Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies: Day: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybolt: Hubert: Law: Kamman: Cooper: Bradt and Deputy Clerk Patton.

Absent - None.

The Minutes of an Adjourned Meeting, held May 23-1889, were read and approved as read.

The following Message from the Mayor was read. To wit:

"Mayor's Office. San Diego, Cal. May 27-1889.

To the Board of Delegates: I have the honor to inform the Board that Mr. Jacob Grunckau, Curator, nominated and confirmed as Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, has declined to qualify. He informs me that, upon consideration of the requirements of the duties of the position, he finds it impossible to attend to them without serious neglect of his personal business; and, while sincerely appreciating the appointment, he regrets his inability to accept it. Herewith I submit the name of another gentleman, who has given me his personal assurances of his willingness to accept and enter upon the duties of the office. Respectfully - Douglas Gunn, Mayor."

On motion of Delegate Law seconded by Delegate Lyons the message was received and filed.

The following Message from the Mayor was read. To wit:

"Mayor's Office. San Diego, Cal. May 27-1889.

To the Board of Delegates: I have the honor to submit the name of James D. Schuyler as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego. Respectfully - Douglas Gunn, Mayor" Delegate Kamman seconded by Delegate Rediger moved to receive the message and proceed to the confirmation or rejection of said nominee.

Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Cooper moved to amend by postponing action until tomorrow, May 28. This amendment was carried by the following vote. viz:

Ayes, Delegates - Lyons: Pauly: Julian: Davies: Day: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybolt: Hubert: Kamman: Cooper: Bradt.

Nos, Delegates - Stone: Marshall: Rediger: Wetherbee: Heath: Law. So it was so ordered.

On motion of Delegate Rediger seconded by Delegate Wetherbee

it was ordered that when the Board adjourn, it be until to-morrow, May 28th at 7.30 o'clock p.m.

A requisition upon the Mayor, from G.M. Dodge, Treasurer and Tax Collector, for two additional Deputies from June 3rd to serve until the completion of the making of tax receipts, together with the following recommendation from the Mayor, viz:

"Mayors Office, San Diego, Cal. May 27-1889.
To the Common Council: I have the honor to transmit herewith the application of the Treasurer and Tax Collector for additional assistance in his office; and would respectfully recommend that the same be allowed during the month of June.

Douglas Gunn, Mayor
Delegate Law seconded by Delegate Kamman moved to adopt the recommendation of the Mayor. The motion was put as follows:
Ayes, Delegates & Day: Rodiger: Heath: Thompson: Seybolt:
Hubert: Law: Kamman: Cooper: Prat.
Noses, Delegates & Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies:
Wetherbee: Hewitt.

There not being a two-third vote in favor of the motion, the same was lost, and the President so declared.

A Petition from Geo. D. Copeland, asking the Common Council to repeal the Ordinance now in force which requires said Copeland to take down the electric light poles now in use for his system of lighting. Also, asking that a Special Committee be appointed to consider the advisability of accepting a proposition made by him (Copeland) to sell his Electric Light system to the City., was read. ^{and} Delegate Hewitt seconded by Delegate Cooper moved to refer to a Special Committee. ^{and} the motion being sent and carried the President appointed for said Committee, Delegates & Hewitt: Seybolt: Julian: Law.

An Invitation from the Excelsior Rowing Club, to the Board, to attend a Regatta on May 30th, was read. ^{and} on motion of Delegate Rodiger seconded by Delegate Julian the invitation was accepted.

A Petition for Retail Liquor License, submitted by Chas. Burkhardt, was read, and referred to the Committee on Health & Morals.

A Report from Chas. F. Monroe, former Police Judge, showing the number of cases tried, amount of fees collected, etc. in the Police Court, from April 27th to May 6th (inclusive) was read, and ordered filed.

An Ordinance fixing the time and place of meetings of the Common Council, was read, ^{and} on motion of Delegate Julian seconded by Delegate Hubert, and by the following vote, viz:
Ayes, Delegates & Lyons: Stone: Pauly: Marshall: Julian: Davies:

Day: Rediger: Wellerbee: Heath: Hewitt: Thompson: Seybold: Hubert:
 Dow: Kammann: Cooper: Pradt - 18.
 More - None.

The Ordinance was adopted. Said Ordinance reads as follows:

Ordinance No. 6.

An Ordinance fixing the time and place of meetings of the Common Council of the City of San Diego.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Sec. 1. That the meetings of the Common Council of the City of the City of San Diego, Calif. shall be held at the Common Council Chambers in the building hereafter to be known as the City Hall located on the southwest corner of Third and D. st. in said City.

Sec. 2. The regular meetings of the Common Council of the City of San Diego shall be held on the first Monday of each month at 7.30 P.M. unless said day be a legal Holiday, then on the succeeding day at 7.30 P.M. and at such other times during each month as may be fixed by adjournment.

Sec. 3. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after one publication in the San Diego Daily Sun.

The following Committee Report, was read, to wit:

Your Committee to whom was referred the proposition of the Southern Calif. Railway Co. to lay to the City the portion of Arctic street needed to it by C.S. Hamilton May 2nd. 1887. and being a strip off said street two feet in length by 38 feet in width, the grant to be made on condition that the City assume the Street Improvement assessment against the Company's property on D. st. Your Committee find that the debt referred to was made of the date mentioned and among other lands needed the portion of Arctic street above mentioned, but they find at the time and previous thereto the City had assumed rights in the said portion of Arctic street together with the balance of said street, having constructed a sewer thereon and having granted a franchise thereto to certain railroad companies and in other ways assumed and controlled the same. They further find that the cost of the street assessment as prepared by the Engineer and for which said Railroad Company are liable will be \$192^{xx}. Your Committee therefore concludes that in view of the interests the City may have in the street notwithstanding the debt and in view of the fact that the debt the City would be obliged to assume being far beyond the value of the land for any purpose. Your Committee recommend that the proposition of the Southern Calif. R.R. Co. as set forth in their communication to the Common Council be declined and that said Co. be so notified.

Chas. W. Pauly

W. R. Day
A. S. Seybold.

Upon motion of Delegate Marshall seconded by Delegate Coover the Report was adopted.

The following Report from the Committee on Public Buildings was read. Yonit:

Your Committee to whom was referred the insuring of our present City Hall and Contents beg leave to report - that two policies of \$1000. each was renewed, making \$1750 on Building and \$250 on contents; and we your Committee believe the above amount to be all that is required or necessary to secure the City against loss.

Respectfully submitted.

D. H. Knobell
A. A. Julian
W. R. Day.

Accompanying said Report were two policies of \$1000. each - one with the Guardian Assurance Co. of London & one with the Aetna Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn.

Upon motion of Delegate Hubbell seconded by Delegate Davies the report was adopted. Upon motion of Delegate Pauly seconded by Delegate Coover it was ordered that the action of the Committee be confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

A Communication from G. W. Gorres, Auditor, calling attention to the fact that \$9400 was collected by the Assessor on account of Personal Property taxes for 1889, which was not properly apportioned, and that it will be necessary to correct such error, was read, together with the following recommendation from the Mayor. viz:

"Mayors Office, San Diego, Cal. May 27-1889.
To the Common Council: I have the honor to transmit herewith a communication from the Auditor and Assessor, relative to the apportionment of certain personal property tax moneys; and would recommend immediate action thereon.

Respectfully,

Douglas Gunn, Mayor.

Upon motion of Delegate Ridger seconded by Delegate Coover the matter was referred to the Finance Committee to report at the next meeting. (May 28.)

Delegate Kannan offered a Resolution relating to Street Improvement, and moved, seconded by Delegate Pauly, to adopt. Delegate Ridger seconded by Delegate Coover moved to amend by referring to the Committee on Ways & Means. The amendment carried & the Resolution was so referred.

There being no further business, the President declares the Board to be adjourned, in accordance with the motion

Wherefore carried & entered.

N.M. Gassaway,
City Clerk,

Gibbhardt
President

Adjourned Meeting.

Common Council Chamber, Board of
Delegates, May 28th. 1889.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Delegates, of the City of San Diego, California, was held this day at 7.30 o'clock p.m. with President Pradt presiding.

Present, Delegates : Lyons : Stone : Pauly : Marshall : Julian : Day : Rediger : Matherbee : Heath : Hewitt : Seybolt : Hubert : Dow : Kamman : Coover : Pradt
any Clerk Garrison.

Absent, Delegates : Davies and Thompson.

President Pradt called Delegate Matherbee to the Chair.

The Minutes of an adjourned meeting held May 27, 1889. were read and approved as read.

Delegate Thompson entered and took his seat in the Board, during the reading of the minutes.

The Mayor's Message submitting, for confirmation, the name of Jas. D. Schuyler, as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, heretofore presented to the Board, postponed until this date, was again read and upon motion of Delegate Heath seconded by Delegate Hubert, the Board proceeded to the confirmation or rejection of said nominee with the following result:

In favor of Confirmation, Delegates : Lyons : Pauly : Marshall : Julian : Day : Rediger : Pradt : Heath : Hewitt : Thompson : Seybolt : Hubert : Dow : Kamman : Coover : Matherbee = 17.

There being seventeen votes in favor of confirmation and none against, the President Pro Tem declared the appointment, by the Mayor, of James D. Schuyler, as a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works, for the City of San Diego, California, to be duly confirmed by the Board of Delegates.

The following Report from the Finance Committee of the Board of Delegates, was read: to wit:

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the communication of His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Auditor, with reference to the apparent irregular use of the sum of \$9400. Collected and paid into the City Treasury by the City Assessor on account of personal taxes for the year 1889. would report that the questions, both of law and fact, are somewhat intricate, and require more thorough and extended investigation than one days time will permit. Your Committee would therefore state that its report in full will be made at the earliest moment practicable.