

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Board met in regular session. Present were commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The regular meetings of Dec 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> '96, respectively and the special meetings of Jan'y 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> '97, respectively were read and approved.

Commission granted

E. W. Anderson,  
Steam generator.

It was moved and seconded that the application of E. W. Anderson, to erect a steam generator at rear end of J. X. L. Laundry at #546- 7<sup>th</sup> St. bet. 26<sup>th</sup> and J. Streets be granted.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

The following communication was recd. from the Common Council, Vig.

"San Diego, Cal. Jan'y 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Hon. Board of Public Works.

City of San Diego.

Gentlemen.

Communication

from

Common Council

To

Examine

and

Report in

regard repair

Horton Hall.

You are herewith notified that by order of the Common Council of this City, you are together with the chief Engineer of the Fire Department, were instructed to examine and report upon the condition of the Horton Hall Building, if the owners of said building should be allowed to repair the same or not.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman.

City Clerk"

The above communication was read and ordered on file.

L. B. Cleveland

sweep paved

streets for

\$350 per day.

A communication from L. B. Cleveland of Dec 14/96. to the Common Council and referred by them to the Board of Public Works. Same is in reference to sweeping the paved streets for the sum of \$350 per day.

Laid on

Table.

The communication was read and upon motion being duly seconded was laid upon the table, by the following affirmative vote, Comrs. Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Adjourned.

adjourned:-

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon  
Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President-

San Diego, Calif. Jan'y. 14<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Board met in regular session, the following Commissioners were present.

Julian and Whitney  
Davis

Absent,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Cleaned & papered, The Secretary was authorized to have the room of the Board of Health cleaned and papered.

Recommendation  
Common Council  
do not  
grant  
permit  
to  
repair  
Norton Hall A communication from Chief of Fire Department, Barnes, addressed to the Common Council in regard to the condition of the Norton Hall Building at corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and J Streets was this day submitted to the Board of Public Works. Said communication recommends that the Common Council do not grant a permit to repair said building. The walls are weakened and cracked and to repair same would endanger life and limb of future tenants and societies. The Board of Public Works after having examined said building, concurred, and attached their signatures to said communication, and instructed the Secy. to transmit said communication to the Common Council.

Adjourned No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon.  
Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board met in regular session, the following Commissioners were present:-

Davis and Julian.

Absent

Whitney.

Minutes  
read The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were read and ordered placed on file: Viz:-

Joint Resolution # 808.

Be it Resolved by the Common Council:-

Garbage Scow, towed to Sea two times per week. That the Board of Public Works order the City garbage scow to be towed to sea two times a week, to so continue until some permanent plan of disposing of the garbage is adopted by the City.

I hereby Certify the above and foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 808, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
by H. N. Vincent Deputy.

Joint Resolution # 809.

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the

City of San Diego, California, as follows:-

Notify S.D. & Ry. Co. Cover with Plank or otherwise ditches between rails. That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby instructed and directed to notify the San Diego Electric Railway Company to cover, with plank or otherwise, all ditches between the rails and for two feet on the outside of the tracks, on all streets where such ditches have been made.

Owners of property where water stands, drain same. That the Street Superintendent be and he is hereby instructed and directed to notify the owners of all property on which water stands, where it may become a menace to the public health, to have the same removed at once.

I hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 809, passed

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and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1897.

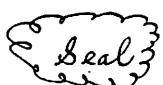


Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk,  
by H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

### Joint Resolution #810.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, that the Board of Public Works of said City be and that said Board is hereby authorized and directed to plant ornamental trees upon Park Boulevard in the "Howard Tract" from the point in said Boulevard where said trees are now planted, down to the south line of the said Park at the north end of Twelfth street.

I hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #810, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk,  
by H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Upon motion being duly seconded the foregoing Joint Resolutions were ordered on file.

The following communication was received from the Common Council..

"San Diego, Cal. Jan'y 21<sup>st</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works,  
of the City of San Diego, California:-  
Gentlemen:-

You are herewith notified that in accordance with the report of your Board and the Chief of the Fire Department, the Common Council have instructed your Honorable Board not to issue any permit for the repair of Horton Hall Building, at the Southwest corner of Sixth and "F" Streets.



Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
by H. W. Vincent, Deputy."

Upon motion being duly seconded the following bills for the year 1896 were read and approved.

Public Health	1839	Hill Groc. Co.,	Bottles etc for testing milk	\$2.45
"	1840	D.B. Northrup	Phys. Book.	6. ✓ \$8.45
General	1987	A.W. Bailey	Typewriting	\$1.9.50
"	1988	Bancroft Whitney Co.,	Bala - Reports.	\$6.50 ✓ \$26.00
Office	1981	S.D. Dowd & Supply	Dowds, Mo. Dec. 96.	✓ \$2.50

Advertise for Bids to Plow and Harrow the Howard Tract. Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was directed to advertise for bids to thoroughly plow and harrow the Howard Tract in City Park - 96 acres more or less. Bids for same to be returned to said Board on Thursday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Jan'y 96 - 10 A.M.

Repairing offices, City Hall In the matter of repairing the Police Court Rooms in the City Hall also the other various offices. The same was referred to the City Attorney as to the legal right of the Board for incurring said expense. Said opinion being returnable to this board tomorrow will reply (Friday) at 10 o'clock A.M.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal, Jan 22<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Friday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The Board met in special session the following commissioners being present

Davis.

Julian

Whitney.

Absent.

Minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Mr. H. E. Doolittle, City Atty. addresses the Board and states that said Board have no legal right to incur the expense of fixing up the offices of the Police Court without an ordinance first having been passed by the Common Council without Ordinance authorizing said work.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following bills were read and approved.

<u>Office.</u>	1985	W.A. Citerly	Coronado Water am't to Janv. 6. '97.	\$4.20
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<u>Sewer &amp; Drainage</u>	1986.	J. J. Buck Co.	Cement	\$3.60
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Adjourned. There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Jan 28<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board met in Regular form there being present Commissioners.

Present

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

Minutes of the regular meeting of January 21<sup>st</sup> and the special session of January 22<sup>nd</sup> were read and approved.

Garbage Scow

On January 21<sup>st</sup> '97, Mr. W. J. Jones was notified to tow the City Garbage Scow to sea two times per week, each time beyond the whistling buoy, verbal contract \$100.00 per month. Same to be terminated at pleasure of the Board.

Public Building 1984-

John Ginty, Agt. Rent material yard for Nov. & Dec. '96. \$10.00

W.C. Allen.

A communication from W.C. Allen, proposing to keep the Howard Tract (96 acres) cultivated, irrigated and in a good clean condition for one year @ \$70.00 per month leaving same plowed and cultivated at end of contract. The city supplying water. And he Allen furnishing labor teams and implements. was read and,

Filed.

Upon motion the said communication was placed on file.

Date arrived  
calling for  
bids near the  
Howard Tract

Pursuant to a published notice in the San Diego Daily Sun, the official paper of the City, calling for bids to be delivered to this board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 1897, and within the hour designated in said notice and while the Board was in open session the following proposals were delivered to the Board duly sealed, sworn to and accompanied with a certified check as follows to-wit:-

As follows.

<u>Wilder and McDonald,</u>	<u>certified check</u>	<u>\$15.00</u>	<u>bid</u>	<u>\$300.00</u>
<u>Goodbody and Roconer,</u>	" "	<u>\$20.00</u>	"	<u>\$274.00</u>
<u>R. F. Smith,</u>	" "	<u>\$15.00</u>	"	<u>\$187.50</u>
<u>William Gilcher,</u>	" "	<u>\$8.00</u>	"	<u>\$155.00</u>

Contract awarded to Wm Gilcher Am't \$155.00  
 Mr. William Gilcher being the lowest bidder. Upon motion being duly seconded was awarded the contract to plow and harrow said "Howard Tract" for the sum of \$155.00 and the Secretary was instructed to have a contract drawn in accordance with the specification.

Therefor: The following commissioners voting Aye.

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Bond \$200.00  
 Upon motion being duly seconded the Bond for plowing and harrowing said "Howard Tract" was fixed at \$200.-

Aye. Commissioners voting Aye.

Davis Whitney and Julian.

Reports transmitted to mayor.  
 The reports from all departments connected with the Board were read and approved and the same ordered transmitted to the Honorable Mayor.

Adjourned Saturday 2 P.M.  
 There being no further business the Board adjourned until Saturday 2 o'clock P.M. to pass on Gilcher contract.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. V. Julian  
 President.

Saturday 2 P.M.

San Diego, Calif., Jan 30<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Adjourned Meeting:

The Board met in pursuance to adjournment.  
 There being present Commissioners. Davis and Julian  
Absent " Whitney.

Minutes.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Contract of  
W<sup>m</sup> Gilcher  
plowing  
Howard Track  
Entered into.  
Aye.

The contract between the City and W<sup>m</sup> Gilcher, for plowing and harrowing the Howard Track in the City Park was read and upon motion of Commissioner Davis which was duly seconded, the contract was entered into and the bond accepted by the following vote: Commissioners,

Julian and Davis voting Aye.

Adjourned  
Wednesday 10 AM.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned until Wednesday at 10 o'clock A.M. to pass on bills.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Calif., Feby 3<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Adjourned Meeting.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

The Board met in pursuance to adjournment

There being present Commissioners,

David Whitney and Julian

Present

Reading  
Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous regular <sup>and</sup> Special meetings was dispensed with.

Bills Approved.

Claim Number

Genl. Repair Streets:-

2094	Pay Roll		\$118 50
2023	Putnam Field.	notices street work.	printing 7 00
2024	Goodbody & Rosner	approach Old Town bridge	contract 15 00
2036	J. F. Jones	load gravel	material 1 50
2037	J. M. Grittenden	posting notices, carting etc	" 3 75
2060	Robt Crockett	sharpening tools	" 6 20
2061	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.,	Street Notices	printing 19 80
2062	The Hamilton Co.,		hardware 29 35
2101	Russ Lumber & Mill	laths	lumber 14 5
2102	Russ Lumber & Mill	Lumber	" 74 74
2103	San Diego Water Co.,	water	water 14 45
2104	A. E. Tarpley	sharpening tools	material 7 5
2105	Eben Bassie	" "	" 2 70
2106	Jeff Kindleberger	filing saws	" 1 20
2120	J. D. Lumber Co.,	lumber	lumber 7 78
2121	Union Stables	Engt. team hire	Miscel. 9-
2122	West Coast Lumber Co.	lumber	lumber 10 32
			<u>\$1323 49</u>

Street Sweeping

2094	Pay Roll		\$280 75
1997	Ah Quinn	Bamboo	broom mtg. 22 90
2010	O. Darling	Brooms	" gutters 3-
2011	Clarke & Brant	repairs sweper	blacksmith 5 75
2015	Saml Haugh	make broom & material \$1 00	Broom 1 3
2119	J. D. Water Co.,	water	
			<u>4 20</u>
			<u>\$329 60</u>

Claim numbers.

<u>Street Sprinkling.</u>			
2094	Pay Roll		\$22.
1996	Wm G. Renfro	painting & sprinklers.	Miscel. 75.
2022	Parrott & Erb	repairing chains links axle etc	Blacksmithing 15.
2099	S.D. Water Co.	repairing hydrants	Miscel. 5.55
2119	Do	water	water 18.90
			<u>\$136.45</u>

Park Improvement

<u>Park Improvement</u>			
2097	Pay Roll		\$70.-
2004	R.R. Robertson	2 loads manure	Miscel. 3.
2005	W.A. Julian	plumbing	" 210.
2010	O. Darling	1 St. Broom	" 60.
2019	F. H. Wilder	plowing "Howard Tract" 1½ das.	" 5.
2055	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.,	Pub. notice	" 250.
2056	The Hamilton Co.,	1 pr. pruning shears.	" 225.
2081	S.D. Water Co.,	water	water 52.5
			<u>\$907.00</u>

Public Health

<u>Public Health</u>			
2006	Sunset Telephone & Tel. Co.	Telephone rentals	Miscel. 250.
2118	Jones & Son	Sailing Scow	" 225.00
			<u>\$227.50</u>

Street Light

<u>Street Light</u>			
2132	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light	<u>\$1,521.00</u>

Public Building.

<u>Public Building.</u>			
1989	J.W. Sefton	To rent 4 ½ Lot St. Block #10. Norton Jan. 97. Rents	\$30.-
1990	D.G. Stephens	To rent City Hall	100.-
1991	John Ginty Agt.	To rent lot E blk. 44/762 for Jan 97.	5.
1992	L.J. Jones	To rent " 1/2 D. B. 41. " Feb 21/97	25.
1993	A. Hitchcock Agt.	To rent " J. B. 99 Norton end Feb 6/97	12.50
1994	R.G. Clark	To rent " Househouse Jan 1 - Feb 1 - 97.	25.-
2021	O.C. Dranga Agt.	To rent Police Court Jan 97.	18.-
2058	Frank Jennings	Care City Prisoners	50.-
2123	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light	Light 51.75
2126	Do	Do	Do 19.50
			<u>\$3,367.50</u>

Fire Hydrant

<u>Fire Hydrant</u>			
2082	S.D. Water Co.	Rental of 19 Fire Hydrants @ \$80.-	<u>\$1273.33</u>

Dog Tax

<u>Dog Tax</u>			
1998	Chas. Kiesig	500 Brass Dog tags 50 Copper bitch tags	<u>\$15.00</u>

Claim Number

General

2001	Sunset Tel. & Tel Co.,	Phone City Atty & Court office. Miscl.	\$ 8.50
2002	W. A. Julian	Rep. Closet	1.75
2008	Geo. H. McMillan	Rd. trip rkt from L.A. to D.F. for Cityatty "	30-
2017	Laura B. Anderson	Cleaning & repairing typewriting macho "	4.00
2065	Youngs Station & Co.,	Brief Bancroft & City	Printing
2067	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.,	Printing proposals & notices	"
2068	J. W. Kress	Cleaning carpet	Miscl
2069	Garrison & Smith	19 pa. Brief Gamble & City	Printing
2071	Adele Koop	Typewriting	"
2072	H. E. Doolittle	Ex on Briefs	Miscl
2073	Do	1 trip to S.F. water Co & City	"
2107	W. T. Lemon	Rep. Safe	"
2108	S. D. Water Co.	water City Hall	Water
2130	Frandzen Bumgardner Co.,	1 Brief 45p. - 1 Brief 41pa.	Printing
			<u>\$ 209.87</u>

Office a/c.

1892	F. H. Dixon, Secy.	Stamps for Departmental Miscl	\$ 100.-
2007	Loring and Co.,	½ Doz Staple fasteners	810
2020	Do Do	5000 Staples for fasteners	3.40
2033	Geo. S. Hill & Co.,	Coal	31
2052	Wm Barrick	Stand pigeon holes & bookcase Miscl	11-
2054	The Hamilton Co.,	Casters for Health of chro.	3.25
2063	S. G. Dingle	Brush brooms & mops	7.20
2064	M. A. Wutheimer & Co.,	Stationery	Stationery
2078	Pioneer Garbage Co.,	Garbage no. Jany	Miscl
2079	E. N. Sullivan	Licence, proposals, resolutions etc	Printing
2115	Geo. T. Lemon & Co.,	Rep. Police wheel	Miscl.
2124	Eugene Frandzen	1000-score Cards	"
2127	S. D. Towel Co.,	Towels no. Jan	"
2128	Russ Lumber Mills Co.,	Lumber for kindling	"
2139	Frandzen Bumgardner & Co.,	1000 blank sewer diagrams	Printing
			<u>\$ 347.90</u>

Sewer a/c.

2098	Pay Roll		\$ 63.-
2059	J. A. Heath	Lanterns, oil Brooms etc	Miscl
2076	S. D. Water Co.,		7.50
2077	F. E. Davis	1 " Hawthorne & Dry	74.19
2100	Pioneer Truck Co.,	Hauling chains door etc	Miscl
			<u>100</u>
			<u>\$ 146.89</u>

Item numbers.

		<u>Police a/c</u>		
2048	A. D. Nichols & Co.,	2000, rounds ammunition, posters etc	\$2580 Miscel.	\$2770
2051	Jno. A. Benson	1-10yd canvas cover, (target.)	"	110
				<u>\$2880</u>
2027	H. A. Julian		<u>Fire Dept. a/c.</u>	
2027	H. A. Julian	replacing & repairing galvanized pipe 3 ft.	Miscel	\$2978
2028	Standard Scav. Co.	remove manure	"	500
2038	Hamilton Bros.	duster, brushes, brooms etc	"	1450
2045	Wm McClain	fodder etc	Fodder	9071
2046	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	coal	Coal	11.00
2075	A. D. Water Co.,		Water	925
				<u>\$16024</u>
2091	Pay Roll	Public Works	Salary	\$325.00
2087	" "	Engineer Dept.	"	21500
				<u>\$54000</u>

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest.

*F. H. Dixon, Sec.**A. H. Julian  
President.*

San Diego, Calif., Feby. 4<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners.

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Present.

Minutes

Approach.

Window

Police office

Anti-Dust

preparation

\$25<sup>00</sup>. —

The minutes of Jany 28<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Mr. T. Jobbett was authorized to put a window in the room to be occupied by Judge Hayes, the amount to be paid for doing it is \$10.20 complete.

Messrs. Loring and Co., were authorized to put Anti-Dust preparation on all floors in City Hall except the Carpeted floors for the sum of \$25<sup>00</sup>

Bids

received

for

Stationery

Pursuant to a published notice in the San Diego Daily Sun, the official paper of the City, calling for bids to be delivered to this board between the hours 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February 1897. and within the hour designated in said notice and while the Board was in open session, the following proposals were delivered to the Board duly sealed, sworn to, and accompanied with a certified check upon a responsible bank, as follows to wit:-

Proposals on the following list of Stationery.

Proposals.

			Burbank ck \$2.00	Loring ck \$5.00	Wurthinen ck .25 <sup>00</sup>
Legal Cap	Goeden gate 12#	Per Rm.	1.80	1.68	.85
"	" 14#	" "	120	196	95
"	" 12do	" "	180	225	85
"	" 14 "	" "	220	255	95
Trial Balance	" 14#	" "	220	240	95
Envelops	# Ray xx 6 white	" " 7st	60	95	40
"	" " xx 9 "	" "	90	150	60
"	" " xx 10 "	" "	125	190	75
Pens	Esterbrook's R.R.	" Groc	33	190	40
"	Falcons	" "	43	56	45
"	Bank	" "	43	45	45
"	Asstd.	" "		56	45

Proposals.Proposals for Stationery, continued.

			Burbank	Loring	Wertheimer
Steel Eras.	Roger Knife Blade-White Handle	Per. Doz.	4.00	7.25	3.75
Ink	Arnold's Write-fluid	" qt.	4.0	5.4	4.0
"	Carmine	" "	9.0	10.5	7.0
Mucilage	#1 Carters	" "	3.7	6.0	3.75
"	Oriental	" "	3.7	5.5	4.0
Pencils	Gaber Hrs. all noo.	" Doz.	5.8	6.0	3.0
"	Dixon Sec.	" "	2.0	2.8	2.0
"	Liberian Graphite A.W.F. N. No. 67K	" "	8.5	9.9	9.0
"	Eagle Blue #776	" "	2.8	6.4	4.5
Fasteners	M. Gills Flat & Round Heads	"	57 1/2	41 1/2	50 1/2
Pado	Manilla Legal Size	" "	5.3	6.5	6.0
"	Letter "	" "	4.2	4.5	5.0
Rubber Bands	assorted.		66 2/3	50%	60%
P.W. Paper	# A.A. Ruled & Unruled	" Pcs.	4.4	6.0	4.0
"	* E.E. Plain " "	" "	5.5	5.0	
"	# A.A. Numbered	" "	6.0	11.0	5.0
"	# B.B. Plain	" "	5.4	9.0	5.0
Blotting	120# No. Ream Freenat.	" Pcs.	11-	14.40	9.25
"	140# " " .	" "	13.	16.80	11.
Paste	8oz Library	" Box	14	16 2/3	14
"	2oz "	" "	0.6 1/2	0.5	0.6
Trans. Blks	360 or 369	" Doz.	2.00	2.00	2.00
Drawing Ink	Higgins all colors	" Box	18 1/2	19	20
"	W.T.N. Moist Colors Half panos	" Doz.	9.0	9.6	10.0
Trac. Cloth	Dmp. 36 Inch	" Roll	5.60	5.20	6.00
"	" 42 "	" "	7.75	8.96	8.00
Draw Paper	Peerless 36 " Mounted (long Roll)	" "	57.5	3.-	12.5
"	Duplex Detail 36" " "		\$9.0	9.0	3.0
"	Eggshell 36. " "		1.80	1.80	6.0
C Sec. Paper	Tenhs 22" wide Plate 92 "	" Doz.	4.0	10.0	3.0
Pro. Paper	Mounted Plate B.	" Roll	2.00	1.50	6.0
"	Unmounted " "	" "	3.80	3.75	2.0

Contractawarded toM.A. W&Co.

M.A. Wertheimer & Co. being the lowest bidder the contract was awarded to them by the following affirmative vote.

CommissionersDavis, Whitney and Julian.Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest: J. M. Dixon, Sec.

A. Julian

President

San Diego, Calif., Feby 9<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Tuesday 2. P.M.

Call meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form. Present were Commissioners.

Davis, Whitney and Julian

Present.

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting was dispensed with.

Permission  
to drill  
soldiers  
in the  
City Park.

Capt. Dodge makes personal application for permission to drill soldiers in City Park.

Upon motion the same was granted by the following affirmative vote, Commissioners,

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Improvements  
on "The  
Willard"  
Building  
granted.

The application of Mr. W. E. Shaw to make improvements in "The Willard" building at corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and E Streets was read and ordered on file.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the following affirmative vote, Commissioners,

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The permit was granted.

Improvements  
on the  
Sheriff  
Building  
granted.

An application from "messrs. Strong Arms and Co." to make improvements to the Sheriff Building on corner of "E" St. and 5<sup>th</sup> St. was read and ordered on file.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted by the following affirmative vote,

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President.

Thursday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Calif., Feby. 11<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners.

Present

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of Feby. 3<sup>rd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Fire Escape

The Plans and Specifications submitted by City Engr. Capps, were  
read and discussed; And upon motion being duly seconded, they  
were adopted by the following affirmative vote, viz:-

Commissioners

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Permission was granted 3<sup>rd</sup> Div. N.B. N.G.C. to remove Rifle

Range from present location, to the location formally occupied by  
Co. A - 9<sup>th</sup> Inf't. N.G.C. which is in City Park, north of 12<sup>th</sup> & east of Maple St.

Six (6)

Directories

The Secy. was instructed to purchase Six (6) City Directories  
for the use of the City Hall.

The following bill was read and approved, viz:-

2131. R. Schiller 13 assessment Rolls, Contract \$123.00

Contract

M. A. Wertheimer

furnishing

Stationery

The Contract between the City of San Diego, and  
M. A. Wertheimer and Co., for furnishing the said City  
with Stationery for the year commencing Feby 6<sup>th</sup> 1897.  
to Feby 6<sup>th</sup> 1898, was entered into and executed in  
open session this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February.

Bond

approved

Upon Motion being duly seconded the bond of  
messrs. M. A. Wertheimer and Co., for \$250<sup>00</sup> for the furnishing  
of said Stationery, with L. Wertheimer and Eugene Handgen  
as sureties was approved by the following vote:-  
Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian

Certified

checks Recd.

Upon motion the Secy. was instructed to return  
the certified checks to the respective bidders.

Adj-10AM Friday

No further business Board adj. until 10 AM. Friday.

Attest: S. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian

President

San Diego, Calif. Feby 12<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Friday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form,  
Present were Commissioners

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Present

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting  
was dispensed with.

Improvements

John Mohr

Building

4th & B

Granted

Mr. John Mohr makes application to put in a  
screen door 5x15 ft in size in the rear of his building on the  
B. St. side near fourth St.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same  
was granted by the following vote. Davis, Whitney and Julian

Manner

20 loads Park

Upon motion Supt. of Parks Robinson was authorized  
to purchase 20 loads of manure @  $\frac{1}{2}$  per load.

300 lbs. Banner-

man's Phenyl

Disinfectant

\$25<sup>00</sup> Scow

Upon motion the Sec. was instructed to purchase  
300 lbs of "Banner-man's Phenyl" Disinfectant and the sum to be  
paid therefor is \$25<sup>00</sup> The same to be used to disinfect the City  
garbage scow. Commissioners. Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Petition

Authorizing

Calcining

and

Painting

Hallways

City Hall

A petition signed by a majority of both  
Boards of the Common Council authorizing the Board of Public  
Works to have the Hallway, Stairway and Ceiling, Doors & Paintings &  
Watercloset at end of Hall, all in the City Hall, calcinated  
and the woodwork painted. The same was ordered placed on  
file. And each commissioner delegated as a committee of one to  
send bidders to bid on said work. The bids to be presented  
to this board at 2 P.M. Saturday. The object being to  
have the hall in a presentable condition before the  
Water Carnival takes place.

Upon motion the Board adjourned until  
2 o'clock P.M. Saturday.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Feby 13<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Saturday 2 P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners.

Present:-

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Bids not opened  
New bids called  
for Monday noon.  
Upon motion the bids for repairing the hall-way  
to the city hall were not opened: And the Secy. <sup>was</sup> instructed to  
draw up specifications and call for bids to be returnable to this  
Board at 10 o'clock on Monday morning the 15<sup>th</sup> inst.

adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned to meet  
Monday the 15<sup>th</sup> inst.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. Feby. 15<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Monday 10 AM.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners.

Absent.

Davis, Julian  
Whitney.

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting was  
dispensed with.

Upon motion the following bill was approved.

J. Fobbit. Putting in window police office (Judge Hayes) & plastering & fixing door. \$12.05

The following & bids were received for papering, painting  
and graining the walls, ceiling and woodwork of the hall in the City Hall.

Bids

Received.

W.C. Hunt, bid (as per specifications)	<u>\$95<sup>00</sup></u>
J. C. Turner, " " "	<u>\$92<sup>00</sup></u>
Jas. J. Whittle, " " "	<u>\$80<sup>00</sup></u>

Jas. J. Whittle  
awarded work  
for \$80<sup>00</sup> -

Upon motion the work was awarded to Mr. Jas. J. Whittle  
(he being the lowest bidder) by the following affirmative vote.

Davis, Julian

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Calif., Feby. 18<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners,

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of February 11<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> were  
read and approved.

Placing a  
watering  
Trough  
at Old Town  
Granted

A petition was presented to this Board signed  
by a number of property owners, residents and tax-payers  
of the 2<sup>nd</sup> precinct of the first ward urging the necessity  
of a watering trough at Old Town for the use of the  
public. The communication was read and ordered on  
file.

Supt Streets  
Instructed  
accordingly

Upon motion being duly seconded the above  
request was granted and the Supt. of Streets was  
instructed to place said watering trough in an Old Town  
voting Aye were Commissioners.

Davis, Whitney and Julian

Rent  
Reed and Burk  
Abstract  
Books  
Granted

Mat. R. Titus, City Assessor asks for authority  
to rent abstract books from Reed and Burk Abstract Co.  
in order to enable him to find the names of owners of  
property for assessment purposes. The rent of said books  
will be \$50<sup>00</sup>.

Upon Motion the request was granted by  
the following affirmative vote

Davis, Whitney and Julian

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cala. Feby 25<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form.  
Present were commissioners

Davis, Whitney and Julian

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

J. J. Johnstone and Sons were granted permission to put on a Tin Roof on rear of their building on 5<sup>th</sup> Street bet. C and D Streets.

Manor Bldng The "manor Building" on 5<sup>th</sup> and Ash Street is reported to be in a very dangerous condition and is liable to collapse at any moment. Investigation is asked for at once.

The following Joint Resolutions # 817. # 818. # 819. # 821. ~~# 822.~~ # 823. were read and ordered on file.

Joint Resolution # 817.

Whereas it is the Common talk of the people of San Diego that the City is paying for 2000 Candle power electric light and that the Company under the present contract to furnish light are not furnishing over 1200 candle power.

J. D. Gas & Elec  
L. Co. to  
furnish meters  
for testing  
currents. Resolved that the Board of Public Works be instructed to require the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co. to furnish meters for the purpose of testing the electric currents.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No 817. of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates, February 1<sup>st</sup> 1897. and by the Board of Aldermen February 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Seal

G. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.

Joint Resolution #818.

Whereas, complaints have been made that the one arm electric light at the India street bridge is being so low that the glare from it approaching it from either side strikes the eyes so as to partially defeat the object for which it was placed there, namely to prevent accidents in crossing said bridge. Now therefore,

Be it Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego,

That the Board of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to have said one arm electric light moved two blocks further north from its present location on India Street, and placed on the rising ground on east side of said street.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No 818 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates February 15<sup>th</sup> 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen February 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Seal

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

Joint Resolution #819.

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

That John T. Wright be, and he is hereby granted permission to erect a one story frame building, plaster walls, metal roof, on lot "A" Block 94, Hortons Addition, fronting on "H" Street, between Third and Fourth Streets, said building to be 30x40 feet in size.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No 819, of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates February 15<sup>th</sup> 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen February 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Seal

Geo D. Goldman  
City Clerk.

Joint Resolution #821.

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

That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to have the garbage scow towed to sea twice each week, at an additional expenditure of not to exceed \$100.- per month.

That such arrangement continue in force for a term not exceeding 90 days from February 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Endorsed:

I hereby certify the indebtedness incurred under provision of above resolution, can be incurred without violating any of the provisions of the charter.

H. R. Titus,

February 15<sup>th</sup> 1897.

City Auditor.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No 821, of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates February 15<sup>th</sup> 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen February 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.

Seal

Joint Resolution #823.

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

That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby instructed to investigate and report to the Common Council, at its earliest convenience, upon the advisability of equipping the City's sprinkling carts with ten (10) inch tires.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 823, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1897.

Seal

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent.

Deputy.

Secretary to  
notify the  
Electric Light Co.  
to put in  
meters.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co. to put in meters to test the electric light current, the same is in conformity with Joint Resolution No. 817. of the Common Council passed February 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Secretary to  
notify the  
owner of manor  
building to repair  
same at once.

The Board having examined the condition of the "manor" Building and find the same <sup>to be</sup> in a dangerous condition, do hereby instruct the Secretary to immediately notify the owner of said manor Building to at once repair same and make said building safe. also to repair the sidewalk in front of said building which is also in a very dangerous condition.

Supt. of Streets  
instructed  
to move India  
St. Elev. Lt.

The Supt. of Streets was instructed to have the one armed Electric Light at India Street Bridge changed in accordance with Joint Resolution No 818. of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, passed February 15<sup>th</sup> 1897.

John D. Wright  
granted  
permission to  
erect frame  
building, plastered  
walls.

Mr. John D. Wright was granted permission to erect a one story frame building 30x40ft in size with plaster walls and metal roof. The same being in conformity with Joint Resolution <sup>#819</sup> of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, passed February 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

There being no further business the Board adjourned:

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif., March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form,  
Present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes. The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Major Carlson granted the use of Plaza on Monday Eve. April 5<sup>th</sup> 1897. A communication was received dated March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897, from ~~the Hon.~~ Mayor Carlson asking for the privilege to use the "D" St. Plaza for a mass meeting to be addressed by himself on Monday evening April 5<sup>th</sup>, 1897, from 7<sup>30</sup> P.M. until 10 P.M. Upon motion the same was granted, Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Bills approved. Upon motion the following bills were read and approved, viz:-

<u>Claim No.</u>	<u>Genl. Repair of Streets.</u>		
2213	Pay Roll		\$767.50
2253	San Diegan Sun Publ. Street Notices	Printing a/c	44.50
2271	Mrs. Hale Rep. Water-pipe 23 <sup>rd</sup> & G.	Miscel.	1.25
2267	A.C. Farley Hauling Eng & Lumber	"	.75
2262	Domestic Oil Co. 1/2 & Oil	"	1.25
2246	West Coast Lumber Co. Lumber	Lumber a/c	69.23
2245	J.D. Water Co.	a/c Sprinkling	
2235	Union Stables Team City Engr.	Miscel.	6.00
2234	Russ Lumber Mill Co. Lumber	Lumber a/c	9.96
2195	Edwin M. Cappo Car. fare	Miscel.	2.10
2192	Eben Cassie 5 plow points sharpened	Blacksmith	1.25
2182	Hamilton Bros. 1 Can gasoline	Miscel	1.20
2176	The Hamilton Co. Hardware.	Hdw. a/c	8.00
2165	Geo. W. Wood Sacks.	Miscel	.96
2147	W.H. G. Buck Bitumen patching	Miscel	6.28
			<u>\$920.23</u>

Street Sprinkling

2213	Pay Roll	Labor,	\$14.00
2245	J.D. Water Co. Water	Water,	14.10
			<u>\$28.10</u>

## Claims Nos.

Street Sweeping.

2213	Pay Roll.	Labor	\$271.50
2245	J. D. Water Co.,	Water	4.20
2264	J.M. Pray	4 Bolts $\frac{1}{2} \times 20$	Blacksmith 1.50
2175	Silvergate Oil Co.	Oil	Miscel. 2.00
2173	J.M. Pray	Bolts, forging braces, rep. rods etc	Blacksmith 4.50
2167	Sandbaugh	Making broom	Broom 12.00
2166	E.O. Rogers	Bolts & repairs on sweeper	Blacksmith 28.75
2163	Henshaw, Buckley & Belcher	3 doz 16" broom finished Batten Broom $\frac{1}{4}$ Reel Brooms $\frac{1}{2}$ .75	21.00
			\$345.45

Public Health

2154	R. A. Bannerman	300# Disinfectant, <sup>trip in Jany. \$1.10</sup>	Miscel. \$25.00
2258	Jones & Son	Sailing Scow towing to sea mostly...	336.11
			\$361.11

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Salary-

2208	Public Works		\$325.00
2206	Engineers		215.00
			\$540.00

Fire Department.

2231	The Hamilton Co.,	25# Cotton waste	Miscel. \$3.38
2232	Wm. McLean	Pudder.	Pudder 88.89
2237	Hamilton Bros	Oil, Soap, Brooms, Brush & Combs	Miscel. 6.20
2240	Knox & Hansen	Arnica & Stompe	" 1.00
			\$99.47

Sewer.

2205	Pay Roll		Labor \$64.00
2153	W.A. Julian	Pipe fittings & labor	Miscel. 3.50
2161	J. D. Buck Co.,	1 - 4x6 "y" C bed 13.874	" 9.6
2199	Grandgen Bungardner & Co.	Sewer Blanks	Printing 5.00
2244	J. D. Water Co.,	2451 tanks @ 150 gals = 367,650 gals. @ 20 <sup>ft</sup> Water	73.53
			\$146.99

Park Improvement.

2207	Public Works	Pay Roll	Labor \$86.00
2151	W.A. Julian	Stock, Dye & Cutter	Miscel. 16.75
2170	W.P. Fuller & Co.,	Glass (wind blew portion house out)	" 8.00
2177	The Hamilton Co.	Shovel, axe etc.	" 2.15
2183	F.E. Davis	Pipe tongs sharpened	" 1.00
2230	W.A. Julian	.1 Oil Can	" .50
			\$114.40

## Claims etc.

2241. S.D. Water Co., Rent 191 Fire Hydrants Feb @ \$10.- per annum Miscel \$1275.33

Fire Hydrant

2257 S.D. Gas & Elec Lt. Co., Light Light. \$1521.00

Street Light

<u>Office apc.</u>			
2142	Cal. Rubber Stamp Co., 1-Stamp. Pads # 182.	Miscel.	\$1.60
2171	M. G. Wertheimer & Co., Stationery	M.a.w. apc	33.75
2184	Stonhouse & Co., Aud. Certif.	Printing	5.00
2186	Garrison & Smith Env. & letter heads auditor	"	8.00
2198	Frandzen Bumgardner Co Standing Committees Cards. (dark)	"	7.50
2236	Pioneer Garbage Co., Garbage. Feby.	Miscel.	1.00
2242	S.D. Towel Supply Co. Towels Feby.	"	2.25
2248	Gould & Hutton & Co., Letter heads & charge Env.	Printing	4.05
2249	" " " Police Record, Police Register	"	39.00
2254	Ino. S. Hill & Co., Coal	Coal	33.00
			<u>\$1351.5</u>

Public Building

2143	L.S. Jones	Rent 1/2 Lot J. B. 41-Hortons Mo. end March 1/97 Rent apc	\$25.00
2145	D. Hitchcock, agt.	" L. J. Bk. 99 Hortons mo. <sup>end</sup> of march 6/97 "	12.50
2148	D.G. Stephens	City Hall " " Feby	100.00
2149	R.G. Clark	Horton Hotel Co. " of Feby.	25.00
2164	J.W. Sefton	" D. & L. K. Bk. 10. Hortons " "	20.00
2189	Frank O. Jennings	Taking care City Prisoners Mo. Feby	5.00
2255	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light City Hall	Light
			<u>1725</u>
			<u>\$259.75</u>

General

2035	J.C. Turner	Sign. gold & black, papering painting. Miscel.	\$25.25
2141	Geo. McNeill	Frosting light glass, Chief Police office	2.00
2140	S.D. Truck Co.,	Moving Police Court	6.00
2144	Ast R. Titus	Cash pd St. Car. fare for Johnson Deputy Ass't	2.00
2146	A.H. Morris,	6 - City Directories	15.00
2150	Thos. Jobbitt	Cutting Window Contrach <sup>10<sup>20</sup></sup> Repairs, 85	12.05
2157	Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co.,	Phone Pound &atty ofc.	8.50
2162	Loring Bros.	Anti-Dust. Pipe	25.00
2169	J.W. Kreiss	Cleaning & laying carpet	3.75
2178	J.C. Turner	Furnishing & painting 4 bulletin boards	5.00
2179	" " "	Painting, papering & Vanishing Police Jup Room..	19.00
2180	Paul Reuther	Car fare while assessing	3.50
		<u>Amt. Forward</u>	<u>\$127.05</u>

Claims to.

	<u>General</u>		Amt. Forward \$	127 05
2181	Gibson and Titus	Cash paid for printing brief, etc	Law Printing	40 00
2191	Limberbeck Whittle & Co.,	Painting & papering City Hallway	Miscel.	85 00
2194	Adele Koop	Typewriting	Typewriting	25 60
2227	Mrs. L. B. West	"	"	83 60
2200	Brandzen & Co.,	1 Brief Calif. Natl. Bank 26 N. Kennedy	Law Printing	36 30
2228	S. A. Dist. Del. Co.,	Mess. Service H.P. Whitney	Miscel.	40
2229	R. L. Lewis	Cash expended filing briefs	Law Printing	56 5
2251	S. A. Dist. Del. Co.	Mess. Serv.	Miscel.	80
2252	S. A. Law Pub. Co.	Pub. notices words.	Printing	26 15
				\$430 55

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon,  
 Secretary

A. Julian  
 President.

San Diego, Calif., March 4<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form.  
Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read  
Minutes. and approved.

application  
for \$8000<sup>00</sup>  
improvements  
to the Skating Building  
Building  
Granted. Application having been made to make improvements to the Skating Building in the sum of \$8000.00 Said contemplated improvements are to be made in strict compliance with the City Ordinances.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to issue a permit for said above improvements.  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting. Aye.

Mrs. Henry  
Schaeffer  
granted  
a permit  
to erect  
a 3 story  
Brick to  
Cost \$17000.00 Application was submitted by Mrs. Schaeffer, together with plans and specifications to wreck a 3 story brick building on the corner of 4<sup>th</sup> and D. Streets on Lot "B" Block "43" Hortons Adv. to cost \$17000.00. Said plans and specifications being in accordance with the fire and building ordinances of the City of San Diego, Calif.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to issue the permit by the following affirmative vote  
Commissioners. Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Make the  
Manor Bldng  
Safe The Secretary was instructed to notify the owner of the Manor Building to immediately repair and place said building a safe condition.

Mr. Gilcher  
granted  
15 days extn  
plowing Howard Tract Upon motion being duly seconded Mr. Gilcher was granted an extension of 15 days on his contract for plowing the Howard Tract.  
Commissioners voting Aye, were, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Permit granted  
Dem. City  
Centr. Com.  
use Plaza  
March 20 & 21  
April 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Application dated March 4<sup>th</sup> '97. from Sec. Dem. City Centr. Committee for permission to use the Plaza for political meetings on the evenings Saturday March 20<sup>th</sup> and March 21<sup>st</sup> Thursday April 1<sup>st</sup> and Saturday April 3<sup>rd</sup>. There being no objection the permit was granted by the following vote  
Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Ayes.

The following bill was read and approved. Viz:-

Item 2273 A. H. Wilder

Park Improvement:  
5 days labor in park with team Labor a/c \$2000

The following Joint Resolution was read and ordered on file:-

"Joint Resolution #824.

Permission

from the  
Common Council as follows:

R. L. Viberg  
to erect a  
one story office  
and shed of  
corrugated iron. That permission be, and is hereby granted R. L. Viberg to erect a small one-story office and shed of corrugated iron on lot G. Block 89, Horton's Addition.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 824, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 23rd day of February 1897.

  
Scalz

Jos. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.  
By A. W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

Permit  
Granted  
R. L. Viberg

Upon motion being duly seconded a permit was granted to Mr. R. L. Viberg in accordance with said above Joint Resolution #824.

Commissioners

Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Calif., March 11<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes of  
Mar 4<sup>th</sup> Inst. App.

Minutes of Special Meeting of March 3<sup>rd</sup> and of  
the Regular Meeting of March 4<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Chief  
Fire Dept  
authorized  
to put  
door in bet  
upper & lower floor  
Eng. House

Commissioner Davis moves that the Chief of the Fire Department be authorized to employ Mr. Schaeffer to put in a door between the upper and lower floor in Engine House on Kearney Avenue between 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> Streets estimated to cost about \$80. Same was seconded by Commissioner Whitney and the said motion was approved by the following affirmative vote Commissioners. Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Communication  
J.D. Elec. Lt. Co.  
regard to  
Meters  
for  
Measuring  
Candle Power.

A communication dated March 6<sup>th</sup> 1897. from F.W. Jackson, Secretary S.D. Gas & Electric Light Co., in reply to ours of the 26<sup>th</sup> ulto., in regard to meters for measuring the candle power of arc lamps, was received and is as follows to wit:

"San Diego, Cal. March 6<sup>th</sup> 1897.

(Board of Public Works,  
City:-  
Gentlemen:-

In reply to your favor of the 26<sup>th</sup> ult. would say that we have not heard of a meter for measuring the candle power of arc lamps, but a rated 2000 candle power lamp consumes 450 watts per lamp. We have at our works a volt meter and an am-meter on each circuit which measures the current going out on the same, and they are open to your inspection at any time without any previous notice to us.

Very truly,

F.W. Jackson.

Secretary"

Above  
Referred to  
Common  
Council.

Upon motion the <sup>Secretary was instructed to transmit</sup> said communication <sup>was trans-</sup> mitted to the Common Council with a recommendation that they grant this Board the privilege of employing an expert electrician to test or measure the candle power of the arc lamps.

The following communication from the Board of Trustees  
Hentzelman Post No. 33. G. A. R. was received and ordered on file. Viz:-  
Communication

To the Hon. Board of Public Works,

In and for the City of San Diego:  
Regard to  
the unsafe  
condition  
of the Kastle  
Building:  
gentlemen:-

Complaint has been made to the undersigned Trustees of  
Hentzelman Post No. 33. G. A. R. that the building owned by Col.  
John Kastle, No. 631, Sixth Street in this City, is structurally  
weak and unsafe. We therefore most respectfully request that  
you will cause said building to be inspected and certify to  
its condition.

Most Respectfully,

James P. Jones,

Solon Bryan,

Board of Trustees Hentzelman  
Post No. 33, G. A. R."

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the  
notify  
Kastle  
to prohibit  
dancing  
in the  
Hall.  
unanimous vote of the Board the following Resolution was  
adopted: Viz:

Resolved. That Col. John Kastle, the owner of the  
building known as the Kastle Building located at #631-6<sup>th</sup>  
Street, be, and he is hereby notified to prohibit any dancing  
in the hall located in said above described building.

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned:

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. May 18<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes of last regular meeting was read and  
 minutes approved.

Ellen B. Scripps  
granted permit asking permission to lay sewer in lots Nos. 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> of Block No. 35 of La Jolla  
large sewer across Boulevard Street to Ocean below low water mark.  
La Jolla.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the  
 following affirmative vote, above was granted. Davis, Whitney and Julian

H. K. Coon  
granted permit improvements  
"D" St. lot 405 upon motion being duly seconded, Mr. H. K. Coon  
 was granted a permit to make improvements to building located  
 on lot G. block 36 Hortons adn. on "D" St. bet. 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Streets.  
 Commissioners voting Aye were Davis, Whitney and Julian

adjourned No further business the Board adjourned

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
 President.

San Diego, Calif., March 25<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form there were present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

Blasting permit Mr. Howard R. Harbison makes application to Blast on Lot I - Block 278 - 2<sup>nd</sup> St. Hortons Adv. and files a bond for \$500.00 with Frank E. Hilton <sup>and</sup> Maylor Newkirk as sureties.

Granted The permit was granted and the bond approved. Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

H. Hadermann The following building permits <sup>and</sup> improvement permits within the fire limits were granted by unanimous affirmative vote: corrugated iron W. Hadermann, permit to erect corrugated iron building on Lot G, Block 115-4<sup>th</sup> & <sup>1600<sup>th</sup> Building 4<sup>th</sup> & J. V.E. Shaw to remodel stairway leading to second floor in building known as the "Willard" located on Lot "L" Block 61, Hortons, Cost \$100.00 repairs on Willard</sup>

Bind Sewer Permit Secretary was authorized to bind the Sewer Permits.

Country Club The "Country Club" was granted permit to play golf along East Boulevard of City Park.

Dodge Ryan <sup>and</sup> Ryan were granted permission in accordance with their application of March 25<sup>th</sup> to erect and maintain a tent for a certain period of time on lots A <sup>and</sup> B of Block 18-Hortons Adv. Corner 5<sup>th</sup> <sup>and</sup> B. It being explicitly understood and agreed that they shall not in any manner conflict with the fire ordinances of the City.

Adjourned No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif., April 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 AM.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form there were present Commissioners Davis Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and Minutes approved.

City Represent.  
Com.-Granted  
use Plaza for  
Friday Eve.

A communication from the Republican City Central Committee asking the privilege to use the Plaza on Friday evening April 2<sup>nd</sup> 97.

By a unanimous vote the above request was granted.

J.C. Turner  
paint Police Dept \$300

Mr. J. C. Turner was awarded the work to paint the office of the Chief of Police in accordance with specifications for sum of \$360<sup>00</sup>

Childrens  
Home City Park  
insured by  
D.C. Reed & Sons  
premium  
therefor is  
\$48<sup>00</sup> - 3 yrs -

In the matter of Insuring the three story frame building and additions attached thereto, occupied as a dwelling and known as the Childrens Home, situate on the Howard Tract in the City Park, San Diego, Calif., for the sum of \$3000<sup>00</sup>

Upon a unanimous affirmative vote it was decided to give the privilege of insuring said above described property to D.C. Reed and Sons. The premium on said insurance will be \$48<sup>00</sup> for 3 years.

adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. A. H. Dixon Secy:-

A. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Calif. April 8<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form.  
present were commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

H. Moser Upon motion being duly seconded Mr. H. Moser was granted a permit to erect a one story brick store building on lot K, block 44, Hortons Addition, the plans and specifications having been submitted and found to be in accordance with the ordinances regulating the construction of buildings within the fire limits. The estimated cost of said building is \$2000.-

Bond J. S. Nickerson Bond of J. S. Nickerson to blast on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street,  
Blast on 22<sup>nd</sup> St. V. E. Shaw and C. L. Joslin sureties, was read and approved.

Geo. H. Hill Upon motion being duly seconded Mr. Geo. H. Hill was granted a permit to erect a Three Story Brick Store building at Cor. 6<sup>th</sup> & F. Streets on lot "L" block 70, Hortons Addition, the plans and specification having been submitted and found to be in accordance with the ordinances regulating the construction of buildings within the fire limits. The estimated cost of said building is \$20,000.-

Bills approved Upon motion the following bills were read and approved, viz:-

Claim numbers

Park Improvement

2278	San Diego Water Co.	Water	Feb'y 97	Water	\$525
2403	" " "	"	Mar. '97.	"	595
2294	N.B. McAniff	1 gal lard oil		Miscel	105
2367	The Hamilton Co.	3 hose sprinklers		"	225
2375	Wm Gilcher	22 yds manure		"	35
2396	Henry Appel	5 1/2 das labor		Labor	11
2413	W.A. Julian	1 vice Combr		Miscel	15
2435	Geo. B. Watson	100# blue grass seed		"	17
2330	Pay Roee			Labor	86
					\$17850

Claim No.

Street Sweeping.

2334	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 287
2391	S. D. Water Co.	water	4.80
2342	Daniel Waugh	Paste <sup>150</sup> Broom 12"	13.50
2345	W.P. Fuller & Co.	5 Gals 1inch Castor	5
2347	Ah Quinn	600 Head Bamboo @ 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	32
2349	Silvergate Oil Co.	Oil	1
2437	O. Darling	6 St. Brooms	3.60
			\$ 347.90

Street Sprinkling

2334	Pay Roll		\$ 18.
2352	J. Edwards	Hose for water carts	10.
2391	San Diego Water Co.	Water	20.90
			\$ 48.90

Genl. Repairs Street

2334	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 883.
2276	San Diego Water Co.	St. Troughs	14.35
2283	F. V. Hartwell	Drby	Water
2290	W. A. Julian	Sal. Ammonia & zinc for battery	115
2292	Peoples Transfer	Pipe & fittings, Pacific Beach water trough	3.70
2298	W. A. Julian	Putting out st notices	2.5
2343	Diamond Carriage Co.	Rep trough Old Town	32.25
2344	J. M. Crittenden	Julian & Doolittle, visiting work	3.50
2346	Pacific Transfer	Carting lumber Bill boards etc	2.
2348	Cutnam Field	Street notices along 13 <sup>th</sup> K to Park & A st etc	4.
2350	The Peoples Transfer	Notice Front St. grade	Printing
2351	E. M. Capps	Putting st. notices Cedar & 7 <sup>th</sup> st.	Miscel
2368	J. F. Jones	Car fare	2.
2369	Union Stables	18 loads gravel	4.50
2370	F. Landgen Bumgardner & Co.	Dbl. team Rose Canon & moorens Dam	1.5.
2371	Robt. Crockett	St. notices	Printing
2372	F. E. Davis	Sharpening picks	Blacksmith
2401	S. D. Hdw. Co.	Rep. Drill	8.10
2404	S. D. Water Co.	20-1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> bolts Engt.	4.05
2405	Eben Cassie	St. Troughs	Miscel.
2406	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Sharp plows	Water
2407	Geo. Hill	Notices	1.6.
2418	West Coast Lumber Co.	Rep. Chain	Blacksmith
2436	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	Lumber	37.00
2419	Hamilton Bros	"	1.50
		1/4 Dog Lantern globes	12.82
		"	3.68
		Miscel	.50
			\$ 1067.15

Claim No.

		Sewer a/c		
2331	Pay Roll		Labor	\$82.50
2319	W.A. Julian	1" Cap & time	miscel	2.75
2320	Todd & Hawley	1 Brick Trowel 1 1/2"	"	.90
2361	J.E. Davis	2- 6" " rep. wire & Hammer <sup>3.60</sup> <sub>.75</sub> <sup>.25</sup>	"	4.60
2389	San Diego Water Co.	2583 Tanks @ 150 gals ea. 387.450 @ 20 <sup>4</sup> m.	Water	77.50
2402	San Diego Lumber Co.	Lumber	Lumber	3.67
2417	Todd & Hawley	10# wire nails 8d.	Adw.	.40
				\$172.32

Public Works Department.

2327	Pay Roll	Pub. Wks.	Salary	\$325.00
2324	" "	Engr. Dept.	"	215.00
				\$540.00

Fire Department

2297	W.A. Julian	Rubber hose & time	miscel	\$1.10
2256	Wm. McBlain	Hoover	Hay	87.28
2263	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	Coal	57.5
2266	The Hamilton Co.	Saw blades, files etc.	miscel	1.85
2415	Russ Lumber & Mills	Lumber	Lumber	5.20
2429	Hamilton Bros.	Oil, soap, sponges, brushes etc	miscel.	.940
				\$110.58

Fire Hydrant

2390	San Diego Water Co.	191 Hydrants @ \$0.- per annum	Water-	\$1,273.23
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Street Light

2400	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light	Light	\$1521.00
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Public Building

2280	R. G. Clark	Building Horton Hose Co. Mo. March Rent		\$2500
2285	D. Hitchcock, agt.	Lot. I. B-99. Horton Add. " end Apr. 6.	"	12.50
2288	D. G. Stephens	City Hall	"	100.00
2290	L.F. Jones	I. 1/2 lot 2 Blk 41 Hortons " " 21.	"	25.00
2299	J.W. Lofton	I. 1/2 " H " 10 " " " Mch	"	30.00
2318	H.M. Stanton Agt	E St. B-762 New San Diego Mtl. Yd. Feb'y & Mch "	"	1000
2388	Frank S. Jennings	Keeping City Prisoners Mo Mch/Contract		50.00
2399	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light	Light	64.25
2412	D.C. Reed & Sons	Ino. Childrens Home 3 yrs	Miscel. Inv.	48.00
2423	Manuel Riveroll	Store Room Lot K. B-41. Hortons Jan. Adm. Mch Rent		3.00
				\$367.75

Public Health

2080	Pioneer Garbage Co.	Garbage	miscel	\$4.00
2360	Jones & Son	Towing Scow to Sea	"	\$225.00
				\$229.00

Claim No.

General ac.

2414	San Diego Carriage Co.,	Door braces for Bd. Pub Works, railing	Miscel.	\$1.00
2410	S.D. Water Co.	City Hall	Water	3.50
2409	S.D. Sewer Co.	ordinances	Printing	20.00
2397	J. G. Ingle	6 Yale pads <sup>600</sup> , <sup>1/2</sup> dog back Hammers <sup>150</sup> , <sup>1/2</sup> dog fasten <sup>100</sup> miscel	Miscel	7.95
2377	L.B. West	Typewriting	Typewriting	27.50
2355	Edwin M. Capps	Ex- to Moreno	Miscel	.50
2311	M.A. Wertheimer & Co.,	Election supplies City Clerk	"	113.85
2310	Putnam Field	200 blank letters	Printing	3.00
2308	Reed Burt Abstract Co.,	Use abstract books for assmt purposes '97.	Miscel	50.
2306	R.D. Paschen	Hauling material	"	1.75
2305	Sunset Ditch Co.,	City Hall & City Pound	"	8.50
2303	Geo. B. Watson	Ex to Los Angeles Comt. man regard Crematory	"	7.
2289	H.E. Doolittle	Cash adv. Kennedy vs. Cal Savings Bank	"	1.70
2279	S.D. Water Co.	City Hall & Pound	Feby	Water
2284	A.G. Kingsbury	Rep doors. Bd of Health	Miscel.	1.20
2296	W.A. Julian	" water pipes, Pound, Closet & Sink	"	3.50
2295	S.D. County	Recording law papers County Clerk	"	26.70
				\$285.65

Office ac

2281	J. A. Mumford	3 perforated chair bottoms	Miscel	30
2293	M.C. O'Brien	625 Mission St. 1 Lentell map State of Cala.	"	6.00
2312	W.J. Booth	Laying Linoleum on Bd. Pub Works	"	2.50
2313	H.L. Simmonds	85 yds. Linoleum @ 80"	"	68.00
2302	Loring & Co.,	5 mem. Gilard stands @ 75"	Stationery	37.5
2314	M.Q. Wertheimer & Co.,	Stationery	"	84.70
2379	Laura B. Anderson	2 B+ thin typewriting paper	"	2.50
2382	Stenhouse & Co.,	Letterheads	Printing	7.75
2380	" "	5000 legal Covers & Ends	"	32.50
2381	S.D. Towel Supply Co.,	Towels Mo March	Miscel	22.5
2382	Pioneer Garbage Co.,	Garbage	"	1.00
2416	Bala Rubber Stamp Co.,	Stamps, pads etc	"	8.75
2434	Gould & Hutton	Envelopes	Printing	5.75
				\$225.75

There being no further business the Board

Meeting adjourned.

Attest:

F.H. Dixon, Secy.

N. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif., April 15<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis Whitney and Julian.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and  
approved.

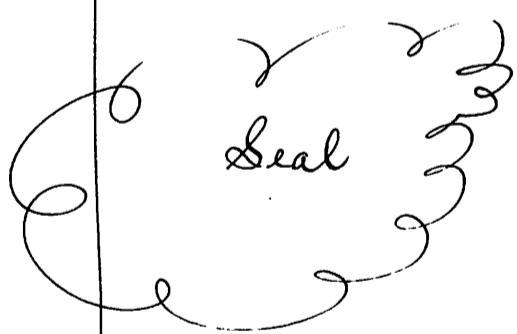
Joint Resolution No. 836.

Permission granted by the Common Council Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego  
as follows;

To A. Ellis to construct a corrugated iron building on lot 2, block 89, Horton's addition, That permission be and is hereby granted to A. Ellis to  
construct a corrugated iron building on lot 2, block 89, Horton's addition,  
Fourth Street between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Streets; said building to have a metal  
roof and to be used as a blacksmith shop.

Lat. S. Block 89 Horton's Adm 4<sup>th</sup> bct. 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a  
full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 836, passed and  
adopted by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Delegates of the  
City of San Diego, California, on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1897, and by  
a two-thirds vote of the Board of Aldermen of said city on the 7<sup>th</sup>  
day of April, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
clerk of the City of San Diego, and  
ex-officio clerk of the Common Council  
of the City of San Diego, State of California.  
By H. W. Vincent  
Deputy.



above permit granted to A. Ellis Upon motion the above was granted in accordance  
with said resolution by the following affirmative vote, Davis, Whitney  
and Julian.

City Engg. City Engg. Cappa was instructed to locate the  
inst. to locate lines of streets along waterfront at Roseville where it is lines of streets along waterfront at Roseville where it is  
line streets Roseville complained that fishermen are squatted on said streets.

Adjourned No further business Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Meeting was called together in regular form,  
present were Commissioners Davis Whitney and Julian.

Minutes.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Cover floor

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous affirmative vote it was decided that the office <sup>floor</sup> of the City Treasurer be covered with linoleum.

Permit to

The Sunset Telephone Co., makes application to blast upon Fourth Street and presents the necessary Five Hundred Dollar bond with W. J. Morgan and Frank P. Mary as sureties.

Bond approved

Upon motion being duly seconded the above bond <sup>and permit granted to blast on 4<sup>th</sup> Street.</sup> was approved, Davis Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Calif., April 29<sup>th</sup> 97.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Board was called together in regular form,  
present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read  
and approved.

D. T. Phillips makes application for a permit to  
change front in his building at # 916-5<sup>th</sup> St. and submit plans and  
specifications therefore.

Upon motion being duly seconded a permit was granted  
to said D.T. Phillips to make change in the front of said above mentioned  
building in accordance with said mentioned plans and specifications  
and in accordance with the fire ordinances of the City of San Diego, by  
the following affirmative vote, Commissioners Davis, Whitney ~~and~~ Julian.

City Treasurer  
permission to  
purchase typewriter

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous  
affirmative vote it was decided to allow the City Treasurer to purchase  
a typewriter for the use of his office, the cost not to exceed \$100.-

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned until Saturday at 10. o'clock A.M.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. May 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The Meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting  
minutes were dispensed with.

application  
change front  
in Cigar Store  
Lot. 4. Block 36  
Hortons Adm.  
Granted

H. N. Brain makes application to change front in  
Cigar Store located on Lot. 4. Block 36, Hortons Addition Cor-5 & 6  
Streets at an estimated cost of \$55-. Same not to conflict in any  
manner with the fire ordinances of said City of San Diego.

Upon motion the permit was granted in accordance  
with above, by a unanimous affirmative vote.

Geo. M. Entire  
applies position  
Supt. Columbia St.  
Park - \$250 per mth.

Application for the position of Supt of Columbia St.  
City Park, agreeing to care for same for the sum of \$250 per month  
by Geo. M. Entire, was read and ordered on file.

claim No.  
2712

Upon motion the following bills were read and  
approved. Viz:-

Fire Hydrant	Hydrant Rent 191 hydrants	J. D. Water Co. #127333
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2664

Public Buildings

D. G. Stevens	Rent City Hall	Rent	\$100.00
S. D. Gas & Electric L. Co.	" " "	Light	<u>\$55.50</u>
			\$155.50

2706

Public Health

Jones & Son	Towing Scow No. of April	Miscel.	\$325.00
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2696

Salary ac.

Public Works			\$325-
" "	Fengos. Dept.		<u>215-</u>
			\$540

2698

Park Imp. ac.

Public Works	Pay Roll. Howard Tract	Pay Roll	\$84.00
Hamilton Bros.	50 ft garden hose, rubber washers & bands	Miscel	<u>8.50</u>
			\$92.50

Claim No.

Lever a/c

2697	Pay Roll		70.-
2624	McKinzie Flint & Co.,	1 - 6x4- 1/2"	Miscel.
2652	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.,	5 pcos. 1x12-12 R.W. Bds.	Lumber
2655	Pioneer Truck Co.,	Hauling lumber, R.L.C., to Arctic St. & Mt. H. Yd. Miscel.	
2681	The Hamilton Co.,	1/2 dog hose menders, pad lock	"
2713	S. D. Water Co.,	2540 tanks @ 150 gals ea. 381,000. gals @ 20 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> . Water	7620
2716	J. C. Davis	1 Branch 1x6-4 Rep. - 2 picks	Miscel
			150
			\$15241

Fire Dept.

2673	Hamilton Bros.	as (10 Gal) Pearl 2 <sup>00</sup> 2 sponges 45 Polish Brooms, Duckets	Miscel	640
2674	The Hamilton Co.,	3 headlight lamps, sand paper	"	475
2676	Mr. McLean	Fodder etc.	Fodder	8689
				\$9804

Office a/c.

2619	Jno. S. Hill & Co.	Coal	Coal	\$2750
2658	Loring & Co.,	3 Brushes, Engt.	Miscel	235
2663	Pioneer Garbage Co.,	Garbage	April	100
2683	M. A. Wertheimer & Co.	Stationery	Stationery	6387
2702	C. M. Sullivan	500 Blank Commitments	Printing	750
2703	b. W. Stulte	Sash Curtains	Miscel	1030
2704	S. D. Towel Co.,	Towels Mo. April	"	225
2707	H. L. Simmonds	.80gds Linoleum, Treas. office	"	64-
2711	W. J. Booth	Laying "	"	4-
2715	Stonhouse & Co.,	Letter heads & Env.	Printing	6-
				\$18877

General a/c

2618	Bancroft Whitney & Co.,	Suppl Digest Cala Rps. (Law Book)	Miscel	9.-
2622	Sunset Tel & Tel. Co.,	Phone - Pound 5.- City atty 3 <sup>50</sup>	"	850
2620	J. C. Turner	Painting Walls & Woodwork Police of	"	36-
2628	b. S. Iverson	Ret. Ballot Box & Lgt. Rysta Ct House	"	75
2632	W. A. Julian	2-3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " Plugs - 1/2 hr. time Police of	"	35
2688	A. Levin	D. Team, 3 day's <sup>2</sup> - D. Team 1 Da. <sup>3</sup> -	"	15-
2701	Jno Hetzel	Copying Mayors message	"	4.-
2736	E. M. Lappo	Ex tomorrow, (Lappo)	"	350
2737	Mrs. L. B. Nash	Typewriting	Typewriting	26.-
				\$10510

Claim No.

Street Sprinkling.

2735	Pay Roll		\$292 00
2714	San Diego Water Co.	2196 loads @ 500 Gals ea. 109,800 Gals @ 20¢/H <sup>2</sup> O	\$219.60 of this 2 <sup>60</sup> ohgds <sup>leaking</sup>
2656	Parrot Carb	Rep. Sprinkler #2 & #3. repair valves, rods etc	Blacksmith
2660	Do.	" " #4.	"
			\$524 00

Street Sweeping.

2735	Pay Roll		\$295 50
2714	San Diego Water Co.	water ahead of sprinkler	Water
2654	Ah Quinn	200 head China Bamboo, brushes @ 5 <sup>1/2</sup> -60" do. 21 <sup>1/2</sup> Bamboo, Broom etc	18 20
2657	Saml Waugh	Making 2 brooms	Broom
2678	Silvergate Oil Co.	1 can Oil	Miscel
2679	The Hamilton Co.	1 Lantern	"
			\$342 80

Street Repairs.

2735	Pay Roll		\$955 35
2428	C. M. Hall	Hauling lumber.	Miscel
2617	Fifth Ave Livery Stable	20 sacks	"
2625	Theo Fintzelberg	Notary work	"
2620	W.W. Stewart & Co.	Powder, fuse etc	"
2633	W. A. Julian	Old Town trough ½" Galv. pipe fittings, time etc.	"
2647	Jeff Kindleberger	Filling & Setting Sawd	"
2651	Russ Lumber Mills, Inc.	1 - 2x12-14 R. Pine	Lumber
2680	West Coast Lumber Co.	55 prs lumber	"
2689	Grandgen Bungardner Co.	500 notices	Printing
2710	W.W. Stewart & Co.	Powder & Fuse	Miscel
2717	F. C. Davis	Sharpening Tools	Blacksmith
2719	Union Stables	Team to Rose Canon	Miscel
2721	E.M. Cappo	Car fare	"
			\$1008 81

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, May 6<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board met in regular session and the following Commissioners were present.  
Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes  
The minutes of the regular meeting of April 29<sup>th</sup> and the Special meeting of May 1<sup>st</sup> were read and approved.

J. W. Belding applies for Secretary  
A communication from S. W. Belding making application for the position of Secretary of the Board of Public Works was read and ordered placed on file.

Geo. H. Merchant applies for Sup't of Parks  
Geo. H. Merchant makes application for the position of Sup't. of Parks. Same was read and ordered on file.

Geo. B. Owen applies for Sup't Parks  
Geo. B. Owen proposes to take care of the Newtown Park and the Ladies Annex Park for the sum of \$4<sup>00</sup> per month. Said communication was read and ordered on file.

The following communication was read and ordered on file Viz:-

San Diego, Cal. May 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To The Honorable Board of Public Works,  
of the City of San Diego,  
Gentlemen:-

You are hereby notified not to approve the bill of the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company for lighting the City of San Diego for the month of April. For the reason that the said bill is not a legal claim or legal charge against the city of San Diego. Should you disregard this protest and approve said bill we shall at once proceed against you for malfeasance in office and to recover the amount of the bill approved by you from your bondsmen.

Respectfully Yours,

D. O. McCarthy

J. Harry McCarthy."

The following bills were read and approved.

Claim No.	<u>Public Building a/c.</u>		
2726	F. S. Jennings	Care City Prisoners Mo. April '97. Rent	\$50.00
<u>General a/c</u>			
2749	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Equalization & Ord. Notices	Printing
<u>Public Health.</u>			
2750	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Ordinance	Printing
<u>Street Repairs a/c</u>			
2751	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	St. notices	Printing

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Ulrich  
President.

San Diego, Calif., May 13<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form.  
Present were commissioners.

Davis Whitney and Julian.

Minutes.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

F. H. Dixon

authorized to  
confer with

D. W. McIntosh  
adjust loss by  
fire of the  
Childrens Home  
and sign proof  
for the same.

The following resolution was read and upon motion being duly seconded and by the following affirmative vote, viz. Davis Whitney and Julian the same was adopted. Viz:-

"Resolved that F. H. Dixon, Secretary of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Calif. be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to confer with Mr. D. W. McIntosh the adjuster for the Caledonian Insurance Company of Edinburgh, Scotland, in the matter of the loss by fire of the "Childrens Home" at San Diego, California, and to sign for said City, proof of loss of same."

A. H. Julian

re-appointed  
Member

Board Public Works.

A communication from Mayor, D.C. Reed, dated dated May 3<sup>rd</sup> '97. re-appointing A. H. Julian as a member of the Board of Public Works term expired. was read and ordered placed on file.

The following communication was received from the City Clerk. Viz:-

San Diego, Cal. May 13<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Hon. Board of Public Works,

City of San Diego, California.  
Gentlemen:-

Communication  
of retrenchment  
from the  
Common Council  
recommending  
the consolidation  
Secretaries Office  
of Bd of P. Works  
with the  
Auditor and  
Assessors

You are herewith notified of the adoption by the Board of Aldermen of this City on May 7<sup>th</sup> 1897, of the following recommendation of a "Special Joint Committee on retrenchment." Viz:-

We further recommend that the City Auditor be ex-officio Secretary of the Board of Public Works, without additional compensation other than the compensation he receives as Auditor and Assessor."

"And also, that the Board of Delegates of said City on May 11<sup>th</sup> 1897, adopted the following, viz:-

That the Board of Delegates recommend to the Board of Public Works that said Board appoint the City Auditor

Recommendation  
was ordered  
placed on  
file.

as Secretary of said Board of Public Works; also that said recommendation of the Board of Delegates was after passage referred to a conference committee, appointed for re-adjustment of Salaries.

Seal

Respectfully  
Geo. D. Goldman.  
City Clerk."

Filed. The foregoing resolution was read and ordered placed on file.

Following  
read and  
placed on file.

The following Joint Resolution No. 841, was received from the Common Council and ordered on file; and the Street Supt. instructed in accordance with said resolution which is as follows:-

Joint Resolution No. 841.

Resolution  
directing  
Supt. Streets  
to make  
for John  
Engelbrecht  
a new  
Assessment  
Roll for  
the Sidewalk  
and Curbing  
of First St.  
from D. St.  
to H. St.

In the matter of the appeal of John Engelbrecht, upon the assessment in the matter of the sidewalk and curbing First street from the south line of D Street to the north line of H street, in the City of San Diego.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

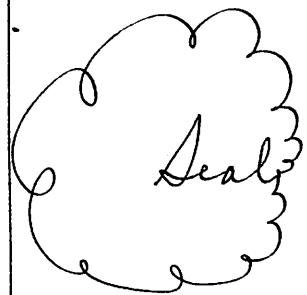
That the notice of the time and place of the hearing of said appeal briefly referring to the work contracted to be done and the acts, proceedings and determinations objected to and complained of by said appellant and directed to all persons interested in the subject matter of said appeal, has been duly published for five (5) days, and this being the time which has been set for hearing of said appeal under said notice, and all persons desiring to be heard in said matter having been heard, and the Council being fully advised:

Thereupon it is ordered, determined and decided by the Common Council that the assessment in said matter dated April the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1897, and recorded April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1897, in the office of Superintendent of Streets, be amended and corrected so that the cost and expenses of said work be assessed on the property on said street as provided for by law.

And the Superintendent of Streets is hereby instructed and directed to correct the assessment aforesaid to conform to the said decision of the Common Council in relation thereto, and that he issue a new warrant, with such corrected assessment to conform to the said decision.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a

full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 841, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman,

Clerk of the City of San Diego, and ex-officio Clerk of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, State of California.

By.

H. W. Vincent

Deputy.

San Diego, Cala - May 9<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California;  
Gentlemen:

Herewith please find copy of resolution adopted by the Auditing Committee of the City at a meeting held May 8<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

Yours respectfully,

Nat R. Titus.

Secy. Auditing Committee.

The following is the resolution.

"Be it Resolved by the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego as follows:

"That whereas Section 3 of Article 10 of the Charter of the City of San Diego provides as follows:

Sec. 3. No member of either Board of the Common Council and no officer or employee of the city shall be or become directly or indirectly interested in, or in the performance of any contract, work, or business with or for the city; or in the purchase or lease of any real estate, or other property, belonging to or taken by said city, or which shall be sold for taxes or assessments, or by virtue of legal process at the suit of said city. If any person in this section designated shall, during the time for which he was elected or appointed, acquire an interest in any contract with, or work done for said city, or any department or office thereof, or in any franchise, right, or privilege granted by said city, unless the same shall be divested upon him by law, he shall forfeit his office, and be forever after debarred and disqualified from being elected, appointed, or employed in the service of said city; and all such contracts shall be void, and shall not be enforceable against said city."

Resolution  
adopted  
by the  
Auditing  
Committee  
notifying  
all officers  
of City of  
San Diego  
that all  
claims in  
conflict  
with  
Section 3  
of  
Article 10  
of the  
City Charter  
will be  
rejected.

That whereas, it is the intention of this Auditing Committee to enforce said provision, and reject all claims presented against the City of San Diego which are in conflict therewith; and whereas it is further considered advisable that all officers of the City shall be fully informed of the foregoing section of the Charter.

Resolution  
instructing  
officers  
in accordance  
with  
Article 3  
of  
Chapter 10.  
of  
City Charter.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Secretary of this Auditing Committee be, and he is, hereby instructed to notify all of the officers of the City of San Diego that all claims presented to the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego, in conflict with the above and foregoing section of the Charter will be rejected and not allowed by this Auditing Committee, and that such notification shall be made by serving upon all officers of the city, by mail, a copy of this resolution.

Attest:-

Correct copy.

Stat. R. Titus.

Seal.

Secretary.

Resolution

The above and foregoing resolution was read and ordered placed on file.

Permit  
granted  
S.D. Hardware  
Company  
Change front  
their Store.  
Commissioners.

The San Diego Hardware Co., was granted a permit to change the front of their building on 5<sup>th</sup> Street between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Streets, the same to be in compliance with the fire ordinance regulating the construction and alteration of buildings within the fire limits of the city of San Diego.

Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

2000 rounds  
ammunition  
Target Practice  
Police Dept.

Upon motion the Secretary was instructed to purchase 2000 rounds ammunition for target practice for the Police Dept. There being no objection the same was granted.

J.J. McMahon  
application  
for Supt. Parks

Application from J. J. McMahon for the position of Supt. of the Newtown <sup>and</sup> Ladies Annex Park, agreeing to do the work for \$500 per month, was received, read, <sup>and</sup> ordered placed on file.

Jno. Falkenstein  
application  
Supt. Howard Tract

John Falkenstein makes application for the position of Supt. of the Howard Tract. Same was read and ordered placed on file.

O.C. Eberhart  
agrees to  
Sweep Streets  
for \$79<sup>00</sup>  
per month.

Mr. O.C. Eberhart agrees to sweep the paved streets in the manner in which they are done at the present time <sup>and</sup> furnish a good and sufficient bond for the faithful compliance of same and do said work for the sum of \$79<sup>00</sup> per month.

Said communication was read and ordered placed on file

Edgutwillig  
agrees to  
Sweep Streets  
for \$79<sup>00</sup>  
per month

Mr. Ed. Gutwillig agreed to sweep all the paved streets within the limits of the City of San Diego in a good and satisfactory manner for the sum of \$79<sup>00</sup> per month.

Said communication was read and ordered placed on file.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Calif., May 20<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

(Regular Meeting:-)

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and  
minutes approved

B.R. Arnold  
granted a permit to change front of building located on the  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Lot 1 in Block 114 Hortons Addition Same being on 5<sup>th</sup> bet 2 & J. Streets. Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted by the following vote Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.  
Lot 2-B-114

Secretary  
instructed to take bids on 50 copies of Police Rules bound in leather  
The Board of Police Commissioners make requisition on this Board to have 50 copies of the Rules of the Police Dept. together with a police school of instruction printed in book form and bound in leather. Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to take bids on same to be delivered at the next regular meeting. Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Applications of H.B. Stiles and J.E. Howard for the position of Supt. of the "Howard Tract" in City Park, were read and ordered on file, as was also the application of W.L. Hicks for the position of Supt. of any Park.

J.H. Jones  
applies Supt. Howard Tract  
makes application for the position of Supt. of the Howard Tract agreeing to furnish himself and team 12 months for the sum of \$750.- Same was ordered on file

W.P. Stone  
applies  
Supt. Curves. Same ordered on file.

Adjourned until Monday at 10 A.M.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Calif., May 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Monday 10 A.M.

Adjourned meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting  
 was dispensed with.

Communication The following communication was received, read and  
 ordered on file.

"San Diego Cal. May 24<sup>th</sup> 1897

To the Hon. Board of Public Works

of the City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

The Board of fire Commissioners would most respectfully  
 call your attention to the unsafe condition of the Fire alarm Plant  
 in case of fire, owing to the delicate construction it would be  
 easily damaged beyond repair should a fire break out in the  
 adjoining buildings or in the building in which it is located.  
 We would therefore recommend that your Board have the  
 said plant Insured immediately for a sum not less than  
 \$2500.-

\$2500.-

Respectfully,

J. B. Grow

Geo. R. Harrison

C. A. Dievendoff,

Commissioners"

Davis Upon motion being duly seconded, Commissioner  
delegated Davis was delegated as a committee of one to look after  
to get said and the building  
plant insured and building insured in  
 the sum of \$2500.00 The motion was carried by a unanimous vote.

Recommendation The following recommendation was transmitted  
 to the Common Council, Viz:-

"Office of the Board of Public Works,  
 San Diego, Calif., May 24<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

To the Honorable Common Council  
 of the City of San Diego.-

Construction

of a

6 inch

Sewer on

25<sup>th</sup>

Street

Estimated

Cost

of

\$ 2208.30

Gentlemen:

We hereby recommend to your Honorable Body that the sewer system of said City be extended by the construction of a six inch (6") sewer on Twenty-fifth Street, from the South line of the City Park, south along said Street, as far as the alley in block (7) in Bred & Chass's Addition to said City, to which point the sewer system of said City now extends.

We further recommend that the pipe used in such sewer extension be six inch (6") vitrified sewer pipe.

The cost of construction said sewer is estimated by the City Engineer of said City to be two thousand two hundred and eight dollars and thirty cents (\$2208.30), which estimate is on file in this office.

Respectfully Submitted.

A. H. Julian

A. O. Whitney

W. J. Davis.

Commissioners of the Board of Public Works."

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous affirmative vote the following recommendations were transmitted to the Common Council, Viz:-

"San Diego, Calif., May 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Common Council,

of the City of San Diego,  
Gentlemen:

In view of the fact that you have set aside \$1000.- for the erection of a fire Engine House upon Florence Heights. We would suggest that the barn that is now upon the Howard Track, which is a handsome structure and must have cost several thousand dollars, be moved upon the ground to be hereafter decided upon, for an Engine House in that locality, the moving and remodeling will not exceed \$500.- all told. The five hundred dollars saved in this way we ask to be transferred into the Park Improvement Fund, to be used in the erection of a more suitable building upon the site of the "Childrens Home" than could be made by remodeling of the barn. We believe by this exchange and transfer of money that both the Fire Company and the City Park would be better served and each have a more suitable building in point of durability and architecture.

Respectfully submitted.

Board of Public Works,

by S. H. Dixon, Secretary".

"San Diego, Calif., May 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Recommend

That

No Money

be expended

on new sewers

To the Hon. Common Council  
of the City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:

We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that there be no money expended upon the construction of new sewers.

"H" Street Main Sewer from Atlantic Street to State Street must be relayed with a good 24 inch cast iron pipe at the earliest possible moment, as it is now, it is liable to go to pieces at any time.

Therefore, we respectfully recommend and urgently request that funds be apportioned and set aside by your Honorable Body at your earliest possible moment to reconstruct the discharge or outlet pipe on lower "H" Street which is in a very bad condition.

We also recommend that the 385 feet of 6 inch sewer pipe on 2<sup>nd</sup> and Hawthorne Streets which is in a very bad condition, and which is supported by an old rotten trestle and is liable to fall at any time, be reconstructed immediately for the safety of the sewer system.

Also that 600 feet of sewer pipe that is now exposed from the grading of 22<sup>nd</sup> Street together with the flush tanks be reconstructed at once.

These urgently necessary repairs must be made before any new work can be thought of. The cost to do said very necessary and urgently needed work will in all probability exceed \$6000.00

For all new work we respectfully recommend that the City vote improvement bonds for the general construction and the extension of the main sewers within the City Limits, Also for the re-construction of the "B" Street flume in a good and substantial manner.

D Street should also be paved from 2<sup>nd</sup> to the Waterfront thereby saving the enormous sprinkling expense each year.

We recommend that your Honorable Body request the City Engineer to get up plans, specifications and estimates for such of said work as your Honorable Body deem advisable, and order an election for general Improvement Bonds at an early date.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Board of Public Works  
by A. H. Julian,  
President."

Rebuild "H" St.

Sewer-Atlantic

to State at

once.

Rebuild 385 ft.

6 in. Sewer on

2 & Hawthorne

Rebuild 600 ft.

on 22<sup>nd</sup> St.

Estimated

Cost of

above

\$6000.00

For all

New Work

Issue Genl.

Improvement

Bonds

City Engineer

make plans

&

Estimate

Call

Election

at once.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. H. Julian  
President.

Thursday 10 A.M.Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were commissioners Davis Whitney and Julian.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read  
and approved.

Election Officers It was moved and seconded that the Board  
now proceed to elect officers. Motion was carried.

President First in order is the election of President  
for the ensuing year.

There being no nominations the Board  
proceeded to vote with the following result. Viz:-  
A. H. Julian 2 votes. H. P. Whitney 1 vote  
Mr. A. H. Julian was declared elected  
President of the Board for the ensuing year.

Secretary Next in order is the election of Secretary  
of the Board.

There being no nominations the Board  
proceeded to vote with the following result. Viz:-  
F. H. Dixon 2 votes. J. W. Belding 1 vote.

F. H. Dixon having received a majority  
of the votes cast was duly declared elected Secretary  
of the Board.

Superintendent  
of Streets

Next in order is the election of Superintendent of Streets.

There being no nominations the Board proceeded to vote with the following result viz:-  
Fred Osburn 3 votes.

Fred Osburn having received the unanimous vote of the Board was duly declared elected Superintendent of Streets.

Superintendent  
of Sewers

Next in order is the election of Superintendent of Sewers.

There being no nominations the Board proceeded to vote with the following result viz:-  
S. P. Goldthwaite 3 votes.

S. P. Goldthwaite having received the unanimous vote of the Board was duly declared <sup>elected</sup> Superintendent of Sewers.

Further nominations & election of officers was dispensed with.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted by the following vote; viz:- Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

The resolution is as follows, viz:-

Resolved, that permission be, and it is hereby granted to the Pacific Wood <sup>and</sup> Coal Co., to put in and maintain a N.R. Switch to connect with the steamship Co's. track on 4<sup>th</sup> <sup>and</sup> K. Streets and to run along said 4<sup>th</sup> Street for a distance of about 60 feet, more or less, into their yard, (The Pacific Wood <sup>and</sup> Coal Co.) which is located on Block # 120. Said switch is to be laid in conformity with the plans submitted and on file in this office.

M. Hall  
permission  
to haul  
manner from  
Fire Dept  
2 times per  
week for  
the manner

Mr. M. Hall, San Diego, agrees to haul away all manner from the Fire Department free of charge.

The consideration being that said manner be given to said Hall.

In compliance therewith, it was moved <sup>and</sup> Seconded that all manner from Fire Department be given to M. Hall In consideration that said Hall call at the various Fire Engine Houses at least two times per week and haul said manner away. Davis, Whitney Julian, voting Aye.

Contract  
to  
A. Schiller  
making

2 Record Books  
\$26<sup>00</sup> patent back

In compliance with the call for bids for the making and furnishing two (Record Books, patent backs, for the City Clerk.

A. Schiller bids \$26<sup>00</sup>

Mrs. A. Schiller being the only bidder, he was awarded the contract by the following vote Viz. Davis, Whitney and Julian - Aye.

Gould & Hutton

50 copies

Police Rules

leather bound

for

\$43<sup>00</sup>

In compliance with a call for bids to be delivered at this office at 10 o'clock AM on Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1897, for the furnishing of 50 copies of Police Rules bound in leather as per sample submitted. The following bids were received, Viz:-

Gould <sup>and</sup> Hutton 50 Copies Police Rules \$43.00

Granden Bumgardner & Co. " " " " 62.50

Stenhouse & Co. " " " " 68.00

H. W. Hildreth " " " " 63.00

Garrett & Smith " " " " 78.00

- Gould <sup>and</sup> Hutton being the lowest bidder the contract was awarded to them by the following vote: Viz.. Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Application

Engg. Capps

for

Ass't Engr

X

One Chman

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Recommended

to

Mayor

City Engineer Capps makes application for an Ass't Engineer <sup>and</sup> One chairman. Upon investigation the following communication was addressed to the Mayor. Viz:- San Diego, Cal. May 27<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. D. C. Reed

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a petition from the City Engineer asking for one assistant Engineer and one chairman, in which we concur, and recommend to your Honor that it be granted.

Yours Respectfully,

A. H. Julian,

H. P. Whitney

W. J. Davis.

Board of Public Works,  
City of San Diego, California.

Supt Sewer

applies for

30 days leave

: absence

Superintendent of Sewers Goldthwaite makes application for 30 days leave of absence to commence on June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897. Upon motion the following resolution was adopted. Davis, Whitney and Julian Voting Aye.

The resolution is as follows to wit:-

"In view of the fact that Mr. S. T. Goldthwaite Super't of  
Sewers, of the City of San Diego, California, has been a faithful servant  
of said City for a number of years past, and he being desirous of  
a 30 days leave of absence commencing June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897, and it being  
the sense of this Board to allow him said absence. Therefore,

Be It Resolved, that Mr. S. T. Goldthwaite, Superintendent  
of Sewers of the City of San Diego, California be allowed, and he is  
hereby granted 30 days leave of absence commencing June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Granted.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Jackson  
President.

San Diego, Cal. June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Wednesday 10 AM.

Special Meeting:-

The Board met in regular form there being commissioners  
present David Whitney and Julian.

Minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting  
was dispensed with.

The following bills were read and approved. viz:-

Fire Department

2758.	Frank Schiefer	Partition & door on Enginehouse etc	Miscel	\$ 8.50
2805	Diamond Carriage Co.	Hire Horse & Wagon 2 1/2 days. Fire alarm wires 160 ft	"	2.50
2806	J.W. Tulloch	Reconstructing wires 6 ft K to 2 2 <sup>nd</sup> 12 days	"	30-
2807	Wm McClain	Bedding, Hay, Barley & Bran	Fodder	90 49
2841	Hamilton Bros.	Brooms, Brushes, Sponges Oil etc	Miscel	16.25
				\$ 147.74

Salary ac.

2860	Public Works Dept. Pay Roll			\$ 325.
2861	" " "	Engro.		2.15

Police Dept.

2770	N. A. Nichols & Co.	2 1/4 lbs Target Pastures	Miscel	1.40
2785	Do	2 1/4 lbs cartridges		28.02

Lever ac.

2870	Pay Roll			60.00
2784	McKinzie Flint & Winsby Sewer pipe 17x2 & 5x2.			240
2791	J. S. Buck Co.	1-4x6-7	20 bush 2 1/2 ft	.90
2818	Harry & Cheatham	Binding 2 Vol. Sewer permits		5.00
2819	F. E. Davis	1-4x6-7	22 bush 1 1/2 ft	1.20
2820	J. D. Water Co.	Water 2573 tanks @ 150 gals ea 385950 @ 20% Water		77.20
2834	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Ord. 437	Printing	2.65

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\$ 149.35

Park Drps

2869	Pay Roll		Labor	70.-
2744	J. D. Water Co.	Water	Water	19.85
2778	Leonard & Wade	Galo. Valves - Redwood posts & Labor	Miscel	9.10
2789	Todd & Hawley	Cult. Teeth	"	.75
2794	B. H. Hinkley	Irrigating trees	"	1.25

\$ 100.95

Claim No.

2889

John H. Davis

Dog Tax a/c

35 dogs to garbage scow

\$35.00

2880

J. D. Gas &amp; Elec. Lt. Co.

Street Light a/c

Light Streets no. may

1500.00

2817

J. D. Water Co.

Fire Hydrant

Rent 191 Fire Hydrants \$80. per annum Water

1273.33

Street Repairs

2868	Pay Roll	Labor	\$467.50
2729	James White	Miscel	1.00
2741	W.C. Rowe	"	.50
2746	J. D. Water Co.	Water	21.80
2752	E. Lassie	Blacksmith	.75
2765	E.C. Thorpe	"	3.50
2796	Peoples Transfer	Culvert & Pac. Beach, hauling for same miscel	2.00
2821	<u>E.W. Lappo</u>	Collecting Street notices	"
2822	F. E. Davis	Car fares	3.10
2829	W.W. Stewart	Rep. picks 23 steeling 7	Blacksmith
2831	J. D. Sunab Co.	2 lbs powder	7.50
2835	Pioneer Truck Co.,	St. notices	Miscel
2850	Union Stables	Hire Lumber wagon	Printing
2852	Eben Lassie	3 Seater team	.50
2873	J. D. Lumber Co.,	sharpening tools	3.00
2792	Jno F. Forward	Lumber	Blacksmith
2822	J. D. Water Co.	Recording right of way documents	1.70
		Rep. hydrants	Miscel
			10.90
			15.20
			\$561.59

Street Sprinkling.

2793	Parrott & Erk	Miscel	33.78
2823	J. D. Water Co.	Water for Sprinkling 2. 276,500 lps @ 25 = 455.20. Sweeping 5.00 - 450.20	450.20
2868	Pay Roll		428.00

Street Sweeping

2868	Pay Roll		291.25
2823	J. D. Water Co.	Water Sweeping	5.
2747	W.P. Fuller & Co.	Mch Oil	Miscel
2798	Saml Waugh	Making Broom	Broom
2799	Ah Quinn	300head bamboo @ 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{16.50}{120}*$ @ 12 $\frac{11.00}{12}$	" Mch
2826	Silvergate Oil Co.	Gasoline & Can oil	Miscel

Public Health

2871	Jones & Son	Towing Scow & usewhf no May	325.00
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Claim No.

<u>Public Building a/c</u>			
2763	County of San Diego	Use upper story to jail @ \$10. per mo. <sup>10 mos</sup>	Rent \$100.00
2773	D. G. Stephens	Rent City Hall "	100.00
2786	H.M. Stanton Agt.	Material yard April & May "	100.00
2797	Oliver G. Reed	Dr. Enghouse #18 Electric Battery & misc	112.00
2885	Frank S. Jennings	Rent jail May 10.- care prisoners \$50.- Rent 60.00	60.00
2881	S. D. Gas & Elec Lt. Co.	Lights	Light 53.25
			\$ 435.25

Office a/c

2753	Jackson & Chanter	49½ yd carpet c & h. mayors of. miscel	395
2754	L. G. Ingle	Rubber stepping - brick - mop. papers etc "	2295
2769	Gladburne Turn. Co.	3 pcs table cloth "	375
2771	City Carpenter Shop	partition Mayors ofa	16.00
2776	E.G. Hammond	repairs Board Pub Wks ofa	180
2787	J.W. Kreiss	Laying Linolium	160
2788	J.W. Hill & Co.,	Coal	550
2826	Stockhouse & Co.	Postal cards, letter heads & tally sheets	85.75
2800	Gladburne Turn. Co.	Table cover	275
2801	M. G. W. & Co.,	Stationery	34.18
2824	E. M. Sullivan	2 Pads plumbing Exam.	975
2825	W.B. Asher	2 Stamps 1 dated	100
2854	Harris & Heatham	Binding Mayors may	50
2874	Gould Hutton & Co.	12500 Tax Rec't Books 200 ea.	8750
2875	Laura B. Anderson	100 sheets Cobweb carbons	450
2876	Garrett & Smith	Prints repts. Sidewalk permits, Payrolls	Printing 1375
			\$ 295.23

General a/c

2725	John Forward	Conciliation Linda Vista Drag Tax miscel	200
2742	S. D. Water Co	City Hall, Pound April Water	350
2748	Dia-Carriage Co	Hack Hire, Clerk Moreno, Julian miscel	1400
2755	W.N. Barrick	Carpenter Work, Bl of Aldermen "	150
2833	S. D. Sun. Pub Co.	Notices	Printing 1465
2804	Sunset Del & Del Co.	Phone Atty ofo & Pound	miscel 850
2877	L. B. West	Typewriting atty	Typewriting 55.10
2844	W.T. Lemon	Rep. Number mch's & Binding mch's miscel	600
2845	S. D. Towel Co.	Towels 1	225
2767	So Cal. R.R. Co.	1000 miles T.R.R. Atty Doolittle	2500
2768	Otto Walter	Rent tables & chairs election	" 100
			\$ 134.50

No further business the Board adjourned

Attest: F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Sullivan

President:

San Diego, Cal June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Board met in regular session the following  
commissioners present Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

Advertise for Bids to Shoe Horses of Fire Dept. Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous affirmative vote the Secretary was instructed to advertise for sealed proposals for the shoeing of the horses of the Fire Department the same to be returnable to this Board in open session upon the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1897 between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M.

Chief Barnes mend Fire Hose

Chief Barnes was authorized to have the fire hose mended.

Pac. Mutual Life Ins. Co. Permit Change front 6<sup>th</sup> bet. A & G.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the following affirmative vote Viz:- Davis Whitney and Julian the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co., were granted a permit to change the front of their building on 6<sup>th</sup> Street bet. A & G Streets located on Lot N<sup>o</sup> Block 70. Estimated Cost of said change being \$500.-

Engg. Inst & Section Take Specifications Road Roseville to Old Town

Upon motion being duly seconded the Engineer was instructed to cross section the road between Old Town and Roseville and make all necessary surveys and specifications. Davis Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

Dixon, Osburn and Goldthwait Bonds approved

The official bonds of Dixon, Osburn and Goldthwait were presented and approved.

Resolution 847 filed

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council, Same was read and ordered on file and the Supt. of Streets instructed accordingly. The Resolution is as follows

"Joint Resolution # 847.

In the matter of the proceedings to open a street from Old Town to

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Roseville, in the City of San Diego,)  
California.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Whereas, Said Common Council, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1894, passed a Resolution of Intention numbered 83, to open a Street to Roseville in said City, through Pueblo Lots 326, 327, 321, 235, 226, 227, ~~and~~ 225, eighty (80) feet wide, from the northeasterly line of Pueblo Lots 326 ~~and~~ 327 to the intersection of Tide Street in Mansfield & Schillers Addition to Roseville with the easterly line of Pueblo Lot numbered 209, and thereafter, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1894, passed Resolution numbered 87, ordering the opening of said street to Roseville, eighty (80) feet wide, through said Pueblo Lots; and afterwards, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 1895, the said Common Council duly appointed L.B. Hakes, Jesse Gillmore, and Chas. M. Briggs commissioners to assess the benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the opening of said street; and

Whereas, It appears from the report made by said commissioners to this Common Council, bearing date May 14, 1897, and filed with the City Clerk of said City on the 17 day of May, 1897, and the report of the City Engineer of said City, accompanying the said report of said commissioners, that it is impracticable and impossible to open said street under the proceedings and in the manner and along the route contemplated by said above named resolutions, through said Pueblo Lots; and

Whereas, It appears from said report of said Engineer, accompanying the report of said commissioners, that in pursuance of instructions from this Common Council, he has surveyed a street from Old Town to Roseville, eighty (80) feet in width, over a different route from that contemplated in the proceedings taken under said Resolution numbered 87 (The plan of which said last named survey and report of the engineer accompanying the same were filed in the office of the City Clerk on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1897,) and that rights-of-way have been secured along said route last surveyed by said engineer, without any cost or expense to said City, except the expense of acknowledging deeds to the same, and that such deeds were given in consideration of the release and relinquishment by said City, of any and all right, title, and interest which the said city may have acquired in and to any lands of the several parties executing such deeds, under the proceedings taken and had by this Common Council under said Resolution numbered 87 and Resolution numbered 769, adopted by this Common Council under said Resolution numbered 87 and

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Resolution numbered 769, adopted by this Common Council on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1896; and also the refunding to the parties entitled thereto of any and all moneys paid by them as assessments upon the property through said Street passed, under the proceedings mentioned in said above named Resolutions; and

Whereas, It further appears by the said report of said commissioners that there has been paid, by various parties, the sum of \$36.60 upon the assessments made by said commissioners in pursuance of and in accordance with the provisions and directions contained in said three several Resolutions, above mentioned, and that all of the property assessed for the expense of opening said street and upon which the assessments were not paid were sold and struck off to the City of San Diego as the purchaser, for such delinquent assessments and that none of said lots were sold to any private purchaser; and

Whereas, It further appears by said report of said commissioners that the cost and expenses incurred by said commissioners in said proceedings, including their fees, amounting to \$219.60 no part of which has been paid.

Therefore Be It Resolved, That all the proceedings taken and had under said three several resolutions above mentioned, looking to the opening of a street from Old Town to Roseville, through said Pueblo Lots, be abandoned, and that no further proceedings be taken to that end, that any and all right, title or interest, which the said City may have acquired in and to any of the lands assessed by said commissioners under the proceedings taken and had in pursuance of said Resolution numbered 87 and said Resolution numbered 769 for the opening of a street to Roseville, be and the same is hereby relinquished and released.

That the Superintendent of Streets of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cancel all certificates of sale executed to said City as well as all sales made to said City for any of the said lands sold for delinquent assessments made by said commissioners, under the proceedings taken and had by said three several resolutions above mentioned, and that the City Treasurer of said City be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to refund to the parties entitled thereto the moneys paid to him, as assessments upon the lands along the line of said street, as proposed by said resolutions, provided, that the parties who are entitled to such moneys execute and deliver to the deeds for a public street through any lands owned by them, or any of them, along the route shown by said

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847.

last mentioned survey and plat of the City Engineer, filed with the City on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1897.

That the claim of the said commissioners for expenses incurred, including their fees, as set forth in their report last filed, be referred to the Joint Finance Committee, for investigation and if found to be correct and a valid claim against the City that the same be paid out of the General fund in the Treasury of said City.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 847, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City May 25<sup>th</sup>, 1897.



GEO. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. A. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. June 10<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:

The meeting was called to order in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes  
The minutes of the special and last regular meeting  
were read and approved.

P.P. Bonham & Co. makes application to place a  
boiler in the basement of the building located on Fourth St.  
between D & E, on half of lot "A" and half of Lot B, Block 43, Horton's  
Addition, the same to be in conformity with the ordinances governing  
the erection of Boilers and Engines in the City of San Diego.

Upon motion being duly seconded the above petition  
was granted by the following vote Commissioners Davis, Whitney  
and Julian voting Aye.

Arthur Small of the 1<sup>st</sup> St. Bicyclery makes application  
for the use of the Plaza for two or three days on afternoons during  
coming week for purpose of giving free public performances  
of Bicycle <sup>rick</sup> Riding.

Same was granted by unanimous vote.

Resolution  
from the  
Auditing  
Committee  
with a  
Statement  
showing  
condition  
of  
finances

The following resolution was received from  
the Auditing Committee read and ordered on file, Viz:-

"Be It Resolved by the Auditing Committee of the  
City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Secretary of this committee be, and he is  
hereby directed to furnish the heads of each department of the City,  
empowered to incur indebtedness, a statement showing the amount  
provided by the Common Council for carrying on such department  
the current fiscal year, and the amount expended by such department  
to June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897. Accompanying such statement with a notice that  
no claims against such department will be allowed by the auditing  
committee after the amount provided therefor has become exhausted,  
until further provision has been made by the Common Council."

Secretary  
instructed  
Send Comm to  
Council

Upon motion being duly seconded the  
Secretary was instructed to address the following  
communications to the Common Council: to wit:-

"San Diego, Cal. June 10<sup>th</sup> 1897

To the Hon. the Common Council,  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.  
Gentlemen:-

Recommendation  
To the  
Council  
To  
instruct  
This Board  
To  
build two  
new Scows.

We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body as a matter of economy that you instruct this Board to at once proceed to advertise for the building of two small garbage scows of 12 tons capacity each to care for the city's garbage. This will mean a saving of about \$150<sup>00</sup> per month over the present method.

To repair the scow now in use to make it suitable and safe to sail her, will require as much money, or nearly so, as it will to build two small scows. With two small scows, daily trips could be made and one scow would at all times be left alongside the wharf to receive garbage, thereby doing away with the much complained of stench that arises from the decaying garbage dumped upon the wharf and allowed to remain there for several days at a time, awaiting the return of the scow.

With the present large and impracticable scow, threefourths of the time is taken up in sailing her to sea and return, which necessitates the leaving of the garbage upon the wharf to decay and send forth this obnoxious stench so rightly and bitterly complained of.

The Auditor's Statement to June 1<sup>st</sup> shows that there has been used from the Public Health Fund during the past five months \$1813.21, and that there only remains for the remaining seven months \$1846.07, being only sufficient money to maintain the present mode of disposing of the city garbage till October 1<sup>st</sup>.

To make sails for the present scow will require three weeks time and an expenditure of some \$200<sup>00</sup>.

To repair said scow temporarily, or so as to make it safe for a short while will cost an additional \$300<sup>00</sup>, and your service will be incomplete and very unsatisfactory.

Therefore our recommendation to build two scows which we urgently recommend that you instruct us to do.

Respectfully yours,  
Board of Public Works,  
A. H. Julian, President."

"San Diego, Cal. June 10<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Common Council  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.  
Gentlemen:-

Recommendation  
to the  
Council

to  
place

\$1000. in Park Fund

and  
\$2000-

in  
Genl Fund.

We have received a statement from the City Auditor stating that during the past five months there has been expended from the Park Improvement Fund \$596.45, leaving a balance of \$12.43 to care for the Park during the next seven months.

Also that the General Fund has but \$482.26 to carry it for the balance of the year.

There will be \$3000.- turned into the City Treasury soon the same being due from insurance of the Childrens Home in the Howard Tract.

We respectfully recommend that your Honorable Body transfer \$1000. of said amount to the Park Improvement Fund and \$2000. to the General Fund.

Respectfully Submitted.

Board of Public Works.

A. H. Julian,

President."

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cala. June 17<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board met in Regular Session with the following Commissioners present Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Citizens Traction Co.

A petition was received from the Citizens Traction Co., asking for a permit to construct a turnout upon 4<sup>th</sup> St. bet. Grape & Hawthorne Streets: said turnout to be placed upon the east side of the present main track and distance therefrom eleven feet, between centers, the distance at which their present turnouts are placed.

Turnout 4<sup>th</sup> bet  
Grape & Hawthorne

Upon motion being duly seconded the above petition was granted, Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Pacific Wood

The Pacific Wood & Coal Co., make application to move their Barn, Sheds and office now on South end of Block #120, Hortons Addition, 100 feet north to make room for a more permanent building, said new building to be constructed of brick and to be 100 x 60 feet.

Block #120  
100 ft north  
on same  
Block

Upon motion being duly seconded the above petition to move said wooden buildings 100 feet north of present location for the purpose of erecting a brick building on the site now occupied by the said wooden building was granted, Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Golden Hill  
property  
owners  
petition for  
fire Hydrant  
on  
22<sup>nd</sup> & D  
filed

A petition was received which is signed by a number of the residents of Golden Hill, for a fire hydrant to be placed at 22<sup>nd</sup> & D Streets. The same was read and upon investigation it was found that there is but an  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch water main located in that district, this being entirely too small to attach a fire hydrant the petition was therefore ordered placed on file.

Lot Books

The Secretary was instructed to purchase 4 lot books for the City Assessor.

Ordinance  
# 438

Ordinance #438 from the Common Council and approved by the Mayor on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1897 authorizing the Board of Public Works to construct a

Construct  
roadway bet.  
Roseville and  
Old Town  
Sec. instructed  
Adu. for bids  
for same.

roadway or public street from Old Town to Roseville was read and upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids to be presented to this Board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock on Thursday July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897, for the construction of said road in accordance with the plans and specifications of the City Engineer on file in this office.

Commissioners.

Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

In accordance with a notice calling for proposals to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock on Thursday the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1897, to do the horseshoeing of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California in a good and workmanlike manner, and to the satisfaction of the Chief of said Fire Department for a period of one year begining July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

The following bids were submitted: to wit:-

<u>Contract</u>	<u>Geo. W. Carey</u>	<u>per horse</u>	<u>\$1.50</u>	<u>per shoe 37<math>\frac{1}{2}</math><sup>4</sup></u>
<u>To do</u>	<u>Eben Bassie</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>1.50</u>	<u>- - -</u>
<u>horseshoeing</u>	<u>Thos. H. Dunkin</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>1.40</u>	<u>per. shoe 25<sup>4</sup> Resetting per. set 20<sup>4</sup></u>
<u>Fire Dept.</u>	<u>E. J. Delorey</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>1.25</u>	<u>per. Month.</u>

Each proposal being accompanied with a certified check of \$25.00

Mr. E. J. Delorey being the lowest bidder it was moved and seconded the contract be awarded to said Delorey for a period of one year begining July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Checks  
returned

The certified checks of Messrs. Carey, Bassie and Dunkin were therupon returned to the respective bidders.

Meeting

There being no further business the board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. June 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board met in regular session with the following Commissioners present. Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication Secretary was instructed to address a communication

S.D. Gas & Elec  
light Co. to the San Diego, Gas and Electric Light Co., again notifying them to move their electric light lamp at India Street Bridge two blocks further north, in accordance with Joint Resolution #818 from the Common Council passed on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1897.

Permit  
granted to  
change the  
store front Upon motion being duly 2<sup>nd</sup> permission was granted to Mr. Ralph Granger to change the front of his building the Richelieu, on 5<sup>th</sup> bet C & D Streets in accordance with the ordinances regulating the alteration of buildings within the fire limits of the City.

Richelieu Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Bid for  
4 lot books  
awarded to In accordance with a verbal call for bids, for the making and furnishing 4 lot books to the City Auditor, to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1897, the following bids were received

<u>Harris &amp; Heatham</u>	Gould Hutton and Co., as per sample	\$38.85	
	R. Schiller	" " "	31.50
	Harris and Heatham	" "	30.00

It was moved and seconded that Harris and Heatham being the lowest responsible bidder for <sup>the making of</sup> said 4 lot books, be awarded the contract.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Bond of  
E.J. Delorey  
for \$250.00 Mr. E. J. Delorey presents a bond of \$250.00 as is required by this board, for the faithful performance of his contract for shoeing the horses of the Fire Department, the sureties being Fred Osburn and W.R. Rogers.

F.Osburn &  
W.R. Rogers  
Sureties  
approved. Upon motion being duly seconded the bond was approved. Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council Viz:-

"San Diego, Calif., June 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Common Council

of the City of San Diego, Calif.  
Gentlemen:-

Ordinance numbered 438, passed by the Common Council on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1897, in regard to the construction of a wooden pile bridge over Rose Canyon Creek on the La Jolla and Pacific Beach road in the City of San Diego, has been carefully considered and investigated.

To construct a bridge across the creek on the north side of the Pacific Beach Racetrack is impracticable.

Rose Canyon  
Bridge 1<sup>st</sup> Because it is absolutely essential to construct a bridge across the creek in Rose Canyon to accommodate that travel. This bridge should be made to answer the requirements of both roads.

2<sup>nd</sup> Because the construction of said bridge at said racetrack will necessitate the construction of a dyke at either end thereof, which will be much more expensive to build than the bridge itself. And both bridge and dyke are liable to go out any winter.

3<sup>rd</sup> Because the construction of said bridge and dyke at said racetrack is extremely dangerous to the public on account of its sudden proximity to the railroad track as will be shown by the accompanying diagram.

Now by continuing on the Rose Canyon route to the creek, constructing a bridge across said creek, and building a road therefrom to Alabama Avenue at Pacific Beach, will much better accommodate the public, save the construction of a bridge and dykes on north side of Racetrack, be a much better route in every respect, less expensive to maintain and will be entirely clear of the railroad track.

Further it is extremely doubtful whether or not the title to the right of way along the north side of the Pacific Beach Racetrack is vested in the City.

In view of these facts we have instructed the City Engineer to locate a roadway from a point where said bridge will be located to Alabama Avenue at Pacific Beach and upon so doing the City Attorney will proceed to acquire title to those pieces or parcels of land over which the City has not the right of way.

Respectfully submitted,  
Board of Public Works,  
by F. H. Dixon, Secy.

"San Diego, Cal. June 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Common Council.  
of the City of San Diego.  
Gentlemen:-

Communication  
Common  
Council  
No  
Funds  
advertize  
for  
Fire Engine  
Upper 5<sup>th</sup> St

There being numerous inquiries from some of the Councilmen and many of the property owners of upper 5<sup>th</sup> Street as to why we have failed to advertise for a Chemical Engine for upper 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

Will say that while we would be very much pleased to do so, we are unable to see where the funds are coming from to pay for it.

We attach herewith a statement from the Chief of the Fire Department showing the fixed charges for the seven months beginning June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897 and ending December 31<sup>st</sup> 1897, to be \$9044.50, and a statement from the City Auditor shows that there will be but \$9462.32 in said fund for said time. This leaves an excess balance of \$417.82.

Estimated Cost Engine \$2200.- Building for same \$2500.- 2 Horses \$400.- Driver & Engineer \$900.- Hay, grain, etc \$150.- Incidentally \$50.- Making total of \$6200.- with but \$400.- to pay for same. This is our reason for not advertising.

Respectfully,

Board of Public Works,  
by A. H. Dixon, Secy.

There being no further business the board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. June 26<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Saturday 11 A.M.

Called Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The Board was called together to take some action in  
the matter of Mo. G. M. Havice, Supt. of the Howard Tract, said Havice is  
performing the duties required of him at said Park and the Board  
find that at present there is no way by which he can receive pay for  
the services rendered as there is no money in the Park Improvement  
Fund.

Whereupon the following resolution was adopted by a  
~~unanimous~~ by the following affirmative vote. Davis, Whitney & Julian.

~~M. M. Havice  
Suspended.  
Lack of  
Funds to  
pay salary~~  
There being no money in the Park Improvement Fund  
to pay the Salary of the Supt. of the Howard Tract and to meet the  
necessary expenses for taking care of said Tract: and as the ordinance  
passed by the Common Council proposing to pay the keeper of said  
Tract out of Salary Fund has been vetoed by the mayor, Therefore  
Be it Resolved, That Mo. G. M. Havice be, and he is hereby suspended  
as Supt. of the Howard Tract until such time as there is money in  
said Fund to pay said Havice for his services, and that the Water Co.,  
be notified at once to shut off the water from said Tract until  
further notice.

Yours Respectfully,  
Board of Public Works,  
by F. H. Dixon, Secy."

No further business the Board adjourned

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board met in regular session with the following Commissioners present. Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

S.T. Goldthwaite resigns, same  
take effect on  
July 1<sup>st</sup> 97.

A communication was read from Mr. S.T. Goldthwaite resigning as Supt. of Sewers of the City of San Diego, California, said resignation to take effect on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1897.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was accepted by the following vote, Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

T. M. Shaw  
appointed  
Supt. of Sewers

A communication was read from Mr. T. M. Shaw applying for the position of Superintendent of Sewers.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the following affirmative vote, Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, Mr. T. M. Shaw was appointed Superintendent of Sewers of the City of San Diego, California.

G.J. Furlong  
granted  
a permit to  
repair building  
corner  
4<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> St.

Mr. George J. Furlong makes application to repair his building, located on the South West corner of 4<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> Streets on lot L of block 120 Horton's Addition. Same to be done in accordance with the ordinances regulating the construction of buildings within the fire limits of the City of San Diego.

Upon motion the permit was granted, Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

J.S. Nickerson  
granted  
permit to  
blast on Front  
betw. Dog & Laurel  
Bond approved.

J. S. Nickerson presents a bond for \$500.00 giving A. G. Yaseen <sup>and</sup> J. F. Wadham as sureties, the same is to blast on Front Street between Dog <sup>and</sup> Laurel Streets.

Upon motion the same was approved and a permit granted said Nickerson to blast between said points. Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

The following bills were read and ordered

Approved, Vig.

Pay Roll

" "

Sewer Dept.

Engt. " "

\$69.50

215.00

Pay Roll	Public Works office Dept.	\$ 225.00
" "	Street Dept.	
" "	Repairs	\$ 375.00
" "	Sweeping	295.50
" "	Sprinkling	492.00
		\$ 1162.50

In accordance with a notice calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1897, to grade a road or carriage way from the intersection of Witherby street and the unnamed street along the southwesterly line of Old Town; thence running northwesterly along said unnamed street for a distance of 439 feet; thence 73° west<sup>and</sup> along the center line of the newly acquired right of way to the intersection of Tide and 38<sup>th</sup> Streets in Mannasse & Schillers Addition to Roseville. The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, and in accordance with said advertisement the following bids were submitted which the Secretary was instructed to read. Viz:-

H.M. Thomson  
awarded

Contract

Grade the

Roseville

Roadway

Bidder	Amt. Certified Check	Amt. of Bid
Goodbody & Rosner	\$ 45.00	\$ 796.14
J. S. Nickerson	45.00	830.00
John Engelbrecht	50.00	764.00
R. F. Smith	75.00	685.00
John Kelly	35.00	699.00
H.M. Thomson	20.25	605.16

Mr. H.M. Thomson being the lowest bidder, upon motion being duly seconded the contract was awarded to said Thomson by the following vote.  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Water

turned off

Newtown

Park

The following resolutions were adopted by the Board. Viz:-

Be it Resolved that the San Diego Water Co. be and is hereby notified to at once turn off the water from the Newtown Park said action being taken on account of lack of funds. Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

Water

turned off

Ladies

Annex Park

Be it Resolved that the San Diego Water Co. be and is hereby notified to at once turn off the water from the Ladies Annex Park, said action being taken on account of lack of funds. Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday at 10. A.M.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. July 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form commissioners present were Davis Whitney and Julian.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The following resolution was adopted, viz:-

Resolved that the San Diego Water Co. be authorized and they are hereby ordered and directed to turn on the water in the Newtown Park and the Ladies Annex Park to the City of San Diego, California.

Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Whitney Absent (gone home)

The following bills were read and ordered approved.

Fire Department.

2901	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	Kindling for Eng. #1 & 2 - & 1 Plank 2x6-24 Miscel	\$ 8 71
2906	S. D. Water Co.,	Water month of May Water	9 25
2940	J. M. Ballow	Rent Lot J-BL 35, bell tower, Apr. may June Rent	3 00
2950	Goodyear Rubber Co.	1 Doz 2 1/2 in hose couplings	Miscel 30 00
2951	A. B. Cairnes	1# Hdwr.	" 25
2952	W <sup>m</sup> McLain	Fodder	\$ 98 47
2953	Union Stables	Hire Horse 9 days @ 50¢	Miscel. 4 50
2954	Dick Yo.	Carrots fire dept June	" 2 00
2980	Hamilton Bros.	Soap, brooms, sponges, polish, oil & salts	8 25
2991	S. D. Hdwr. Co.,	By Eng & Hydrant packing	" 2 40
3021	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Notice to Contractors,	" 3 0
3039	S. D. Water Co.,	Water month of June	Water 9 25
3052	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	3 pcc 2x8-12	Lumber 9 7
			<u>\$ 177 35</u>

Police Department.

3049	Grandzen Bumgardner & Co.	500 permits concealed weapons	Printing	7 50
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Claim No.

Street Repairs

2977	Pay Roll	Labor	\$375 00
2853	W.H. Buck	Miscel	55 73
2878	Diamond Carriage Co.	"	3 00
2895	Graham & Weldon	Lumber	11 50
2897	S.D. Water Co.	Water	18 65
2898	Hamilton Co.	Adw.	4 50
2903	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	Lumber	44 24
2913	F.C. Hartwell	Miscel	3 35
2924	Stephens & Son	"	5 50
2938	C. H. Hinkley	Spinkling trees on 5 <sup>th</sup> St.	10 00
2981	San Diego Water Co.	Rep. Fire Hydrants	11 50
2982	Eco. Schmidt	sharpening plow points	2 25
2983	E.M. Lappo	car fare	2 90
2984	The Hamilton Co	nails	2 25
2985	Union Stables	dbl team	3 00
3013	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	7 84
3016	Diamond Carriage Co	3 Seater Roseville road	3 50
3023	S.D. Sun Pub Co.	St notices & contractors	1 25
3026	Frank Foley	Drayage	50
3032	F.C. Davis	Rep. picks	20
3034	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep. watering troughs	1 50
3036	C.H. Hinkley	Irrigating trees on Walnut Street	1 50
3037	S.D. Water Co.	Street Troughs June	19 40
3047	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	Lumber	46 64 6 36 86 <u>\$636 80</u>

Street Sweeping.

2977	Pay Roll	Labor	\$295 50
2987	S.D. Water Co.	Water	520
2944	Clarke & Randt	Blacksmith	10 70
2946	Ah Quin	Bamboo brushes	21 60 150
2957	Saml Waugh	Making Broom $\frac{1}{2}^{\text{do}}$ Paste $\frac{5}{50}$	12 00
2986	E.O. Rogers	Bolts St Sweeper	Blacksmith
3017	Standard Iron Works Washers	"	2 70 3 08 43 <u>\$348 45</u>

Street Sprinkling

2977	Pay Roll	Labor	\$492 00
2928	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep. Sprinkler	225
2945	Parrott & Cb.	" "	3 150
2987	S.D. Water Co.	Sprinkling streets	Water
			<u>640 10</u> 6 40 10 <u>\$1137 85</u>

Claim No.

Sewer a/c

2976	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 69.50
2935	J. J. Buck	Cement	.25
2995	Leonard & Wade	Miscel	1.80
2996	Jno. H. Woolman	Repair	.70
2997	J. D. Water Co.	Water	76.80
3022	F. E. Davis	Blacksmith	.10
3048	Frandgen Bumgardner & Co. 1 Book Sewer permits	Printing	12.00
			<u>\$169.45</u>

Salary a/c

2971	Public Works Dept.	Labor	\$ 325.00
2972	Engineers "	"	215.00
			<u>\$540.00</u>

Street light

2757	J.D. Gas & Elec Lt Co	Street	April	Light	\$ 1462.50
3011	"	"	June	"	1500.00
					<u>\$2962.50</u>

Park Improvement

3046	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 60.66
2904	J. D. Water Co.	Water	22.05
2932	Sterne Bros	Miscel	80
2915	" "	"	80
2937	B. H. Hinkley	"	125
3012	The Hamilton Co.,	Hdw.	140
			<u>\$86.96</u>

Public Health

2958	E. H. Sullivan	10 Book Burial Permits 10 shipping permits	Printing	16.05
2999	Jones & Son	Towing Garbage Scow to sea	June	325
3031	" "	4 pds 3x6x24	Lumber	42.5
				<u>\$345.30</u>

Public Building

2914	L. F. Jones	1/2 lot 2 BK 41. Hortons Adm	Rent.	25
2924	D. Hitchcock	Lot 2 BK 99 Hortons to July 6 <sup>th</sup>	"	12.50
2925	J. W. Sefton	1/2 Lot H. BK 10 Hortons June	"	30.00
2931	D. G. Stephens	City Hall	"	100.00
2942	R. G. Clark	L. D. R 112 Hortons	"	25
3044	J. Jennings	Care city Prisoners June	"	60
				<u>\$252.50</u>

Claim No.

Office a/c

2900	The Hamilton Co.	5 letter box plates	misc.	\$2 00
2902	Pioneer Garbage Co.	garbage	"	1 00
2907	J. S. Johnstone & Son	2 dog chimneys & fix	"	3 15
2908	S. D. Furn. & Carpet Co.	1 Lounge arm chair, varnish desks	"	48 85
2912	G. B. Hartwell	Rep. Mayor's, bells & chief bell bells etc.	"	6 5
2916	Palace Crockery Store	1 Cuspidore	"	6 0
2917	Geo. McEntire	Shelvrs. office	"	2 50
2918	R. Schiller	6 volumes Tax certf.	Printing	21 00
2927	Julian Plumbing Co.	Pipe, screws, bracket lamp etc	Adv.	7 75
2956	E. M. Sullivan	7 Books 30c ea.	Printing	28 45
2959	M. A. Wertheimer & Co. Stationery	"	Stationery	16 05
2962	M. A. Wertheimer "	"	"	2 40
2993	Pioneer Garbage to Garbage	June	misc	1 00
3018	S. D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels	"	2 25
3025	Bradburne Furn Co.	Cloth for 5 desks. & 1 desk	"	39 50
3029	H. J. Lemon	Work on safe	"	1 50
				<u>\$178 65</u>

General a/c

2896	Graham & Weldon	6 election booths for election Apr. 6	misc.	\$12 00
2909	S. D. Water Co.	City Hall & Pound May	Water	3 50
2910	S. P. R. R. Co.	1000 mile ticket atty.	misc	20 00
2911	Loring & Co.,	Engro. Scale	"	1 25
2920	The Sunset Oil & Gas Co.	Rent Phone Hall & Pound	"	8 50
2939	Ino. G. Forward	Deed to E Parker & et al.	"	2 00
3009	L. R. West	Typewriting	Typewriting	38 80
3010	Westinghouse Electric System	Plaza	lights	5 00
3015	Diamond Carriage Co.	Team 2 days	misc.	6 00
3022	S. D. Sun Out. Co.	ordinances etc	Printing	6 35
3038	S. D. Water Co.	Hall & Pound June	Water	3 50
				<u>\$116 90</u>

Fire Hydrant

3005	S. D. Water Co.	191 Fire Hydrants @ \$0 <sup>00</sup> per annum	Water	\$127333
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No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Secy

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. July 8<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

The Board met in regular form present were commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian

The minutes of July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897. were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions from the Common Council were received, read and ordered on file. viz:-

Joint Resolution #855.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to investigate the grade of "A" street from the water front to 14<sup>th</sup> Street; also the grade of 14<sup>th</sup> street from the water front to the City Park; and the grade of eighth street from "B" street to the City Park, and report to the Common Council the advisability of making any change, and report what changes should be made in the grade of these several streets.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #855, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.

Jos. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By W.W. Vincent, Deputy.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Engineer in accordance with the foregoing resolution.

Joint Resolution #856.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby directed and instructed to immediately notify the San Diego Water Company to turn on the water at the Newtown Park situated in said City between "A", "B"; India and Columbian Streets, in order that the lawns and other vegetables growing in said Park may be irrigated.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution

Turn Water  
on  
Park

#856, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The Board having already ordered the water turned on the Newtown Park the foregoing communication was ordered on file

Joint Resolution #859.

Be It Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, authorized and empowered by the City Charter and Common Council to expend City funds shall on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of each and every month make an itemized report to the Common Council of the money expended during the previous month, and for what purpose expended;

Inventory of Supplies & Statement to Common Council  
That the Board of Public Works of said City is hereby required and directed, immediately after the adoption of this Resolution, to report to the Common Council the amount of stock and supplies of all kinds on hand belonging to said City, and thereafter, on the first Monday of each month, beginning with the first Monday of August, 1897, report to the Common Council the amount of all such supplies and stock on hand, together with a statement of the amount, kind and value of supplies furnished to each department of the City Government, for the month next preceding the making of such report.

That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause the same to be published one time in the official newspaper of said city, to-wit The San Diegan-Sun.

I hereby certify that the indebtedness incurred by reason of the provisions of the foregoing Joint Resolution may be incurred without violating any of the provisions of the Charter of the City.

Dated July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

Nat R. Titus, City Auditor.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #859, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,

City Clerk

By H. W. Vincent,

Deputy.

The Secretary was instructed accordingly.

State division  
league  
near Plaza

San Diego State Division League make application, through B. A. Stephens, chairman Executive Committee, for the use of the Plaza on Saturday Evening the 17<sup>th</sup> inst.

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup>  
inst.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted by the following vote Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

Grand Army  
use of Street  
11 & 12<sup>th</sup> Aug.

It was moved and seconded that the Grand Army Corps be granted a permit to use portion of street on I bet 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> during Month of August. Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

Card to  
Committee  
Health & Morals

The Secretary was instructed to address a card to the committee on Health & Morals asking them if they can meet the Board at their office at 2 o'clock P.M. Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> inst.

T. M. Shaw  
Bond  
approved.

T. M. Shaw filed his bond for \$5000.- with J. S. Nickerson Wm Osburn, James Vernon, Thomas Kneale <sup>and</sup> John R. Seifert as sureties in the sum of \$2000.- each. The same was approved by the Board Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

Appointment  
of  
T. M. Shaw  
filed

The Secretary was instructed to make out T. M. Shaw's appointment dating it July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897, in compliance therewith the following was transmitted to Mr. Shaw.

"San Diego, Calif., July 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

T. M. Shaw:

City:-

Sir:-

In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 11. of Chapter 1. Article 5. of the Charter of the City of San Diego, California, you are hereby appointed Superintendent of Sewers in and for the City of San Diego, California, vice S. T. Goldthwaite resigned.

Board of Public Works

by A. H. Julian,

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

President"

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council, viz:-

"San Diego, Calif., July 8<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Honorable the Common Council

of the City of San Diego, Calif.,  
Gentlemen:-

At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, held on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July 1897.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to your Hon. Body. Viz:-

Upon June 8<sup>th</sup> 1897, the Board of Public Works was served with the following resolution from the Auditing Committee. Viz:-

"Be it resolved by the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Secretary be, and he is hereby directed to furnish the heads of each department of the City, empowered to incur indebtedness a statement showing the amount provided by the Common Council for carrying on such department the current fiscal year, and the amount expended by such department to June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897. Accompanying such statement with a notice that no claim against such department will be allowed by the Auditing committee after the amount provided therefor has become exhausted until further provision has been made by the Common Council."

The Statement accompanying same shows the net revenue provided by tax levy for the year 1897, for Park Improvement Fund to be \$609<sup>88</sup>, and the amount expended from said fund for the five months ending June 1<sup>st</sup> 1897, to be \$596<sup>45</sup> leaving a balance of \$13<sup>43</sup> to pay the expenses of the three City Parks for the balance of the year, or seven months.

In answer to a communication addressed to the City Attorney asking for an opinion regarding the liability of the board for contracting for more work than there is money to pay for in the City Treasury the following is the Summary. Viz:-

"It is the duty of the Common Council to provide the revenue for the year and if sufficient provision has not been made with which to meet the expenses of the year, I would advise you not to incur any further expenses until you are satisfied that money is now on hand, or will be received out of this years revenue or income, with which to satisfy any obligation which you may incur."

In view of the resolution from the Auditing Committee and the opinion from the City Attorney there appeared to be no other alternative but to suspend Superintendent Havice of the Howard Tract Park and turn off the water from said park, which was done on June 26<sup>th</sup> and on July 1<sup>st</sup> the water was turned off from the Ladies Annex Park and the Newtown Park.

On July 7<sup>th</sup> the Board, contrary to the resolution from the Auditing Committee and the advice from the City Attorney decided to order the water to again be temporarily turned on to the Newtown<sup>and</sup> the Ladies Annex Parks trusting to the good judgment of your Honorable Body to supply funds to meet the expenses incurred thereby.

The Howard Park is suffering for want of water. There should be a provision made to protect the trees and shrubbery which have cost this city thousands of dollars to place there.

The transfer of \$100<sup>00</sup> by your Honorable Body to the Park Improvement Fund was not sufficient to liquidate the expenses incurred on the Parks during the portion of June that the Parks were being cared for.

The water last year for the Parks cost on an average for four months comprising July, August, September <sup>and</sup> October \$3<sup>31</sup> per month, and the expense including water for said 4 months averaged \$132<sup>26</sup> per month. And the expense to maintain said parks from July 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 1896 was \$710<sup>65</sup> or \$118<sup>44</sup> per month.

We recommend that your Honorable Body transfer the sum of \$700<sup>00</sup> to the Park Improvement Fund for the preservation of said Parks for the six months ending December 31<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Respectfully Submitted.

Board of Public Works,

by F. H. Dixon, Secretary."

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest,

F. H. Dixon Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. July 10<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Saturday 2 P.M.

Special Meeting:-

The Board met in regular form the Commissioners present were Davis Whitney and Julian

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Bond of  
H.H. Thomson  
approved

Mr. H.H. Thomson presents his bond for approval the sureties on same being Mary A. Williams and A. Mc Jennings in the sum of \$10000 each. Said bond is for grading a wagon road from Old Town to Roseville and the required bond is \$10000.

Upon motion being duly seconded the bond was approved. Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Material  
Bond of H.H.  
Thomson  
Approved

Mr. H.H. Thomson also presents a bond of \$205.- to protect materialmen, Labor etc with Mrs. Mary L. Williams and E.L. Webb as sureties.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was approved. Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned

The committee on Health and Morals having been invited to meet the Board of Public Works at the office of said Board at the hour of 2 o'clock P.M. this day, and it is now 3 o'clock P.M. and W.J. Morgan being the only member of said committee present the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon Secy:-

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. July 15<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M. -

Regular Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney, and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the meetings held on the 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> inst. were read and approved.

The following communication was received from the Joint Health and Morals Committee of the Common Council, Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

The Health and Morals Committee, to whom was referred the accompanying communication from the Board of Public Works, herewith recommend that said communication be referred back to said Board for answers to the following questions:

- 1<sup>st</sup> What is to be the capacity of the scows?
- 2<sup>nd</sup> What is to be the cost of construction?
- 3<sup>rd</sup> How are they to be propelled?
- 4<sup>th</sup> How many employes will be required to care for the scows and carry the garbage out to sea?
- 5<sup>th</sup> What will these employes cost, as well as all other expenses, such as fuel, etc?
- 6<sup>th</sup> Have any wharf privileges been secured, and if so for what limit of time and at what cost?

Respectfully,

A. Beard, J.M. Williamson

A.C. Dodson, H.W. Alden.

The communication referred to in the above report is one received from the Board of Public Works, dated June 10<sup>th</sup>, 1897, and recommending that the Council authorize the Board of Public Works to proceed at once to have constructed two small garbage scows of 12 tons capacity each, to care for the city garbage.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk,

By H.W. Vincent, Deputy."

Said communication was ordered on file.

Gro. A. Benson  
Granted a  
permit to  
erect a flag

Gro. A. Benson, makes application for a permit to place a flag in front of his place on 4<sup>th</sup> Street between E. & F. Streets as a sign same to be over 11 feet from the sidewalk.

Upon motion the permit was granted Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Citizens Traction Co.  
permits to  
place a  
turnout on  
4<sup>th</sup> bet Grape  
and Hawthorne

Citizens Traction Co., make application to place a turnout out on Fourth Street between Grape and Fir Streets, Said turnout to be on the East side of the present main track and distant therefrom eleven feet, between centers.

Said turnout is designed to take the place of the one asked for and granted upon June 17<sup>th</sup> 97, to be located on 4<sup>th</sup> between Grape & Hawthorne, one block further to the north.

Upon motion the former was granted and the latter was rescinded. Davis, Whitney ~~and~~ Julian voting Aye.

There being no further business the board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. July 22<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The hour of 10 o'clock having arrived and there being no quorum present, the members of the Board having gone to Moreno to inspect the dam, the Board adjourned.

F. H. Dixon, Secretary.

No Quorum

Meeting Adjourned

San Diego Cal. July 26<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Monday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting.

The Board was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Whitney and Julian Absent Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions from the Common Council were read and ordered on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #864.

Be it Resolved By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer and City Attorney be and they are hereby instructed to negotiate for and secure, if possible, the right-of-way for the continuation of the India Street road to Old Town, Moreno, Pacific Beach and La Jolla; the right-of-way for a road to Mt. Hope cemetery, and the right-of-way for a road to connect with the Lemon Grove road near Marilou Park, said rights-of-way to be on the best and most feasible routes; no expense to be incurred for securing the same without first securing the consent and endorsement of the Common Council.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #864, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.

City Engr.

and

City Atty.

to

Secure

Rights of Way.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent  
Deputy.

### Joint Resolution #865.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:

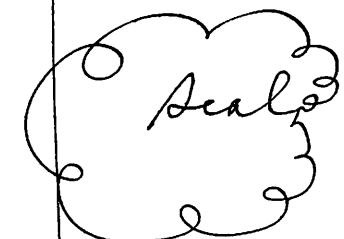
That the Board of Public Works of said city be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to locate and have placed at the most convenient point for the accommodation of the public, a watering trough at La Jolla Park.

Auditors Certificate. I hereby certify that the appropriation made, or indebtedness incurred, by reason of the provisions of the annexed Joint Resolution in regard to the watering trough at La Jolla can be made or incurred without the violation of any of the provisions of the Charter of the City of San Diego, California. Dated, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

Nat. R. Titus

Auditor of the City of San Diego,  
California.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #865, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent

Deputy.

### Joint Resolution #866.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:

That the matter of the locating of the Pacific Beach and La Jolla bridge, as provided for by Ordinance #438, approved May 25<sup>th</sup>, 1897, be left with the City Engineer and Board of Public Works to locate and build said bridge where they consider it would be to the best interest of the general public.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #866, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.

Location  
of  
Pacific Beach  
and  
La Jolla  
Bridge left  
with  
City Engt. and  
B. of P. Works.



Gro. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

Joint Resolution #868.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

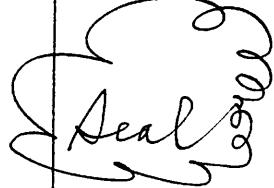
\$200<sup>00</sup> to Building fund to the Park Improvement fund the sum of \$200<sup>00</sup>

Park Imp. Fund Water & Material only. That the City Auditor and the City Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary entries in the records of their respective offices as will carry into effect the provisions of this resolution and such transfer.

That the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to use said \$200<sup>00</sup> in the purchase of water and material for use in the city parks and plazas, and for no other purpose.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #868, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said city on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.

Gro. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent,  
Deputy.



The following communication was received from the Common Council and ordered on file. Viz:-

To the Board of Public Works,

San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:

You are herewith notified that the following report and recommendation of the Joint Fire Committee was adopted by the Common Council on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1897.

San Diego, California July 16<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

To the Common Council.

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Fire Committee, to whom was referred the communication from the Board of Public Works giving said Board's reasons for not advertising for the Chemical Engine for Florence Nights, herewith recommend that said Board of Public Works be instructed to comply with the provisions of Ordinance #435.

Advertise for  
chemical  
Engine

This ordinance entails an expenditure of \$250.- for a Chemical Engine, and no more, which amount was included in the amount of money apportioned to the Fire Department fund.

In the opinion of this Committee it will be time enough to provide for the remaining \$400.-, claimed by the Board of Public Works to be required, after the City secures the engine required.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney, H. M. Landis,  
A. E. Nutt. G. F. Ruble,  
E. H. Wright

Respectfully,

Jos. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Eng. & Atty  
procure rights  
of way

Joint Resolution #864 instructing the City Engineer and City Attorney to procure rights of way etc. was read and ordered on file and the City Engineer instructed in accordance therewith.

Watering  
through at  
La Jolla

Joint Resolution #865 authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to locate and place a watering trough at La Jolla Park at the most convenient place was read and ordered on file and the Asst. of Streets notified and directed in accordance therewith by the following vote Whitney and Julian voting Aye - Davis being absent.

B. of P. Works  
Eng. to  
Build road to  
La Jolla where  
consider best

Joint Resolution #866, authorizing the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer to locate and build the Pacific Beach and La Jolla Bridge wherever they may consider would be to the best interest of the general public was read and ordered on file, the Board and City Engineer taking notice.

Transfer \$200  
to Park  
Imp. Fund.

Joint Resolution #868, transferring the sum of \$200. to the Park Improvement Fund to be used for water and material and for no other purpose was read and ordered on file the Board taking notice.

Adv. for  
Chemical  
Engine

A communication dated July 16<sup>th</sup> 1897 from the Joint Fire Committee and adopted by the Common Council on July 20<sup>th</sup> 1897 was read and ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance therewith. said communication referring to Ordinance #435 instructing the Board to advertise for and purchase a chemical Engine, this ordinance entails an expenditure of \$2250.- and no more. Commissioners Whitney and Julian Voting Aye - Davis being Absent.

In reply to our communication of the 15<sup>th</sup> inst. to the City <sup>attorney</sup> the following reply was received viz:-

"San Diego, Calif. July 17<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works,  
of the City of San Diego.  
Gentlemen:-

This office is in receipt of the following communication: The Board of Public Works have this day requested me to address a communication to you asking for an opinion as to whether or not the City of San Diego, or the Superintendent of Sewers of said City and his bondsmen, is responsible or liable for the costs or expense of relaying sewer laterals that have been laid above the official grade, in an ungraded street, when the grade of said street had already been established by the said City prior to the date of laying said sewer laterals."

Assuming that the facts are that the grade of the street was established by an ordinance duly passed by the Common Council, and thereafter lateral sewers, running from the main sewers along the street to the property fronting upon the street, were laid under the superintendence of the Superintendent of Sewers, but that instead of the Superintendent of sewers requiring these lateral sewers to be laid below the grade of the street, as established by the ordinance of the Common Council he negligently allowed the same to be laid much above this grade, so much so that when the street was graded these lateral sewers were displaced.

The questions, as we understand it, which you desire to have answered, under this statement of facts, are as follows:

1. Is the City of San Diego liable for the expense of relaying these lateral sewers.

2. Has the City of San Diego any claim against the Superintendent of sewers or his bondsmen for the cost and expense of relaying these lateral sewers?

To these questions we will reply as follows:-

Assuming from the above statement of facts that the Superintendent of Sewers was negligent in superintending the laying of these lateral sewers in that he did not require that they be laid below the official grade of the street, the question arises- Is the City liable for such negligence?

The City of San Diego is not liable for the negligence of its officers.

*Sievers vs San Francisco*, 790, Cal. Decisions, Vol. 13.

*Arnold vs. City of San Jose*, 81 Cal. 618.

*Hope vs. City of Eureka* 78 Cal. 588.

Consequently it would not be liable for the acts of the Superintendent of sewers in this respect.

In reply to the second question will say that as the City of San Diego has not been damaged by the negligence of the Superintendent of Sewers it would ~~not~~ have any claim against either the Superintendent of Sewers or his bondsmen in this particular.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. C. Doolittle,

City Attorney.

Permission granted to put in doors at lot K B. 43 5<sup>th</sup> Street between "D" and "E" Streets.

There being no objections the same was granted Whitney and Julian voting Aye. Davis absent.

Conn. for J.M. Dodge filed.

A communication was received from J.M. Dodge Secy. Bay View Tract Association, for permission to close temporarily Main Street bet 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> Streets the same to be used in connection with the Blocks on either side thereof as an athletic Park or base ball ground.

The Board not having the right to grant said privilege, ordered the communication placed on file.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Asst. Advtizer was instructed to advertise for forage for the Fire Department in accordance with the estimates furnished by the Chief of Said department. Commissioners Whitney and Julian voting Aye, Davis being absent.

The following communication was received from the Auditing Committee. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. July 15<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works,

San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:

At meeting of Auditing Committee of the City this date, claims No. 2848, 2936<sup>nd</sup> 3004, were rejected as not being legal claims against the City.

Said claim, No. 2936, was filed by J.A. Larson for repairing 5 sewers on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street, between E & F Streets, as the city cannot pay for repairing private sewers, the claim was rejected.

Claims No. 2848 and 3004, filed by George W. Marston, were rejected for the reason that the claimant was a city officer (Library Trustee) at the time the goods were purchased by the City from him, and under the Charter such a claim is absolutely void.

As the Auditing Committee had taken the precaution to notify the several departments of the City, including your honorable Body, that the Charter forbids the incurring of such indebtedness, in addition to the notice of the charter itself, the committee are of the opinion that the person responsible for <sup>the</sup> incurring of this indebtedness should pay the same. You can readily find from your records the party upon whose order these goods were purchased.

Respectfully,

Nat R. Titus, Secy.

Auditing Committee

The above communication was ordered placed on file.

The Secy. was instructed to address Mr. J.A. Flint the following communication:- Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. July 26<sup>th</sup> 1897

J. A. Flint Esq.,

Asst. Supt. S.D. Elec. Street Car System.

San Diego, Cal.

Dear Sir:

The Board of Public Works have this day instructed me to address you a communication accepting your offer to furnish Salt Water free to the City for sprinkling 2<sup>nd</sup> & N Streets one half width

Conn. to  
J. A. Flint  
accepting  
his offer  
Salt water  
on  
Streets

from the bituminous pavement at 3<sup>rd</sup> and D. Streets to the Water Front and from the bituminous pavement at 4<sup>th</sup> and H<sup>th</sup> Street to the Waterfront; and on Arctic Street from D Street to H Street full width.

Yours truly,

J. H. Dixon, Secy"

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon,  
Secy.

A. H. Gleason  
President.

San Diego, Cal. July 29<sup>th</sup> 1897

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were commissioners Whitney and Julian.  
absent " " Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication

to J. P. Goldthwaite stating that unless he at once settled for the relaying of the 5 sewer laterals on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street that were plowed up in grading said street, because they were not laid below the established grade of said street, suit will immediately be entered against him and his bondsmen to enforce payment of such will be of same.

Commenced.

The secretary was instructed to send a communication to the City Atty asking him to prepare an ordinance authorizing the Board to purchase 600 feet 24 inch cast iron pipe. The following is the communication Vig.:

"San Diego, Cal. July 29<sup>th</sup> 1897.

H. E. Doolittle,

City Atty.

San Diego, Cal.

Dear Sir:

Prepare

Ordinance

for Ado.

bids to

purchase

600 ft

Sewer pipe

The Board of Public Works have this day instructed me to address a communication to you asking you to prepare an ordinance to the Common Council authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase 600 feet of 24 inch cast iron sewer pipe, for the purpose of relaying that portion of the main sewer on "H" Street commencing at the manhole at the intersection of "H" and Atlantic Streets and running along in an Easterly direction along said "H" Street to the intersection of the center line of Arctic Street.

We would be pleased to have said ordinance in time to present same to the Common Council at their next meeting.

Yours truly,

J. H. Dixon, Sec."

The following communication was received from Mr. T. M. Shaw, Viz:-  
"San Diego, Cal. July 29<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Hon. Board of Public Works,  
City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

T. M. Shaw  
granted  
10 days leave  
absence from  
Aug 1<sup>st</sup>.

Being an officer in the 3<sup>d</sup> Div. Naval Militia, State of California and as said Division is ordered by the Governor of the State to take an instructive cruise on Board the U.S.S. Bennington on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of August for a period of ten (10) days, I herewith most respectfully request that leave of absence be granted me to fulfil such order of the Governor.

Respectfully yours  
T. M. Shaw,

Asst. of Sewer. City of San Diego:

Upon motion being duly seconded Mr. T. M. Shaw was granted 10 days leave of absence in accordance with above request.  
Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye. Davis absent.

Purchase  
#100.- of Stamps  
use of the  
various  
Departments

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the following vote. Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye. Davis, absent.

The following resolution was adopted. Viz:-

"Be It Resolved, that the Secretary of the Board of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase #100.- worth of 2<sup>c</sup> postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Government."

The following communication was ordered sent to the Common Council. Viz:-

San Diego, Cal. July 29<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Honorable Common Council,  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

Communication  
regard to  
Scow

Your communication of July 8<sup>th</sup> 1897, with an accompanying communication from the Joint Health <sup>and</sup> Moral Committee in regard to the building and maintenance of a scow, was duly received and in answer thereto will say-

We have no plans or specifications nor have we made any estimates in regard to the cost and repair of same, other than in a general way, except that we have investigated far enough to satisfy ourselves that the disposition of the garbage by the scow method will be far below \$500.- per month, which is contemplated.

to be paid for the disposition of same by the crematory method.

We would be pleased to have you authorize us to procure plans, specifications and estimates for same.

Yours truly,

Board of Public Works,  
by F. H. Dixon, Sec."

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,  
Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Monday 2 P.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners  
absent Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian  
Davis.

minutes  
dispensed  
with  
The reading of the minutes of the previous  
meeting was dispensed with.

Upon motion the following bills were read and  
approved.

<u>Pay Rolls</u>	<u>Board of Public Works.</u>	<u>Pay Roll</u>	<u>\$</u>
	Street	" "	1046 20
	Engineer	" "	215 00
	Sewer	" "	73 -
	S. D. Gas & Elec. Light.		19 75

Upon motion the following resolution was adopted.  
Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.  
Davis Absent.

The resolution is as follows:

Be It Resolved, that in accordance with the provisions  
of Ordinance #447 which prohibits the Board of Public  
Works from expending any money upon the public streets  
of the City of San Diego, without first having been  
authorized so to do by Joint Resolution or ordinance  
from the Common Council and not having at this time  
received said authorization, therefore,

Be It Resolved, that the Superintendent of Streets  
of the City of San Diego, California be, and he is hereby  
directed and instructed to lay off all hands in the  
street sweeping department until such time as said  
resolution or ordinance is adopted authorizing the  
Board of Public Works to continue sweeping the paved  
streets of the City of San Diego, Cal.

The Council is to be notified in accordance therewith.

There being no further business the board  
adjourned.

Attest: F. H. Dixon, Secy.

Arthur Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The regular hour for the meeting having arrived, and in accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. for furnishing forage for the fire department for the year ending July 31<sup>st</sup> 1897. And there being no quorum present (the members of the Board having gone to Moreno Dam) the Secretary received the bids in accordance with said advertisement and adjourned said meeting to the following day, to-wit the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897, at 10 o'clock A.M.

A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

Friday 10 A.M.

Adjourned meeting:-

There being no quorum present the meeting was adjourned until Saturday at 10 o'clock A.M.

A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Davis and Whitney.  
Absent Julian.

Commissioner Davis taking the chair.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting, the special meeting and the adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolution #873, from the Common Council, the same was read and ordered on file and the Superintendent of Streets instructed in accordance therewith.

The resolution is as follows: Viz:-

Joint Resolution #873.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby directed to sweep and clean the paved with bituminous rock streets of the City of San Diego, the expense wherefor to be paid out of the street fund of said city.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 873 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates of said City July 19<sup>th</sup> 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen thereof August 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City August 6<sup>th</sup> 1897, and I further certify that said resolution is duly endorsed by the Auditor of said as required by the Charter.

Pearce

G.W.D. Goldman  
City Clerk

Pursuant to a published notice in the San Diego Daily Sun, the official paper of the City, calling for bids to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897, and within the hours designated in said notice, the following proposals were delivered to the Board duly sealed, sworn to, and accompanied with a certified check upon a responsible Bank:

Sealed proposals  
There being no quorum present the Secretary received said bids at said time and at the hour of 11 o'clock adjourned the meeting from day to day until today when there was a quorum.

The bids were opened with the following results. Viz:-

Fire Dept.	Bidders	Wheat Hay	Red Oak Hay	Rolled Barley	Red Oats	Bran	Bedding	Bert Checks
	Pacific Wood & Coal Co.	Ton \$13 <sup>00</sup>	Ton "		Ton \$2 <sup>00</sup>	Ton \$17 <sup>00</sup>	Ton \$7 <sup>00</sup>	\$50 <sup>00</sup>
	Wm McClain	" 12.80	Ton \$9 <sup>80</sup>	" 25 <sup>00</sup>	" 17 <sup>00</sup>	" 7.00	" 50 <sup>00</sup>	
	H. F. Desting & Son	" \$10 <sup>00</sup>	" 9 <sup>00</sup>	" 18 <sup>00</sup>	" 22 <sup>00</sup>	" 18 <sup>00</sup>	" 5 <sup>00</sup>	Lowest \$50 <sup>00</sup>

Lowest H. F. Desting and Son being the lowest bidders the contract was awarded to them by the following vote-

Commissioners Davis and Whitney Voting Aye.  
" Julian Absent.

Checks Returned Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to return the certified checks of Pacific Wood & Coal Co. and Wm McClain.

Viz: The following bills were read and approved.

### Fire Department

3085	Hamilton Bros.	Supplies	\$7.75
2093	Wm M <sup>c</sup> Clain	Forage	88.75
3104	S. D. Water Co.	Water	92.5
3116	Knox & Vanstaren	Supplies	34.0
3130	Go Dick	Cans	4.80
3139	E. Strahlman	Supplies	7.0
3173	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Notice bids Forage	3.0
3174	E. J. Delaney	Shoeing	16.25
			\$131.20

Claim No.

Police Department.

3080	Geo. A. Lemon & Co.,	Care wheel Apr. May, June & July	\$12 00
3096	A. S. Jennings	Feeding City Prisoners July	20 75
			\$32 75

Sewer and Drainage

3086	Labor		\$73 00
3065	Julian Plumbing Co., 6'- 1/2" Galv. pipe	30 <sup>4</sup> Labor 3 <sup>0</sup>	2 20
3095	M. G. Wurtheimer & Co., 2. Rolls 42" paragon drawing paper		20 00
3108	J. D. Water Co., 384,900 gals. water 20 <sup>4</sup> min flushing		76 98
			\$173 28

Street Repairs

3126	Labor		\$131 56
3058	J. S. Nickerson	F. St. approaches to 22nd St.	52 10
3066	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	200 - 1/2 x 6 pickets 1 <sup>60</sup> Drayage 2 <sup>5</sup> (Engr.)	1 85
3074	B. H. Stinkley	Watering trees on 5 <sup>th</sup> st.	4 00
3076	Putnam Field	St. notices 5 <sup>th</sup> St.	3 00
3083	Dam Maugh	Paste	1 50
3077	J. B. Sprague	Expressage	8 5
3092	Granden Bungardner Co.	St. notices	7 50
3102	J. D. Water Co.	Water St. troughs	17 90
3124	Union Stables	Carriage hire Engr.	6 00
3122	Edwin M. Gaffs	St. car fare July	2 05
3154	W. T. Lemon	Repair, leveling rod	7 5
3155	Diamond Carriage Co.	Livery Engr.	3 50
3156	The Hamilton Co.	Nails, hock etc.	1 25
3158	C. M. Hall	Delving St notices	8 50
3159	J. D. Sun Pub Co.	St notices	5 90
3163	Gould Hutton & Co.	500 affidavits posting notices	4 50
3170	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	2 70
3172	Graham & Weldon	stakes	8 00
			\$264 41

Street Light

3090	J. D. Gay & Elec. Co. Light	No. of July	\$1500 00
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Claim No.

Street Sweeping.

3136	Labor	\$299 75
3171	J. D. Water Co., Water ahead of sweeper	.. 5 40
3083	Sam'l. Waugh Making 1 Broom	12 00
3157	H. P. Fuller 5 gals. Mchn Oil	5 00
3084	Geo. Hill 2 Collars for axle, altering chains, nuts on bolt	2 00
3082	Silver Gate Oil Co. 5 gal Kerosene	8 5
3073	Palace Crockery Co. 1 Lamp burner	2 0
		<u>\$325 20</u>

Street Sprinkling.

3136	Labor	6 15 00
3171	J. D. Water Co., Water 3.272.000 gals @ 20 4 74	* 6 54 40
3106	Parrott & Erd Repairs on sprinklers	26 96
		<u>\$1296 36</u>

Fire Hydrant

3109	J. D. Water Co., 191 rent hydrants July @ 80 per annum.	\$1273 33
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Public Building.

3089	J. D. Gas & Elec H. Co. Light	\$44 75
3057	D. Hitchcock Rent Lot D Blk 99 Nortons Mo End Aug 6/97	12 50
3060	L. F. Jones 1/2 Lot I Blk 41 " " " 21/97.	2 5
3068	J. W. Lofton " H. " 10 " " July 1/97	2 0
3069	D. G. Stephens " City Hall " "	2 5
3097	A. S. Jennings " Jail 10 <sup>th</sup> Care prisoners 250 <sup>00</sup> " "	6 0
		<u>\$297 25</u>

Salary.

3119	Board of Public Works Office	July	\$325
3118	" " " Engt.	"	2 15
			<u>\$540 00</u>

Claim No.

Park Improvement

3040	S. D. Water Co.	Water Newtown Plaza June	14.80	
		" Ladies annex "	4.05	
		" Howard Track "	14.90	\$ 32 75
3078	Julian Plumbing Co.	Hose bibb, 25 Labor	50	1 75
3105	S. D. Water Co.	Water Newtown July	13.60	
		" Ladies annex "	1.75	15 35
				\$ 50 85

Public Health

3087	J. A. Heath	Oil, Buckets, Brooms, Rope, Paint, Brushes, etc	2.35 55
3099	Stenhouse & Co.,	Printing, Notices, permits, applications, etc.	8 75
3117	Jones & Son	Use of wharf, care of garbage scow & towing	225 00
3152	The Hamilton Co.	3 pr. Hinges	30
3153	Sunset Del & Del Co.,	Phone	July.
			2.50
			\$ 271 10

Office

3055	R. Schiller	Record book, Delegates & 1- Aldermen	\$ 26 00
3056	Ab. Rubber Stamp Co.	2 Stamps	2 15
3063	Chas W Palm & Co.,	Citations & Index	5 00
3062	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep. Urinal	1 25
3069	Palace Crockery Co.	Cuspidor	60
3098	M. A. Wertheimer	Stationery	43 70
3100	Stenhouse & Co.	Printing	17 50
3127	Pioneer Garbage	Garbage	1 00
3137	E. N. Sullivan	Printing	7 50
3142	Harris & Cheatham	4 Lot Books - 500 blanks	25 25
3143	Loring & Co.	Engt Scale	1 25
3145	S. D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels	2 25
3146	Garrett & Smith	Printing	25 00
3164	Gould Fulton & Co.	, 100 Statement	3 25
			\$ 181 70

Claim No.

General

3072	Geo M S Intire	make shelf & mail Bx & furnish mth. Health	\$ 2 00
3062	Western Union Telg.	Telegrms	2 56
3088	Stenhouse & Co.	50 copies petition Murphy vs. O'Leary "	5 40
3091	Bancroft Whitney Co.	Law Books Statutes 97	6 00
3121	H. C. Doolittle	Trip to Moreno	15 05
3103	J. D. Water Co	City Hall & Pound	3 50
3123	Union Stables	Dbl. Team 3 days.	12 00
3125	Mrs. L. B. West	Typewriting	50 20
3129	Westinghouse Elec. L. System Light		4 00
3133	Edwin Mc Capps	Trip to Moreno.	6 75
3150	Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co.	Rentals	5 00
3151	J. D. Inn Pub. Co.	Publ. Ordin. #146	3 5
			\$ 112 81

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,  
Secretary

W. J. Davis President - Board

San Diego Cal Aug 12<sup>th</sup> 1897

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read  
and approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by the  
following vote, Commissioners Whitney voting Aye, Commissioner  
Davis voting Aye and Commissioner Julian voting Aye the following  
resolution was adopted viz:-

In accordance with Ordinance #447 which prohibits  
the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego to expend more than  
\$500- during any one month for the sprinkling of the streets of said  
city without first having been authorized so to do by Joint Resolution  
or Ordinance adopted by the Common Council and approved by the  
Mayor of said City: and as the sum of \$500- allowed by Ordinance  
#447, will upon this 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897 be exhausted, therefore,

Be It Resolved, that it is the sense of this Board  
that the Superintendent of Streets of the City of San Diego, California  
be, and he is hereby directed and instructed to discontinue  
the sprinkling of the Streets of the City of San Diego California  
when the said \$500- (allowed by ordinance #447) has been exhausted,  
and to discontinue said sprinkling until such time as funds  
are provided by ordinance or joint resolution <sup>adopted by</sup> the Common  
Council and approved by the Mayor of said City, to  
continue and defray the expenses of sprinkling the Streets  
of said City.

Superintendent of Streets  
instructed  
to  
discontinue  
sprinkling  
until  
funds are  
provided

Notify  
the  
Mayor

Board of  
Aesting Town  
approved

Fintzelberg  
permits repair  
building

The Secretary was instructed to notify the  
Mayor in accordance with said resolution.

The Bond of H.A. Oating and Son, with W.W. Stewart  
and C. Koland as sureties in the sum of \$500- for furnishing  
forage for the fire department, was read and approved, said  
bond having been approved on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August by W.J. Davis  
and H.P. Whitney

Theo Fintzelberg, Agt, was granted permission to repair main  
building on No. 109 & Bexley Street at a cost of \$70-  
attaching to H.A. Oating See

The Board adjourned.

A. J. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

No.

Quorum

Adjourned.

The hour of 10 o'clock having arrived and Commissioner Whitney being the only member of the Board present, messrs. Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian being at Moreno Dam, the meeting was adjourned.

F. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

San Diego, Cal. Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10. AM.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions from the Common Council were received, ~~and~~ read and ordered on file: Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 875.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to cause all platforms in front of stores or other buildings which extend over any portion of the sidewalk upon Logan and National avenues in said city, to be removed or lowered to the grade of said avenues.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 875, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
by H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Seal

Joint Resolution No. 877.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby instructed and directed to advertise for bids and let the contract for the construction of a wooden pile bridge over Rose Canyon creek, on the La Jolla <sup>and</sup> Pacific Beach road, in

Location  
of said  
Bridge up  
to the  
Board of  
Public Works

said City of San Diego, as directed by Ordinance No. 438, of the ordinances of said City, approved May 25<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

The location of said bridge to be at such point upon said creek as the said Board of Public Works may deem most practicable.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 877, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City August 17<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

By H.W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

### Joint Resolution No. 880.

Advertize  
for and  
Construct  
Sewer in  
25<sup>th</sup> St.

Whereas, the Board of Public Works recommended that a sewer be laid in Twenty-fifth street, and by Ordinance adopted by the Council said Board was directed to advertize for bids and construct said sewer, therefore

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works is hereby instructed to at once advertize for and construct said sewer in accordance with the provisions of said ordinance.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 880, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897 and by the Board of Aldermen of said city on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City August 17<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.  
by H.W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

Joint Resolution #878.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Advertise  
for and  
Construct  
extension  
of the  
Rose Canon  
Road.

That the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby instructed and directed to advertise for bids and let the contract for the construction of an extension of that certain road known as the Rose Canon road, within said city, provided that not to exceed seven hundred dollars shall be expended therefor, as directed by Ordinance #438 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved May 25<sup>th</sup> 1897.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #878, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897, and approved by the mayor of said City August 17<sup>th</sup>, 1897.



GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent.

Deputy.

Joint Resolution #874.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Authorization  
to expend  
\$500. for  
Sprinkling  
up to &  
including  
Aug 31/97

That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby directed, authorized and empowered to expend the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for sprinkling the streets of the City of San Diego, from the date of the passage hereof up to and including the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1897.

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No 874 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates August 13<sup>th</sup> 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen August 13<sup>th</sup> 1897, and approved by the mayor of said City Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> 1897.

GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk.

Improve  
Plaza

Ordinance #457, providing for the improvement of the Plaza in the City of San Diego, Cal. was read and ordered placed on file.

Purchase

Ordinance #458, authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase 600 feet of Sewer pipe, was read and placed on file.

Fix pay removal of sweepings @ \$3<sup>00</sup> for 8 hrs per mo. for helpers.

Ordinance #459, fixing the compensation for man and team in the removal of street sweepings at \$3<sup>00</sup> per day of eight hours each said man to furnish tools with which to remove said sweepings; and the compensation of any person assisting is fixed at \$35<sup>00</sup> per month. This Ordinance was passed and approved on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897.

The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Permit to construct \$10,000.- Warehouse

McKinzie, Flint and Winsby make application to construct a 2 Story Brick Warehouse building 75 feet on 5<sup>th</sup> by 100 feet on "K" Streets Estimated Cost \$10,000.-

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted by the following vote Davis, Whitney and Julian Aye.

Permit to stretch flag across 5<sup>th</sup> bet H<sup>th</sup> & I<sup>th</sup> Sts.

G.W. Anderson, Capt. Salvation Army makes application to stretch a canvas sign across 5<sup>th</sup> St. bet H<sup>th</sup> & I<sup>th</sup> Sts. for a period of 3 weeks to advertise a Camp Meeting to be held during first portion of Sept.

Upon motion the same was granted Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Communication to Common Council Engt. has not yet the time to prepare specifications

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council stating that the Board will advertise for bids in accordance with said <sup>foregoing</sup> resolutions and ordinances just as soon as the specifications for same are prepared and that the City Engineer has so much work ahead of him in his office that the time is very indefinite as to when said specifications can be prepared.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Allision  
President

San Diego Cal. Sept 2nd 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Permit was

granted the S.D. Cracker Co. to build shed on lot J & K of Block 94. Estimated cost \$150.

4<sup>th</sup> bet H & I.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted to be constructed in accordance with the City ordinances. Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Advertise

for bids to Sidewalk & Curb the City Plaza also to advertise for bids to place iron posts and chains around same, all to be in accordance with the plans and specifications as prepared by the City Engineer, also to advertise for 600 feet of 24" Cast Iron Water pipe for the H St. main sewer in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer.

place Iron

Posts & chains

around same.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

The following Joint Resolution was this day received from the Common Council Viz:-

Joint Resolution #870.

City employees

belonging to Naval Reserves N.Y.C. to absent them. Be It Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

for a period of 10 days Aug 1<sup>st</sup>

That permission be and is hereby granted employees of the City belonging to the Naval Reserves N.Y.C. to absent themselves for a period not exceeding ten days, for drill on board the U.S.S. Bennington.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #870, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day

of August 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City  
on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1897.

Geo D Goldman, City Clerk

by A.W. Vincent,

Deputy.

E Seal

The foregoing resolution was read and ordered on file.

The following communication was addressed to the City Atty.  
upon instruction from the Board to do so: Viz:-

"We herewith transmit to you for your opinion and  
instruction a bill of the San Diego Water Co., against the  
City of San Diego for \$1273<sup>33</sup> for the rental of 191 Fire Hydrants  
for the month of August 1897, together with a protest against  
the allowance of same, subscribed and sworn to by James Restine  
on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1897, before Anna M. Waterman, a  
Notary Public, for San Diego County California. Your early  
reply is desired.

Yours respectfully,  
Board of Public Works, by F. H. Dixon, Secy."

The Secretary was instructed to address the  
following Communications to the Common Council. To wit:

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable  
Body that you authorize us to remove the fence that is  
around the Newton Park. It is broken down in places, and  
as it is, it is surely not a credit to the City.

To remove the fence will necessitate an  
expenditure of possibly \$150".

"To the Hon. Common Council  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.  
Gentlemen:-

We respectfully recommend to your Hon. Body that  
you authorize us to advertise for bids for the furnishing of  
sewer pipe to extend the sewer system from 5<sup>th</sup> Street <sup>and</sup>  
Walnut Avenue up 5<sup>th</sup> Street to Brooks Avenue out Brooks  
Avenue to the Alley between 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Streets, north along the  
alley to University Avenue. This extension will require about  
2750 lin. feet of 6" pipe and 120- 4" sp.

Also from 5<sup>th</sup> Street <sup>and</sup> Walnut Avenue out Walnut  
avenue to the alley between 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets, Loma Grande

addition, will require 828 lin. ft. of 6" pipe and 36 - 4" yds.

This is in addition to the pipe necessary for the 25<sup>th</sup> street extension authorized by your Hon: Body which required about 3000 ft of 6" pipe - 100 - 4" yds. and 32 - 6" yds. making the total number of feet required to be purchased and the estimated cost of same as follows, to wit:-

Total length of 6" pipe	6588 ft	@ 15 <sup>c</sup> per ft.	\$988.20
" Number " yds (4")	256	@ 70 <sup>c</sup> ea.	179.20
" " " " (6")	32	@ 85 <sup>c</sup> "	<u>25.60</u>
Estimated Total cost			\$1193.00 "

To the Hon: Common Council,  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

Ashing for  
Authorization  
to make  
Street repairs

It will be necessary to repair the returns on G, D. E. F. G. H. I. J. and K. Streets where they intersect 22<sup>nd</sup> Street which has recently been graded.

Also to fill up the gutter on 8<sup>th</sup> Street in front of the Naval Reserve Hall, also fill up the gutter on Grape Street between Union and Albatross Streets, also to fill in with Straw across Mission Valley in River Bottom. Fill chuckholes on India, on K. St. on H St. on B" St between 24 & 25<sup>th</sup> Sts.

All of which we respectfully submit for your approval and authorization."

To the Hon: Common Council,  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

Geo. P. Hall  
Horticultural  
Commissioner  
complain  
Parks are  
infested with  
insect pests.

We enclose herewith for your consideration a communication from Mr. Geo. P. Hall, Horticultural Commissioner 1<sup>st</sup> District, San Diego County California, calling attention to this Board, that the public Parks of this City are badly infested with various insect pests.

Authorizes  
to purchase  
material &  
spray trees

Upon examination we find that such is the case, and we hereby recommend to your Hon: Body that you instruct this Board to purchase the necessary material and employ the required help to thoroughly spray said infected trees, also to trim up the trees and shrubbery in these various parks.

It will also be necessary to water all trees on upper 5<sup>th</sup> street, also in the Howard Tract and Ladies Annex Parks. These trees are suffering very much

for water and we believe that one good watering will carry them through the balance of the year."

"To the Hon. Common Council,  
of the City of San Diego Cal.  
Gentlemen:

Not being able to ascertain to any degree of certainty the pressure of the Hydrants located at the corners of 5<sup>th</sup> and D Streets and 5<sup>th</sup> & Dog Streets, and which at said points is required by ordinance to have at all times a certain pressure.

Recommend purchase Watermeters to test the pressure of water

Therefore we recommend to your Hon: Body that you authorize the Board of Public Works to purchase two Automatic Watermeters of the Ashcraft Mfg Co: make which are guaranteed to be absolutely correct. The cost of same is \$75<sup>00</sup> each. Attach same to the main pipe and you will then have a daily record of pressure."

Instruction to Supt. of Streets to Sprinkle only the main thoroughfares of city.

The following resolution was adopted by the following vote. Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Be It Resolved, that the Supt. of Streets be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to sprinkle only the main thoroughfares leading in and out of the City, and no other streets, and the same are designated as follows to-wit:

National City Dyke, Logan Ave, National Ave.  
Milton Ave, 16<sup>th</sup> St. - R. St. 6 to 16<sup>th</sup> - H St. D St.  
4<sup>th</sup> St. 5<sup>th</sup> St. <sup>and</sup> India St. to end of grade. F St. State to India.

Secretary to notify each Department that no bills will be audited unless accompanied by a requisition issued by said Board.

The following resolution was adopted by the following vote. Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Be It Resolved that the Secretary be, and he is hereby directed <sup>and</sup> instructed to notify each department of the City Govt. that no bills will be audited by the Board of Public Works unless accompanied by a requisition issued by said Board.

The following bills were read and approved:

Salary

3220 Public Works

Labor \$325-

3221 Engr. Dept.

" 215-

\$540-

Claim No.

Street Light

3259	S. D. Gas & Elec Co.	Light	\$1500.-
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Street Sprinkling

3275	Pay Roll	Labor	\$41200
3183	Julian Plumbing Co. Rep. Sprinkler		100
3195	Overshiner Bros. Rep. Hose		50
3199	Parrott & Ord Rep. Sprinklers		2032
3255	S. D. Water Co. Water		<u>52600</u> 97082 \$97082

Street Sweeping

3275	Pay Roll	Labor	20208
3255	S. D. Water Co. Water		660
3187	Ah Quinn 183 lbs China Bamboo @ 12 <sup>4</sup>		2195
3209	Danil. Waugh Mack broom		12
3234	Silvergate Oil Co. Oil		85
3246	E. O'Rogers Repairs		<u>3</u> 34798 34798

Street Repairs

3275	Pay Roll	Labor	2400
3185	Julian Plumbing Co. Rep. Troughs		2645
3192	Russ Lumber Mill 50 pickets 1/2 x 6 -		40
3194	W. C. Rowe Hauling lumber		25
3197	Julian Plumbing Co. Reps. on trough La Jolla		640
3200	J. J. Springer Hauling to Rose Canyon		175
3214	Russ Lumber Mill 2 bds laths		145
3231	S. A. Sun Pub Co. Printing		110
3233	B. R. Webster Load plank & footers		50
3253	Union Stables Team		2.-
3260	E.M. Lappo Tax fares		660
3267	S. D. Water Co. St. Troughs		1830
3270	West Coast Lum. Co. Lumber		<u>590</u> 9610

Police

3239	Geo F. Lemon car wheel for Aug.	250
3244	A. J. Jennings Feeding City Prisoners Aug	42.-
3247	R. Schiller Record book, released prisoners	<u>400</u> 5050 \$5050

Claim No.

Public Building

2178	L. A. Jones	Rent 1/2 Lot & Blk 41 Horton's Mo. end Sep. 21/97	25
2180	H. M. Stanton Agt.	Rent Material Yard June & July	10
2184	R. G. Clark	Rent Horton Hotel Co. Aug. 1/2 L. & Blk 112	25
2201	D. G. Stephens	" City Hall	100
2202	J. W. Sefton	" 1/2 Lot " Blk 10. Aug.	20
2243	F. J. Jennings	Rent & services, City Prisoners	60
3264	S. D. Gas & Elec. Co. Ltd.	Light	34 80 50 \$284 80 80 \$294 50

Public Health

2256	Jones & Son	Selling cow to Sea Mo Aug. <sup>cut</sup> pushing poles <sup>25</sup>	228
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Park Improvement

2269	S. D. Water Co.	water for Aug.	19 05
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Sewer and Drainage

2217	Pay Roll		Labor 80 80
2252	S. D. Water Co.	Water	157 99 \$157 99

Office exp

3230	M. G. W. & Co.	Stationery	18 50
3245	S. D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels Aug.	2 25
3193	Frangden R & Co.	Birth Reg. & Conty. Dis. Reg	27
3181	Laura B. Anderson	2 Bx's typewriting paper	3 90 5 65 \$51 65

Fire Department

3276	Hamilton Bros.	Oil, Brushes, Soap, sponges, Horse brushes etc	9 95
3179	Wm McLean	Storage	8 28
3206	Todd & Hawley	1 Neck Yoke	1 50
3207	J. A. Heath	1 Dog pt. open sinks	2 00
3208	H. H. Resting & Son	Storage	62 01
3218	S. D. Am Pub. Co.	Adv.	60
3219	Dickys	Carrots Aug.	5 20
3257	E. J. Delory	14 Horses shoe	17 50
3258	Union Stables	Horse hire 19 da. @ 50¢	9 50
3272	S. D. Water Co	Water Fire Dept.	9 25 1 25 79 \$125 79

Claim no.

## General a/c.

3176	Sunset Oil & Gas Co.	Phone	Pound	5.
3189	Louise Rumsey	Typewriting	city atty	480
3204.	Minnie Schaffnat	"	" "	720
3232	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Printing		315
3241	Union Stables	Dbl team	7 days	2100
3242	L.B. West	Typewriting		5050
3248	Westinghouse Elec. Light System	Light Aug-		4.
3250	Socal. Mtn Co.	Meals to Bd Public Works & City Engr. at Morena.		4800
3254	Union Stables	Team 3 days Engr.		1200
3262	Diamond Carriage Co.	" 4 " Capps & Julian	"	12
3263	C.M. Loppa	Ex to Morena		1475
3268	S.D. Water Co.	Water August City Hall & Pound		410
3271	A.H. Julian	Meals etc to & from Morena		5-
3279	M.J. Pearson	Take for expenses Council Committee to Morena		8625 19150 \$27775

Attorneys  
Titus and Works  
 present  
 to give & take  
 testimony on  
 protest of  
 James Restine

James Restine, who on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1897 entered a protest against the payment of San Diego Water Co. bill for \$272<sup>33</sup> for water for the month of August 1897, and Mr. H.L. Titus his attorney also Lew R. Works the Attorney representing the San Diego Water Co. were present, to give and take evidence in regard to said bill and protest.

Protest  
bill & adda  
 Communication  
 transmitted to  
 City Atty.

The Board desiring to take legal advice in regard to procedure on same instructed the Secretary to notify the Attorneys on both sides when they were ready to receive said evidence. The bill and protest together with the foregoing communication as shown on page 118 this record book asking the City Attorney for instructions was transmitted to him (the City Atty.) forthwith for advice and instructions.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon.  
 Secretary.-

A. H. Julian  
 President:-

San Diego, Cal. Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Friday 10 A.M.

Yesterday Thursday Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> '97, being a legal Holliday, the regular meeting was held this day.

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following communication was received from the City Atty.

San Diego, Cal. Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

This office is in receipt of a communication from your Honorable Board, dated September 2<sup>nd</sup>, which is as follows:

"H. E. Doolittle,

City Atty.

San Diego, Calif.

Dear Sir:

We herewith transmit to you for your opinion and instruction a bill of the San Diego Water Company against the City of San Diego, for \$1273<sup>33</sup> for the rental of 191 Fire Hydrants for the month of August, 1897, together with a protest against the allowance of same, subscribed and sworn to by James Restine, on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1897, before Anna M. Waterman, a Notary Public for San Diego County, California.

Your early reply is desired.

Yours respectfully.

Board of Public Works,

By J. H. Dixon, Secretary."

"In reply thereto will say that we have examined said bill and protest and after considering the questions which arise in connection therewith we would advise you that if you are satisfied that the said bill is correct except as to the question of pressure, that you approve the bill subject to the protest of Mr. James Restine and that you then send the bill, together with the protest to the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego for their consideration. All of which is respectfully submitted

H. E. Doolittle,

City Attorney."

In accordance with the foregoing instructions from the City Attorney of the City of San Diego, California, the bill for Fire Hydrant Rentals for the month of August 1897, of the San Diego Water Co., for \$1273<sup>33</sup>

was approved by the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego. Subject to the protest of James Restine of said City of San Diego, and transmitted to the Auditing Committee together with the protest of said James Restine of the City of San Diego, California; and with the following communication: Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal.: Sept 10th 1897.

To the Hon. Auditing Committee.

of the City of San Diego, Cal:-  
Gentlemen:-

We hand you herewith bill of San Diego Water Co., against the City of San Diego for \$1273<sup>33</sup> for the rental of 191 Fire Hydrants for the month of August 1897, approved this day by this Board subject to the protest against paying same by James Restine.

In approving said bill we have done so in accordance with the advice received from the City Attorney, which is as follows:-

"San Diego, Calif., Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1897.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works.  
of the City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

In reply thereto will say that we have examined said bill and protest and after considering the questions which arise in connection therewith we would advise you that if you are satisfied that the said bill is correct except as to the question of pressure, that you approve the bill subject to the protest of Mr. James Restine and that you then send the bill, together with the protest to the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego for their consideration. All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. E. Doolittle.

City Attorney."

Respectfully Submitted.

Board of Public Works.

By S. H. Dixon, Secy."

Upon motion of Commissioner Whitney and seconded by Commissioner Davis the following resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote. Viz:-

H. M. RobinsonRemovedSupt of ParksOct. 1<sup>st</sup> 97.

Be It Resolved that Mr. H. M. Robinson be and he is hereby removed as Superintendent of Parks of the City of San Diego, California. Said removal to take effect on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1897.

Commissioners voting Aye were, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Upon motion of Commissioner Whitney and Seconded by Commissioner Davis the following resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote: Viz:-

Be It Resolved that Harvey C. Stiles be and he is hereby appointed Superintendent of all Parks of the City of San Diego, Vice H. M. Robinson removed. Said Stiles to take charge of said Parks on and after October 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Commissioners voting Aye were, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal.- Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 97.

Saturday 3 P.M.

Special Meeting:-

<u>Present</u>	<u>Commissioners</u>	<u>Davis and Julian.</u>
<u>Absent</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Whitney.</u>

Minutes  
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

To consider the action taken in approving Water Bill.  
The meeting was called together to consider the action taken by this Board in approving the bill for Fire Hydrant Rental for the month of August 1897 of the San Diego Water Co., for \$1273<sup>33</sup>

Present.  
Titus Works and Doolittle  
Mr. H. L. Titus representing Mr. James Restine being present and Mr. Leo B. Works, representing the San Diego Water Co., being present also Mr. T. E. Doolittle City Attorney was present.

Titus demands Board hear evidence.  
Mr. H. L. Titus offers to prove by witnesses ~~that~~ the allegations contained in protest of Mr. James Restine and demands that the Board hear the same.

J. D. Water Co. offers evidence showing claim is legal & just  
The San Diego Water Co., by Council announces its willingness and ability to offer testimony showing that its claim for Fire Hydrant Rental is a just legal and proper claim against the City of San Diego, and if the Board desires to hear such testimony and offers such proof.

Doolittle City Atty. advises Board to approve bill subject to protest and send same to Aud. Com.  
The City Attorney (Mr. T. E. Doolittle) being present advises the Board as follows:-

"We have examined into said bill and protest and after considering the questions which arise in connection therewith we would advise you that if you are satisfied that the said bill is correct except as to the question of pressure that you approve the bill subject to the protest of Mr. James Restine and that you then send the bill together with the protest to the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego, for their consideration."

The Board without hearing the evidence

Water Bill  
approved  
upon advice  
of City Atty  
and sent to  
Aud. Com.

approved the bill subject to the protest of James Restine which is in accordance with the instructions of the City Attorney and send the bill together with said protest and a communication embodying said instructions, from the City Attorney, to the Auditing Committee of the City of Sandiego, for its consideration.

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Mr. James Restine through his Attorney objects.

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No further business the Board adjourned.

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Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis and Whitney.  
absent Julian.  
Commissioner Davis in the Chair.

Minutes.

The reading of the minutes of the regular and  
special meeting was dispensed with.

Condition of the Grand Army Hall on 6<sup>th</sup> found satisfactory

Complaint having been made to the members of the Board of Public Works ( unofficially) that the Grand Army Hall on 6<sup>th</sup> St. bet 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Streets was in an unsafe condition Commissioner Julian forthwith proceeded to make an investigation and reports that he finds it in a satisfactory condition.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communications to the Common Council:- Nowit-

Recommend to Common Council to appoint an Inspector of Inspector

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize us to appoint an Inspector to inspect the sidewalk work which will be commenced on the City Plaza this coming week."

ask Common Council to authorize us to clean & street

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize us to clean up the dirt from 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to California Street on D St. It will require about \$45<sup>c</sup> to do said very necessary work."

Recommend to take out approaches 13<sup>th</sup> & Culvert

"We respectfully recommend that you authorize us to have the approaches at the intersection of 1<sup>st</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets taken out. Estimated Cost \$100.  
 also to put in a culvert at 22<sup>nd</sup> & D Sts. 25.-

place 22<sup>nd</sup> Estimated Cost also to place gratings 4<sup>th</sup> & S.W. & S.E.

Also to put in 2 iron gratings at the intersection of 4<sup>th</sup> & S.W. Sts. Estimated Cost 250.- and 2 at Inter. of 5<sup>th</sup> & S.E. Sts. " "

to care for rain flood water.

This is for the purpose of taking care of the rain flood water that comes down 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Streets during the winter. It will be a great saving to the City and it will prevent the flood water from running down 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sts.

from B to the water front as during the past.

Last year at two different times it cost over \$100.- each time to take away the sand that accumulated on the streets between B and D on 4<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> Streets after the heavy rains."

2 flush tanks at 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> Streets  
We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize us to lower the 2 flush tanks at the intersections of 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> Streets 1 is on the Nth side and 1 on the Sth side.

Also to lower the main sewer on 13<sup>th</sup> Street between E<sup>rd</sup> & F<sup>th</sup> Streets.

Also to lower the 2 flush tanks on 22<sup>nd</sup> and D Streets 1 on the Nth side and 1 on the Sth side of 22<sup>nd</sup> Street.

Also to lower the main sewer on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street bet C. & E. Streets.

The recent grading of these two streets has left the flush tanks and the main sewer exposed between said points several feet above grade."

"At a meeting of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego held this day, a Statement from the City Auditor showing the condition of the Funds of the City Treasurer was read and considered.

In this Statement we find that the Fire Department has but \$5552<sup>23</sup> to carry it through the months of Sept. to Dec. inclusive. And we also find that the fixed charges of said Department are over \$5200.- during the same period. This leaves but a little over \$300.- with which to pay incidental expenses.

We desire to again ask you if it is your wish and do you still insist on us letting the contract to purchase the Chemical Engine which we have advertised for and for which we will receive bids between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept. 1897. and which is in accordance with Ordinance #435 passed by your Honorable Body authorizing us to do so.

As all funds for the various departments are short and as we have been notified to that effect by the City Auditor and as there appears to be no funds to draw from to pay for this Chemical Engine which we are authorized by your Honorable Body to purchase at a cost of not exceeding \$2000.- We desire your Honorable Body to again instruct us what procedure to take under these existing circumstances."

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of September 1897. to sidewalk and curb the City Plaza located and bounded on the North by 5th, on the East by 4<sup>th</sup> Street and on the West by 3<sup>rd</sup> Street. also for furnishing 12 large iron posts and 30 small ones.

In accordance with said notices messrs. Watts <sup>and</sup> Whitson appeared and protested against the letting of any contract for said purposes, claiming that the designs as prepared were not satisfactory.

Joint Resolution #883, was received from the Common Council and is as follows: to wit:-

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the time for the completion of the grading of the roadway from Witherby Street and the unknown street along the southwesterly line of Old Town to the intersection of Tide & Thirty-eighth streets in Manasse & Schiller's addition to Roseville, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in the contract for doing said work, made between H. N. Thomson, contractor, and the Board of Public Works, dated July 10<sup>th</sup> 1897, be and the same is hereby extended 30 days, and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and instructed to grant said Contractor 30 days additional time, to the time fixed in said Contract within which to complete the grading of said roadway between the points named in said contract.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 883 passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1897.

  
Seal

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
by H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The above resolution was read and ordered on file. And upon motion being duly seconded Mr. H. N. Thomson was granted 30 days additional time in accordance with said resolution - Davis <sup>and</sup> Whitney voting Aye.

Messrs. Watts  
& Whitson  
protest  
against letting  
contract to  
improve Plaza  
  
Granting  
H. N. Thomson  
30 days time

Recess till  
3 P.M.

It was moved and seconded that the Board now take a recess until 3 P.M. to consider the protests made by Messrs. Whitsen and Watts.

Commissioners  
Commissioner

Davis & Whitney voting Aye  
Julian Absent.

F. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

Thursday 3 P.M.

San Diego, Cal. - Sept 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Adjourned Meeting:

The Board reconvened Commissioners Davis and  
Whitney being present - Commissioner Julian, Absent.

The Board having decided to open the bids and award the contract which is in accordance with the views of the City Attorney. The Secretary was instructed to proceed to read the Bids and which are as follows. Nowit.

Secretary  
instructed  
to open  
bids.

Bidder	Sidewalk and Curb Description	Amount Bert. & Check	Amount of Bid
James McNair	Specifications	\$100 00	\$983 00
J. Engelbrecht	"	60 00	974 00 ✓
O. E. Winder & H. Steaker	Broken Rock		1125 00
" " " " "	Gravel	5625	1025 00
C. A. Nagle	Specifications	7500	1025 00
Robison & Elkins	"	7500	1302 83
J. P. Christensen	"	6000	1125 00
J. Kelly	"	5000	999 00

Contract  
awarded  
to J. Engelbrecht

Mr. J. Engelbrecht being the lowest bidder. It was moved and seconded that the contract for Sidewalking curbing and setting the iron posts around the City Plaza be awarded to him. Commissioner Davis voting Aye. Commissioner Whitney voting Aye. Commissioner Julian being absent.

Bids on Iron Posts for furnishing same.

Bidders for furnishing iron posts	Description	Amount of cert. check	Amount of Bid.
Mckenzie Flint & Winsby		\$ 35.00	\$ 658.75
Sterne Bros.		32.50	647.25 ✓

Lowest ✓

Contract  
awarded to  
Sterne Bros.

Messrs Sterne Bros. being the lowest bidder for furnishing iron posts to place around the City Plaza - It was moved and seconded that the contract to furnish said posts be awarded to them - Commissioner Whitney voting Aye. Commissioner Davis voting Aye - Commissioner Julian being absent.

All checks  
of unsuccessful  
bidders returned

Upon Motion being duly Seconded the Secretary was instructed to return to the respective unsuccessful bidders their certified checks - Davis and Whitney voting Aye - Julian being absent. All of said checks were forthwith returned.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. Julian  
President pro tempo.

San Diego, Cal. Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Saturday 3 P.M.

Ball Meeting:-

Meet to  
approve  
Bonds of  
Contractors

The meeting was called together for the purpose of approving the Bonds of J. Engelbrek <sup>and</sup> Sterne Bros. given for the faithful performance of the contract entered into with the City of San Diego, Calif., to improve the Plaza:-

Present were Commissioners Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian.  
Absent was Whitney.

Engelbrek  
Material  
Bond is  
approved

Mrs. J. Engelbrek presents his bond with Frank P. Tracy & Ed. Wescott as sureties. To protect material men, mechanics and laborers who may furnish material or labor, Said Bond is in the sum of \$487.<sup>00</sup>

Upon motion being duly seconded the said bond is ordered approved - Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye - Whitney, absent.

Engelbrek  
Contract  
executed.

Mr. J. Engelbrek <sup>and</sup> the Board of Public Works in behalf of the City of San Diego Cal.- have this day executed a contract in which the Said J. Engelbrek proposes to furnish all materials and do all grading and other necessary work for the improvement of the "Plaza". Said Engelbrek will place in concrete footings 44 East door posts and Sidewalk <sup>and</sup> Curb Said "Plaza" in accordance with the plans and specifications on file with said Board.

Engelbrek  
Bond to  
fulfill same  
approved.

Said J. Engelbrek also presents his bond for 250<sup>00</sup> with G. Anderson <sup>and</sup> B. Lindquist as sureties for the faithful performance of said contract.

Upon motion being duly seconded the said Bond was approved.

Commissioners Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye  
" Whitney Absent.

Sterne Bros.  
Contract  
executed

Messrs. Sterne Bros. <sup>and</sup> the Board of Public Works in behalf of the City of San Diego, Calif., have this day executed a contract in which the Said Sterne Bros. propose to furnish, sell, and deliver to the City of San Diego, Cal. - 32 Small iron posts and 12 Large door posts and 1000 feet of 3/8<sup>th</sup> wrought iron chain for \$647<sup>25</sup> in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of said Board.

Stone Bros.  
Bond approved.

Said Stone Bros. also present a bond for \$100.- with P.M. Johnson <sup>and</sup> E.W. Elliott as sureties for the faithful performance of said contract.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Bond was approved.

Commissioners Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye  
\_\_\_\_\_  
" Whitney absent.

There being no further business the meeting  
Meeting adjourned

Attest:

F.H. Dixon,  
Secy.

A.H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal.: Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes of Sept 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and P.M. of 16<sup>th</sup> and P.M. of 18<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Hodge was granted permit to repair building Mr. H.C. Hodge makes application to repair his building which was recently damaged by fire. Same is located on lot L of Block 43 Hortons addition on D Street between 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Streets.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted, Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council. to wit:

Joint Resolution No 886.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

#250.- extra allowed for Street Sprinkling month Sept. That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby authorized empowered and directed to expend the sum of 250 dollars for sprinkling the Streets of the City of San Diego, from the date of the passage hereof, up to and including the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1897.

I hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 886, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said city on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of Said City on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1897.

 Seal

GEO. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joint Resolution No. 887.

Draft of Street  
authorized  
to make  
repairs

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to repair streets as follows:

Repair the returns on "B" "D" "E" "F" "G" "H" "I" "J" and "K" Streets where they intersect 22<sup>nd</sup> Street;

Fill up the gutter on 8<sup>th</sup> Street in front of Naval Reserve Hall;

Fill up the gutter on grape between Union and Albatross Streets;

Fill in, with straw, the road across Mission Valley in San Diego river;

Fill up chuckholes on India "K" "H" and "B" Streets.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution no. 887, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1897.

*C. Seelye*

Geo. D. Goodman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joint Resolution No. 888.

Draft of  
Street  
authorized  
to make  
repairs

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows;

That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby instructed to make repairs to the streets as follows;

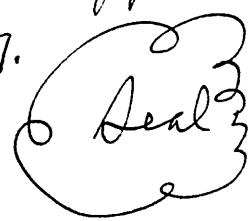
Fill up the chuckholes on Logan, Milton and National Avenues; Enlarge the culvert across Milton Avenue at 22<sup>nd</sup> Street; Clean out and open up the gutters on Milton Avenue at 22<sup>nd</sup> Street;

Repair and fill up washed out gutters on Milton Avenue between 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> Streets;

Repair Beech Street from Fourth to Union Street.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution no. 888, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1897, and by the

Board of Aldermen of said City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 1897,  
and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September  
1897.



Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

By H.W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

Joint Resolution No. 889.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows;

That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby  
authorized and instructed to do street repairing as follows:

Put in one new culvert on the Cemetery road;

Repair the Cemetery road;

Build approaches on Front Street at its intersections  
with Ivy, Juniper and Kalmia Streets;

Repair chuckholes on Mission grade; the total estimated  
cost of the same being \$115.00

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a  
full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 889, passed  
and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego,  
California, on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1897, and by the Board  
of Aldermen of said City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 1897, and  
approved by the Mayor of said City on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September  
1897.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joint Resolution No. 891.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego  
California, as follows;

All of the  
departments  
must make  
requisition

That all material purchased by or for any office or department  
of the City, shall be purchased upon requisition issued by the  
Board of Public Works, and such requisition shall be attached  
to the claim filed for such material;

To B of P. Works  
for Supplies

That each and every month the Auditor shall  
present to the Board of Public Works all claims filed  
against the City for expenses of preceding month, and  
thereupon the Board of Public Works shall cause a

Board to  
make a  
detailed  
Statement  
each Month  
to Common  
Council.

report to be made and filed with the City Clerk showing a detailed account of the expense of each office or department for such preceding month; including therein the cost of material and supplies furnished such office or department from stock kept on hand by the Board of Public Works, and also showing the value of the Stock and Supplies remaining on hand with the Board of Public Works, which report shall be presented to the Common Council at its first meeting thereafter.

That upon receiving such report the City Clerk shall cause the same to be published one time in the City official newspaper; showing the expense of each office or department for such month, and whether for labor or material, or for whatever account such expense was incurred.

That Joint Resolution No. 859, requiring report of expense of each department to be made and published, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 891, passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1897, and by the Board of Alderman of said City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 1897.

*Seal*

GEO. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent Deputy.

Ordinance 461  
for Sewer  
on 25<sup>th</sup> Maluk  
ave.

Ordinance No. 461 authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase Sewer pipe and M's. for the extension of the sewer system of said City and to make such extensions. Was received read and ordered on file.

Resolutions  
filed.

Joint Resolutions #886, 887, 888, ~~and~~ 889, were read and ordered on file and the Superintendent of Streets was instructed accordingly.

City authorized  
purchase  
Acc book

Joint Resolution #891 was received, read and ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to purchase a book to keep the accounts in, in accordance with said resolution.

Bids for  
Chemical  
Engine.

In accordance with a notice calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock AM, on Thursday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1897, to sell to said City a Chemical Engine which shall cost not more than \$2250.- And the time having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed to proceed to open them which was done with the following result, to wit:

Name of Bidder	Kind of Engine.	Am't. of last'g Check	Am't. of Bid.
Racine Fire Engine Co.,	Hydro-di-Oxide at San Diego	\$120 00	\$2550 00
Do. Do.	Carbonic acid gas Do	Do	215000
Boston Hosen Hose & Rubber Co.	Halloway	Do	\$2250 00
Fire Extinguisher Mfg. Co.,	Chemical at Chicago	110 00	220000
Do. Do.	Babcock "	Do	290000

Awarding  
of Contract  
was taken  
under advisement

Upon motion being duly seconded the awarding of the contract for the purchase of the Chemical Engine was taken under advisement. Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye. Which is in accordance with the following communication from the Common Council. to wit:

"In regard to your communication to the Common Council in the matter of the purchase of a Chemical Engine for Florence Nights, the following action was taken by the Common Council:

Council  
requested Board  
to hold bids

Action on the communication was postponed until the next meeting of the Council and the Board of Public Works requested to hold the bids for action of the Council."

Secretary  
to Adv. for  
Sewer Pipe

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for furnishing 6588 feet of 6 inch sewer pipe & 256 joints 6" with 4" Branches, 32 joints 6" with 6" Branches in accordance with the plans and specifications as prepared by the City Engineer and on file in the office of the Board of Public Works.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

Comm to  
Mayor  
recommending  
Call Aldermen

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Hon. Mayor recommending that he call the Board of Aldermen together and that he then recommend to them the importance

together to appoint Inspector and necessity of an inspector over the concrete work that is about to be commenced on the Plaza.

Plaza work

The Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Common Council to authorize the Board of Public Works to put in a Culvert at 11<sup>th</sup> M to connect with the R.R. Co's. Culvert at said point.

Comm. to  
Council to  
put in Culvert

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council stating that the Insurance money for Park having been used and there being no money left to build a Cottage in the Park - We respectfully recommend that the Stable now there be made inhabitable. As it is, it is in danger of collapsing at any moment, or as soon as wet weather sets in.

Comm. to  
Council  
recommend  
repair of  
Stable in  
Park

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal:- Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Friday 10 AM.

Special Meeting:-

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian.

Minutes dispensed with

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to advertise in accordance with ordinances number 437 <sup>and</sup> 461 for the laying of sewer pipe in 25<sup>th</sup> Street, Upper 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Walnut Avenue - make 3 separate advertisements. Said notice to be inserted as soon as the specifications for same are prepared by the City Engineer.

Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy..

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif. Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

Present: Commissioners, Whitney, Davis and Julian.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Communication A communication from Fred Osborn, Superintendent of Streets, calling attention to the "rocky" condition of the road leading from 12<sup>th</sup> St. and City Parks to the Howard Tract and requesting the expenditure of \$10. for repairing same, whereupon it was determined to recommend to the Common Council the expenditure of \$10. for repairs to said road.

Sterne Bros. Upon request of Sterne Bros. for an extension of 30 days time to complete contract with the City for supplying the iron work for the "Plaza improvement" also a request of John Englebret for an extension of 30 days to complete his contracts with the City for work on the Plaza, a motion duly seconded was carried, to send a communication to the Common Council asking for an extension of 30 ds. time for Sterne Bros. also an extension of 30 days time for John Englebret by the following aye vote:-

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

In accordance with a "Notice to Contractors" calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1897, for the furnishing and delivering of 600 feet of 24 in. cast-iron water pipe, and the time having arrived to open said bids, the Secretary was instructed to proceed to open them which was done with the following result:-

Bids	Name of Bidder	600 feet 24 in. Cast Iron Water Pipes	Am't of Cert. Check	Am't of Bid.
	McKenzie, Flint & Winsby		\$ 90	\$ 1800 -
	Sterne Bros.		\$ 100	\$ 1887 50
	Christian Froelich	\$ 27.50 per ton	\$ 100	

On motion duly seconded that the bid of McKenzie, Flint & Winsby be accepted, it was carried by the following vote, to wit:-

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
 " Whitney voting Aye  
 " Julian voting Aye.

Said McKenzie, Flint & Winsby being the lowest bidders the contract was awarded to them to furnish 600 feet of 24 inch cast-iron water pipe.

The Secretary was instructed to send a communication to the Common Council stating that Ash Street between Fourth and Fifth Sts., should be sidewalked and curbed before the winter rains set in, as the same is in a deplorable condition on the South side of Ash St.

The following resolution was adopted by the following vote, to wit:-

Commissioner Davis voting Aye.  
 " Whitney voting Aye  
 " Julian voting Aye.

Said resolution as adopted reads as follows:-

Whereas certain complaints have been made to this Board that the "Manor House" located on the South-west corner of Fifth and Ash Streets in this City was in an unsafe condition, and whereas the said "Manor House" has been thoroughly inspected,

Now therefore be it resolved that we declare said building to now be strong and in perfectly safe condition for habitation.

No further business, adjourned to 10. a.m. Saturday Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>

A. H. Julian

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Reading of the  
minutes committed

The minutes of the previous meeting were not read.

Shut down

Sprinkling except

on D fr 3 to Atlantic

4 fresh out.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Common Council that we have shut down sprinkling entirely with the exception of on D Street from 3 to Atlantic and on 4<sup>th</sup> from Ash out.

In doing so to state that there is less than \$2500- in the Street Fund to carry it the balance of the year.

The following bills were read and approved.

Salary.

3336	Public Works	Pay Roll	\$325-
3339	Engineers	" "	215-
			\$540

Sewer and Drainage

3335	Labor	65
3351	S.D. Water Co.	Water
		72 00

Fire Hydrant

3352	S.D. Water Co.	191 Fire Hydrants rental @ \$80.-per annum	\$1272 33
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Street Lights

3323	S.D. Gas & Elec Co.	Light	Mo. September	1500 -
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Park Improvement

3364	S.D. Water Co.	Water Sept	1425
3071	Tom Gilcher Lassid to First Natl Bank	Plowing Howard Track Feb'y 1 <sup>st</sup> 1897 Contract 155 00	

Police Dept.

3302	W.D. Nichols Co.	1 Bx Target practice	65
3345	James Russell	Club Cords & Lanterns	26 90

\*27 55

Claim no.

Street Repair

3361	Pay Roll	Labor	\$91.00
3291	F. Holland	Hauling Lumber	2.5
3294	Jesse Gillmore	Ackdgmt Instruments	8.00
3300	Ino. G. Forward	Recording "	9.50
3308	La Jolla Water Co.	Water troughs	17.50
3310	F. Foley	Hauling lumber & tools	2.5
3317	J. J. Springer	" " "	2.5
3319	J. M. Crittenden	" " "	5.0
3320	C. A. Webster	" " "	5.0
3328	Union Stables	Team City Engr.	9.00
3344	E. M. Lappa	Carfare	3.85
3357	The Hamilton Co.	Nails	4.80
3359	Russ Lumber Mill Co.	Lumber	15.46
3360	" " " "	"	5.37
3366	S. D. Water Co.	Water	17.90
			\$168.38

Street Sprinkling.

3361	Pay Roll	Labor	328.00
3283	McKenzie, Flint & Winsby	Putting on coupling	1.00
3330	Parrott & Corb	repairs	7.05
3353	S. D. Water Co.	Water	378.00
			\$714.05

Street Sweeping.

3361	Pay Roll	Labor	345.50
3299	Ak Quim	120# China Bamboo	19.20
3311	E.O. Roberts	Straighten Pole irons, drill holes, bolts (rep. gear of sprinkler)	16.05
3314	Saml Waugh	Make 12 Hnd brooms 12 <sup>00</sup> Sweeper broom 12 <sup>00</sup>	18.00
3321	Silvergate Oil Co.	Oil	8.5
3353	S. D. Water Co.	Water ahead sweeper	8.70
			\$408.30

General

3284	J. Johnston & Son	Rep. Cloak in rear B of P. Wks of	6.05
3305	Sunset Tel & Tel Co.	Phone Pound	5.00
3329	Union Stables	Team Council	3.00
3343	S. D. Dish Tel. Co.	Mess. Serv. (Whitney)	1.20
3365	S. D. Water Co.	Water	3.50
3368	L. B. West	Tyewriting	21.20
			\$39.95

### Fire Department

3313	E. J. Delaney	shoeing 12 Horses	16 25
3316	H. A. Deering & Son	Forage	56 50
3324	Hamilton Bros.	Cloth, sponges, Soap, Oil, Emery, Duster, Brooms etc	9 45
3325	Knox Van Staren	Powder, glycerine etc.	60
3367	S. D. Water Co	Water	9 25
3371	J. S. Nickerson	Pasturing two horses	8 00
			<u>\$ 99 05</u>

### Office

3276	The Hamilton Co	Tacks	150
3292	R. Schiller	1 criminal record docket	14 00
3318	Loring & Co.,	1 Index for lot books	125
3326	J. W. Kreiss	Cleaning Carpet Clerks & attys office	8 50
3342	S. D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels mo. Sept	2 25
3369	Gould & Sutton & Co.	Book Special ruling & printing 23 <sup>rd</sup> 1000 letter heads 5 25	28 75
			<u>\$ 55 25</u>

### Public Building

3292	L. F. Jones	Rent S. 1/2 L. 2d. B. 41. Hortons end Oct 21.	25.
3295	D. G. Stephens	City Hall	100.
3297	R. G. Clark	S 1/2 L. 2d. B 112 " Oct 1.	25.
3298	D. Hitchcock Aft.	L. 2. B. 99 " " " 6	12 50
3304	J. W. Sefton	S 1/2 L. H. B 10. " " 1.	20.
3309	H. W. Stanton	E. & F. B 44 " Mo Aug & Sept	10
3315	J. M. Ballou	Bell tower July, Aug & Sept	2.
3322	A. D. Gas & Electric Co	Light	40 20
3355	J. Jennings, Sheriff	To care City Prisoners	60.
3356	J. S. Jennings	To Jail	10.
			<u>\$ 305 70</u>

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon  
Secretary

A. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif. Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 AM.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form.

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular and Special meeting were read and approved.

Bids for  
furnishing  
6588 feet  
6in. sewer  
pipe etc.  
were opened

In accordance with a "notice to contractors" calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock AM. on Thursday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897. for the furnishing and delivery of 6.588 feet of 6 inch Sewer pipe, 256 joints 6inch with 4 inch branches, 32 joints 6inch with 6 inch branches to the City of San Diego: And the time having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed to proceed to open them, which was done with the following result.

<u>Results ✓</u>	<u>Name of Bidders.</u>	<u>Sewer Pipe</u>	<u>Amount of Bid</u>	
			<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Amount of Bid</u>
	McKenzie, Flint and Winsby J. S. Buck	6.588 ft pipe 288 branches	\$7500	\$106500
		" " " "	6000	\$115000

Bid was  
awarded to  
McKenzie.

Flint & Winsby

Upon motion being duly seconded, that the bid of McKenzie, Flint and Winsby (who were the lowest bidders) be accepted.

Said motion was carried by the following vote, two-thirds of Commissioners Davis, voting Aye  
Whitney, " "  
Julian, " "

The contract is awarded to McKenzie, Flint and Winsby for the furnishing of and the delivery of 6.588, linear feet of 6 inch Sewer pipe, 256 joints 6inch with 4 inch branches 32 joints 6inch with 6 inch branches to the City of San Diego on or before October 23<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

In accordance with a "notice to Contractors" calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock AM. on Thursday the

Bids recd.  
on chemical  
Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 97  
were this  
day rejected.

The 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1897 to sell to said City a Chemical Engine which shall cost not more than \$2250.-

And in accordance with a communication from the Common Council requesting said Board to hold bids for action of the Common Council.

The Board thereupon opened said bids and took the matter of awarding the contract under advisement.

As there appears to be no show to pay for said Engine should the Contract be awarded, wherefore the following resolution was adopted, Viz:-

Be It Resolved that it is the sense of this Board and it is hereby ordered and directed that any and all bids offering to furnish this City with a Chemical Engine be rejected; and the Secretary is hereby instructed to notify the respective bidders of said action and return to them their certified checks properly endorsed.

Commissioner	Davis	voting aye
	Whitney	" "
"	Julian	" "

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Joint Resolution # 894.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and it is herewith instructed to cause the Superintendent of Parks to remove the Hedge from around the Newtown Park.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897.

D.C. Reed  
Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution # 894 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said Resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of said City, October 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Seal

Jacob Goldman  
City Clerk.

Dated.

Said Joint Resolution #894 relative to removing the hedge around the Newtown Park was ordered placed on file.

Joint Resolution #895.

Res. for  
Common Council  
depression  
on Front  
Street.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby directed and authorized to investigate a depression in the street at the corner of Front and Juniper Streets, and cause the same to be properly drained before the winter rains set in.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897.

D. C. Reed

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 895 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said Resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of said City, October 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Gos. D. Goldman,

City Clerk



Dept. of Streets  
notified.

The foregoing Joint Resolution #895, was ordered on file, and the Superintendent of Streets notified in accordance with said resolution.

Joint Resolution #896.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That there be and is hereby transferred from the Public Building Fund of the City of San Diego, California, to the Park Improvement Fund thereof, the sum of \$150<sup>00</sup>, to be used for the purchase of water and material for use in the City Parks and Plazas during the remainder of the current fiscal year, and that the City Auditor and the City Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized and directed to cause the necessary entries to be made in the records of their respective offices.

\*\$150.-transferred

to Park  
Fund.

and will carry into effect the provisions of this resolution and such transfer.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897.

D. C. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution #896, of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of said City, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

GEO. D. Goldman.

City Clerk.

*(Signature)*

The foregoing resolution #895 was read and ordered placed on file.

Filed

### Joint Resolution #897.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Res. from  
Common Council

Adv. for  
bids - 2

flush hydrants

Playa

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the placing of two one and a half inch flush hydrants on the inside of the Plaza and for connecting the same with the water mains with a one and ~~one~~ a half inch pipe, said hydrants to be placed about fifty feet from each end of the "Plaza" and with their heads flush with the surface of the grade of the ground, the expense thereof to be paid from money received as insurance upon Building burned in Howard Park Tract, and which has been appropriated for Plaza Improvement.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897.

D. C. Reed.

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 897, of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of said City, October 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

Secretary  
instructed The foregoing resolution #897, was read and ordered on file, and the Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance with said resolution.

Joint Resolution No. 898.

Resolution  
Common Council  
fill in  
Plaza  
black  
loam

Be It Resolved; By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby directed and authorized to fill in the "Plaza" according to the report of the Engineer, presented this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1897, to the required grade, with black vegetable loam taken from the City Park about six hundred feet above the City Pound, the expense thereof to be paid from money appropriated for Plaza Improvement.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1897.

D.C. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 898 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of said City, October 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman

City Clerk.

Secy. Instructd  
To Advertise

The foregoing resolution #898 was read and ordered on file, and the Secretary instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with said resolution.

Joint Resolution #899.

Do not  
pave  
Plaza  
until  
further

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby directed not to pave or let any contract for paving the "Plaza" with bituminous rock

notice from  
Com. Council

placed upon the natural earth, or otherwise, until the further order of the Council.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1897.

D.C. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 899 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said resolution was duly approved by the mayor of said City, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.

Reed

The foregoing resolution #899. was read and ordered on file.

Filed.

Resolution

Com Council

Authorizing

Street Work.

Authorizing  
grates at

Interc. 4<sup>th</sup> &  
5<sup>th</sup> Sts.

### Joint Resolution #900.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized, directed, and empowered to cause the following public work to be done in said City.

1. Grade and cut down the approaches to Thirteenth Street, at its intersection with "A" Street and "F" Street so that the same will be in a condition safe for travel.

2. Construct a culvert at Twenty-second and "I" Streets.

3. Put in two iron gratings at the intersection of Fourth and "B" Streets, and two such iron gratings at the intersection of Fifth and "B" Streets.

The said iron gratings shall be so put in as to take care of and carry off the rain flood water that comes down Fourth and Fifth Streets during the winter.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1897.

D.C. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I hereby certify the above to be a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 900 of the

Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by said Council, and I further certify that said resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of said city, October, 5<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman.

City Clerk.

Seal

Supt of  
Streets  
notified.

The foregoing resolution #900 was read and ordered on file; And the Supt. of Streets notified in accordance with said resolution.

Decy. to  
take bids  
12 Assmt  
Roll Books

The Secretary was authorized and instructed to take bids for the furnishing of 12 Assessment Roll Books for the Assessor of 200 pages each numbered from 0 to 2399 (each book ending on 9) same binding printing, numbering and lettering as roll for fiscal year 1897, except change in year and some minor changes to be suggested by the assessor which will not add to the expense of making the Books.

Brane's or Weston's best ledger paper, blue tint. also bid on Scotch Linen Ledger, Buff tint.

Books to be completed by December 15<sup>th</sup> 1897, and delivered to the assessor by January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898, under a penalty of 5% from contract price for each day's delay in completion or delivery. ~~Same to be paid for out of 1898 revenue.~~

Supplies  
for  
Park

The Secretary was instructed to purchase for the Park Supt. 1 pruning saw, 1 hatchet, 1 axe, 1 sprayer ~~and~~ 100 ft <sup>3/4</sup> in hose. ~~and~~ 1000 lbs blood & bone.

Specifications  
for sewers  
from  
Engineer  
Approved.

The Specifications of the City Engineer for the Construction of the 25<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer the University Avenue Sewer and the Walnut Avenue Sewer. also the specifications for the filling in of the Plazas with a black loam were received and read, and upon motion being duly seconded the same were approved.

Commissioner

Davis voting Aye

Jalian " "

Whitney " "

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Garrison  
President

San Diego Cal. - Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Friday 10 A.M.

Call Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
 Present were Commissioners Davis and Julian.  
 Absent " Whitney

The reading of the minutes of the previous  
 meeting was dispensed with.

Do not purchase blood & bone  
 Upon motion of Commissioner Davis which was  
 duly Seconded the Secretary was instructed not to purchase  
 the 1000 lbs. of blood & bone for the Newtown Park, ordered by at  
 yesterdays meeting. The funds will not warrant said  
 expenditure - Commissioner Davis voting Aye.  
 Julian " "

Secy takes notice.  
 The same being carried the Secretary takes  
 notice.

Engg Specifiations laying pipe Plaza approved  
 The plans and specifications for the laying  
 of 180 feet of 1½ inch water, one shut off valve, one  
 curb box, one piece of lead pipe. were received and  
 from the City Engineer and approved and the  
 Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance  
 therewith.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
 Julian " "  
 Whitney Absent.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon  
 Secy

A. H. Julian  
 President.

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 9th 1897.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Call Meeting:-

The Board was called together for the purpose of executing the Contract of McKenzie, Flint and Winsby for the furnishing of 600 lineal feet 24 inch Cast Iron water pipe for the sum of \$1800.- and to approve the Bond for same in the sum of \$250.- with Frank P. Frary and Harry L. Titus as sureties.

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting was dispensed with.

McKenzie  
Flint Winsby  
Contract  
executed &  
bond approved

Upon motion being duly seconded the Contract with McKenzie, Flint and Winsby for furnishing 600 feet of 24 inch Cast Iron water pipe for the sum of \$1800.- and their bond of \$250.- with Frank P. Frary and Harry L. Titus, as sureties, for the faithful performance of said Contract be approved.

Commissioner

Davis voting Aye.

"

Whitney voting Aye.

"

Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

G. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Monday 11 A.M.

Call meeting.

The Board was called together for the purpose of executing the Contract with McKenney, Flint and Winsby for the furnishing of 6588 feet of 6inch Sewer pipe, rjs. branches etc. for the sum of \$1065.- and to approve the Bond for same in the sum of \$250.00 with Oscar A. Trippet & John P. Bush as sureties.

Present were Commissioners

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting was dispensed with.

McKenney  
Flint & Winsby  
executed and  
bond is  
approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Contract with McKenney, Flint and Winsby for furnishing 6588 feet of 6inch Sewer pipe rjs. branches etc. for the sum of \$1065.- and their bond for \$250.- with Oscar A. Trippet & John P. Bush as sureties for the faithful performance of said contract be approved.

Commissioners

Davis	voting	aye.
Whitney	voting	aye.
" Julian	voting	aye.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Oct 14<sup>th</sup> 97.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present Commissioners

Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

Minutes of the previous meetings read and approved with the exception of that portion of the instructions calling for bids on 12 Assessment Rolls as it appears on Page 154. The portion that reads "Same to be paid out of 1898 revenue", shall be stricken out.

In accordance with a verbal notice calling for bids on 12 assessment Rolls, for Assessor as per instructions as shown on Page 154 of the minutes of this Board the following bids were received. Viz:-

Bids on	R. Schiller	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	\$105.00
Assessor Roll	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	115.00
for Auditor	Harris and Heatham	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	\$100.00
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	100.00
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Buff Scotch Linen 100.00

Gould & Hutton

Awarded

The making

of said Books

Gould and Hutton being the lowest bidder it was moved and Seconded that they be awarded the making of the 12 assessment Books for the City Assessor at the price presented in their bid, Viz \$93<sup>50</sup> for Buff on Scotch Linen paper and in accordance with the specifications on file in this office.

Commissioners

Davis voting Aye

Whitney "

Julian "

The Secretary was instructed to notify Messrs. Gould & Hutton and Co., in accordance therewith.

Call for  
bids to  
fill in  
Playa

In accordance with a notice calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897 for the filling in of the Playa with a black loam to be taken from a point about 800 feet above the City Pound the following bids were received. Nowit:-

Christian F. Archele	Certified Check \$15 <sup>00</sup>	Bid	\$299.00
Wm Osburn	" " 40 <sup>00</sup>	"	405.00
Goodbody & Roesner	" " 35 <sup>00</sup>	"	280.00 ✓

Lowest bidder Goodbody & Roesner being the lowest responsible bidder  
Goodbody & Roesner It was moved and seconded that the contract be awarded to them for the sum specified in their bid, viz \$280.- The same to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of said Board.

awarded the contract Commissioners Davis, voting Aye  
 " Whitney " "  
 " Julian " "

The secretary was instructed to prepare a contract and bond in accordance therewith.

J. S. Schiom granted permit to place wagon Mr. J. S. Schiom makes application to place a wagon scale in front of his warehouse on K Street between Third and Fourth Streets. The scale beam to be put inside of said warehouse.

Sale on "K" for 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted by the following vote. Viz:

Commissioners Davis voting Aye:  
 " Whitney "  
 " Julian "

City Guard Band desire to remove Band Stand A communication from the City Guard Band was received in which they claim an interest in Band Stand and desire to remove said stand without cost to City.

Filed The Board not having the authority to comply, filed said communication.

The following communications were sent to the Common Council Viz:

Wish Authorization to employ man & team to haul brush from park "We respectfully recommend that your Honorable Body authorize us to employ a man and team to haul away the brush and rubbish that has accumulated from trimming and cutting out trees in the City Park."

Comm from  
Com Council

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize us to remove the Band Stand from the Plaza."

"We herewith transmit to your Honorable Body a copy of the communications received from Frank O. Wadsworth & Oliver H. Swingle, and one from Miss Jessie F. Colton, which are as follows to-wit:

We, Frank O. Wadsworth and Oliver H. Swingle, for and in consideration of the sum of One dollar and other good and lawful consideration, do hereby grant to the City of San Diego the right and privilege to connect the new sewer, about to be connected on Twenty-fifth Street, by the said City of San Diego, with that certain six inch sewer, now laid in the alley in Block number Seven (7) of Breed and Chase's Addition to the City of San Diego, according to the official map thereof, now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Diego, State of California at a point about two hundred feet west of the west line of Twenty-fifth Street, said six inch sewer running from its connection with the Twenty-fourth Street main sewer through said alley: And also the right and privilege to use the said six inch sewer as above described for any and all municipal sewerage purposes for the period of one year from date hereof.

To have and to hold the above described property unto the said City of San Diego forever.

Witness our hands and seals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897.

Frank O. Wadsworth  
Oliver H. Swingle"

The contract with Miss Jessie F. Colton is identical with the foregoing.

These contracts give the City the right and privilege to use the said 6 inch sewer, for sewerage purposes, for a period of one year only, from date.

We have advertised for proposals to construct the 25<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer, in accordance with instructions from your Honorable Body, and will receive said proposals to lay said 25<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer and to connect with the above mentioned sewer described in the foregoing contracts on Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1897. We respectfully submit said contracts to your

Honorable Body for instructions.

Shall we accept said contracts and proceed to award the contract to lay said 20<sup>th</sup> Street sewer and make connections in accordance with contracts?"

*Ask for the  
authorization  
at down &  
all Rossville  
val.*

"We respectfully recommend to your Hon. Body that you authorize us to thoroughly wet down and thoroughly roll the Rossville Road that is about completed or will be completed on or before Saturday the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 1897.

It is necessary that this be done to make a good hard solid road and it will save the road and much expense later, at the same time make one of the best driveways out of the city.

Estimated Cost will be about \$60<sup>00</sup>"

*Ask to  
clean mud &  
and from  
- and 4*

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize this Board to have the mud and sand cleaned off from the intersection of "6" and 4<sup>th</sup> Streets deposited there by the flood water from the last rain.

Estimated Cost will be about \$10<sup>00</sup>

*Notice  
to the  
Council  
that Wm  
Jones will  
not offer  
his month  
take garbage  
Sea unless  
money to pay  
same.*

"At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works held this day Mr. Wm Jones appeared and stated that he understood that there would be no money in the Health Fund after this month to pay for the taking of the City Garbage to Sea.

He verbally notified this Board that he will not after the 1<sup>st</sup> of November take any City Garbage to Sea or allow any to cross his wharf until provision is made for the payment of same."

In being a fact that there will be no money in said fund after Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

We therefore recommend that some provision be made at once, so that the City Garbage may be taken care of without any unnecessary delay."

"At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works held this day the following resolution was adopted Viz:-

"Be It Resolved that it is the sense of this Board to notify your Honorable Body that many of the Streets in the City are in an unsafe

Resolution  
a copy of  
which was  
transmitted  
to Common Council  
make provision  
to care for  
streets during  
rainy weather.

condition, especially is 2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Streets. They should be taken care of at once as the flood waters from the rains have caused many dollars of expense that would not have occurred if taken care of in time.

Therefore we recommend to your Honorable Body that you make some provision whereby this Board may take the proper precaution during rainy weather to guard against any unnecessary expense that might arise by not protecting the streets through lack of authorization from your Honorable Body:

Commissioners

Davis voting Aye  
 Julian " "  
 Whitney " "

The following resolution was adopted and a copy of the same was sent to the Mayor. Viz:-

"Be It Resolved that it is the sense of this Board to notify your Honor that the Streets are in an unsafe condition, especially 2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Streets, and they should at once be taken care of, as the flood waters from the rains will cause many dollars of expense that would not be incurred if they were properly taken care of in time.

Therefore we recommend that your Honor call together the Common Council for the purpose of Authorizing us to take such steps as will prevent as much damage as possible:

Commissioners

Davis voting Aye  
 Julian " "  
 Whitney " "

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the City Attorney. Viz:-

"We respectfully ask that you kindly furnish us with a written opinion as to whether or not the City Clerk's office should when furnishing this Board with copies of Joint Resolutions, passed by the Common Council, Certified to by the Auditor and approved by the Mayor, attach to said Joint Resolution a copy of the Auditor's Certificate.

It frequently happens that Joint Resolutions are passed by the Common Council and are not certified to by the Auditor.

Therefore we are unable to tell which

Request of  
Atty. an  
opinion as  
to whether or  
not City clerk  
should attach  
Auditor's  
Certf. to  
Resolutions  
when given

are certified to, and which are not.

Commissioners

Davis voting Aye  
Julian " "  
Whitney " "

Mr. Hall  
certified to  
the manner  
way as per  
agreement.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to Mr. Hall notifying him that the manner of the Fire Department is not being taken away in accordance with his agreement; and that he please fulfill the requirements of said agreement at once.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. Julian

San Diego, October 21<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present

Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were read and ordered placed on file.

Joint Resolution #901.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Council  
authorizes  
Board to  
purchase  
Automatic  
Waterguage.

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized, directed, and instructed to purchase one automatic self-registering water guage and to place and maintain the same on the hydrant located at the South East corner of Fifth and "F" Streets in said City, and the said Board of Public Works is hereby directed and instructed to keep a record in the office of the said Board of Public Works of the daily registration of the said water guage.

I Herby Approve the foregoing resolution this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1897.

(Auditor's certificate attached)

D.C. Reed,  
Mayor of the City of San Diego.

I Herby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 901, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City of San Diego, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.

By H.W. Vincent,

Deputy.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for one Edison Recording Water Guage, guaranteed to 500' from ashes of mfg. Co. of New York. In accordance with the foregoing resolution.

Joint Resolution #902.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That W. H. Doud be and he is hereby permitted and authorized to change and re-model that certain small frame building on "D" Street, in the rear of the store now occupied by him, in accordance with his petition therefor heretofore made to this Common Council and on file with the City Clerk. Such re-modeling to consist of extending the ceiling and cornice of the front building, occupied by the said Doud on the South West corner of "D" and Fifth Streets, west so as to include the said small building, and thereby make a continuous store room of said two buildings;

That this permit is granted only upon the condition that the brick wall on the south side of the front building occupied by the said W. H. Doud, and the above named small frame building, to a connection with the brick wall of the building occupied by John R. Seifert.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution #902, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1897.

*D. A. Sealz*

G. C. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

The Secretary was instructed to issue a permit in accordance with the foregoing resolution.

Joint Resolution #903.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby instructed and directed to accept certain contracts in possession of said Board allowing the City to connect a sewer about to be constructed on Twenty-fifth Street with a certain sewer already laid in the alley in Block 7 of Breed & Chase's Addition. The said Board of Public Works is also directed to award the contract for laying the Twenty-fifth Street

Council  
Grants  
W.H. Doud  
permits to  
make change  
in front of  
building on  
D. St bet  
+ 1/45 -

Council  
instructs the  
Board to  
accept certain  
contracts to  
connect 25<sup>th</sup>  
St. sewer with  
alley in Blk.  
Breed & Chase Adm

sewer and to make connections with the said sewer in the alley in Block 7 of Breed & Chase's Addition in accordance with the provisions of the above mentioned contracts.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 903, passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

W.S. Rowen  
Others  
granted permit  
no place st.  
Signs on Walnut  
St. bet 1<sup>st</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>

A communication was received from W.S. Rowen and others asking for a permit to erect street signs along Walnut Avenue from 5<sup>th</sup> to 1<sup>st</sup> Street on the S.E. Cor. of each Block, no expense to City.

Upon motion being duly seconded the permit was granted.  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Application  
Dept. Crematory  
filed.  
  
A communication was received from John Campbell, 839 Front St. applying for the position of Dept. of Crematory. The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Application  
10 year position  
& furnish Chemical  
Engine filed.  
  
A communication was received from A.L. Downing, of Concord, N.H. in which he agrees to furnish a chemical engine upon certain conditions. Said communication was read and ordered placed on file.

Goodbody and  
Rosner  
Contract  
executed and  
Bond approved.  
  
Having duly posted for 5 days a notice of award of contract to M. D. Goodbody & John Rosner for the filling in of the Plaza with a black loam in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, for the sum of \$280<sup>00</sup> and there having been no objections raised. It was moved and seconded that the contract therefore be executed and the bond for same be approved: also that the bond for the protection of labor & material be approved.  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

In accordance with a notice to contractors calling for bids to be delivered at this office on Thursday the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 1897, between the

bids on 25<sup>th</sup>  
L. Sewer.

hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of constructing a Sewer in 25<sup>th</sup> Street in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, the following bids were received viz:-

McKinney King & Winsby,	Bertf. Check \$105.00	amt. of bid. \$2085.00
C. H. King	" " \$175.00	" " \$1884.73
Wm Osburn	" " \$100.00	" " \$1875.00

Wm Osburn being the lowest bidder it was moved and seconded the contract for the construction of a Sewer in 25<sup>th</sup> Street be awarded to him.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting aye.

In accordance with a notice calling for bids to be delivered to this office between the hours of 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1897, to grade a road or carriageway from the intersection of Witherby Street and the unnamed street along the Southwest line of Old Town, thence running Northwest along said unnamed street for a distance of 439 feet thence 73° West and along the Carter line of the newly acquired right of way to the intersection of Tide and 38<sup>th</sup> Streets in Manassas & Schiller's Addition to Roseville. And in accordance with said advertisement. Mr. N. A. Thomson being the lowest bidder, the contract was awarded to him for the sum of \$605<sup>16</sup> to do all of said work to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, Supt. of Streets and the Board of Public Works and in accordance with the Plans & Specifications therefore on file in the office of said Board.

Said Thomson having completed said work on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897. The Board of Public Works together with the City Engineer, Supt. of Streets proceeded on Saturday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 1897 to look over said work and they find that all of said work has been performed in accordance with the plans & specifications therefore on file with said Board and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, Supt. of Streets and the Board of Public Works. Therefore upon Thursday Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1897, at a regular meeting of said Board the following resolution was adopted viz:-

Be It Resolved that whereas N. A. Thomson has completed said above described roadway

Roseville  
Road  
accepted

across the Old Town Plaza towards Roseville in accordance with the plans & specifications therefore on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and to the satisfaction and acceptance of said Board, the City Engineer and the Supt. of Streets.

Therefore it is hereby ordered and directed that said work be, and it is hereby accepted. And it is hereby ordered that a warrant be drawn on the City of San Diego to in favor of said H. N. Thomson or his assigns for the sum of \$605<sup>16</sup> the contract price for grading said roadway.

Commissioner

"  
"

Davis voting Aye  
Julian " "  
Whitney " "

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Calif., Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Wednesday 10 AM.

Call meeting:-

Commissioner	Davis	Present
"	Julian	"
"	Whitney	Absent

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The meeting was called together for the purpose of executing the contract between W<sup>m</sup> Osburn and the City of San Diego for the construction of a sewer in 25<sup>th</sup> Street.

Having duly posted for 5 days a notice of award of contract to W<sup>m</sup> Osburn for the construction of a sewer in 25<sup>th</sup> Street in accordance with plans & specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works. Said W<sup>m</sup> Osburn being the lowest bidder, Viz \$1875<sup>00</sup> and there having been no objections presented.

It was moved and seconded that the contract be executed.

Commissioner	Davis voting aye
"	Julian " "

Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Osburn presents a bond for the faithful performance of said Contract in the sum of \$500<sup>00</sup> with Ed Wescott & D.C. Collier as sureties; And also a bond in the sum of \$950<sup>00</sup> to secure the payment of the claims of material-men, mechanics or laborers employed upon said work, with the same sureties.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same were approved.

Commissioner	Davis voting aye
"	Julian " "

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest.

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

N. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the last regular and special meeting were read and approved.

Survey  
Rose Canyon  
Road.

The Engineer was instructed to make a Survey for a new Rose Canyon Road from the end of Gilbert's road to the top of the hill.

Blasting  
Bond

Harold McGrew files a bond in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars with R. J. Blair & Bert G. Reed as sureties to blast on Lots 29 & 30 Block 57 M.H. Higgins Addition.

Harold McGrew  
Permit 30 days  
granted

It was moved and seconded that the Bond be approved and a permit issued to do said blasting, said permit to expire at the expiration of Thirty days from date hereof.

Commissioner

Davis voting Aye

" " "

" " "

Julian " "

Whitney " "

Blasting  
Bond Wm. Daburon

Wm Daburon files a bond in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars with J. S. Nickerson & M. D. Goodbody as sureties to blast for Sewer on 25<sup>th</sup> Street.

Approved  
Permit 30 days  
granted

It was moved and seconded that the Bond be approved and a permit issued to Wm Daburon to do said blasting, said permit to expire at the expiration of Thirty days from date hereof.

Commissioners

Davis voting Aye

" " "

" " "

Julian " "

Whitney " "

Blasting  
Bond H.W. Smith

H.W. Smith files a bond in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars with C. C. Lord and H.W. Talcott as sureties to blast on D. Street bet 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Streets.

Approved  
Permit 90 days  
granted

It was moved and seconded that the Bond be approved and a permit issued to H.W. Smith to do said blasting, said permit to expire at the expiration of 90 days from date hereof.

Commissioner Davis, Aye, Whitney, Aye ~~Aye~~, Julian, Aye.

Chief Cairns  
will not occupy  
premises over  
ing. Home  
after Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>

Chief Cairns of the Fire Department notifies this Board that after the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1897, he will not occupy the premises known as the old Court rooms on the Plaza over the Engine House. Also that the rents due for July, August, September and October 1897, will be paid by him.

The following communication or petition was this day received and filed. Viz:—

"To the Honorable Common Council of the City of San Diego  
State of California.

*and*

Members of the Board of Public Works.

Petition  
not to  
remove  
Engineer  
Capps  
filed.

Gentlemen: We, the undersigned residents and tax payers of said City, having heard and believe it is the intention of the members of the Board of Public Works to remove E. N. Capps, our City Engineer from office, and knowing that he has proved to be an honest, efficient, and capable officer, do hereby most vigorously and emphatically protest against his removal."

This petition has 444 signatures.

Notify J.C.  
Schion  
to  
cover sewer  
pipe with  
concrete when  
he places  
platform scale

The Secretary was instructed to notify Mr. J. C. Schion whose place of business is on St. bch. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Streets, that a concrete covering over the sewer, where said sewer runs alongside or under the location of his platform scale, permission to erect said scale was heretofore granted to him must be laid at least six inches on the sides and bottom of said sewer and on top eight inches, for the protection of said sewer.

Imm. to Common  
Council for  
repairs

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they authorize us to take care of the flood waters that run down Laurel Street to Front Street. Also to fill in and repair the street at the approach of the bridge at D & 16<sup>th</sup> Streets.

No further business the Board adjourned until Wednesday at 10 A.M.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Calif. Nov. 3rd 1897.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called, to pass on the regular monthly bills.

Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The following bills were read and approved. Vig-

Claim No.

Fire Department

3472	J. Dyer & Co. Lt. Co. Lights Engt. Houses	37 25
3421	J. T. Jones Mange Exterminator July	1 00
3430	Hamilton Bros. Shine, Brooms, Soap, Brushes, Sponges, Vaseline, Chlo Lime, Lantern globes	20 29
3434	H. G. Oesting & Son Hay, Bran, etc.	Contract 80 59
3435	E. J. Delorey Shoe 13 Horses 21 <sup>25</sup>	16 25
3436	Pacific Wood Walls 1/2 Ton Coal	5 75
3450	J. D. Water Co. Water	9 25
3509	Russ Lumber Mills 2 pds. 2x12-12 pine	72
3508	Julian Plumbing Co 12 lengths 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. stone pipe 1 Elbow, 1 Damper.	4 10
		\$ 175 20

Salary

3460	Engineers Pay Roll	215
3461	Board Public Works "	325
		\$ 540-

Police Department

3511	The Hamilton Co. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ Doz Japanese Wire Hooks	30
3495	Geo T. Lemon & Co. Care wheel 1 <sup>00</sup> Can Oil 2 <sup>50</sup>	1 25
3478	F. A. Jennings Board 82 days prisoners	29 75
3470	Frandsen R & Co 200 Application Blanks	8 00
3466	Geo. A. Benson 10yd Duck <sup>15</sup> , Lumber & nails <sup>60</sup>	1 65
		\$ 40 95

Park Improvement

3409	Julian Plumbing Co Rep. pipe ladies Annex	3 70
3439	Stone Bros. Rep. Mower & Sprinkler	1 75
3448	J. D. Water Co. Water	14 45
3512	The Hamilton Co. 7 files <sup>35</sup> Screwdriver <sup>40</sup> Pruning <sup>60</sup> Hatchet <sup>1-75</sup> Axe <sup>10</sup> Sprinkler <sup>50</sup>	3 60
		\$ 23 50

Viam No.

Street Repairs

3505	Pay Roll	\$ 88.00
3376	W.D. Lemon	.50
3379	J.D. Sun Pub. Co.	3.10
3382	J.D. Sun Pub. Co.	.60
3397	La Jolla Water Co.	1.75
3402	James White	.25
3415	Julian Plumbing Co.	.50
3425	A.J. Stark	.25
3427	Wexandison	.75
3438	J.W. Battenden	4.25
3440	J.D. Sun Co.	.65
3445	Do      Do	4.45
3449	J.D. Water Co.	16.85
3373	Eben Cassie	1.20
3479	Russ Lumber Mills	19.53
3480	Do      Do	1.92
3484	West Coast L.L.C.	19.07
3485	Union Stables	6.00
3487	E.M. Gappa	2.45
3488	Diamond Carriage & Wagon Co.	3.00
3493	Gould & Sutton Co.	1.50
3511	J.D. Lumber Co.	.52
3514	Frank Foley	.75
3443	Sam'l Haugh	7.5
		\$ 181.34
		<u>Street Sweeping.</u>

3505	Pay Roll	\$ 338.44
3393	A.H. Quinn	22.00
3429	Clarke & Brandt	2.75
3431	Silvergate Oil Co.	1.70
3443	Sam'l Haugh	12.00
3506	J.D. Water Co.	5.20
		\$ 382.09
		<u>Street Sprinkling</u>

3505	Pay Roll	47.00
3506	J.D. Water Co.	53.10
		\$ 100.10
		<u>Street Light</u>
3454	J.D. Sun Pub. Co. Notice for bids	.75
3476	J.D. Gas & Electric Co. Rental	1500.00
		\$ 1500.75

Claim No.

Sewer and Drainage

3457	Pay Roll	\$73 50	
3380	J. D. Sun Pub Co.	65	
3423	Menges Print & Wmngy	6" Sewer pipe & fittings as per contract	1065 00
3444	J. D. Sun Pub Co.	Notices bids on pipe, 25 St. Brooks Ave, Walnut	170
3452	J. J. Buck & Co.	Cement	40
3467	J. D. Water Co.	372000 gal water @ 20¢ dt	7440
3475	M. A. Watherimer	1 Roll Blue Print paper	200
3491	J. D. Hdw Co.	Small Hammer	65
			\$1218 30

Public Building

3399	M. Riverall	Rent Lot K B & I. Hortons	2 bldg & E 2 mmo.	7
3403	P. G. Clark	Do 1/2 D. B 1/2	" 6 " 2 & J. 1 "	25
3408	L. F. Jones	Do 1/2 L " 41	" 3 bldg & E 1 "	25
3414	D. Hitchcock agt.	I. B 99	" 9 " 8 & 2 1 "	12 50
3419	J. W. Lofton	Do 1/2 H. B 10	" 5 " 8 & B 1 "	30
3446	J. D. Sun Co.	Real Estate notice, Sale of 1st lot.		45
3471	J. D. County	To Jail, Contract		10
3477	F. J. Jennings	To City Prisoners		50
3472	J. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light Hall		6 85
				\$166 80

Public Health

3306	Sunset Tel. & Tel Co.	Rent Phone	(entered last month)	250
3405	"	"	"	250
3422	J. A. Heath	2 Gal. Iron Buckets		200
3482	Jones & Son	Towing, care of garbage Scow & wharf Oct		225-
3489	Garbage Scavengers Co.	Void		
				\$329 50

General a/c

3162	Leonard & Wade	1 Swing bracket 1/2" 2 Hours labor 1/2"	2 50
3372	Miss. Rumsey	Typewriting report on Moreno Dam	1 50
3388	L. R. Dempster & Co.	Subscription for Cala. Decisions April 1 <sup>st</sup> 1896 to Dec 31/97	31 50
3391	Westinghouse Elec. Lt.	Light Mo Sept.	4 00
3392	L. B. West	Typewriting	60
3404	Sunset Tel & Tel Co.	Phone, Pound	5 00
3410	Geo. M. McIntire	Report windows 1 pair blinds	1 50
3451	J. D. Water Co.	Water Oct. City Hall, City Pound	13 50
			\$50 10

Claim No.

Legal acr

3426	H. E. Doolittle	Exp. to Supreme Court Los Angeles	8 35
3496	L. B. West	Dyepainting	43 20
3453	S. A. Sun Co.	Printing ord.	25
			<u>\$51 80</u>

Fire Hydrant

3464	S. D. Water Co.	Rental 191 Fire Hydrants Oct	<u>\$1273 53</u>
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Unapportioned Tax

3507	Julian Plumbing Co.	Laying pipe in Plaza & furnishing same also 1 1/2" tap fittings	48 80
3442	S. A. Sun Pub Co.	Notice water pipes	30
3378	" "	Iron Posts & concrete walks	95
3441	Sterne Bros.	Iron Posts & chain	<u>647 25</u>
			<u>\$697 30</u>

Office

3377	Pioneer Garbage Co.	Garbage Sept	100
3387	Garett & Smith	500 letter heads unruled <sup>3<sup>25</sup></sup> 500 Blanks proposal <sup>5<sup>25</sup></sup>	8 75
3416	Bala Rubber Co.	Ink pad, Rubber Stamps Altered.	75
3437	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	5 75
3468	Grandjen B & T	Letterheads <sup>3<sup>25</sup></sup> Proposal Blanks <sup>5<sup>25</sup></sup> Award <sup>5<sup>00</sup></sup>	13 75
3469	Pioneer Garbage Co.	Removing Rubbish City Hall	100
3481	S. D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels	2 25
3483	M. G. W. Co.	Stationery	<u>21 08</u>
		"	<u>\$54 23</u>

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego Calif. Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form.  
Present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

applications

Inspector

Frid.

Applications for Cement Inspector on Plaza were received from the following persons and ordered placed on file. viz:- J. Frank Over, James McNaig, J.R. Wade, A.V. Cappa, and John Hetzel.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted: Viz:-

Frank Over  
appointed  
Inspector  
Cement work  
on  
Plaza

Be It Resolved that Mr. J. Frank Over be, and he is hereby appointed Inspector over the Cement work about to be performed on the Plaza.

Commissioners Davis voting Aye  
" Julian " "  
" Whitney " "

Harvey C. Stiles

appointed

supt all

Parks

Mr. Harvey C. Stiles having failed to qualify as Superintendent of Parks. The following resolution re-appointing him was adopted: Viz:-

Be It Resolved that Harvey C. Stiles be, and he is hereby appointed Superintendent of all Parks of the City of San Diego, Calif.

Commissioner Davis voting aye.  
" Julian " "  
" Whitney " "

Com. from

Jacob Rauen

to  
withhold \$40<sup>c</sup>

A communication from Jacob Rauen asking the Board to withhold \$40<sup>c</sup> from money to be paid to Jim Culson for sewer in 25<sup>th</sup> was read and ordered on file.

Plans and

Specifications

Gratings

approved:

Adv. for

Same

Plans and Specifications for Gratings to be placed at intersections of 4<sup>th</sup> and B and 5<sup>th</sup> and B Streets were prepared by City Engineer Cappa and the same being read were adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board and the Secretary instructed to advertise at once for bids to furnish said gratin-

The following Joint Resolution #906 was read and ordered on file Viz:-

Joint Resolution #906.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to wet down and roll the Roseville road, recently constructed by said City, under contract with one H.N. Thompson, providing that the expense of such wetting down and rolling of said road shall not exceed the sum of Sixty dollars (\$60.00).

Wet down  
and  
roll the  
Roseville  
Road

The certificate of the Auditor that the above is a legal charge is attached to this Resolution.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 906 of the City of San Diego, Calif., as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

By A.W. Vincent  
Deputy.

Sealed

The Dept. of Streets was instructed in accordance with said foregoing resolution.

Joint Resolution #909, was read and ordered on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #909.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That in the event of imminent danger of great damage to any of the streets or public highways of said City, by reason of floods or washouts, the Board of Public Works of said City and the Superintendent of Streets are hereby authorized to take such steps as they may deem necessary to preserve such streets or highways, so far as possible, from such damage, and for that purpose said Board is hereby authorized to

Board  
Authorized  
to  
spend \$500.-  
when  
necessary  
to prevent  
damage

expend such sums of money as it may deem necessary, not exceeding the sum of \$500<sup>c.</sup>.

The certificate of the Auditor that the above is a legal charge is attached to this Resolution.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #909 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 1897, and approved by the Mayor on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 1897.



Geo. D. Goldman.  
City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent  
Deputy.

Supervisors  
notified in  
accordance.

The Supt. of Streets was instructed to make the necessary repairs <sup>as much as possible</sup> to prevent further damage by rain and floodwaters, which is in accordance with said resolution.

Purchase  
Street Ass't  
Roll Book

The city was instructed to take bids and to purchase one Street Assessment Book for use of the Street Department as a record for grading, paving, Sidewalking etc.

Ordinance to  
Adv. for  
Chemical  
Engine

Ordinance #468, from the Common Council, Authorizing us to Advertise for <sup>bids</sup> and to purchase one Double, Eighty gallon, Chemical Fire Engine on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898, for the use of the Fire Department of said City.

The said Ordinance was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to at once advertise calling for bids to be delivered at the office of said Board for said described Chemical Engine on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Jan'y 1898.

Ordinance  
to Appoint  
Inspector  
pay at \$3<sup>00</sup>

Ordinance #469, from the Common Council, authorizing the Board to appoint an Inspector over the Cement Work about to be performed on the Plaza fixing the compensation at \$3<sup>00</sup> per day.

The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Adv. for  
Gratings

It was moved and seconded that the Secretary be instructed to Advertise for Iron Gratings to be placed at the intersections of 4<sup>th</sup> V.B. & 5<sup>th</sup> V.B. Streets

which is in accord with Joint Resolution #900. from the Common Council.

Commissioner	Davis voting Aye
"	Julian "
"	Whitney "

Common Council  
mission to  
make repairs.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council, asking for authorization to repair National Ave. bet. 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> Streets at a cost of \$400.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. Nov 10th 1897.

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> M.

Call Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous <sup>aye</sup> vote, the following bills were read and approved:-

Mr. H. N. Thomson, having contracted with the City of San Diego to grade the "Roseville Road" for the sum of \$605<sup>16</sup>/<sub>100</sub> and said Thomson assigned his interest in said claim to his sister, Mrs. Mary A. Williams and she in turn to A. Blochman. Therefore the claim of A. Blochman for \$605<sup>16</sup>/<sub>100</sub> is approved.  
also the claim for grading the Plaza of Goodbody & Roesner for \$280<sup>00</sup> contract price is approved.

There being no further business the Board adjourned:

Attest

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Meeting was opened in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes  
approved

The minutes were read and approved, the same  
being the last regular and special meetings.

In accordance with a 'notice to Contractors' calling  
for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11  
o'clock <sup>am</sup>, on the Thursday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897, for the furnishing  
of three sets of cast iron grating bars and their rims, and the  
time having arrived to open said bids, the Secretary was  
instructed accordingly which was done with the following  
result Viz:-

Name of Bidder	3 Gratings & Rims	Amt. of Check	Amt. of Bid
Sterne Bros.		\$ 20 00	\$ 398 75
Standard Iron Works		\$ 2500	\$ 409 50

It was moved and Seconded that the bids  
be taken under consideration until Tuesday 2 o'clock P.M.  
November 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
 " Julian " "  
 " Whitney " "

The motion being carried. It was so ordered.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council, Stating that the trees  
in the Ladies Annex Park, and Howard tract are in need of water  
and we desire the authorization to incur the expense of  
doing said work: also we desire to haul away the brush now  
in the Newtown Park and burn same.

In response to a verbal call for bids for  
the making of one Street Assessment Roll Book  
the following were received:- Viz:-

Bids on  
St. Wash  
R. Book

Gould Hutton & Co,	bid as per sample	\$25.00
R. Schiller	" " "	20.00
Harris and Beathan	" " "	33.75

Gould Hutton & Co  
awarded the  
work of  
making Book

Gould Hutton & Co., being the lowest bidder, the work of making said Street Assessment Roll Book was awarded to them for the sum of \$25<sup>00</sup> which is in accordance with their bid.

Adjourned  
Tuesday 2 P.M.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until Tuesday at 2 o'clock P.M. November 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

N. H. Julian  
President-

San Diego Cal. Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Tuesday 2 (P.M.)

Adjourned meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian.

In accordance with a "notice to Contractors" calling  
for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of  
10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897 for  
the furnishing of three sets of cast iron gratings and their rims  
and the bids having been presented in due form, and in  
accordance with said advertisement, the Board took said  
bids under advisement until Tuesday at 2 o'clock P.M.

The time having arrived, it was moved and  
duly seconded that Messrs. Sterne Bros., who were the  
lowest bidders, be awarded the contract for the furnishing  
of said 3 iron gratings & their rims.

Commissioner,	Davis voting Aye
"	Whitney "
"	Julian "

The Secretary was instructed to return to  
the Standard Iron Works, the other bidder, their check  
of \$25<sup>00</sup> which accompanied their bid on said gratings.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise  
for the digging of 28 tree holes, to place palm trees  
in, in the City Plaza, said advertisement to be in accordance  
with the plans prepared by the City Engineer.

Mr. R. V. Dodge, P.M. makes application to  
place on the sidewalks inside the curb lines, iron posts on  
which to place street letter boxes.

Upon motion said permit was duly granted.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal.: Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Wednesday 2 P.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form, Commissioners present were. Davis, Julian and Whitney

Ordinance fixing salary of Supt. Crematory  
Ordinance #474 authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California to employ a competent man to operate the garbage crematory now being constructed in said City by the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company, and fixing the salary of the man so employed at \$75<sup>00</sup> per month, was read and ordered placed on file.

Applicants for the position of Supt. Crematory  
The following applicants filed petitions for the position of Superintendent of the Crematory. viz:-

B. H. Hayward  
Herman Hoveland,  
Geo. McNeill  
Chas. Vallin  
Squire Gentry

Geo. M. Havice.  
H. G. Saur  
John Campbell  
Geo. A. Schult  
Amos Studgins

G. R. Watkins.  
Thomas H. Scoby.  
E. H. Parkison  
C. P. Ames

Supt. of the Crematory  
Mr. Edward Johnson, proposes to take the position as Supt. of the Crematory for \$50<sup>00</sup> per month. commencing January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1898.

It was moved and Seconded that the ballot be prepared and proceed to vote. Motion was carried.

Geo. M. Havice appointed as Supt. Crematory  
Upon ballot there were 3 votes cast.  
Mr. Scoby receiving 1.  
Mr. Havice " 2.

Mr. Havice receiving a majority of the votes. It was moved and Seconded that he be declared elected by a unanimous vote:-

Commissioner	Davis, voting	aye.
"	Julian "	"
"	Whitney "	"

Motion carried and Mr. Havice declared elected and he is hereby Appointed Supt. of Crematory.

No further business the Board adjourned.

F. H. Dixon  
Secretary

A. H. Wilson  
President

San Diego, Cal. Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis Julian and Whitney.

The minutes of the regular and adjourned meetings  
were read and approved.

House, ropes and  
material store  
Mr. Wm Jones was instructed to house all ropes  
and material, <sup>that are</sup> on City Garbage Scow until otherwise instructed.

claim #3533  
The claim of Wm Osburn for laying a sewer in 25<sup>th</sup>  
Street in accordance with Contract for \$1875.- was read and  
approved. Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

The following Joint Resolutions were read and  
ordered placed on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #913.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of  
San Diego, as follows:-

That all proceedings heretofore taken by this Common  
Council, for the curbing and sidewalking of Fifth Street from  
A Street to Walnut Avenue be and the same are hereby  
recinded and annulled, and Joseph Kelly, the party to whom  
the contract was awarded by this Common Council, to do  
such sidewalking and curbing and who has entered into  
a contract with the Superintendent of Streets to do the same  
and give his bond for the faithful performance of such contract,  
be and he is hereby released from such contract and bond,  
and the Superintendent of Streets of said City is hereby  
instructed and directed to cancel such contract and bond  
and return the same to said Joseph Kelly.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true  
and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 913 of the City of San  
Diego, Calif., as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of November 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen on the  
15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897 and approved by the Mayor November  
16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
by N. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joe Kelly  
released from  
5<sup>th</sup> St. Side  
walk contract

Seal

Joint Resolution No. 914.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Telephone to Pound reduced to \$2<sup>50</sup> per. Mo.  
 That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby authorized to change the contract with the Sunset Telephone Company reducing the rate paid by the city for rent of the telephone placed at the City Pound from \$5<sup>00</sup> per. month to \$2<sup>50</sup> per. Month.

I hereby certify that the above is a full true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 914. of the City of San Diego, California as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897.

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Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Telephone to Pound reduced to \$2<sup>50</sup> as per Joint Resolution from the Common Council.  
 In accordance with said Joint Resolution #914 the Board notified the Sunset Telephone Company and executed a contract on its part reducing the rental of the City Pound Phone to \$2<sup>50</sup> as per Joint Resolution from the Common Council.

Light Streets notified, Kelly chase-  
 The Light of Streets was notified in accordance with Joint Resolution #913.

Joint Resolution #917.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Board instructed to purchase fuel to run crematory 10 days  
 That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered, and instructed to purchase a sufficient amount of coal to operate, for a period of ten days, the garbage crematory now being constructed in said City by the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company, which coal to be delivered at the grounds where said crematory is being constructed.

The Said Board is also authorized and directed to purchase a sufficient amount of crude oil to operate said crematory for a period of five days, which oil shall also be delivered at the grounds of said crematory.

Said Board of Public Works is also hereby instructed and directed to have all City garbage dumped at said

crematory from and after the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897, and to commence the testing of said crematory as soon thereafter as there is sufficient garbage accumulated for that purpose.

Auditor's certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 919 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.

By H.W. Vincent, Deputy.

### Joint Resolution #919.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Superintendent of Sewers of the City of San Diego  
be and he is hereby directed to inspect and attend the test  
of the Dixon Sanitary Crematory and to be present at said  
crematory during the full period of 15 days in which said test  
is to be made, for the purpose of investigating, inspecting and  
examining the said crematory during said test for the purpose  
of ascertaining whether said crematory will cremate garbage  
etc. in the manner, and at the cost, and as specified in the  
agreement between the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company  
and the said City, and that thereafter at the end of said test  
he report to this Common Council the result of his said investigation  
examination, and inspection.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 919. of the City of San Diego Calif. as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897 and by the Board of Aldermen on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman  
City Clerk.  
By H.W. Vincent, Deputy.

### Ordinance #471.

An ordinance fixing the salary of the Deputy City Auditor and of the Secretary of the Board of

Public Works  
Safety Auditor

Public Works of the City of San Diego, California at \$75.00 per month each was read and ordered placed on file.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous vote the following communication was addressed to the Common Council in regard to the reducing of the Salary of the Secretary of this Board:- Viz:-

The Secretary of the department of Public Works cannot be considered as a deputy or a clerk, he has entire charge of the department of which he is Secretary and his salary should be in keeping with the heads of the other departments of the City Government. The work that he is required to perform is complicated and requires a first class and very careful man. To make the street assessment Rolls are worth from \$20.00 to \$50.00 per roll, which during the past year would far exceed the salary paid to the Secretary.

There are four rolls to be made during the next three or four weeks, the making of which are worth at least \$80.00.

All of his records are in first class shape, and any one can tell at a glance the expense of any office or department of the City Government.

Considering the class of work that our secretary is required to perform and the manner in which it is done, we do not consider that he is paid too much for his services, on the contrary the compensation is small considering the salaries paid to the heads of the other departments. Therefore we cannot acquiesce in and ratify the provisions of Section 2 of Ordinance #471, passed by Your Honorable Body on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897, reducing the Salary of our Secretary.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President-

November 23<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Tuesday 2 P.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners Davis and Julian  
absent " Whitney

Messrs. Sterne Bros. represented by C. E. Sterne being present  
present their bond for \$100.- with Eugene Frandzen & J.C. Beer as sureties  
for the faithful performance of a contract for furnishing 3 sets of Cast  
Door Gratings and their rims.

It was moved and duly Seconded that the same be  
approved and the contract executed.

Commissioner	Davis voting aye
"	Julian " "
"	Whitney absent

The same being carried it was so ordered.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian,  
President.

November 25<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Thursday being a legal holiday and there  
being no quorum present the meeting was adjourned until  
10 o'clock Friday morning at which time the regular meeting will  
be held.

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

San Diego Cal. Nov 26<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Friday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

Thursday the regular meeting day, and said Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November being Thanksgiving day, a legal holiday, the regular meeting falls upon this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, Friday.

The meeting was called together in regular form, present were commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes  
The minutes of November 18<sup>th</sup> 23<sup>rd</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

J. Engelbrecht wanted 20 days additional time in which to complete his contract on City Plaza.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted by the following Aye Vote. Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The following bill was read and upon motion being duly seconded the same was ordered approved.

Claim 3536 McKenney, Flint and Winsby, 600 ft. 2 1/4" Cast Iron Pipe, Contract price, \$1800.00

Bids for digging 28 tree holes  
In accordance with a notice to Contractors calling for bids to be delivered at this office on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1897 between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. for the digging of 28 tree holes in the City Plaza in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of Said Board the following bids were received. Viz:-

Robinson & Elkins	Check \$5.00	Bid	\$35.00
Clint L. Over	" 2.00	"	8.00
R. A. Smith	" 5.00	"	34.50
J. Jacobson	" 6.00	"	25.00

J. Jacobson awarded contract for \$25.00  
Mr. J. Jacobson being the lowest bidder, it was moved and seconded that he be awarded the contract to do said work.

Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting aye. Same being carried, it was so ordered.

No further business the Board adjourned  
A. H. Dixon. *A. H. Dixon*  
Sec. President

December 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form.  
Present were Commissioners, Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The following payrolls were read, and upon motion being duly seconded the same were approved.

The bills are as follows, to-wit:

Salary

3608	Board of Public Works.	Pay Roll	\$ 225.00
3605	Engineers	" "	215.

Park Dept.

3585	J. A. Jacobson	Stretching chain on Plaza	1 day	* 200
3584	E. Fitzgerald	" " " "	1/4 "	250
3583	J. Frank Over	Inspector on cement work on Plaza	1 1/2 days.	3450

Sewer & Drainage

3607	Sewer Dept.	Pay Roll	* 7050
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Street Dept.

3606	Street Repair	Pay Roll	* 160.
3606	" Sweeping	" "	* 338.50
3606	" Sprinkling	" "	* 126.00      \$ 624.50

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. Julian  
President

Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form,  
Present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Jacobsen  
Bond was  
approved  
Mr. J. Jacobson presents his bond for Fifty Dollars  
for the digging of 28 tree holes in the City Plaza his sureties  
being J. Engelbrek and Jas. Brophy.

It was moved and duly seconded that the contract  
for digging said holes be executed and the bond above described  
for same be approved.

Commissioners, Davis, Julian and Whitney voting aye;

Town-f.  
Johnstone & Son  
offering sell  
5<sup>th</sup> St. Sewer  
referred to  
City Engo.  
A communication to the Common Council from  
Mr. J. S. Johnstone offering to sell to the City a sewer on  
Walnut Avenue near 5<sup>th</sup> Street Said communication was  
referred by Common Council on Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 1897 to this Board and  
City Engineer with instructions to investigate.

Upon motion being duly seconded and carried  
said communication was referred to the City Engineer  
with instructions to investigate and report to this  
Board.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following bills were  
read and approved. Viz:-

Fire Department.

3580	Julian Plumbing Co.	1 - $\frac{3}{4}$ in Valve	1.50
3581	G.D. Davis	clipping one horse	1.50
3576	J.D. Sun Co.	Printing	.30
3577	David Drangal Co	Hardware	2.35
3578	Hamilton Bros.	Oil, Dustless, Soap, Polish etc	13.45
3579	H.F. Leating & Son	Hay, grain etc	69.74
3580	E.J. Delorey	Shoeing 13 horses	16.25
3581	K.L. Barroth	Rep. Hook & Ladder	2.00
3610	Knox & Van Haren	Dough	.75
3614	Auss L. Mill Co.	Lumber	7.09
			116.43

### Street Sprinkling

3625	J.D. Water Co.	Water sprinkling 55 <sup>80</sup> Rep Hydrants 2 <sup>90</sup>	\$ 58 70
3523	E.O. Rogers	Rep Sprinklers	5 90
			<b>\$ 64 60</b>

### Street Sweeping

3625	J.D. Water Co.	Water ahead sweeper	\$ 5 20
3550	Ah Luin	Bamboo	32 45
3553	Clarke & Brant	Rep sweeper	3 90
3554	Kasal Haugh	Mak brooms 18 <sup>00</sup> Paste 5 <sup>00</sup>	18 50
3557	Davis & Dranga	Hardware	1 35
3590	E.O. Rogers	Rep. tire	40
3626	Silver Gas Oil Co	1Cn oil	85
			<b>* 62 65</b>

### Street Repairs

3518	La Jolla Water Co.	St. Trough	1 75
3529	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep. Water Trough	3 00
3538	Putnam Field	St. notices	2 00
3539	W.F. Lemon	Rep Tape	50
3540	Granden Bam & Co.	St. notices	14 00
3542	J.J. Springer	Hauling boards	1 75
3558	Sheone Bros.	Rep. Valve	1 50
3559	A.D. San Pub. Co.	Notices	5 20
3560	Frank Foley	Hauling	50
3561	The Peoples Transfer Co.	"	50
3562	J.M. Crittenden	"	1 50
3589	Union Stables	Team	3 00
3593	Ed. Jappo	Carefare	2 55
3615	R.L. Smith Co.	Lumber	1 45
3631	Domestic Oil Co.	Oil	2 00
3632	Gould Hutton Co.	Assnt Roll Book 25 <sup>00</sup> & printing Assmt R. blanks 13 <sup>00</sup>	38 00
			<b>* 79 20</b>

### Sewer & Drainage

3536	Mckenzie Flint Trinity - 600 ft - 24 in Sewer pipe	\$ 1800 00
3543	J.L. Springer	1 00
3630	J.D. Water Co.	72 50

**\* 1873 50**

### Street Lights

3620	A.D. Gas & Elec Lt Co. Light	1500 00
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Park Improvement

3564	J.D. Hardware Co.	Lawn mower blades	2 40
3565	The Hamilton Co.	1 Emery Stone	60
3560	Todd & Hawley	3/8 open links . Park	80
			<u>\$3 80</u>

Pub Health

3544	Spreckels Bros Com. Co.	1- <u>1890</u> Tons Roslyn Coal @ 6 <sup>50</sup> Ton	12 64
3537	" "	3- <u>10 20</u> <u>2000</u> - 8 <u>130</u> <u>2000</u> - 8 <u>1800</u> " " " "	132 09
3547	Silvergate Mills	20 bbls Oil @ 1.75	35 00
3555	Ed Downs	Hauling above	17.00
3575	Jones & Son	Sailing Account same 1 to 16 Nov.	162 50
3588	Chas D. Hardy	20 bbls Oil @ 1.25	25.00
			<u>\$3 85 23</u>

Public Building

3517	H.M. Stanton	Rent Lot E. & F. Block 44 Oct Nov	10 00
3519	R. Y. Clark	" House for Horton Hose Co. Nov. 1 to Dec 1. A.L.Z. Blk 112	25 00
3520	L.G. Jones	" 1/2 L. Z. Blk 41. Two End Decay	25
3526	D.G. Stephens	" City Hall	100.
3527	A.E. Norton	" payt acct Plaza Contract	100.
3531	J.W. Safford	" 1/2 L. H. Blk 10.	30.
3532	D. Hitchcock	" L. J. Blk 99	12 50
3571	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Notice to sell 5 <sup>th</sup> st lot	80
3619	S.D. Gas & Elect Co.	Lights	44 70
3627	F.S. Jennings, Sheriff	Care prisoners	50.
3628	S.D. County	Rent Jail	10.
			<u>\$408 00</u>

Office

3545	Bala Rubber Stamp Co.	Rubber Stamps (Stock)	5 60
3549	Stenhouse & Co.	Letter heads Health Dept	3 75
3572	M.C. Warthermer & Co.	Stationery	7 15
3591	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	16 75
3612	S.D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels etc	2 25
3625	Pioneer Garbage Co.	garbage	100
			<u>\$36 50</u>

Park Imp.

3528	Julian Plumbing Co.	Work on Plaza	8 25
3532	L.M. Vance	" " Wire for Plaza	20 40
3582	S.D. Sun Co.	Notice for tree holes	30
			<u>\$28 95</u>

General ac

3535	S. Cal. Mtn Water Co.	Meals Lodging & care team 1 night Morens, Whitney & Julian	3 00
3548	Armstrong & Daffley	1 footrest for City Attorney	1 35
3556	A. H. Julian	Expenses Board to Morens	5 50
3563	S. D. Hardware Co.	Heating Stove Engr. ofc.	10 15
3570	S. D. Sun Co.	Printing	1 55
3586	Union Stables	Team 4 days	16 00
3587	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Printing	3 30
3592	G. A. Chase	Ammonia Sponges Muriatic Acid	2 40
3617	Laura Anderson	Dyepowiting ribbon carbons etc	5 25
		"	\$ 48.50

No further business the board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> P.M.

Special Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian

Work of  
Sidewalking & curbing  
Plaza Accepted

It was moved and duly seconded that the work of Sidewalking and curbing the City Plaza be and the same is hereby accepted. Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

3633

J. Engelbrecht, Sidewalking and curbing Plaza. Contract \$974.  
" 5 feet curb 1.50

There being no further business the board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the last regular and special  
meeting were read and approved.

Engineers  
Estimate on  
Walnut Ave.  
Sewer.  
  
A communication dated Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1897 was received  
from City Engineer Capps estimating the value of the 252 feet  
of 6 in. sewer laid in Walnut Avenue to be \$111 24 the same was  
read and ordered placed on file.

Recommend to  
Council allow  
\$80<sup>00</sup> to Johnstone  
for Sewer  
  
Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous  
aye vote the Secretary was instructed to address a  
communication to the Common Council recommending that  
they allow Mr. J. S. Johnstone \$80<sup>00</sup> for the 252 feet of 6 inch  
sewer laid in Walnut Avenue.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

Friday 2 P.M.

San Diego, Cal. Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis and Julian.  
a break " " Whitney.

The following claim for digging 28 tree holes in  
the Plaza as per contract was read and ordered  
approved.

3662

J. Jacobson digging 28 tree holes in plaza as per contract \$25.00

There being no further business the board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The minutes of the last regular and special meeting  
were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were read and  
ordered placed on file. Tiz.

Joint Resolution #923.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and they are  
hereby directed to estimate the cost of placing the names of the  
streets upon the corners of all streets from Third Street east  
to Seventh Street, and from A Street South to the Bay  
front, and to report the same to this Common Council at its  
earliest opportunity.

I hereby certify the above to be a full true and  
correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 923 of the Common Council  
of the City of San Diego, as adopted by said Council December 6<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

Seal

Joint Resolution #924.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California,  
as follows:

That there be and hereby is transferred fifty dollars  
from the Delinquent Tax fund to the office fund of said City for the  
purpose of supplying the several offices and departments of the  
City with fuel, furniture, books and stationery for the month of  
December.

That the City Auditor and the City Treasurer be  
and they are hereby authorized and directed to make such  
entries upon the records of their respective offices as will  
carry into effect the provisions of this resolution and such  
transfer.

\$50. transferred  
to Office  
Fund.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 924, as adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.



### Joint Resolution #925.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

~~100 - transferred  
to Pub Health~~  
That there be and is hereby transferred from the Public Building fund of the said City to the Public Health fund the sum of \$100.00 one hundred dollars.

That the Auditor and Treasurer of said City are hereby directed to make the proper and necessary entries in the records of their offices to carry into effect this resolution.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #925 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman  
City Clerk



### Joint Resolution #926.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

~~Purchase  
fuel for  
crematory~~  
That the Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to purchase fuel for the Crematory not to exceed in amount the sum of One hundred dollars.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #926 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.



Ordinance #482.

Ordinance  
instructing  
Board to  
extend sewer  
on 5<sup>th</sup> &  
Walnut Ave

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California to make certain extensions of the sewer system in upper Fifth Street and Walnut Avenue of said City.

The same was read and ordered placed on file and the City Engineer instructed to prepare plans and specifications in accordance therewith at his earliest possible moment.

Purchase  
Tickets.

The Secretary was instructed to purchase dog tags, books and receipts for Treasurer as per his requisition.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 16 day of December 1897 for the furnishing of one Water Gauge 500lb. pressure, of the pattern "Edson Recording Gauge" manufactured by Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. of New York. The time having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed accordingly. The following bids were received. Viz:-

<u>Bids on</u> <u>water gauge</u>	Name of Bidder	Gauge	Pressure	Certified Check	Amount of Bid
	Joshua Hendy Machine Works	S.F.	" 500 lb.	\$ 25 00	\$ 97 50
	McKenzie Flint & Winsby	S.D.	" 500 lb.	\$ 25 00	98 00
	Parke and Lacy	S.F.	" 500 lb.	\$ 25 00	95 00
	Todd and Hawley	S.D.	" 250 lb.	25 00	80 00

Deferred till  
January 3/97.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous affirmative vote the awarding of the Contract for the said water gauge was taken under advisement until January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,  
Secy.

A. H. Wilson  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The communication from the Board of Public Works, dated Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 97. to the Hon: Common Council of the City of San Diego, Cal. recommending the purchase of 252 feet of 6 inch Stone Sewer pipe laid in Walnut Avenue, from Mr. J. S. Johnstone. Said communication having been referred back by said Hon: Body to this Board for re-consideration on account of a difference of depth said sewer was said to have been laid, and the depth ascertained by the City Engineer that said sewer was actually laid.

After having carefully considered the various matters in connection with said sewer. It was moved and duly seconded that it is the sense of this Board to recommend to the Honorable Common Council that they allow Mr. J. S. Johnstone \$75<sup>00</sup> for said 252 feet of 6 inch Stone Sewer that is laid in Walnut Avenue.

Commissioner	Davis	voting	Aye
"	Julian	"	"
"	Whitney	"	"

Recommend  
Johnstone be  
allowed \$75<sup>00</sup>  
for Walnut  
Ave. sewer.

Secretary  
Advertise  
for bids  
to lay sewers  
in Walnut  
Avenues  
but  
University  
Avenue.

The plans and specifications for the construction of a sewer in Walnut Avenue and one in University Ave having been received from the City Engineer, It was moved and duly seconded and said motion carried by a unanimous affirmative vote. that the Secretary be instructed to advertise calling for bids for the construction of said sewers in said streets in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works. said bids to be presented at the office of said Board on Thursday 10 o'clock A.M. the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898.

The communication from J. MacPherson to the Hon. Common Council in regard to one W.G. Baker, fencing up Streets in Sorento, in the City of San Diego, and the opinion of the City Attorney in reference thereto, both of which were referred by the Joint Street Committee of said Body to this Board, was duly received.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Board instructed the Supt. of Streets to notify Mr. Baker to remove the fences from across the Streets within five days from receipt of said notice, and if not so moved within said time, that the Supt. of Streets remove said fence forthwith. Said instructions are based upon the opinion of the City Attorney, that Said Baker has no legal right to fence up any of the Streets of the City of San Diego.

Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting Aye.

J.B. Westgate transmits a communication to the Common Council, which is referred to this Board by the Street Committee of said Body for their consideration. Said Westgate proposes to cut out places in the sidewalk and fill in same with strong colored cement and stamp names of Streets in same for Twentyfive (25) cents each. Or will make and put up Street Signs at Twentyfive (25) cents per sign provided the numbered Streets are made in figures.

The California Rubber Stamp Co., also send a communication which is received through the same channel, which is as follows:- Will furnish plates per 1000 lots enameled on copper concave with black letters on white ground at following prices:-

3x12 - \$300<sup>00</sup> per 1000.      3x16 - \$350<sup>00</sup> per 1000.      4x16 - \$400<sup>00</sup> per 1000.      4x20 - \$475<sup>00</sup> per 1000

3x14 - 325<sup>00</sup>      "      3x18 - 375      "      4x18 - 425<sup>00</sup>      "      4x22 - 500<sup>00</sup>      "

In less than 1000 lots add 7<sup>c</sup> ea per sign. In less than 500 lots add 10<sup>c</sup> ea per sign.      4x24 - 550<sup>00</sup>      "

Said foregoing communications were filed for investigation.

The following communication was received from the City Clerk.

San Diego, Cal: Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Hon: Board of Public Works

City of San Diego Ref:  
Gentlemen:-

You are herewith informed that upon application being made therefor, the Common Council

Mary E Brinball  
permits to  
rebuild frame  
<sup>th</sup>  
5<sup>th</sup> bet B & C

of this City did, on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897, by a two-thirds vote of each Board, duly grant Mary E. Brinball permission to erect a one story, hardfinished frame building on Lot "C" Block 19 Hortons addition to said City. Said lot fronting on 6<sup>th</sup> Street between B & C Streets.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk

Seal

### Joint Resolution #927.

H.R. Higgins  
permits to  
repair frame  
<sup>th</sup>  
5<sup>th</sup> bet  
L & H.

Bent Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That H. R. Higgins be and he is hereby granted permission to repair a frame building at 643 Fifth Street between L & H as per his petition filed herein and of Date December 13<sup>th</sup> 1897.

I hereby certify that the above to be a true copy of Joint Resolution No 927 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Aldermen by a two-thirds vote thereof Dec 13<sup>th</sup> 1897, and by the Board of Delegates by a two-thirds vote thereof Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

Seal

The foregoing communication and Joint Resolution were read and ordered on file.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Fulsom  
President:-

communications  
filed

San Diego, Cal. Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> 1897.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Communication

To Common Council

\$1200<sup>00</sup> Street

Department

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they allow the Street Department for general repairs at least \$1200<sup>00</sup>

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned

Monday 10 A.M.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until Monday 10 A.M.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego Cal. Jan'y 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

Monday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis Julian and Whitney

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 1897, for the furnishing of one water gauge of 500 lbs. pressure, of the pattern "Edson Recording Gauge", manufactured by Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. of New York. The time having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed accordingly. After having read the bids. It was moved and duly seconded and by a unanimous affirmative vote, the awarding of the contract for said water gauge was taken under advisement until 10 o'clock Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1898.

The hour having arrived for the consideration of the purchase of said above mentioned water gauge it was moved and duly seconded that the contract be awarded to McKenzie Flint and Winsby for the furnishing of said water gauge at his bid: Viz: \$98<sup>00</sup>. They McKenzie, Flint and Winsby furnishing One year's supply of registering cards.

Commissioner

"

"

Davis voting Aye  
Whitney " "  
Julian " "

Upon motion being duly seconded the following bills were read and approved. Viz:-

(Salary)

Board of Public Works	\$325.00
Engineer Dept.	215.00
Sewer Dept.	62.00
Street Dept.	494.00

The following communication was received from the Clerk Viz:-  
"San Diego Cal. Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Hon Board of Public Works,

City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

You are herewith notified that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1897, the petition of H. A. Jones for authority to roof with tin and put in a floor, in the five foot Alley at rear of the Shaw Building on E Street, between 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Streets, was duly granted by a two-thirds vote of all the members of each Board of the Common Council of this City.



Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman

City Clerk."

In accordance with above the Secretary was instructed to grant to Mr. H. A. Jones, a permit to do said described work.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:

The Board was called together in regular form  
Present were commissioners Davis, Julian <sup>and</sup> Whitney

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting  
was dispensed with.

The following communication was received from the  
Common Council - Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. Jan'y 4<sup>th</sup> 1898.

To the Board of Public Works,

San Diego Cal.

Gentlemen:

You are herewith notified that the following report of  
the Health and Morals Committee was adopted by the Board of  
Aldermen, in connection with Joint Resolution No. 935:-

San Diego, Cal. Jan 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1898

To the Common Council,

San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Health and Morals Committee, to whom  
was referred various propositions to dispose of the city  
garbage, herewith report as follows:

We recommend that the proposition of the City  
Scavenger Company to remove all garbage, dead animals, etc.,  
a distance of at least three miles from the post office  
of San Diego, and bury the same in trenches six feet  
deep, and also burn all paper and rubbish at the city  
dump, for the sum of \$275<sup>00</sup> per month, be accepted for a  
period not exceeding thirty days, and that the Board of  
Public Works be instructed to enter into a contract with  
said Company in accordance with this recommendation.

Respectfully,

A. Beard

Samuel Ingle

J. M. Williamson

A. C. Dodson voting no.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

"by St. W. Vincent, Deputy."

Bury	
City Garbage	
\$275 <sup>00</sup> per.	
month.	

The joint resolution is as follows:

Joint Resolution No. 935.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:  
 That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be, and  
 said Board is hereby authorized, directed and instructed to enter into  
 a temporary contract, for a period not exceeding thirty days, with  
 the City Scavenger Company, for the disposal of the City garbage, at a  
 price not exceeding the sum of \$275<sup>00</sup>.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full,  
 true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 935 of the City of  
 San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of  
 said City on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

Seal.

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
 By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution it was  
 moved and duly seconded that this Board enter into a  
 contract with the City Scavenger Co., for a term of 30 days  
 for the disposition of the City's garbage in accordance with  
 joint Resolution #935. Said Scavenger Co. agreeing to bury  
 all garbage to a depth of not less than 6 feet and at a  
 distance of not less than 3 miles from the Post Office for a  
 period of 30 days and for the sum of \$275<sup>00</sup> for said time.

Commissioner	Davis	voting Aye
"	Whitney	" "
"	Julian	" "

Upon motion being duly seconded the bond for the  
 faithful performance of said contract was fixed at \$500<sup>00</sup>

Commissioner	Davis	voting Aye
"	Whitney	" "
"	Julian	" "

The contract for the disposition of said garbage  
 being presented.

It was moved and duly seconded that the same be  
 executed, and the bond for same, with W. Llewelyn and C. H. S.  
 Simms, as sureties, be approved.

Commissioner	Davis	voting Aye
"	Whitney	" "
"	Julian	" "

Adjourned

There being no further business the board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. Jan 6<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form present were commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Recommend  
Common Council  
transfer \$36.75  
and order paid to  
Morrison of  
Crematory.

By a unanimous vote the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they transfer into the Public Health Fund \$36.75, to pay Mr. P. B. Morrison, of the Dixon Crematory Company, for Oil and Coal furnished to the Crematory during the month of December 1897, and to pass a resolution directing this Board and the Auditing Committee to allow said claim.

Bids for  
construction  
of 5<sup>th</sup> St  
Sewer.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M., for the construction of a sewer from University Ave. along alley between 3d & 4<sup>th</sup> Streets to Brooks Ave., thence along Brooks Ave to 5<sup>th</sup> St., thence along 5<sup>th</sup> St. to a connection with the present sewer near Walnut Ave., in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of this Board. The time having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed to open and read them, which were as follows:

<u>Bidders</u>	<u>Check</u>	<u>Amount</u>
McKings, Flint and Winsby	\$105.00	\$2086.00
C. Butler and M. Purcell	120.00	2095.00
R. A. Smith	100.00	1715.00

Contract awarded to R.A. Smith

It was moved and duly seconded that the Contract for laying said sewer be awarded to Mr. R. A. Smith at his bid. Viz:- \$1715<sup>00</sup>

Commissioner	Davis	voting	Aye
"	Julian	"	"
"	Whitney	"	"

Bids for Construction

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898 for the construction of a Sewer in Walnut Avenue in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of this Board. And the hour having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed to open and read them which was done with the following result, Viz:-

Walnut Ave Sewer	Bidders	Check	Amount
E. Butler & M. Purcell	\$80.00		\$1378.50
McKengie, Flint & Winsby	65 00		1239.00
R. A. Smith	60 00		965.00

Contract awarded to R.A. Smith

Mr. R. A. Smith being the lowest bidder it was moved and duly seconded that the Contract be awarded to him in accordance with his bid. Viz:- \$965<sup>00</sup>

Commissioner	Davis	voting	Aye
"	Julian	"	"
"	Whitney	"	"

15 dbl. pr.  
Blankets  
City Prison

The Board of Police Commissioners filed a requisition for 15 pr. of double blankets for the use of the City Prisoners.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to issue a requisition for said blankets.

Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Asking for  
Adv. of rent  
to 2<sup>00</sup> per mo.  
where bill  
Tower stands

Mr. John W. Ballou, Agent for the property on which the fire bell tower is located, files a communication asking this Board to raise the rental for the use of said ground from \$1<sup>00</sup> to \$2<sup>00</sup> per month.

The matter taken under consideration.

The following Joint Resolutions were received, read and ordered on file:-

Joint Resolution No. 933.

Be It Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to lower the two flush tanks connected with the sewer system of said City, at the intersection of Thirteenth and "A" Streets in said City of San Diego, one being on the north side of said intersection of Thirteenth and A Streets and the other on the south side of said intersection of Thirteenth and A Streets;

Also to lower the main sewer on said Thirteenth street between "E" and "G" Streets in said City.

Also to lower the two flush tanks at the intersection of Twenty-second and "D" Streets in said City, one on the north side of said intersection of Twenty-second and D Streets, and the other on the south side of said intersection of Twenty-second and D Streets;

Also to lower the main sewer on Twenty-second street between "D" and "E" Streets in said City.

The expense thereof to be paid out of the sewer and drainage fund of said City.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 933 of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 30th day of December, 1897, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 30th day of December, 1897, and approved by the Mayor on the 31st day of December, 1897.

Geo. D. Goldman, Clerk.

By W. Vincent L. Deputy.

Auditors Certificate  
Attached to above  
Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was referred back to the Common Council with a recommendation that they add to "also lower the main sewer on 22<sup>nd</sup> Street between "C" and "D" Streets.

Joint Resolution No. 940.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and it is hereby authorized and instructed to approve

Lower Main  
Sewer and  
Flush Tanks



Add sewer  
main sewer on  
22<sup>nd</sup> Street C & D.

the claim of Geo. M. Havice against the Public Health Fund, for services rendered as Superintendent of the Crematory, in the sum of One Hundred and twelve <sup>and 50/100</sup> dollars; and

Resolution  
Pay Geo. Havice  
\$112.50 Dept. of  
Crematory.

The Auditing Committee of said City is hereby authorized and directed to allow and order paid said claim for the said sum of \$112.50, to be paid out of 1897 funds.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 940 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

c.v.l  
SEAL

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent, Deputy

The following bills were read and ordered approved.

#### Fire Department

3640	Julian Plumbing Co.	Galv. Pipe, Elbow, Plugs, union & pipe Hook & Ladder Co.	\$ 7.20
3643	San Diego Water Co.	Water.	10.0
3685	R. P. Guinan	Glasses for fire alarm boxes	1.50
3689	The Hamilton Co.	Broomes Brushes, Soap, Sponges, Brush Oil, Benzine etc	14.75
3691	Jeff Kendlberger	Carpenter work, hanging door at #2	3.00
3693	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	1 Door	3.50
3718	Cac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	17.50
3724	S.D. Water Co.	Water	9.25
3728	G.J. Edwards	One Set Horse Bits, Two Lead Straps	4.00
3730	E.J. Delaney	13 Horses Shod	16.25
3731	H. F. Oesting & Son	Hay, grain etc	69.72
3735	David Tranga Co.	Emery, Cloth - wrench, shovel etc	2.80
			\$ 159.57

#### Police Department

3773	A. S. Jennings	Board 135 meals - Prisoners	\$ 33.75
3789	N. A. Nichols & Co.	50 - #44 cartridges	\$ 34.50

#### Sewer and Drainage

3692	S.D. Hdw. Co.	1 Tape	2.50
3696	E. Marshall	Labor	2.00
3702	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv. Sewer Walnut Ave & 5 <sup>th</sup> St	1.00
3722	S.D. Water Co.	Water flush tanks	74.40
			\$ 79.90

Street Light

3777	S.D. Gas & Elec Lt Co.	Light	\$1500.00
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Fire Hydrant

3719	S.D. Water Co.	Rental 191 fire hydrants	1273.33
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Park Improvement

3644	S.D. Water Co.	Water, November	15.20
3726	" "	December	10.40
3742	Davis Dranga Co.	Rope	80
3743	Bhas Kressig	Axe & Vise Jaw	35
3786	Dodd & Hawley	1 axe handle & fits same	50
			27.30
			\$27.30

Public Health

3666	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	1 Ton Coke	crematory	12.50
3671	Sprinkles Bros Com Co.	7 Tons coal		54.25
3675	Standard Iron Works	Moving 21 loads garbage		31.5
3677	Sprinkles Bros. Com Co.	5 Tons Coal		38.75
3682	A. E. Webb	Hauling Coal		3.50
3695	N.D. Scavenger Co.,	" dead dogs, cats etc		4.90
3709	Ed Downs	" Coal		1.80
3788	J. C. M. Stavice	Services Crematory during Nov & Dec		112.50
				131.35
				\$231.35

Public Building

3664	D. Hitchcock, agt.	Paint Lot I Block 99	Hortons	12.50
3665	L. A. Jones	" $\frac{1}{2}$ I	" 41 "	25.00
3667	D. G. Stephens	"	City Hall	100.00
3670	J. W. Lofton	" $\frac{1}{2}$ H.	" 10 Hortons	30.00
3712	M. Riveroll	"	Storeroom Nov & Dec.	2.00
3763	M. Ballou	"	Bell Tower Oct Nov & Dec.	3.00
3774	N.D. Co. Jail	"	Jail Dec.	10.00
3673	P. G. Clark	" $\frac{1}{2}$ I	" 102 Hortons Dec	25.00
3775	A. S. Jennings, Sheriff	Tare Prisoners	Dec.	15.00
				131.35
				\$257.50

Legal

3768	L. B. West	Typewriting	49.80
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Unapportioned Tax

3656	J. Engelbret	grading street No. Side Plaza	10.00
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Office a/c

3668	Woolman & Co.	2 blowers for grates	1 50
3717	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	28 25
3740	J.D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels Dec	2 25
3747	Grandgen B & C Co.	1000 envelopes, Police	3 25
3780	City Scavenger Co.	Garbage	1 00
3781	M.J. Martheimer & Co.	Blue leads, oak book, Engr.	2 75
3785	" " "	Stationery	<u>14 50</u> 5 3 50 <u>\$ 53 50</u>

General a/c

3642	J.D. Water Co.	Water City Hall Pound	3 50
3652	A.S. Hartwell	Recharging battery, Tress.	1 00
3684	Sunset Del & Del Co.	City Hall & Pound	6 65
3701	J.D. Sun Pub Co.	Advo.	4 25
3710	Julian Plumbing Co.	Washetand City Hall	12 95
3713	J.D. Sun Pub Co.	Advo.	3 30
3720	A. Levi Livery Transfer Co.	Abt Team 3 days	12 00
3725	J.D. Water Co.	City Hall & Pound	3 50
3776	J.L. Forward	3½ days labor export work books J.D. Water Co.	8 75
3782	L.B. French	Typewriting	1 00
3790	Postal Delg Co.	Telegrams	70
3791	Dancraft Whitney Co.	State Tax Receipt	<u>11 00</u> <u>\$ 68 60</u>

Street Sprinkling:-

3721	J.D. Water Co.,	165500 Gals Water @ 20 <sup>4</sup> /M	<u>33 10</u>
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Street Sweeping

3646	W.C. Fuller Co.	Inch. Oil	5 00
3674	Standard Iron Works	Fitting ratchet on Sweeper & Rep. Sweeper	11 25
3680	An Dunn	Broom Mkt.	26 40
3697	Samuel Fraugh	Trak Brooms	12 00
3733	Silvergate Oil Co.	1Cn Oil	80
3736	Davis Dranga & Co.	1 Lantern	<u>1 50</u> 5 6 95 <u>\$ 56 95</u>

Street Repairs

3697	Samuel Fraugh	1 Pail Paste	1 00
3638	Diamond Carriage Co.	1/2 da. St. Committee 1 day Pac. Beach Survey	7 00
3636	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	8 07
3641	Eban Cassie	Sharp picks	1 50
3645	J.D. Water Co.	Water	18 20
3653	A.S. Hartwell.	Work on Eng. Battery	50
3655	LeTourneau Co.	Tractor rough	<u>1 75</u> 3 6 75 <u>\$ 38 02</u>

Forward

Amounts board forward

3657	J. Engelbrek	Grading the approaches AM 3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$38 02
3658	S. Ferne. Bros.	3 sets gratings & rims 6 <sup>th</sup> & 13 - 4 <sup>th</sup> & 12. Contract	\$80 00
3660	Graham & Weldon	Grade stakes	2 00
3672	Frank Foley	Hauling	25
3676	Graham & Weldon	Bill Boards & Stakes	8 00
3678	J. Engelbrek	Culvert on 5 <sup>th</sup> & 12. + 4 <sup>th</sup> & 13	20 00
3688	J. D. Schim	M.D. Backs. Cement & Rent	40 00
3690	J. J. Springer	Hauling	75
3698	Entman & Reid.	Street notices	3 00
3699	Frank Foley	Hauling	75
3703	I.D. Sun. Pub Co.	Advs.	2 50
3706	J. Kingswood	Hauling	50
3707	J. M. Tittenden	"	2 75
3723	J. D. Water Co.	Street troughs	19 75
3732	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	15 47
3734	B. A. Magle	Bitumen work 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> B.	55 13
3737	Edwin McAppes	Car fare	2 20
3738	Union Stables	Dbl Team, Rose Canyon	3 00
3739	B. C. Webster	Hauling plant	25
3769	W. H. Steward Co.	Bld. Cement	3 50
3779	A. Stockman	Construction concrete waterways 4 <sup>th</sup> B - 5 <sup>th</sup> B.	63 00
			<u>\$771 07</u>

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Carlson  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. Jan'y 13<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

Members

Present

Minutes

Read

Bell Tower

\$2<sup>00</sup> per month

Blasting Bond

of

N. H. Smith

Approved

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

It was moved and duly seconded that the rent for the ground that the City Fire Bell Tower is located on be made at \$2<sup>00</sup> per. month.

Commissioners Davis Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Mr. R. T. Smith presents a bond for \$500<sup>00</sup> with D.C. Collier and D.C. Collier, Jr. as sureties to do blasting on Walnut Avenue, Fifth Street, Brooks Avenue and alley between 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Streets for the purpose of constructing a sewer for the City of San Diego.

It was moved and seconded that the same be approved. Commissioners Davis Julian and Davis voting Aye.

It was moved and seconded that this Board purchase from "The Wabash Guide and Sign Co." 3 Street Signs to mark the x roads leading in and out of the City. as follows:

Purchase

3

Street signs

for

x roads

<del>Left</del> Left Inscription			<del>Right</del> Right inscription <del>Left</del>		
miles	Direction	Name of City or Town	Name of City or Town	miles	Direction
4	South	San Diego	Racetrack	4	North
4	South	San Diego	Old Mission	5	East
8	South	San Diego	Granville	5	East
			Coway	15	North
			Sorrento	8	North
			Pacific Beach	4	West

The price to be paid for above signs will be \$1<sup>00</sup> per. sign.

Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney, voting Aye.

Bids

for

Chemical

Engine

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898 for the furnishing of one double eighty gallon Chemical Fire Engine; And the hour having arrived, the following bids were presented. Viz:-

Name of bidder	Double 80 Gal. Chemical Engine	Cost Chas	Bid
Delsat San Diego. Boston Hosen Hose Co., S.A.	Holloway	\$ 12500	215000
O.B.Care, Chicago, Ill. Fire Extinguisher Mfg. Co. (Babcock)	Freight will be \$44 <sup>00</sup> to San Diego	11000	205000

It was moved and duly seconded that the bids be referred to the Fire Commissioners for their consideration.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
 " Julian " "  
 " Whitney " "

Purchase Typewriting Machine for City Attorneys Office

It was moved and duly seconded that in accordance with a requisition made upon this Board by the City Attorney for a Smith Premier Typewriter that the same be allowed and that the Secretary be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to make a requisition for and to purchase a Smith Premier Typewriting Machine for the use of the City Attorneys office.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
 " Julian " "  
 " Whitney " "

Whereas it is the sense of this Board that this department (which consists of the Engineering Department, Street Department, Sewer Department and members of this Board) should have a typewriting machine for the use of these various departments, therefore,

Purchase two Typewriting (Smith Premier, one for City's Office, one for Board of Public Works Department, Resolution to purchase One Typewriter is Recinded.)

Be It Resolved that as this department is absolutely in need of a typewriting machine, that the Secretary be and he is hereby instructed and directed to make requisition for and to purchase two Smith Premier Typewriting Machines one of which shall be for the use of the City Attorneys Office (which is in accordance with a requisition made by the City Attorney); And the other machine to be for the use of the Department of Public Works. The typewriting machine formerly used in the City Attorneys Office belonging to this department shall be left where it now is, in the Auditor <sup>and</sup> Assessors Office for the use of said Department. And that the former resolution authorizing the purchase of one Smith Premier Typewriting Machine for the use of the City Attorneys Office, be, and the same is hereby recinded.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye.  
 " Julian " "  
 " Whitney " "

Adjourned.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President.

Friday 2 P.M.

Special Meeting:San Diego Cal. Jan'y 14<sup>th</sup> 1898.

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis and Whitney. absent Julian.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

To Execute contracts The meeting was called for the purpose of executing certain contracts between the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Cal., and one R. F. Smith of the same place to lay sewer in ~~5th Street~~ in Walnut Avenue.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898 for the construction of 2993.6 feet of sewer, in accordance with plans and specifications wherefor on file in the office of said board. Said sewer being designated as the 5<sup>th</sup> street extension) and,

Whereas Mr. R. F. Smith having been awarded the contract on said afore mentioned date to do said work, and for the sum of \$1715<sup>00</sup>, and

Whereas the contract for same has been prepared and is now ready to be executed, therefore

Be It Resolved that the contract between the Board of Public Works, of the City of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. R. F. Smith, of the same place, to do said work, be executed.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye Commissioner Whitney voting Aye  
Commissioner Julian, absent.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1898 for the construction of 919 ft of sewer in Walnut Avenue, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of said board. and

Walnut Avenue Contract Executed

Whereas Mr. R.A. Smith having been awarded the contract on said above mentioned date to do said work and for the sum of \$6500

Whereas the contract for same has been prepared and is now ready to be executed, therefore

Be It Resolved that the contract between the Board of Public Works, of the City of San Diego, Cal. and Mr. R.A. Smith of the same place, to do said work, be executed.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye.

Whitney " "

Julian Absent.

Bonds for 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Walnut Avenue approved.

It was moved and duly seconded that the bonds <sup>of R.A. Smith</sup> for the faithful performance of the contracts for laying the sewers in upper 5<sup>th</sup> street and in Walnut Avenue in the sum of \$1000. and \$500. respectively with D.C. Collier and D.C. Collier Jr. as sureties on both bonds, be approved.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye

Whitney " "

Julian absent

Material Bonds for 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Walnut Avenue approved.

It was moved and duly seconded that the bonds of R.A. Smith for the protection of the labor and material etc. in the construction of the 5<sup>th</sup> Street Sewer and the Walnut Avenue Sewer in the sum of \$900. and \$500. respectively with D.C. Collier and D.C. Collier Jr. as sureties on each bond, be approved

Commissioner Davis voting Aye

Whitney " "

Julian Absent

Checks returned

The Secretary was instructed to return to Mr. R.A. Smith his certified checks that accompanied bids on said sewers. and the same was done forthwith.

Adjourned. To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon Sec.

W. J. Davis.  
President Pro tem.

San Diego, Calif. January 20<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication was received from City Engineer Cappa which reads as follows:

Communication from City Engineer during help to Survey a Sewer System The Honorable Common Council, under Joint Resolution No. 949 has ordered the City Engineer to prepare plans and specifications and estimates of cost for a complete sewer system, for all that portion of the city south of "K" street and west of the Cholla Valley.

In order to comply with said orders, it is necessary that a full corps of surveyors be added to the present force and to do nothing else but make the desired survey in the field.

I therefore petition your Honorable Body to grant me four assistants, one Engineer, three helpers for thirty days."

Recommended to the Mayor Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Honorable Mayor recommending that he endorse the request of the City Engineer for help for the purpose of preparing plans, specifications and estimates of cost for a complete sewer system, for all that portion of the city south of "K" street and west of Cholla Valley.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted and ordered transmitted to the Common Council. Viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, as follows, to wit:

Recommend to the Common Council That said Board hereby recommends to the Common Council of said city of San Diego, the extension of the line of sewer, now being constructed on Walnut Avenue in the said city of San Diego so that said line of sewer, instead of ending at or near the south end of the alley in Block one (1) of Loma Grande Addition, will be extended and laid in and through the said alley for a distance of 433 feet. Estimated cost 50 cents per foot.

Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

Purchase a  
table to  
place typewriter

It was moved and seconded that the Secretary be authorised to purchase a table to place the typewriting machine on. Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting Aye.

The following communication was received from the City Clerk.

"San Diego, Calif., Jan'y 18<sup>th</sup>, 1898.

Hon. Board of Public Works  
City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

By order of the Board of Aldermen you are requested to furnish said Board, at its next meeting (Jan'y 24<sup>th</sup>, 98) an estimate of the cost of placing street signs, in accordance with Joint Resolution No. 923.

Respectfully,

Gco. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk.

*(Handwritten mark: Seal)*

The foregoing communication was read and ordered placed on file.

The following communication from the Common Council was read and ordered on file and the Secretary was instructed to notify the Supt of Streets in accordance therewith.

"San Diego, Cal., Jan'y 18<sup>th</sup>, 1898.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works.

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:-

You are herewith notified that the following report of the Joint Street Committee was adopted by Common Council on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

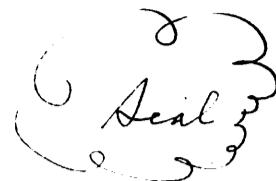
Gentlemen:-

The Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the matter of fences being built by W. G. Baker across certain streets in Sorrento, herewith recommend that Mr. Baker be allowed to temporarily retain the fences, and that the City Clerk notify the Board of Public Works of this action of the Common Council.

Council  
instruct us  
to allow  
Baker  
to retain  
fences at  
Sorrento.

... -

Respectfully,  
H. Sweeney,  
A. Beard,  
W.H. Doddridge,  
M.J. Perrin,  
H.W. Alden.



Respectfully,  
Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent,  
Deputy."

The following Communication was received from the Common Council, read and ordered placed on file. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 1898.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,  
City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

You are herewith notified that the following report of the Joint Street Committee was adopted by the Common Council on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1898.

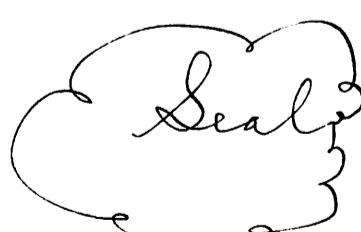
To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:-

To  
place old drinking fountain on the Plaza, on the  
Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the petition of the officers of the W.C.T.U. for a drinking fountain  
be instructed to repair the fountain now owned by the City and place the same on the Plaza so that it may be used as a public drinking fountain.

Respectfully,  
H. Sweeney,  
A. Beard,  
W.H. Doddridge,  
M.J. Perrin.



Respectfully,  
Geo. D. Goldman,  
City Clerk  
By H.W. Vincent,  
Deputy.

The following Joint Resolutions from the Common Council were received and the Secretary instructed to notify the Superintendent of Streets to take notice. Viz:

Joint Resolution No 947.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Street approaches  
That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and it is hereby authorized, instructed and directed to grade passable roadways or approaches to streets as follows:

Across Thirteenth Street at "A" and "B" Streets.

Across "B" Street at Fifteenth Street.

Said roadways to be graded to the full width of said streets.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 947 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said city on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

*Seal 3*

GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joint Resolution No. 948.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

allowed \$1200.00 for Street improvement  
That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend twelve hundred dollars (\$1200.00) for general repairs of the Streets within said City.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 948. of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

*Seal 3*

GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The following communication was this day received from the Board of Fire Commissioners, the same was read and ordered placed on file: Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. Jan 19<sup>th</sup> 1898.

To the Board of Public Works.

of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

Fire  
Commissioners  
recommend  
the  
Halloway  
Chemical  
Air  
Engine.

At a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners held at their office Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1898. and to whom was submitted the bids and specifications for furnishing a Chemical Engine, by your board for their consideration. Would most respectfully recommend that your board enter into a contract for the purchase of a Halloway Chemical Engine, delivered in San Diego in good order and fully equipped ready for service and in the least possible time from date of contract.

Respectfully,

By: A.B. Caines, Sec  
 Board Fire Comrs.

Jno. B. Harrison, Pres.  
 G. B. Grow, Commr.

The awarding of the contract for the purchase of the Chemical Fire Engine, having been layed over on account of referring the bids, specifications etc. to the Board of Fire Commissioners for their consideration and they having examined into the merits and demerits of said chemical fire Engines and the bids for same as submitted. They adopted the foregoing report; and as their report coincides with our judgement, therefore,

Contract  
awarded  
to the  
Boston  
Hose  
&  
Rubber  
Co.  
for  
Halloway  
chemical  
Engine

Be It Resolved, that it is the sense of this Board that the contract for the purchase of a Chemical Fire Engine be awarded to the Boston Hose and Rubber Co., of Boston Mass. for the purchase of a double eighty gallon Chemical Engine (Halloway) at their bid of \$2150<sup>00</sup> delivered, complete in every detail in accordance with the detailed specifications therefor on file in the office of this Board within 90 days from date of Contract.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Adjourned

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. T. F. Elliston  
 President.

San Diego, Cal. Jan'y 27/898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following claim was ordered approved by a unanimous Aye Vote. Viz:-

Health Department

Crematory	Claim № 3745	P. B. Morrison	Oil \$8 <sup>75</sup> Coal 18 <sup>00</sup>	\$36.75
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Stone Upon Motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to purchase a heating stove for the Chief of Police also to take bids for and to purchase for the use of the City Clerk 1 Record Book № 12, Board of Delegates, 2 Record Books № 11 & 12, Board of Aldermen, 1 Record Book № 3 Joint Resolutions, 1 Record Book № 5 Ordinances.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Upon a verbal call being made for bids to light place the tiny Plaza in shape to light with gas, the following bids were received. Viz:-

Bids	J. S. Johnstone & Co. Julian Plumbing Co.	gas lights and tape	\$117.00
		" " " "	115.00

Bids.	J. S. Johnstone & Co. Julian Plumbing Co.	gas piping and labor	\$190.00
		" " " "	185.00

Bids.	J. S. Johnstone & Co. Julian Plumbing Co.	Drilling posts and fitting	\$23.00
		" " " "	20.00

Julian Plumbing Co. Julian Plumbing Co., being the lowest bidder on all three bids for preparing the plaza for lighting, it was moved and duly seconded that the Julian Plumbing Co. be awarded the contract to do said work in three different contracts.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye

Whitney " "

Julian " "

Name awarded

To them each

Separately

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council, Vig-

Joint Resolution № 951.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to examine the upland road to connect the Eureka Lemon tract with Pacific Beach.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution № 951 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.



Referred to  
Engr.  
The foregoing Joint Resolution was read, filed and the Secretary instructed to notify the Engineer.

Joint Resolution № 952

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby instructed and directed to prepare and present at the earliest possible date plans and specifications for the construction of a garbage scow of nine tons capacity (Custom House measurement) the same to be propelled by the latest improved California Gasoline Marine Engine. The said scow is to be a wooden boat, with steel lined pockets.

That the City Engineer also ascertain the cost of a suitable wharf from which to dump the garbage and sail the scow.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution № 952 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Referred to Engr.  
The foregoing Joint Resolution was read, filed and the Secretary instructed to notify the Engineer.

Joint Resolution No. 954.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Engr. to  
Select road  
Mount Hope  
Cemetery

That the line proposed and surveyed by the City Engineer, as shown by the plat on file in his office be selected for a street to Mount Hope Cemetery, leading from a point on "M" Street near its intersection with Thirty-second Street, across Cholla Valley, to the South West corner of said Mount Hope Cemetery and <sup>that</sup> it be made 80 feet wide instead of sixty feet in width, as shown by said survey and plat;

Estimate  
Cost of  
Dams.

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to prepare and submit to this Common Council an estimate of the cost of grading said street;

That proper steps be taken to secure the right of way for said street, either by condemnation or otherwise.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 954 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

*Seal 5*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joint Resolution No. 955.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Lower  
Sewer  
Main on  
22nd  
C. & D.

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to lower the main sewer on Twenty-second Street between "C" Street and "D" Street in said City, the expense thereof to be paid out of the Sewer and Drainage Fund of said City.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 955 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of the said City on 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said City of San Diego on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

*Seal 5*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Joint Resolution N<sup>o</sup> 957.

Purchase  
fuel for  
Crematory  
Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego  
be and said Board is hereby directed and authorized to purchase  
fuel for the crematory in the amount not to exceed \$36.75

Auditor's Certificate Attached.

I Herby Certify that the above and foregoing is a full,  
true and correct copy of Joint Resolution N<sup>o</sup> 957 of the City of  
San Diego, California, as adopted on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898,  
by the Common Council of said City, and approved by the Mayor of  
said City on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1898.

  
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Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

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Joint Resolutions N<sup>o</sup> 954, 955 & 957, were read and ordered placed on file.

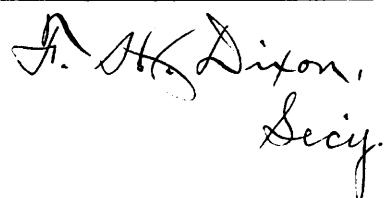
Ordinance N<sup>o</sup> 490.

Extend  
Sewer in  
Walnut St.  
An ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of  
Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to make certain  
extensions of the sewer system of said city, by extending the  
sewer from the south end of Alley in Block One of Loma Grande  
Addition to said city, northerly in and through said Alley for a  
distance of four hundred and eighty-three feet: And at an  
estimated cost of \$241<sup>50</sup>.

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Said Ordinance was read and ordered placed on file.

Recess  
Upon motion being duly seconded the Board took a  
recess until 2 o'clock P.M.

  
A. H. Dixon.  
Secy.

  
A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Jan 27<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 2. P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis and Julian.  
absent Whitney.

Secretary  
Address to  
Com. Council.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Honorable Common Council asking for permission to grade down the approach at intersection of 22<sup>nd</sup> and F. on the West Side. Estimated Cost of \$50<sup>00</sup>.

Julian Plumbing Co.  
awarded work  
lights & Taps  
recinded

Upon motion being duly seconded the awarding of the work for furnishing gas lights and taps at a cost of \$115<sup>00</sup> for the "D" Street plaza <sup>to Julian Plumbing Co.</sup> was recinded by the following vote. Commissioner Davis, Aye, Julian, Aye, Whitney absent.

Julian Plumbing Co.  
Drilling & Taps  
awarded work  
recinded

Upon motion being duly seconded the awarding of the work of drilling the posts and fittings in the "D" Street Plaza to Julian Plumbing Co., at a cost of \$20<sup>00</sup> was recinded by the following vote, Commissioner Davis Aye, Julian Aye, Whitney Absent.

Goolman Bros.  
propose to  
furnish  
signs at  
20¢ each

Goolman Bros. propose to furnish Babbit Mettle, Street Signs, Bicycle Enamel letters & figures for the territory laying between A Street and the Water front and from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> Streets. The same comprising 138 lettered signs and 116 numbered signs at a cost of 20<sup>¢</sup> per sign. 250

Contract  
for  
Halloway  
Chemical Fire  
Engine  
executed  
by  
City and  
forwarded to Asst.

The contract with the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co. and the City of San Diego having been prepared in triplicate for the purchase of a Halloway Chemical Fire Engine, it was moved and seconded that the same be executed, and that the Secretary send same to Mr. Chapman at San Francisco to be executed by him for the Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co. together with the instructions from the City Attorney.

Commissioner Davis and Julian voting Aye.

No further business Board adjourned till Wednesday 10 A.M.

A.M. 1. M. D. Division 100.

Asst. President

San Diego, Cal Jan 28<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Friday 2 P.M.

Call meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis and Julian.  
Absent " Whitney.

Whereas there has been a considerable amount  
of adverse criticism in regard to awarding the work to  
Julian Plumbing Co. for placing the "D" Street Plaza in  
condition to light with gas. and,

Whereas, a certain Evening newspaper of this  
City, cast unwarranted, unjustifiable and malicious insinuations  
upon members of this Board. therefore,

Be It Resolved, that the work awarded to the  
Julian Plumbing Co. for furnishing gas pipe and the laying  
of same in the "D" Street Plaza at a cost of \$185. be, and  
the same is hereby rescinded.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
" Julian " "  
" Whitney Absent

It was moved and seconded that the City  
Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and Specifications  
for the lighting of the plaza with gas including the laying  
and placing all pipe etc.

Commissioner Davis voting Aye  
" Julian " "  
" Whitney Absent

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. F. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting  
was dispensed with.

The following bills were read and ordered approved.

Street Sprinkling:

3893	S.D. Water Co.	water	\$15.70
3820	H. L. Parrott	repairing sprinkler	\$8.00
3880	Pay Roll	labor	14.00
			<u>\$37.70</u>

Street Sweeping

3841	Silvergate Oil Co.	1 can oil	\$ .85
3843	Saml. Waugh	making brooms	18.00
3880	Pay Roll	labor	209.50
			<u>\$328.35</u>

Street Repairs.

3880	Pay Roll	labor	\$662.00
3806	La Jolla Water Co.	water trough	17.5
3819	A. Levi, Livery & Trans. Co.	3 Seader St. Corn.	4.00
3823	Julian Plumbing Co.	up. trough & pipes	22.5
3827	J. M. Gittenden	hauling	6.00
3837	Miss Lambert mills	Lumber for trestle	73.7
3838	Fast Coast Lumber Co.	"	27.14
3839	J. Kingswood	Hauling	.50
3843	Saml. Waugh	2 pairs posts.	1.00
3846	Dodd & Hawley	12 dog pick handles	1.50
3856	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	St. notices	1.85
3857	Eben Cassie	8 picks sharpened	2.00
3858	E. M. Tappo	car force	4.15
3872	G. E. Davis	repairs tools	3.90
3876	Union Stables	D. team	3.00

Amount forward.

\$731.41

Street Repairs. Auto. brot. forward

3879	F.W. Braun & Co.	Sulphur	\$731 41
3892	Gould Station & Co.	St. notices	*2 64
3893	J.D. Water Co.	see Sprinkling a/c.	5 00
3894	Davis & Dranga	Hardware	21 65
3906	J.D. Water Co.	water St. troughs	16 40
3914	J.D. Lumber Co.	lumber	4 37
3915	H.W. Stewart & Co.	Dec bill \$3 <sup>50</sup>	---
			\$781 47

Salary a/c

3853	Pay Roll	Engineers	\$215 00
3866	" "	Public Works	325 00
			\$540 00

Fire Department.

3902	San Diego Water Co.	water for St. Troughs	\$925
3896	Davis Dranga Co.	Lantern, Hose, Dash cord etc.	9 40
3895	M.B. Heath	10 ft step ladder	3 50
3889	Hamilton Bros.	shin, duster, brush, sponge, oil etc	9 50
3874	City Scavenger Co.	hauling manure	2 50
3870	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	coal	14 50
3855	Oesting & Son	Hay, grain etc	61 65
3829	Russ Lumber & M. Co.	2" fire wood	3 50
3821	K.L. Parrott	Setting tires	6 75
3816	T.J. Delaney	shoeing 13 horses	1625
			\$136 80

Dog Tax

3802	Garrett & Smith	600 dog licenses	\$6 50
3792	Frank Kissig	Dog tags	14 75
			\$21 25

Fire Hydrant

3890	S.D. Water Co.	rental 194 hydrants	\$1293 33
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Street Lights

3877	S.D. Gas & Elec Co.	Light	\$1500
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Sewer a/c

3911	R. Schiller	binding 2 books	\$20 00
3891	S. D. Water Co.	water for flushing	74 40
3859	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	advo.	1 00
3842	J. M. Gittenden	hauling	1 25
3835	S. D. Stdw. Co.	Sm. Cr. Chlo. lime	.55
3834	J. J. Buck & Co.	cement	.90
3849	Pay Roll	labor	<u>77 00</u>
			\$ 175 10

Park Improvement.

3913	W. W. Stewart & Co.	Powder	\$20 12
3907	S. D. Water Co.	water	50 5
3899	Wm Sandison	file saws, sharp picks etc	1 40
3871	F. E. Davis	rep. drills	1 00
3844	Todd & Hawley	5# wire nails	.25
3831	Russell Mill Co.,	1x4-18-2umber Newtown Park	6 55
3814	J. C. Brockway	15 Loads manure	13 50
3811	C. F. Aichele	Load dirt from 9th M.	1 00
3854	Pay Roll	Labor	<u>31 00</u>
			\$ 79 87

Public Buildings

3912	R. G. Clark	Rent S. ½ Lot D Block 112	Hartono	\$25 00
3887	S. D. County	"	Co. Dip	10 00
3888	F. N. Jennings	"	Keeping prisoners	50 00
3873	S. D. Gas & Elec Lt Co.	"	Light	69 00
3809	J. W. Sefton	" " " H. " 10	Hartono	30 00
3805	L. G. Jones	" " " J. " 41. "	"	25 00
3815	A. G. Norton	"	No. investment	100 00
3803	D. G. Stephens	"	City Hall	100 00
3798	D. Hitchcock	" " J " 99	Hartono	12 50
				\$ 421 50

General a/c

3905	S. D. Water Co.	Water Hall & Pound	\$35 0
3884	L. B. West	Typewriting Atty's ofc.	60 80
3861	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Advo.	38 5
3822	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep pipe tiny Pound	2 25
3860	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Advo.	75 00
3810	No. Cal Mtn Water Co.	Exp - losses. Outwks. at moreno.	<u>7 75</u>
			\$ 153 05

Office Acct.

3807	G.W. Lowry	repairing at tiny And of.	200
3830	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	fire-wood	290
3817	F.A. Long	rep. chairs	175
3804	Gao. W. Palm & Co.	Cal. Citation book	300
3801	Garratt & Smith	Statements, notices, rec'ts. Dog licenses etc	7950
3796	John. Rubber Stamp Co.	Rubber Stamps	525
3795	Gould Hutton & Co.	12 asset books	9375
3793	Harris & Cheatham	binding 1 book	400
3869	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	3850
3903	Davis Dranga Co.	Stove police office	1200
3901	S.D. Furniture Co.	Felt cloth to cover table	280
3900	City Scavenger Co.	garbage Jan	100
3878	S. D. Gas & Elec. Co. & Co.	Stove - hose etc (Police Judge)	580
3897	W.C. Miner	work on table & maps (And)	140
3910	N.L. Simmonds	Oak office desk	1600
3909	S.D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels. Jan	225
3908	J. S. Johnstone & Son	Mantles & chimney	600
3904	M. A. Wartheim & Co.	Stationery & Typewriter <sup>9483</sup> 200.-	29483
			\$57273

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Fleissner  
President:

San Diego, Cal. Feb'y 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

Contract of R.F. Smith  
Upon motion being duly seconded the contract between R.F. Smith and the City of San Diego, for constructing 483. linear feet of sewer in the alley of Block One Loma Grande Addition between Brooks Ave & Walnut Ave and between 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets in City of San Diego, Cal. was ordered executed. Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

Bond for same approved  
The bond of one hundred Dollars for same with D.C. Collier and D.C. Collier Jr. as sureties was ordered approved. Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

Authorization to sell doors windows & brick  
Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they authorize the Board to sell the doors, windows and old bricks that are in the Howard Tract. same are being stolen, and the doors and windows are continually being opened after having repeatedly been nailed up.

Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting Aye.

Police Judge must have reqd. hereafter on bills will not be approved.  
Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to Judge Hayes, Police Judge of City, stating that in future it will be necessary for him to <sup>first</sup> procure a requisition for any purchase that he may require, otherwise the Board will not approve the bill.

Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

Upon motion the following claim was approved.

Park Dept  
Authorized to  
purchase 20 yards  
Manner

Upon Motion being duly seconded the Sup't. of Parks was allowed to buy 20 yards of manner for Newtown Park. Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

20  
Authorize  
bill for  
Lumber paid  
also to  
haulers away  
dirt & paint  
chains & posts

As the bill of the Russ Lumber Mill Co. for posts etc. to build frames to place around the Palm Trees in the City Plaza was not passed by the Auditing Committee for the reason that the Specifications for the improvement of said Plaza did not mention that said trees should be protected. Therefor the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Honorable Common Council recommending that that said lumber bill be ordered paid; also that your the Council authorize us to purchase the required netting to surround the posts and palm trees and to remove the dirt that remains after having planted the trees and to paint the posts and chains that surround the plaza.

Cost of  
Street  
Signs &  
to place  
Name.

The secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council giving the expence required to place the Street signs in accordance with their request.

193 Signs	@ 20¢ ea	\$38.60
11 Posts, nails and screws		5.00
Labor		24.00 Total \$68.10

"A" to Waterfront & 3rd to 7th Streets N.E. and S.W. Corners.

Cannot get  
Specifications  
for Scow &  
Wharf for  
nothing

Address a communication to the Common Council stating that cannot secure parties to furnish plans and specifications for Scow & Wharf for nothing. And as we have not been authorized by your Honorable Body to pay for said Scow & wharf specifications we are unable to report as we wish.

Also that we have two places in view to locate said wharf, one is opposite Elmia Street Bridge and one is opposite Slaughterhouse Slough on Old Town Flats. Engineer has not yet had time to take the depths to ascertain the practicability of so doing.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon Sec.

H. A. Jackson  
President

San Diego Cal. Feby 10<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:

The Board was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were  
read and approved.

Brian. Upon motion the claim of the City Scavenger Co.  
was ordered approved. Viz:-

#3929 City scavenger Co., Remove Garbage as per contract. Viz. \$275.00  
Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Rec. to Common Council. City Engineer Cappa in a communication recommends  
that the salary of Mr. Wm. Ramsey be increased, and that Mr. Wm.  
Ramsey is now doing the work of an Assistant Engineer therefore  
the Board adopted the following resolution Viz:-  
Be It Resolved that, it is the sense of this Board that we  
recommend to your Honorable Body that the salary of Mr. William  
Ramsey, who is now paid as an ordinary chairman, and who is  
performing the duties of assistant engineer, be increased and  
that the same be fixed at, at least \$75.00 per month.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to embody said  
resolution in a communication to the common council.

Bids on Record Books In accordance with a verbal call for the  
furnishing of the City Clerk's office with 5 blank record books  
the following bids were received.

P. Schiller, with Westons book paper for 5 books \$12<sup>00</sup> each. = \$60.00

" " " " " Patent Back 13<sup>00</sup> " = \$65.00

Harris & Cheatham " " " " " 5 books for \$65.00

Harris & Cheatham awarded work Messrs Harris and Cheatham being the lowest bidder  
the work was awarded to them.

Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting Aye.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1898, for the lighting of the "I" Street Plaza with gas and for the furnishing of all labor and materials necessary for the placing of said Plaza condition for lighting with gas. And the hour having arrived to open said bids the following were opened: Viz:-

Bids to  
furnish labor  
and

To  
Light Plaza  
with gas

Julian Plumbing Co.  
awarded work. m

Co. Motion being duly seconded the contract to do said work was awarded to Julian Plumbing Co., who were the lowest bidders.

Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting Aye.

Sewer Supt  
authorized  
Drumhole in  
2<sup>nd</sup> bch 27 J.

It was moved and seconded that Lower Dept. shall  
be authorized to place a manhole in Sewer at 2nd between  
2<sup>nd</sup> and J. Streets

Davis, Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

Ordinance  
authorizing  
Board to purchase  
from J. V. Johnstone  
252 ft. 6 in. <sup>feet</sup>

Ordinance #492. Dated February 8<sup>th</sup> 1898, authorizing and  
Directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California  
to purchase of J. S. Pohnstone, Two Hundred and Fifty-two feet of  
Six inch Stone Sewer Pipe, now laid in Walnut Avenue in Said City.

The same was read and ordered placed on file, and  
the Secretary was instructed to ask the City attorney to  
prepare a deed in accordance with said ordinance.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the  
Common Council; read and ordered placed on file: viz:-

Joint Resolution: No. 958.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:

Authorizing  
Board to  
paint Chains  
posts, protect  
trees etc.

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be  
and said Board is hereby authorized to paint the chains and posts  
around the Plaza; to clean up and remove all surplus dirt thereon;  
and the action of said Board in purchasing lumber to protect the  
trees planted thereon is hereby ratified and approved, and said  
Board is hereby authorized and directed to put up said protection  
around said trees, and to paint the same when placed in position;  
and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to purchase and  
put up wire netting around said trees to further protect them.

(Auditor's Certificate attached.)

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #958 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the common council of the said city, on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898, and approved by the mayor of said city on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898.

*To J. Clegg*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By T. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The foregoing resolution was ordered placed on file.

Joint Resolution No. 959.

Be It Resolved, By the common council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized to employ the necessary assistance for the City Engineer to prepare the plans and specifications asked for by Joint Resolution No. 952, for the Garbage Scow, wharf, etc. (Auditor's certificate attached.)

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 959 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the common council of said city on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898, and approved by the mayor of said city on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898.

*To J. Clegg*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By T. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Engineer  
instructed to  
procure said  
help.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution and upon motion being made & duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote, the City Engineer was authorized to procure the necessary help to make said plans and specifications.

Joint Resolution No. 960.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Authorized to  
enter into a  
contract with  
Scavenger Co.  
30 days \$25.00

That the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the City Scavenger Company for the disposal of the City's garbage at a place to be designated by the Board of Health of this City, for a period of thirty days and at a cost of \$25.00 (Auditor's Certificate attached.)

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a

full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 960. of the City of San Diego, California as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898.

(Seal)

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Health Board  
not designated  
place yet

The foregoing Joint Resolution was read and ordered placed on file. The Board of Health, not yet having designated where said garbage shall be buried.

adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

W. J. Davis,  
President Pro tem.

San Diego, Cal. Feby 17<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis and Whitney.  
absent " Julian who is sick in bed.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Recommend Sewer extension Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending the extension of the Sewer system 175 feet in the Alley in Block 8 of Brooks Addition to San Diego, and about 40 feet in the Street to connect with the main sewer in Brooks Avenue. making a total of 215 feet.

\$140.- The estimated cost will be about \$140<sup>00</sup> for constructing this extension.

Pipe on hand. The necessary pipe is on hand.

Commissioners. Davis & Whitney voting aye.

Johnstone Mr. J. S. Johnstone this day executed and filed a deed with this Board for 262 feet of (6") stone sewer pipe, as laid in Walnut Avenue to a connection with the sewer on 5<sup>th</sup> Street. consideration being \$75<sup>00</sup>

Sewer filed The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council: Viz:-

Joint Resolution #964.

Engineer Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

prepare Estimate regrading 1<sup>st</sup> & Laurel That the City Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to prepare and present to this Council an estimate of the cost of regrading First Street north of "A" and south of Laurel.

Such re-grading to be sufficient to put said First Street in proper condition for travel.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution #964 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 9th day

day of February, 1898, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1898.

*Seal*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

By W. M. Vincent, Deputy.

Ordinance #495.

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California to grade down the approaches of 7<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> Street at a cost not to exceed \$50<sup>00</sup> passed and approved on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1898.

The same was read and the Dept. of Streets notified in accordance therewith.

Ordinance #493.

An ordinance granting to the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, four additional assistants, for a period of thirty days, one of which shall be an engineer and the other three, helpers. Engr to receive \$100.- per month, two assistants \$65<sup>00</sup> per month each and one \$50<sup>00</sup> per month. passed and approved February 14<sup>th</sup> 1898.

The Engineer was instructed accordingly.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous vote the Board took a recess until 3 o'clock P.M.

J. H. Dixon,  
Secy.

San Diego, Cal. Feb 17<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 3 P.M.

The Board re-assembled the following commissioners being present Davis and Whitney absent Julian

Communication to Council to place water gauge in office  
The secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council stating that the Water Gauge had arrived and is now in possession of the Board of Public Works. and that they would recommend that the Common Council designate the place to place said Gauge, at the office of said Board and not at corner of 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Streets. The City Engineer can easily figure what the pressure should be at said point. It is a very delicate piece of machinery and should be placed under the care of said board at their office.

Contract City Scavenger Co. 30 days.  
The contract between the City Scavenger Co. and the City of San Diego, for the removal of garbage of said City for a period of 30 days from date of said contract for the sum of \$275<sup>00</sup> having been prepared.

It was moved and duly seconded that said contract be executed.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Bond for above  
The City Scavenger Co. present their bond, in the sum of \$200<sup>00</sup> for the faithful performance of said foregoing contract with W. Llewelyn and Chas. Simms as sureties.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was approved by the following vote.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Contract Boston Wooven Stove and Rubber Co. Fire Engine  
Upon motion being duly seconded the agreement between the City of San Diego and the "Boston Wooven Stove and Rubber Co." to furnish said City with a double eighty gallon Improved Holloway Chemical Fire Engine for the sum of \$2150<sup>00</sup> at San Diego, was ordered approved.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Bond for above approved  
The Bond, for the faithful performance of said contract, in amount \$500<sup>00</sup> with Fred Thomas and Ed. McEachan as sureties, was upon motion being duly seconded, ordered approved.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Contract

The contract between the City of San Diego and Julian Plumbing Co., for placing the D. St Plaza in a condition to light with gas, having been prepared.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was ordered approved and executed.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Bond for above

The bond for same in amount \$100<sup>00</sup> for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said Contract, was presented with messrs. Otto Peterson & E.M. Reinhardt as sureties.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was ordered approved.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Material

Bond for above contract Julian Plumbing Co. present a material-mans bond in the sum of \$150<sup>00</sup> with Otto Peterson & E.M. Reinhardt as sureties for the protection of labor & material in above contract.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was ordered approved. Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F.H. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Glasso,  
President Pro-tempo.

San Diego, Cal. Feb 24<sup>th</sup> 1898

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Authorization

A communication dated February 23<sup>rd</sup> 1898, from the Common Council authorizing this Board to sell such portion of the old brick, doors, windows etc. that are now stored in the Howard Tract of the City Park as are not need in the construction of the new Engine House to be erected on Florence & Highs.

The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Bills

The following bills were read and approved:-

<u>Pr. J. Smith</u>	constructing sewer in Walnut Avenue, contract \$965.00
<u>St. B. McAniff</u>	Painting chains & posts 22.80

Certificates

The Secretary was instructed to have the certificates in the Auditor's Office bound.

Dept. Parks

instructed to

make estimate

requirements

Howard Tract

Harvey C. Stiles, Asst. of Parks, was instructed to make an estimated of the cost of placing the trees in the Howard Tract in a condition to carry them through which is in accordance with his communication of the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.

Permit to

erect building

c & 6<sup>th</sup>

A communication from the City Clerk, dated 2/23/98. Stating that the Common Council by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  vote of each Board granted to R.B. Ellison permission to erect ~~two~~ small office buildings & barn on lot L. Block 35 Horton's Adv. the same being the corner of 6<sup>th</sup> & C.

The Secretary was instructed in accordance therewith.

Permission

place street

signs telephone

poles

The Long Distance Telephone Co. in a communication to the Board dated 2/19/98 grant permission to place Street Signs upon telephone poles wherever they may be required.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following to the Common Council.

"That after having excavated the sewer pipe laid in Walnut Avenue which was purchased from Mr. Johnstone, we were unable to save but little of it, thereby taking all the surplus 6 inch sewer pipe on hand to relay said sewer. In consequence thereof our communication of the 17<sup>th</sup> inst. in which we state that we had on hand pipe enough to lay said sewer, is in error. We will require pipe for the entire distance.

Also, that in order to lower the 22<sup>nd</sup> Street main sewer and flush tank to grade, and also the 13<sup>th</sup> Street main sewer and flush tank to grade, in accordance with your resolutions instructing us to do so. We will require 200 feet of 6 inch stone sewer pipe.

Therefore we respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize us to purchase 500 feet of 6 inch stone sewer pipe.

Also, that we have your communication requesting us to again place the old drinking fountain upon the Plaza for the use of the public.

Your communication has not the certificate of the Auditor attached thereto.

The estimated cost of placing said fountain will be about \$12<sup>00</sup>

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. A. Leekard  
President

San Diego, Cal. March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney, and Julian.

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting was dispensed with.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to advertise for <sup>bids for</sup> stationery for the use of the various departments of the City Government.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Capt. of Sewers. (Capt. D. M. Shaw) was allowed 10 days leave of absence.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following bills were read and approved.

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.  
The bills are as follows. Viz:-

Street Repairs:-

3950	Sinclair and Bear Lumber for old town bridge	\$235.30
4012	Pay Roll Labor	\$553.00
3928	J. E. Weaver Hauling	2.00
3936	La Jolla Water Co. Water for Street troughs	1.75
3964	J. A. Jones Hauling gravel	1.50
3965	Julian Plumbing Co. Repair water trough	1.50
3976	E. M. Tapp Car fare	2.65
3979	Silver Gate Oil Co. 1 can oil	.85
3995	S. D. Hdw. Co. 1 Keg nails	3.00
4009	S. D. Smthg Co. Ord. pub	.90
4011	J. E. Davis Repairing picks etc	1.45
4014	Eben Cassie Plow point sharpened	1.50
4017	W. G. Lemon Rep. Safe	.50
4020	Davis Dranga Co. Spikes, Axe, wire nails, Lanterns etc	10.10
4038	Wm Sandison Sharpening saw	.90
		\$816.90

## Street Sweeping.

4012	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 324 00
3940	A. L. Quinn	225 * bamboo brushes @ 12¢ per lb.	27 00
3945	H. B. McAniff	5 lbs. Card oil	3 50
3979	Silver Gate Oil Co.	1 can oil	.85
3990	Clarke & Brank	Babbitting main bearings old sweeper	5 50
4021	S. D. Water Co.	26 tanks water ahead of sweeper	\$ 3 60
			<u>\$ 364 45</u>

## Street Sprinkling

3967	N. L. Parrott	Setting fire sprinklers #6	\$ 6 00
4021	S. D. Water Co.	Water	155 00
4012	Pay Roll	Labor	156 00
			<u>\$ 317 00</u>

Public Health  
Hauling away garbage, contract.  
" " " July 5 to 17.

3929	City Scavenger Co.		\$ 275 00
3943	" " "		110 00
3942	Heath Printing Co.	50 Scarlet fever cards	\$ 2 25

## Fire Department

3981	H. A. Oesting & Son Storage	contract	\$ 81 26
3994	S. D. Hardware Co.	1 #3 alligator wrench	1 25
4022	Davis & Range	Mallet, Tubing, wrench & wooden mallet	4 50
4044	E. J. Delaney	To Shoeing 13 Horses, 1 Hoof clasp-	17 75
4045	Hamilton Bros.	Sponges, Duster, Shine Broom, oil etc.	13 90
			<u>\$ 118 66</u>

## Fire Hydrant

4024	S. D. Water Co.,	194 Hydrants @ \$0.- per annum	\$ 1293 33
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## General a/c

3926	Sunset Rd & Dr Co.	Rent phone, Pound Ham & Kirby	\$ 5 00
3947	Geo. McEntire	Making drawers for office	2 00
3949	McKenzie, Link & Winsby	Edson Recording Water Gauge	98 00
3968	A. Levi, Transfer Co.	Dbl team, 10 moreno, Board 3 days.	12 00
3972	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep Closets	1 00
			<u>\$ 119 00</u>

Sewer & Drainage

3986	Pay Roll	Labor 1/2 H. & St.	\$10 00
3987	" "	"	66 00
3988	" "	" 8 <sup>th</sup> Ward Engrs.	95 90
3939	Geo. A. Benson	1 Stake Sack "	2 00
3946	J. J. Johnston & Sons	6in Stone Sewer in Walnut Avenue	75 00
3951	W.P. Fuller & Co.	1 oak frame for sewer map	3 40
3952	R. A. Smith	Constructing Sewer Walnut Avenue, contract	965 00
3971	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rep. pipes	4 70
3975	E.M. Capra	Car fare - 8 <sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer	3 20
3988	J.D. Hdw Co.	Hand axe & plumb bob	2 00
4025	J.D. Water Co.	Water flushing Sewers	67 20
4041	R. A. Smith	Constructing Sewer University Ave. Contract	1715 00
4042	R.A. Smith	" " alley Block 1. Loma Grande Adm. "	199 00
4043	C. M. Hall	Hauling	1 00
			<u>\$3209 40</u>

Office acc't

3927	Steinhouse & Co.	Printing	\$52 45
3937	Loring & Co.	Pencils	75
3992	Heath & Co.	Cards. of Death	6 75
3997	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	22 50
4004	Laura B. Anderson	Carbons & Ribbon	5 50
4016	J.D. Towel Supply Co.	Fluffy towels	2 25
4018	Davis Dranga Co.	Pipe elbow, collar, thimble etc	4 68
4039	Grandgen B&C Co.	Letter heads	3 50
4040	" " "	Printing	22 75
			<u>\$121 13</u>

Park Improvement

3989	Pay Roll	Labor	39 00
3828	Russ Lumber M. Co.	Lumber to protect trees Plaza	27 50
3925	J.C. Brockway	2 loads manure	1 80
3954	Geo. A. Hardy	" "	8 00
3955	H. B. McAniff	Painting, posts, chains etc	22 80
3980	J.C. Brockway	2 1/3 yds manure 25¢ Ditch 4"	26 00
4005	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Notice,	35
4023	Davis Dranga Co.	Nails, netting & staples	4 30
4058	Todd & Hawley	Nails	50
			<u>\$130 25</u>

Street Lights

4047	D.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co. Light	\$1,500.00
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Public Buildings

3932	D. Hitchcock Agt.	Rent Loh D. BCK 99 Hortons	\$12.50
3933	R. G. Clark	" S. K. D. 112 "	25.00
3935	D.G. Stephens	" City Hall "	100.00
3961	J.W. Sefton	" 1½ H. 10 "	30.00
4026	S.D. County	" Co. Jail	10.00
4027	A.S. Jennings	" " Care prisoners	50.00
4031	N.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	" Gas.	48.30
			<u>\$ 275.80</u>

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

*A.H. Dixon, Sec.*

*A.H. Dixon  
President*

San Diego, Cal, Mar. 2d 1898

Thursday 10 AM.

Regular meeting:-

Present

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance #499, directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to remove the barn, now on the "Howard Tract" in the City Park, to another portion of the City Park, and fit the same up for use as a fire Engine House, was read and ordered placed on file, and the Secretary instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council, viz:-

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body to change that portion of ordinance #499 fixing the location of the Chemical Engine House in the City Park to read as follows: The westerly boundary of which shall be the Easterly line of Sixth street and to contain 300 feet by 400 feet of land, and which tract shall be directly south of the south line of Laurel Street extended, and running south to the north line of Kalmia Street extended and east to Park Boulevard: and to place said Engine House so that it shall face north on Laurel Street extended, and set about midway between Sixth Street and Park Boulevard."

Ordinance #497, authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to furnish supplies for the various departments of the said City of San Diego, was read and ordered placed on file.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council, viz:-

"We have been notified by the So. Cal. R.R. Co. that they intend to immediately fence in their right-of-way and that wherever the City's road encroaches thereon it will be fenced off.

Therefor we recommend that some definite action be taken at once in regard to the road near Moreno Station."

Lift of 1 ft.  
repair sidewalk  
n<sup>o</sup> 1 at the  
New Carlton  
Hotel.

The Superintendent of Streets was instructed to have the Sidewalk on 1<sup>st</sup> Street in front of the New Carlton Hotel repaired, there being a step off of about a foot, making said Sidewalk dangerous to travel over in the night time.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Julian Plumbing Co.  
ask for extn of  
time Plaza light  
with gas.

30 days allowed.

Julian Plumbing Co. make application for an extension of time on their contract for preparing the D Street Plaza in a condition to light with gas.

The lamps required by the City as specified in said Contract must come from the East. Therefor they petition for 30 days additional time, which upon motion being duly Seconded was granted by the following vote:

Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

### Joint Resolution #970.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer make the necessary plans and specifications for the Engine House for the new Chemical Engine, said House to be constructed out of the material of the barn now on the Howard Tract, and that the Board of Public Works are hereby directed to advertise for bids for the moving of the barn and converting it into the required Engine House on the tract of land or location designated by Ordinance No. 499.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 970 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of February, 1898.

Sealed

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
 by H. W. Vincent,  
 Deputy

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication in regard to streets to the Common Council. Viz:-

"The following streets are in need of immediate attention; Viz:-

1<sup>st</sup> Street

D. Street

9<sup>th</sup> Street

Streets  
that need  
repairs

Cedar Street.

16<sup>th</sup> Street

National Dyke.

Date Street.

Milton Avenue

"F" Street.

National Avenue.

Clean up Murray Grade, Put in new culverts  
in "F" Street, National Avenue, and 16<sup>th</sup> Street. Repair Dyke  
at Old Town. Repairs on extension to Iron Bridge at Old Town.

The foregoing being the principle Streets in need  
of repair; but there are many others, too numerous to  
mention, that are in a deplorable condition, many complaints  
are daily being made in regard thereto.

Therefore we respectfully recommend to your  
Honorable Body that you allow us \$1200.00 for the use of the  
Street Department.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following  
communication in regard to Parks to the Common Council. Viz:-

"We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body  
that you authorize us to have the trees pruned, and irrigate  
and plow the main avenues of the Howard Tract.

Estimated cost of same exclusive of water,	\$30 00
Annex Park	" " " " "

These Parks are in a sorry condition and should  
be attended to at once."

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

A. H. Julian  
President

Recommend

allow \$1200<sup>00</sup>

Recommend

trees be pruned

dig & plow

Howard Tract

San Diego, Cal., Mar. 10<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and  
approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were received, read, and  
ordered placed on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #978.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:

That the Superintendent of Parks of said City be and he is  
hereby instructed and directed to water the Palms along Park  
Boulevard in the "Howard Track," and also to water such other trees  
in the City Park as he may deem necessary in order preserve  
them, without expense to the City other than for water.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct  
copy of Joint Resolution No. 978 of the City of San Diego, California,  
as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of  
March, 1898.

Leo D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

The secretary was instructed to notify the Sup't.  
of Parks in accordance with said foregoing Resolution.

Joint Resolution #979.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San  
Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be  
and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to cause  
street signs to be placed at the northeast and southwest  
corners of the intersection of all streets within that

Place street signs

N.E. & S.W. cor.

intre. all st.

N. by A. Eby

S. by Bay & W. by 3d

portion of the City bounded on the north by "A" street, on the east by Seventh street, on the south by the San Diego Bay and on the west by Third street. Said Board is also requested to furnish this Council with an estimate of the cost of placing street signs on all streets traversed by Street Railways, except on the Fourth street line.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 979 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898, and approved by the mayor on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898.

*Sealed*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk,  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

Notify Goldman  
to make said  
Signs.

The Secretary was instructed to give Mr. Goldman a week of street signs with instructions to him to make said signs at once.

### Joint Resolution No. 980.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:  
That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to place a six foot high fence with 1" x 4" pickets around the Palms at Old Town, and to paint said fence at a cost not to exceed \$250.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 980 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898, and approved by the mayor on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898.

*Sealed*

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

### Joint Resolution No. 981.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:  
That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego

Place the old  
drinking fountain  
on Plogan

be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to place the old drinking fountain on the Plaza, for the use of the public, the estimated cost of which placing is twelve dollars.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 981, of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898.

*(Signature)*

Geo. D. Goodman, City Clerk.  
 By St. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Auditor's Certificate attached.

Joint Resolutions # 980 & 981, were taken under advisement by the board.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following to the Common Council:

"Ordinance N<sup>o</sup> 500 passed by your Honorable Body on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 1898, and approved by the Mayor on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1898, establishing the Water Rates in the City of San Diego, California, for the year beginning July 1<sup>st</sup> 1898, and ending June 30<sup>th</sup> 1899, and said Ordinance N<sup>o</sup> 500 also designates the location of, and the maintenance of a water gauge in the office of the Board of Public Works, for the purpose of testing the water pressure at said point. Therefore,

We respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that a joint resolution be passed authorizing this Board to place said gauge at said point, and also that provision be made for the necessary expense to do said work."

"In accordance with a communication from the City Engineer stating that he cannot finish the 8<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer Survey in the time specified, (viz 30 days).

We respectfully recommend that your Honorable Body allow the City Engineer to retain said help an additional thirty days."

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1898 for the furnishing of Stationery for the use of the City, for

a period of one year beginning March 15<sup>th</sup> 1898, and in accordance with a list that is on file in the office of the Board.

The hour having arrived to open said bids, the Secretary was instructed to open them which was done with the following result.

Bidder	check	
<u>M. A. Wertheimer &amp; Co.</u>	<u>Stationery</u>	<u>.25<sup>c</sup></u>

Successful  
and

awarded the  
Contract

M. A. Wertheimer & Co. being the only bidder the contract was awarded to them. Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
President:-

San Diego Cal. March 17<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Com for the  
Dept of Parks  
Plow: Howard  
Track Ladies  
inner, Co. B  
said work

A communication from Asst. of Parks, Stiles, in regards to plowing the Howard Track, Ladies Annex and general Park was read and ordered transmitted to the Council with a motion stating we estimate it will take \$300. to do said work

Mrs. J. M. Russell  
permits to place  
window in store

Mrs. J. M. Russell was granted permission to put in a window in the front of her Millinery Store.

Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

Advertise for  
Sale, Doors  
Windows brick  
etc.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids, for the purchase of Doors, Windows old Brick etc that were saved from the burning of the Childrens Home.

Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Upon Motion being duly Seconded the following bill was ordered approved

4087 City Scavengers.

Moving Garbage 2/17 to 3/17/98 Contract \$275.00

Notify Council that the Contract for disposing of the City's Garbage has expired.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

A. H. Fuersten  
President

San Diego, Cal. March 24<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form, present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes  
The minutes of March 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

8 foot strip  
unpaved  
for wheelmen  
It was moved and duly seconded that a strip 8 feet wide be left on all streets that are sprinkled, for the use of the Wheelmen, said space to be designated by the Street Dept.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

Petition to  
extend betw  
Laurel & Juniper  
4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
A communication was received from messrs. Adam Buck, G.B. Groves, Mary A. Kline, Carrie Thomas and Geo. W. Hazzard, petitioning this Board to extend the sewer between 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> & Juniper & Laurel Streets.

The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Purchase  
\$100.- of  
Stamps  
Be It Resolved that the Secretary be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to make requisition upon the Auditor for \$100.- coin, to purchase Stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Government.  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

Engr. to prepare  
Estimate  
grading  
The following recommendation from the Joint Street Committee and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego on March 7<sup>th</sup> 1898: was received and referred to the City Engineers.

E betw  
14 & 24  
Your Joint Street Committee herewith recommends that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare and present an estimate of the cost of grading that portion of E<sup>st</sup> street between 14<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> Streets, including a wooden bridge across Switzer's Canyon Creek.

Joint Resolution No. 982.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Engr. to  
furnish  
an  
That the City Engineer of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized, instructed, and directed to make and furnish to this Common Council a map for a new road or street

estimate  
road from  
32<sup>nd</sup> to  
Cemetery

eighty feet wide from the junction of 32d and M Streets to the Cemetery, and also showing the location, general route, and termini of such road or street; and also furnish to this Common Council a description of each piece of land sought to be taken, and whether the same includes the whole or only a part of an entire tract or parcel.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 982 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Delegates on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898, and by the Board of Aldermen on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1898.

Seal

GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

#### Joint Resolution No. 983.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be instructed to estimate the cost of construction of a sewer from the south line of University Avenue on the Alley between 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets South to Robinson Avenue, thence East to a connection with the sewer recently constructed on the alley between 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Streets:

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 983, of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Board of Aldermen on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1898, and by the Board of Delegates on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1898.

GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk.

By H. W. VINCENT, Deputy.

Joint Resolutions 892 and 893, were referred to the City Engineer.

#### Joint Resolution No. 987.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to expend not to exceed \$25<sup>00</sup> in purchasing hose and tools for use of the Superintendent of Parks, also expend a sum not exceeding \$200<sup>00</sup> in plowing and harrowing that part of the City Park, which in the opinion of the Park Superintendent, is most in need of being plowed and that said plowing be done by advertising for bids and letting contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 987 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of

\$25<sup>00</sup> for  
hose & tools.  
Park  
\$200- for  
Plowing  
Same.

March, 1898, and approved by the Mayor on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 1898.  
Auditors Certificate attached.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

Advertisement  
for plowing  
Parks &  
purchase  
the hose.

In accordance with the foregoing Resolution the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the Plowing and Harrowing of that portion of the Ladies Annex Park that has heretofore been plowed; also to advertise for bids for the Plowing and Harrowing of that portion of the Howard Track that has heretofore been plowed, which contains 46 acres more or less: also to issue a requisition for 100 feet of hose for use of Park.

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

\$1000.- was  
authorized  
for  
St. Repairs

#### Joint Resolution No. 988.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for general repairs of the streets within said City.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 988, of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1898, and approved by the Mayor on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 1898.

Auditors Certificate Attached.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The Supt. of Streets was notified in accordance with said resolution.

#### Joint Resolution No. 989.

Authorization  
To  
Purchase  
Matting  
for  
Halls in  
Hall

Whereas the continual tramping of feet on the bare boards of the floor of the corridor of the City Hall while the Council is in session disturbs the attention of said Council to such a degree that often when members thereof are speaking on matters pertaining to the public business the voice is inaudible from the noise occasioned by said tramping of feet, and is a matter of complaint from members of said Council, therefore

Be It Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the Board of Public Works are hereby directed to have Cocoa matting laid on said

corridor floor, and passage ways, and that the amount of money required to pay for the same is hereby appropriated.

I hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of Joint Resolution No. 989 of the City of San Diego, California, as adopted by the Common Council on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1898, and approved by the Mayor on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1898.

Auditors Certificate Attached.



Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The following communication from the Auditing Committee was read and ordered placed on file. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works,  
Gentlemen:-

Communication At meeting of City auditing committee this date a resolution to place was adopted requesting all officers and Boards of the City, in approving authorization claims filed against their several offices and departments before being numbers on presented to the auditing committee, that they endorse on all bills such claims, in the place provided therefor, the section of the when passed charter, number of ordinance, number of contract, resolution, or order, under which the claim or demand was authorized.

A compliance with this request will prevent the laying over of claims for investigation as to their authorization, as has so frequently occurred of late.

Yours respectfully,  
H. W. Vincent  
Secy. Auditing Committee."

Sale of In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids for Doors the purchase of doors, windows, brick etc., (that were saved from the burning of the Childrens Home in the Howard Track, of the Bricks City Park,) to be delivered at this office between the hours of Windows 10<sup>th</sup> & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1898, and the hour having arrived to open said bids the Secretary was instructed accordingly with the following result.

	Bidders	Amounts.
Stone	James Wells,	\$ 26.00
etc.	Geo. M. Stavice,	\$ 40.00
	Geo. W. Deford,	\$ 50.00
	Geo. W. Deford, whole brick \$1 <sup>50</sup> per M.	

Towhom Geo. W. Deford being the highest bidder, the sale of the doors,  
Sold. windows, Stone & brick was, upon motion being duly seconded  
and by a unanimous Aye vote, made to Deford.

Purchase  
matting  
City Hall The Secretary was instructed to issue a requisition  
in accordance with Joint Resolution No. 989, for the purchase of  
"Cocoa nut matting."

No further business board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego, Cal. March 31<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form, there were present Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Wertheimer & Co.

Contract for Stationery Executed. The contract between the City of San Diego and M. & J. Wertheimer & Co. (for the furnishing the City with Stationery in accordance with the attached list to said contract, for a period of one year from March 15<sup>th</sup> 1898,) having been prepared. The same, upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote was ordered executed.

Bond

M. & J. Wertheimer & Co., present their Bond of \$250<sup>00</sup> with Messrs. A. G. Gassen & C. R. Stanton as sureties for the faithful performance of their contract for furnishing Stationery to the City of San Diego.

It was moved and duly seconded that said Bond be approved. Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

11.000 Tax Recs.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the Secretary was instructed to have printed for the Tax Collector's Office 11.000 Tax Receipts

Martin & Swain

fence the Old Town Palma It was moved and duly seconded that Messrs. Martin and Swain be awarded the work of fencing the Old Town Palma, the same to be done under the supervision of Commissioner A. S. Julian, and at a cost of \$24<sup>75</sup>

Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian, voting Aye.

Talling for bids for Plowing and Harrowing the Howard Track

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1898, for the plowing and harrowing of that portion of the "Howard Track" in the City Park, that has heretofore been plowed, and which contains 96 acres more or less, the following bids were received. Viz:-

Bidders

R. F. Smith

Plowing & Harrowing "Howard Track" Taff. Check \$10.00 Bid \$195.00

R. F. Smith  
awarded the  
Contract, Plowing  
Park \$195<sup>00</sup>

Mr. R. F. Smith being the only bidder for the plowing of said "Howard Track" It was moved and duly seconded that the contract be awarded to him at his bid, viz.: \$195.-

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Calling for  
bids for the  
Plowing and  
Harrowing the  
Ladies Annex Park

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1898, for the plowing and harrowing of that portion of the Ladies Annex Park, in the City Park, that has heretofore been plowed. The following bid was received: Viz:-

Bidder J. Engelbrecht, Plowing and Harrowing, the Ladies Annex Park, Cut off check #2. Bid \$17.00

Bid  
laid on Table

Upon motion being duly Seconded the bid of Mr. J. Engelbrecht was laid on the table.

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Communication  
to the  
Common Council  
for \$12<sup>00</sup> balance  
to Plow the  
Ladies Annex Park

Whereas Joint Resolution No. 987 passed by the Common Council March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1898, allows but \$200.- for the plowing and harrowing of the "Howard Track" and the Ladies Annex Park, in the City Park, and whereas the bids received for the plowing and harrowing of said Parks aggregate \$212<sup>00</sup>. Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Secretary be, and he is hereby instructed and directed to address a communication to the Common Council setting forth said facts, and recommend that the additional amount be allowed.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting aye.

Adjourned till  
Friday 2 P.M.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until 2 o'clock P.M. Friday April 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. H. Leeward  
President.

San Diego, Cal. April 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Friday 2 P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

Commissioners present were, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

soft hose  
for Park  
It was moved and Seconded that Soft. of Parks be allowed 50 ft more hose for use at Park, and the Secretary was instructed to issue a requisition for same.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

The following bills were read and approved, Viz:-

Bills

4149	Board of Public Works.	Salaries	\$32500
4150	Engineer	"	215 00
4151	"	" 8 Ward	229 89
4144	Sewer	"	105 00
4152	Street	Repairs \$366.00	
"	"	Sprinkling 158.00	
"	"	Sweeping 338.50	\$862.50

Upon motion the Board adjourned till Tuesday 10 A.M.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

San Diego, Cal. April 5<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting

Commissioners present:- Whitney and Julian.

Commissioners absent:- Davis

The following bills were read and approved, viz:-

Bills

		<u>Street Repairs</u>	
4209	J. E. Davis	Repair Picks re.	250
4172	C. H. Nagle	Street patching	47 29
4215	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Notice of award.	30
4100	Wm Sandison	Saw filing	1 00
4082	Joseph Kelly	Cement on "F" St.	10 00
4199	Diamond Carriage Co.	Team for Capps.	150
4183	Eben Cassie	Sharpening Plow.	50
4217	L. B. West.	Specifications	3 20
4060	Russ L. & M. Co.	Lumber	34 56
4163	Edwin M. Capps.	Car fare	1 05
4103	Frank Foley	Haul lumber	50
4099	H. J. Lemon	Mending tape	50
4184	J. F. Jones	Hauling gravel	150
4130	Davis Dranga Co.	Hardware, nails re.	456
4120	Gowmby & Stewart	Putting up St. signs	20 25
4110	Julian Plumbing Co.	Rept Water Trough	1 00
4197	West Coast L. Co.	Lumber	12 71
4105	Goolman Bros.	St. signs	42 00
4119	J. M. Gittenden	Hauling material	250
4081	S. D. Water Co.	Water for troughs	16 10
4198	"	"	17 40
4067	La Jolla Water Co.	"	175
			222 67

Street Sweeping

4170	Quinton & Beck.	Sweeper repairs	150
4129	Silvergate Oil Co.	Coal Oil	85
4104	Ah. Quin	Bamboo.	18 00
4128	Dam Naugh.	Brooms.	18.
4139	C. O. Rogers	Rept. Sprinkler	10 25
			48 60

Street Sprinkling

4065	S.D. Water Co.	Water	775
4113	K.L. Parrott	Sprinkler repairs	505
4211	"	"	3030
4156.	S.D. Water Co.	Water.	18290
			22600

Fire Department

4125	H.C. Oesting & Son.	Hay &c.	6084
4126	C.J. Delorey.	Shoeing horses.	1625
4054	City Scavenger Co.	Removing garbage.	500
4084	R.P. Grinnan	Glass for alarm boxes	150
4158	Taw Haren Drug Co.	Ointment &c.	125
4179	City Scavenger Co.	Removing garbage.	500
4137	Jno H. Tullock	Removing fire alarm box & wires	600
4188	M.C. McKenzie, Flint & Kinsby	Valves	400
4124	Hamilton Bros.	Sundries	860
4127	Davis, Dranga Co.	Bolts &c.	35
4083	S.D. Water Co.	Water	925
4187	"	"	925
			1275.9

Fire Hydrant.

4155	S.D. Water Co.	Hydrant rent.	1293.33
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Police

4140	Russ Lumber & M. Co.	1 Book case &c.	425
4160	James Russell.	Police whistles &c.	940 1361

Park Improvements

4078	S.D. Water Co.	Water for Plaza &c.	825
4106	Julian Plumbing Co	Rep. sprinkler	50
4079	Todd & Hawley	Lawn Sprinklers &c.	270
4198	S.D. Water Co.	Water for Plaza &c.	1605
4195	Mulvey Bros.	Grass Seed.	975
4085	Graham & Weldon	Redwood.	196
4216	S.D. Sun Pub Co.	Adv.	60
4132	Davis, Dranga Co.	Hose bands.	20
4219	E.G. Martin	Material &c Old Town Parkers.	2475 6476

Sewer and Drainage

4191	McKenzie Flint & Nineby	Sewer pipe	1 00
4207	H. J. Lemon	Repr. tape	50
4154	S. D. Water Co.	Water	76 26
4162	E. M. Capps.	Cav. fare.	780
4086	Graham & Weldon.	Redwood.	825
4108	Julian Plumbing Co.	Pipe &c.	15 00
4208	J. E. Davis	Picks repid.	20
4181	H. H. Stewart & Co.	Cement.	875
			<u>117 76</u>

Office

4090	H. B. McAniff	Brushes &c. (Eng. Dept.)	65
4194	Harris & Heatham	Records for Clerks Office	55 00
4178	City Scavenger Co.	Removing garbage.	100
4101	H. H. Hildreth	File Covers.	225
4071	Ed. M. Burbeck.	Side Book &c.	170
4053	City Scavenger Co.	Removing garbage.	100
4064	Loring & Co.	Detail Paper (Eng. Dept.)	125
4062	Clymus Rice	Rep. Window And. office	50
4059	M. A. Wertheimer & Co.	Supplies	30 38
4137	"	"	38 68
4204	R. Schiller	Tax Certificates	35 00
4174	Stenhouse & Co.	Book for Health Office	450
4118	Cal. Rubber Stamp Co.	Rubber Stamps &c.	115
4220	H. O. Lumber Co	Redwood.	96.
4190	Grandjean Bumgardner Co.	Printing blanks &c.	16 75
4138	M. A. Wertheimer & Co.	Supplies	545
4157	S. D. Furn. & Carpet Co.	Matting &c.	31 27
4159	Pacific Wood & Coal Co.	Coal.	28 25
4153	L. W. Shultz	Curtain &c Police Dept.	3 65
			<u>259 39</u>

Public Buildings.

4171	County of San Diego	Rent of Jail	10 00
4131	S. D. Gas & El. Co.	Light-Fire Dept.	45 10
4073	R. G. Clark.	Rent. House of Horton Hose Co.	25 00
4074	L. J. Jones.	Rent. 5 1/2 L. Bl. 41.	25 00
4068	D. Hitchcock, Agt.	" Sol. L. Bl. 99	12 50
4098	J. W. Lofton	" 8 1/2 sf. Bl. 10	30 00
4117	H. M. Stanton, Agt.	" Material Yds.	20 00
4169	J. S. Jennings	Keeping Prisoners	50 00
4114	D. G. Stephens	Rent City Hall	100 00
			<u>317 60</u>

	<u>General.</u>	
4186.	S.D. Lowell Supply Co.	2 25
4115	S.C. Mr. Water Co.	8 25
4088	S.D. Water Co.	3 50
4070	S.J & J. Co.	2 50
4092	H.S. Crocker & Co.	190 00
4192	Harris & Cheatham	475
4193	S.D. Water Co.	3 50
4107	Julian Plumb Co.	70 45
		215

Public Health

4176.	City Scavenger Co.	Removing Garbage.	128 35
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Street Lights.

4134	S.D. Gas & El. Light Co.	City Lighting	1508 17
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There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest,

A. H. Dixon

A. H. Julian  
President

Thursday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal. April 7<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Regular Meeting.

The Board of Public Works met in regular session Commissioners, Julian, Whitney and Davis being present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of the adjourned meetings of April 1<sup>st</sup> and of April 5<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Engr. instd.  
make plans  
+ specifications  
construct walks  
in D. Street  
Plaza

Ordinance No. 509 "directing the Board of Public Works to construct walks on that portion of "The Plaza which is enclosed by sidewalks" was read and ordered placed on file and the City Engineer was instructed to make plans and specifications to present to the Board at its next meeting on the line of the plat on file with the City Clerk. Commissioners Julian, Davis and Whitney voting Aye.

Advertise  
for bids to  
construct  
Road in  
Rose Canon

Ordinance No. 510 "Authorizing certain Public Work to be done within the City of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City, and directing said Board to do the same" was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary was instructed to publish "Notice to Contractors" for a period of 5 days calling for bids to be opened on Thursday April 21<sup>st</sup> between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. for "The construction of a wagon road, through Pueblo Lots 1266, 1267 and 1269 of the Pueblo Lands of said City, over the route as shown by the survey and plan thereof, made by the City Engineer, a copy of which is on file with the City Clerk of said City, entitled, "Survey of the Extension of the Rose Canon Road through Pueblo Lots 1267, 1266, 1291. Surveyed by Edwin N. Capps, City Engineer, Dec. 1897"

Eng. Adm.  
assistance  
30 days

Ordinance No. 512 "Granting to the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, four additional assistants, for a period of thirty days, and fixing their compensation was read and ordered placed on file.

Req. to  
Dept Parks  
buy Lawn  
mower

Motion to grant a requisition to the Superintendent of Parks for a second hand lawn mower not to exceed the cost of \$5<sup>00</sup> was carried by the vote, following:-  
Commissioners Julian, Davis and Whitney voting Aye

W<sup>m</sup> Runsey  
compensation  
fixed at \$75<sup>00</sup>

Ordinance No. 515 "Fixing the compensation of William Runsey, an employee in the office of the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, was read and ordered placed on file

### Joint Resolution No. 992.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

Purchase  
tax receipts  
Tax Collector  
cost not  
to exceed  
\$80<sup>00</sup>

That the Board of Public Works be, and the same is hereby authorized and empowered to procure the necessary tax receipts for the year 1898, to be used by the City Tax Collector in collecting taxes for said year, the cost thereof not to exceed \$80<sup>00</sup>

(Auditor's Certificate Attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk)

Resolution read and ordered placed on file.

### Joint Resolution No. 993.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

Purchase  
\$25<sup>00</sup> Stamps  
various  
departments

That the Board of Public Works be, and it is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase twenty-five dollars' worth of postage stamps for various offices and departments of the City.

(Auditor's Certificate Attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

Resolution read and ordered placed on file.

### Joint Resolution No. 995

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

Squire Lentry  
to

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby instructed and directed to enter into an agreement with Squire Lentry, for the disposal of garbage, night soil, dead animals, rubbish and other waste matter, of the said City

enter into  
a contract  
dispose of  
garbage  
~~\$123<sup>50</sup>~~  
month for  
6 months.

for a period of six months, for the sum of one hundred and twenty three dollars and fifty cents (\$123<sup>50</sup>) per month, and in accordance with his proposal for disposing of such garbage, night soil, dead animals, rubbish, and other waste matter, filed with the City Clerk of said City on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1898, and now on file in the office of said Clerk, and that said Board require the giving of a good and sufficient bond in such sum as it may deem reasonable for the faithful performance of such contracts.

(Auditors Certificate Attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

Resolution was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary was instructed to notify said Squire Gentry to enter into a Contract with the Board as directed by the above resolution.

### Joint Resolution No. 996.

Purchase  
two New Tanks  
for use of  
Sprinklers  
Cost \$65<sup>00</sup>  
each.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure two new tanks for street sprinkling carts to be used in sprinkling the streets of the City of San Diego, California, the cost of said tanks to be not to exceed the sum of \$65<sup>00</sup> each.

(Auditors Certificate Attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

Resolution was <sup>read</sup> and ordered placed on file.

### Joint Resolution No. 998.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Superintendent of Parks be and he is hereby authorized and employed to employ assistance in re-watering the trees in City Park and caring for the same, at an expense not exceeding the sum of thirty dollars (\$30<sup>00</sup>).

(Auditors Certificate Attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

Resolution was read and ordered placed on file

Contract  
N. F. Smith  
Plow the  
Howard Tract  
& Bond for  
same

At this time the Contract for plowing and harrowing the "Howard Tract" in the City Park, was presented by R. F. Smith the successful bidder. And on motion duly seconded, the said Contract was executed and the attached Bond with D. C. Collier and M. D. Goodbody, as sureties in the sum of \$200<sup>00</sup> was approved.

Commissioner Julian voted Aye.

"	Davis	"	"
"	Whitney	"	"

Wm Jones  
ask \$5<sup>00</sup> per mo.  
care Garbage Scow  
+ accessories.

On motion duly carried the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council asking for instructions as to disposition to be made of the old "Garbage Scow" rigging &c. which is now in the care of Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Jones who states that he will charge \$5<sup>00</sup> per month for his services.

Notify  
Eberhart  
Passage  
Ord. 504.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to O.C. Eberhart, notifying him of the passage of Ordinance No. 504 "prohibiting the depositing of garbage or other refuse material in any of the public parks in the City of San Diego, and stating that said Ordinance will be rigidly enforced.

Eng. was  
instructed to  
make Plans &  
specifications  
for

On motion duly carried the City Engineer was instructed to make plans and specifications for construction of a sewer in the alley in block eight (8) in Brook's Addition to this City as per Ordinance No. 503. which Ord. was read and ordered on file.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned till next regular meeting

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

R. Williamson  
President

San Diego, Cal., April 14<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10, A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board met in regular session there being present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Estimate  
Street Signs  
\$180<sup>00</sup> along  
Car line.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council stating that the estimated cost of placing the Street Signs upon Streets traversed by Street Cars will be as follows:

400 Street Signs @ 20 <sup>c</sup>	\$80.00
2 men 12 days @ \$2 <sup>00</sup> on poles	24.00
2 " placing balance signs and furnishing posts	<u>\$180.00</u>

Check for  
Mr. G. W. Deford presents his check in payment of  
13200, brick @ \$1,<sup>50</sup> per 34 \$19.80

Advertise  
bids Sidewalk  
City Plaza

The Secy. was instructed to advertise for bids to lay cement Sidewalk on the City Plaza.  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting aye.

500 ft  
Sewerpipe  
lays 215 ft.  
Sewer

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for 500 feet of 6 inch Stone Sewer Pipe and 20<sup>xs</sup>  
Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Block 8.  
Brooks Adm.

In accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No 503, authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works, to purchase Sewerpipe and make certain Expences of the Sewer System of said City. The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of a Sewer in the Alley in Block 8 in Brooks Addition commencing at a point in Said Alley 175 feet North of the North line of Brooks Avenue and to extend Southward to a connection with the main sewer now laid in said Brooks Avenue, being a distance of about 215 feet.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting aye.

1500 blank  
certificates and

The Secretary was instructed to purchase 1500 blank certificates for the use of the Auditors Department.

30 days time  
Julian Plumbing  
Co. to light  
Plaza gas.

Upon motion being duly seconded Messrs. Julian Plumbing Co., were granted 30 days additional time in which to complete their contract for placing the "Dist. Plaza" in condition to light with gas.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council, the same was read and ordered placed on file. Vig:-

Joint Resolution No 990.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That whereas, in the matter of sidewalk and curbing "H" Street from the west line of Fourth street to the east line of Atlantic Street in said City, the assessment for work contracted for and performed by Joseph Kelly, contractor, under his contract therefor, includes the following assessment numbers, as shown by the assessment roll of the said work, made by the Superintendent of Streets and on record in his office, to wit:

Assessment Nos 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33, which assessments are against lots which are, each and all, owned by the United States government and not assessable for such improvements.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, by said Common Council, that the portion of the expense of said sidewalk and curbing, which would otherwise be assessed to said lots, so owned by the government of the United States, upon said assessment roll, being the sum of \$152.26, be paid to the said Joseph Kelly, out of the "Street Fund" in the Treasury of the said City of San Diego; and the Auditing Committee of said City is hereby directed to audit and allow such claim of the said Joseph Kelly, and the Treasurer of said City is hereby directed to pay the same.

(Auditors Certificate Attached.)

(Certificate of City Clerk)

Communication  
to Council  
for tanks 65 ea.  
Adjourned.

The Secy was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council for authority to purchase two tanks for the Sprinklers at least not to exceed \$65<sup>00</sup> each.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

President.

San Diego, Cal., April 21st 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following joint resolution was read and ordered placed on file: Said resolution is as follows Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1002.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That in pursuance of the request to this Common Council made by the Board of Public Works, under date of March 31<sup>st</sup>, 1898, said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend twelve dollars (\$12.00) in addition to the allowance of Two hundred dollars (\$200.00) made by Joint Resolution No. 987, adopted by this Common Council on March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1898, for the plowing and harrowing of the Howard Track and the Ladies Annex Park in the City Park. (Certificate of the City Clerk.) (Auditor's certificate attached.)

In accordance with said Joint Resolution providing the balance of the necessary funds for the plowing of the Ladies Annex Park, and as Mr. Engelbrecht was the lowest responsible bidder for said work, it was moved and duly seconded that said Engelbrecht be instructed to proceed to plow said park at once and for the price named in his bid. Viz:- \$700..

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye:-

The following joint resolution was received from the Common Council, the same was read, & the Asst. of Streets instructed in accordance therewith. The following is the resolution. Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1004.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby directed, authorized and instructed to repair and improve the road running from Old Town to Sorrento, to the extent of the sum of seventy-five dollars, and said sum of seventy-five dollars is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

(Certificate of the City Clerk)

(Certificate of the Auditor attached).

Upon motion being duly seconded the bond of Squire Gentry was fixed at \$500.00, for the faithful performance of the contract for the disposing of garbage for six months in accordance with his bid to the Common Council and in accordance with the Joint Resolution #995, from the Common Council directing this Board to enter into a contract with Squire Gentry.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian Voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to address a note to Squire Gentry requesting him to state whether or not he intends to enter into the contract authorized by joint resolution No. 995, from the Common Council, for the disposal of garbage, night soil, dead animals etc., in accordance with the terms of his bid. And for him to reply at once.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council, Viz:-

"At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1898, the following joint resolution was received from your Honorable Body, Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 995.

(Copy of said resolution.)

In accordance therewith the secretary was instructed to notify Squire Gentry to comply with the provisions of said Joint Resolution.

The Secretary thereupon on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1898, transmitted to Squire Gentry a notice (with a copy of said Joint Resolution) to at once comply with the provisions of said Joint resolution.

We have not as yet heard from Mr. Gentry.

The last garbage contract, which was with the

City Scavenger Co. for a term of thirty days, expired March 17<sup>th</sup> 1898, since which time the City Scavenger Co. have been disposing of the City's garbage without a contract.

If your Honorable Body will instruct this Board in accordance with the provisions of "Article V" (Department of Public Works) of the Charter of San Diego, we will re-advertise for bids for the disposal of the City's garbage.

To await your pleasure."

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted by a unanimous Aye vote. Viz:-

Whereas the \$500.00 per month allowed by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, Cal., for sprinkling the streets of said city, being insufficient to properly care for the streets during the dry season, and,

Whereas said amount of \$500.00 has already been expended and it will require about \$300.00 additional to continue the sprinkling of said streets the balance of this month, therefore,

Be It Resolved, that it is the sense of this Board to immediately apprise the Chief Executive of the City of this fact and recommend to his Honor, that he call the Common Council together in extra session, for the purpose of authorizing the expenditure of said amount (\$300.00) for sprinkling the streets of said city during the balance of the month.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Mayor embodying said above resolution.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the Gas Co. to turn on the gas and set meter on Plaza, as we were desirous of testing the lamps at once.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to have screens put up in front of the offices of the Police Dept. and the Board of Public Works.

Resolution  
stating \$300.  
additional  
required to  
sprinkle the  
streets balance  
of month.

Send copy  
of above to  
mayor

Turn on  
gas & set  
meter

Screens  
in  
offices

Claim of  
R. F. Smith  
approved.

Mr. R. F. Smith having finished his contract of plowing the Howard Tract of the City Park and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works. It was moved and duly seconded that his bill for performing said work be approved.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, Voting Aye.

The bill is as follows:

Claim	R. F. Smith	Plowing Park	\$195.00
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Bids  
on  
Rose Canyon  
Road

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids, for the grading of the Rose Canyon Road, to be delivered to this Board on Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1898, between the hours of 10 <sup>and</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. and the hour having arrived to open said bids. The secretary was instructed to proceed to open and read the bids, which was done and said bids are as follows:-

Bidders.	Checks.	Amt. Bid.
H. H. Thompson and Edward C. Hinkle	\$35.00	\$649.89
Wm. Dobson	60.00	844.00
M. D. Goodbody	37.00	720.00
J. Engelbrecht	40.00	719.00

Considered  
at 3 P.M.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Bids were taken under consideration until 3 o'clock P.M. today.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, Voting Aye.

Our City Attorney  
come before Board

The Secretary was instructed to ask the City Attorney to come before the Board at 3 P.M. today.

The following petition was addressed to the Common Council. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. April 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

To the Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen:-

Petition  
for  
Sewer in  
Union Ave  
to  
East School

The undersigned property owners owning property abutting upon the alley between Logan and Kearney Avenues, respectfully petition your Honorable Body to extend the City sewer up said alley to Union Avenue, thence up Union Avenue to the East Street School etc:- and signed by about 40 property owners.

Said petition was referred by the Common Council on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 1898 to the Board of Public

Works to investigate the feasibility of complying with the within request, also the cost thereof, and report the result of their investigations to the Council, together with recommendations as to what should be done in the matter.

said petition  
was referred to  
City Engineer  
said petition was referred to the City Engineer with instructions to make said estimates and report same to this Board at his earliest opportunity.

Recess  
Upon motion being duly seconded the Board took a recess until 3 o'clock P.M.

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, Voting Aye.

Minuteman:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Gleason  
President.

San Diego, Calif. April 21<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Thursday 3 P.M.

Present  
Commissioners The Board reconvened there being present Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian absent  
Absent Whitney

Communication The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the City Attorney:-

Has the Board the power to reject any and all bids?  
Has the Board the power to reject the lowest bid and accept a higher one?

To the  
City Atty  
in regard  
to the  
power to  
reject bids  
We have received several bids for the grading of Rose Canyon Road, and the one of messrs. H. N. Thomson & Edward C. Hinkle is the lowest by \$69.11

Mr. H. N. Thomson as you are well aware, is an unsafe bidder, as has been demonstrated by the carrying out of his Roseville contract, and the trouble occasioned thereby. Many bills of said contract not having been satisfied yet.

W. Hersman innocent, and unknown contractor to this board, is a bidder with said Thomson, can said bid of Thomson & Hinkle be rejected, should the Board feel so disposed?"

Adj. Saty. 10 A.M.  
No further business the Board adjourned till Saturday 10 A.M.

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

Last Dugout April 23/98.

Saturday 10 AM.

Adjourned Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form Commissioners present were Davis ~~and~~ Julian  
absent Whitney.

The City Attorney having rendered his opinion in regard to the rejection of bids and especially as to H. N. Thomson, which is in substance.

"If Mr. Thomson was delinquent or unfaithful in the performance of that contract, he cannot advise, as a matter of law, that the bid of H. N. Thomson and Edward C. Hinkle is not a regular bid, for it is very clear that the combined bid of H. N. Thomson ~~and~~ Edward C. Hinkle is not the same bid as H. N. Thomson alone."

In accordance with said opinion of the City Attorney, The Board upon motion being duly seconded awarded the contract to messrs. H. N. Thomson <sup>and</sup> Edward C. Hinkle, for the grading of the Rose Canyon <sup>Road</sup> at their bid viz. \$649.89 and fixing their bond at \$1000.00 for the faithful performance of said contract.

Commissioners Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to Mr. H. H. Stoner 425 7433 Main St Stockton Cal.

"At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works held this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1898, Your bill of \$21.75 for cross road signs was read.

He ~~beg~~ beg to state that the sample left here by your Agent is 3 ft. 8 in. long by 8 in. wide ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup>  $\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick. While the signs received are but 2 ft. 10 in. long by 5 in. wide and  $\frac{1}{8}$  in. thick.

Therefore as the signs received are not in accordance with those that we purchased, your bill was not approved.

To hold the signs subject to your pleasure."

Recommend  
the building  
of a sewer in  
alley Kearney  
ave to East  
School

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Common Council their approval and recommendation of carrying out the wishes of the petitioners for a sewer to be laid in the Alley between Logan and Kearney avenues from "N" Street to the East School, and enclose a copy of the estimate made by the City Engineer.

Commissioners, Davis <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

H. H. Mullany  
President.

San Diego, Cal. April 28<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 AM.

Regular Meeting:

The Board was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes approved The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co. address this Board under date of April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1898, petitioning for an extension of time on their contract of from 30 to 45 days, stating it will be impossible to get Chemical Engine here in time to deliver within the contract limit.

granted 30 days additional time. In accordance therewith and upon motion being duly seconded the said Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., were granted 30 days additional time within which to fulfill their contract of delivering said Chemical Fire Engine within 90 days from Feb 17<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to issue a requisition and purchase one 8 ft. flag.

Council to pass an Ordinance to sell Scow The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Honorable Common Council recommending that they pass an ordinance authorizing this Board to sell the Old Garbage Scow and accessories thereto.

The Secretary was instructed to address the following to the Common Council,

"Since writing our communication to your Honorable Body on the 21<sup>st</sup> inst., in regard to Squire Gentry entering into a contract with this Board for the disposal of the City's garbage, in accordance with his (Gentry's) bid to the Common Council for same.

We have been verbally notified by the City Attorney, that he will not make out said contract as it is clearly shown by the City Charter that said contract would be illegal, it being the prescribed duty of the Board of Public Works to advertise for, and let all contracts of a similar nature.

In consequence thereof we respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you instruct us accordingly."

The Secretary was instructed to address the following to the Mayor & the Common Council.

We respectfully recommend to your Honor and Honorable Body that you fix the amount required for the sprinkling the streets of the City of San Diego, in accordance with the following estimate.

Estimate for May.

Labor,	5 carts, 26 days,	@ \$20.00	\$520.00
Water,	5 carts, 26 days,	@ \$25.00	\$650.00
Sprinkle Rose <del>ville</del> <sup>hill</sup> Road twice.			\$50.00
Sprinkle India Street Extension,			\$72.00      \$1292.00

June.

June,	same estimate	\$1292.00
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For the months comprising July, August, September and October.

Same estimate less 10 cents per 1000 gals.

on water, @ \$15.00 per month. \$3660.00

Total estimated expense for the six months, \$6244.00

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. this day, and the hour of 11 o'clock having arrived the President of this Board declared the time within which to make said bids now closed: and the Secretary was instructed to open and read all of said bids. Therefore,

In accordance with the advertisement calling for bids to lay sidewalk in the City Plaza, to be delivered at this office on said date the following bids were received.

Bidders.	Certified Check.	Amount of Bid.
James T. Hair,	\$35.00	\$379.00
J. Engelbret,	\$25.00	\$409.00
J. Kelly	\$20.00	\$389.00
Robt. H. Simmons	\$25.00	\$497.14
O. E. Wenders	25.00	\$432.30

McHair being the lowest bidder, upon Motion being duly Seconded, the Contract for laying Sidewalk in the City Plaza was awarded to him.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting aye.

In accordance with the advertisement calling for bids for the construction of a sewer in Brooks Avenue, to be delivered at this office on said date, the following bids were received.

Bidders.	Certf. Check.	Amount of Bid.
W <sup>m</sup> Osburn	\$7.50	\$140.00
Isaac D. Nedecor.	\$6.10	80.00

Lowest contract  
awarded  
to him. Mr. Isaac D. Nedecor being the lowest bidder, Upon motion being duly seconded the contract for the construction of said sewer was awarded to him.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Bids for  
Sewer Pipe In accordance with a notice calling for bids, for the furnishing of 500 feet of stone sewer pipe, to be <sup>delivered</sup> to said Board at said time, the following was received.

Bidders	Certf. Check.	Amount of Bid.
McKenzie, Flint <sup>and</sup> Winsby.	\$5.00	\$97.20

Mr. Joseph Flint, a member being a member of the firm of McKenzie, Flint <sup>and</sup> Winsby, and also a Police Commissioner holding an office in the City Government can be connected in any manner in any contract with the City, therefore,

Upon motion being duly seconded the bid of messrs. McKenzie, Flint <sup>and</sup> Winsby was rejected.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney, <sup>and</sup> Julian, voting Aye.

Competant  
man to  
light Plaza  
and attend to  
Lamps The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they authorize this Board to employ a competent man, either a plumber or gas fitter, to attend to the lighting of the Plaza, caring for the lamps etc. and fixing the compensation therefore. Also that the lights be only lighted upon public occasions.

Authority  
to appoint  
inspector The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they pass an ordinance authorizing this Board to appoint an Inspector over the cement work about to be performed upon the Plaza.

Adjourned No further business the Board adjourned until 10 AM.  
Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President.

San Diego, Cal. April 30<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
 present were, Commissioners, Davis and Julian,  
 absent " Whitney.

Contract of Thomson & Hinkle wanted  
&  
Bond approved  
 In accordance with the awarding of the contract  
 for the grading of the Rose Canyon Road for the sum of \$649.89 to messrs.  
 H. N. Thomson and Edward C. Hinkle on the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst. and the  
 contract and bond for same having been prepared, it was moved  
 and duly seconded that the contract for same be executed and  
 the bond for same of \$1000.00 with C. R. Stanton and O. H. O'Brien  
 as sureties be approved.

Commissioners	Davis and Julian voting aye.
"	Whitney being absent.

Materialmen  
Bond for  
same was  
approved.  
 In accordance with the State Law which requires  
 a bond for all public improvement work in one half the  
 amount of the contract price for the protection of the  
 labor and materialmen, and as said bond has been  
 procured by said Thomson & Hinkle in the sum of \$325.-  
 with M. J. Hinkle and C. R. Stanton as sureties.

Upon motion being duly seconded the said  
 bond was approved.

Commissioners	Davis and Julian voting aye
"	Whitney being absent.

There being no further business the  
 Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President

San Diego Cal. May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Monday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were commissioners Davis and Julian  
absent " Whitney.

The following bills were read and approved.

4302	Sewer and Drainage,	Pay Roll	\$72.50
4304	" " "	8 <sup>th</sup> Ward, " "	46.00
4298	Salary,	Board of Public Works,	Pay Roll \$325.00
4296	"	Engineer Dept.	Pay Roll \$222.96
4297	"	Park Improvement	\$30.00
4302	(Pay Roll	Street Repairs	\$558.50
4303	" "	Sweeping	334.25
4303	" "	Sprinkling	234.00
4281	Lights	Public Buildings	\$1126.75
			\$38.00

To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon  
Secy.

A. H. Dixon  
President-

San Diego, Cal., May 4<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Wednesday 10. A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

A communication was received from Mr. Stoner of Stockton, Calif., explaining why the crossroad signs sent were not as sample left us. The explanation being satisfactory to the Board, it was moved and duly seconded that the bill for same be approved.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

H. H. Stoner 3 crossroad signs & posts. (contract price) \$21.75

Upon motion being duly seconded the following bills were read and approved.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

Fire Department

4262	E. J. Delaney	Shoeing 13 Horses	\$16.25
4263	Hamilton Bros.	Brooms, Brushes, oil, shine, Dusters etc.	9.75
4277	Russ Lumber & Mill Co.	Firewood etc.	6.86
4280	" " "	Lumber	1.97
4285	H. J. Denting & Son	Stay grain etc	72.18
4323	S. D. Water Co.	Water	9.25
4332	City Scavenger Co.	Garbage April	5.00
4350	Davis & Dranga Co.	Nails & sand paper	4.5
			<u>\$121.71</u>

General a/c

4225	Leonard & Wade	Putting drinking fountain on Plaza	\$12.00
4250	Sunset Del Wil. Co.	Pound.	2.50
4324	S. D. Water Co.	Water, City Hall & Pound	3.50
			<u>\$18.00</u>

Sewer a/c

4302	Pay Roll		\$72.50
4304	" "	8 <sup>th</sup> ward Sewer	46.00
4224	Leonard & Wade	Plushdown #113, pipe etc	5.35
4321	S. D. Water Co.	Water, flushing sewers	72.00
4340	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Advs.	7.0
			<u>\$196.55</u>

Park Improvement

4297	Pay Roll	Extra labor watering parks	\$20.00
4244	Todd & Hawley	Hose sprinkler, gopher traps etc.	110
4256	County of San Diego	1 Lawn mower	5.00
4265	Hamilton Bros.	150 ft hose & 2 sprinklers	36.50
4321	J. Engelbrekt	Plowing & harrowing Ladies Annex	17.00
4322	S. D. Water Co.	Water	34.50
4328	Davis & Aranga Co.	1 Pr. Pliers	1.50
4339	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv. sidewalks on Plaza	20
			\$125.80

Street Lights.

4282	S. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co. Light		\$1250.00
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Fire Department

4326	S. D. Water Co.	Rental 194 Fire Hydrants April	\$1293.33
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Public Health

4260	Marine Railway & Dry Dock.	Plans & specif. of garbage scow	2500
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Salary ac

4296	Pay Roll	Eng. Dept.	\$222.96
4298	" "	Board of P. Wks.	325.00
			\$547.96

Public Building

4201	R. G. Clark	Rent	8. ½ Lat D.	Block 112 Norton	\$2500
4226	D. Hitchcock, agt.	"	" J	" 99 "	1250
4238	L. S. Jones	"	S. 1/2 "	J. " 41 "	2500
4245	John M. Ballou agt.	"	Bell Tower 4moo.		8.00
4253	D. G. Stephens	"	City Hall		100.00
4254	J. W. Difton	"	1 1/2 " N.	" 10	30.00
4281	S. D. Gas & Elec Lt. Co.	"	Light		38.20
4291	Co. of S. D.	"	Jail		100.00
4292	J. S. Jennings	Board	City Prisoners Care of		50.00
4341	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Pub. Notice Lease Hall			20
					299.90
					\$299.90

Street Sweeping

4228	Sturte Bros.	1 casting for sweeper	\$ 2.50
4246	Quinton & Beak	Repairs	9.50
4284	Jam'l. Waugh	Making Broom	12.00
4288	K. L. Parrott,	(spiking dock)	..
4325	S. A. Water Co.,	Water	5.20
4303	Pay Roll		
			<u>334.25</u>
			<u>\$ 363.45</u>

Street Sprinkling

4303	Pay Roll		\$ 234.00
4288	K. L. Parrott	2 new carts, <sup>@ 65<sup>0</sup>/ea.</sup> & repairs	185.94
4325	S. A. Water Co.	Water	<u>287.70</u>
			<u>\$ 707.64</u>

Genl. Repairs

4303	Pay Roll		\$ 558.50
4223	La Jolla Water Co.	Water.	17.5
4239	James White	Hauling	50
4248	C. R. Webster	"	50
4270	J. Kingswood	"	7.5
4275	T. Holland	"	50
4276	J. M. Bellenden	"	1.50
4286	Edwin M. Capps	Car fare	5.10
4287	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	11.32
4313	S. A. Water Co.	Water troughs	16.30
4314	Union Stables	Team	9.00
4315	C. A. Magle	Bituminous patches	22.55
4316	A. E. Davis	Sharpening picks	2.55
4338	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv.	3.50
4349	Lawton & Stoner	3 guide posts & signs	<u>21.75</u>
			<u>\$ 656.07</u>

Office a/c

4247	McDerm Bro's.	20 yds muslin	1.00
4259	W. N. Barrick	Labor & Screen on 13 openings	16.50
4264	Hamilton Bros.	Matches	1.40
4271	Grandjen & B. Co.	11000 Tax rect.	77.00
4278	M. A. Mertheimer & Co.	Stationery Amt forward	<u>104.5</u> <u>106.35</u>

4293	M. G. Wurtheimer Co.	Stationery	\$ 106 35
4294	Bert Heath	Printing	6 50
4318	Garrett & Smith	"	12 50
4320	City Scavenger Co.	Garbage	2 00
4336	S.D. Towel Supply Co.	Towels	1 00
			<u>2 25</u>
			<u>\$ 131 60</u>

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy

A. H. Julian  
President

Thursday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal. May 5<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Regular meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form and present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian,

Minutes  
approved.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Lieut. D. M. Shaw, U.S. navy having appeared before this Board in behalf of Ensign James. McNaught, U.S. Navy, asking that he be released from his contract for laying sidewalk in the City Plaza, Said McNaught stating that he has not the time to do said work, having been ordered into service by the U.S. Govt. since said contract was awarded to him.

Lieut. D. M. Shaw presents the following substantiating said fact.

"By order Superior Head-quarters, place guard at once on "Tinta" Ensign, Petty Officers and three seamen, allow no visitor or outsiders aboard or near ship, answer."

D. A. Kearney,

Lieut Comdr. & Executive officer  
Commanding Naval militia N.Y.C."

These being facts It was moved and duly seconded that Mr. James McNaught be released from his contract of sidewalk in City Plaza and that his certified check of \$35.00 be returned.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

The time having arrived for the election of President of the Board of Public Works for the ensuing year. It was moved by Commissioner Whitney and seconded by Commissioner Julian that Commissioner W. J. Davis be placed in nomination.

There being no further nominations they proceeded to vote, the roll being called.

Commissioner Whitney voting Aye.

Commissioner Julian voting Aye.

Commissioner Davis Excused.

Commissioner Davis receiving a majority of the votes of the Board was declared elected President of the Board of Public Works. Newly elected President Davis was escorted to the chair by returning

James McNaught  
released of  
his contract  
to sidewalk  
Plaza

W. J. Davis  
elected  
President  
of  
Board.

President L Julian.

Supt's. Street Supt. Osburn appears before the Board and asks for a leave of absence until Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1898, and that he be granted authority to appoint a deputy in his stead without pay.

Osburn  
granted  
leave of  
absence Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote said leave of absence was granted. and the authority to appoint a deputy in his stead was granted.

Till Jan 1<sup>st</sup> Mr. Osburn thereupon named his father, Mr. Wm Osburn as the deputy to act in his place during his absence.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

W. H. Davis:

G. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis  
President.

San Diego, Cal. May 5<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 4 P.M.

Call meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form, there being present Commissioners Davis and Julian absent Whitney.

I.D. Snedecor  
contract  
executed &  
bond for  
same was  
approved.

The contract with Mr. Isaac D. Snedecor for the construction of 215 ft of Stone Sewer in Brooks Avenue having been prepared and the bond therefore in the sum of \$100.00 for the faithful performance of said contract, with V. Bouschi and A. Kindler as sureties having been presented.

It was moved and duly seconded that said contract be executed and that the Bond for same be approved.

Commissioners Davis and Julian voting aye  
" Whitney being absent.

Material-men  
bond  
approved

The Bond for Labor, material-men etc. in the sum of \$400 which is required by State law in addition to the above has been presented with same sureties.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was approved.  
Commissioners Davis and Julian voting aye.  
" Whitney being absent.

Check  
returned

The Secretary was instructed to return the check of \$6<sup>10</sup> to Mr. I. D. Snedecor. The same being complied with.

adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis,  
President.

San Diego, Cal. May 12<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Advertise for Sidewalking in Plaza The Secretary was instructed to re-advertise for bids for sidewalking in the plaza in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of said Board, said bids to be filed with said Board on Thursday between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1898.

Expect a tent on City Lot 5 bet C & F The Christian and Missionary Alliance petition this Board for permission to erect a canvas tent upon the City lot 1/2 C Block 35 Horton's Addition to San Diego, for the purpose of holding Gospel Mission Services therein.

Subject approval Council Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted subject to the approval of the adjoining property owners and of the Common Council.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting aye.

Clean towels dispensed with by order and A communication was received Dated May 5<sup>th</sup> '98. from the City Auditing Committee notifying this Board that commencing June 1<sup>st</sup> '98. they will not audit or allow paid any charges for use of clean towels for the various departments of the City Government. The charges heretofore allowed have been at a rate of \$7.- per annum.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to instruct the Janitor to notify the Laundry Co. in accordance therewith.

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian Voting aye.

Lumber Old Town Bridge should be used by Fire Dept. A communication dated May 5<sup>th</sup> from the Auditing Committee recommends that the lumber taken from the Old Town Bridge, be utilized by the Fire Department, and also by the City Hall, for firewood and kindling, without any expense to the City. The same was placed on file.

Order  
supplies use  
Fire Dept  
be purchased  
by wholesale

A communication from the City Auditing Committee dated May 5<sup>th</sup> recommends that supplies for the use of the Fire Dept. be purchased at wholesale, and kept in stock by the Board to be distributed to the various departments when required.

Upon motion the Secretary was instructed to get a list of the requirements from the Chief of the Fire Department and advertise for bids for furnishing same.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting aye.

At a meeting of the City Auditing Committee held the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1898, the following resolution was adopted and transmitted to this Board, viz;

"Be it resolved by the auditing committee of the City of San Diego, California, that it is for the best interest of said city to pay for water used for irrigating the Newtown Park at the rate per front foot provided in subsection 25, of Section 1, of Ordinance No. 500, instead of by meter rates as at present. That the Board of Public Works of said City be and the same is hereby respectfully recommended to notify the San Diego Water Company that the city will take and pay for water used in the Newtown Park under provision of said section from and after July 1<sup>st</sup> 1898."

The Secretary was instructed to notify the water co. in accordance with said resolution.

Aud. Com.  
will not Aud.  
bills for broken  
Hydrants.

A communication from the City Auditing Committee of May 5<sup>th</sup> 1898, notifies this Board that claims for repairing Fire Hydrants, broken by carelessness of drivers of sprinkling carts, would not hereafter be audited and allowed paid by the auditing committee.

The same was ordered placed on file.

From the Common Council was received the following.

"Joint Resolution No. 1006.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the action heretofore taken by the Common Council, in ordering the removal of the barn in the City Park for the purpose of using the same for an engine house be and the same is hereby rescinded.

And that the Board of Public Works be and the same is hereby directed to incur no indebtedness for removal of

Engine House  
be not moved  
from the  
Park

said building until further notice from this Council.

And further that said Board nail up the doors and windows of said building to prevent said building from being damaged."

Park Dept  
allowed the  
privilege to  
use house in  
Park to live in

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the Park Dept. that the Board will allow him the use of the Barn in the Howard Tract to live in. The same may be repaired for said purpose, with no expense to the City.

Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

From the Common Council was received the following

"Joint Resolution No 1008.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That owing to the scarcity of water both in City and County we recommend and urge all citizens to consider the importance of using the utmost economy in the use of water for all purposes during the remainder of the year.

Dept. Water  
use salt water

And further that the Street Superintendent should use salt water for sprinkling Streets on all streets where the same can be used at not too great a cost.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Said Resolution was ordered on file.

From the Common Council was received the following

"Ordinance No 518.

An Ordinance providing for the sale of certain Personal property of the City of San Diego, California"

Instructed  
Sell at  
Public Auction  
Scow &  
accessories.

Authorizing the Board to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the Garbage Scow, anchors, chains, ropes, and other paraphernalia connected therewith.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise in the official paper of the City in accordance therewith.

From the Common Council was received the following

"Ordinance No 520.

Dept. Water  
to Sprinkle  
within Allowance  
for Month

An Ordinance Regulating Street Sprinkling In The City of San Diego, California."

Instructing the Board and Street Dept to distribute the amount provided by the Common Council, for Sprinkling of

Streets, uniformly throughout said entire month.

Said ordinance was ordered placed on file.

Bids for  
500 feet  
sewer Pipe

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board on Thursday at 10 o'clock AM, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May 1898, for the furnishing of 500 feet of 6-inch stone sewer pipe, with 20 joints with 4 inch vs the following bids were received. Viz;

Bidders.	Cash Check	Bid.
Domestic Oil Co.	\$5.00	\$84.10
McKenzie, Clark & Winsby	5.00	97.20

Awarded  
to  
Domestic Oil Co.

Upon motion being duly seconded the bid of the Domestic Oil Co., who were the lowest responsible bidders, was accepted and they were awarded the contract for furnishing said pipe.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy

J. J. Davis,  
President

San Diego, Cal. May 19<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

(Regular Meeting.)

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes  
The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

Contract for 500 ft sewer pipe and bond for same approved.  
The contract with The Domestic Oil Co., for the furnishing of 500ft of Stone vitrified Sewer pipe having been prepared, and the bond for same in the sum of Two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for the faithful performance of said contract having been presented with Messrs. A. G. Gassen and C. R. Stanton as sureties.

It was moved and duly seconded that the contract be executed and the bond be approved.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

Supt. Sewers directed connect flush tank with water  
Upon motion being duly seconded the Supt. of Sewers was authorized and directed to make the necessary water connections with the flush tank located in the Alley, between Brooks and Walnut Avenues and between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets, Nutts & Brooks Addition.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

Time closed within which to receive bids for Plaza sidewalk.  
The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, The President of this Board thereupon declared the time closed within which to receive bids for the construction of cement sidewalks in the City Plaza.

Bids for same withdrawn.  
Messrs. J. Engelbrecht, Joe Kelly and J. Ecker, being the only bidders, and for reasons better known to themselves ask this Board for permission to withdraw their bids unopened.

Upon motion being duly seconded, the Secretary was instructed to return said bids to the respective bidders.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

Stiles communication filed.  
A commission was received from Harvey C. Stiles, in which he asks for written instructions in regard to the duties he should perform.

The same was ordered placed on file.

Sale of Garbage Scow  
to Wm Jones  
for \$30<sup>00</sup> Cash

In accordance with the "Notice of Public Sale" to be held in front of this office at 10 o'clock A.M. on Thursday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1898, to sell at Public Auction for cash to the highest bidder, the Garbage Scow and all anchors, chains, ropes, and other paraphernalia connected therewith owned and formerly used by the city for conveying garbage out to sea.

In accordance with said notice, W. J. Davis, President of the Board of Public Works, of the City of San Diego, Cal., did auction off and sell for cash to the highest bidder said above described personal property, to Mr. Wm Jones for \$30<sup>00</sup> which amount was paid in to the Board of Public Works, and the sale approved by the following vote.

Commissioners, Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting aye.

The following Joint Resolution #1011 was received from the Common Council, and the same was ordered placed on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1011.

Instructing Engineer to make estimate on 4<sup>th</sup> Street was Filed.  
Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed to establish the grade for an extension of the sewer system of said City, on Fourth Street, from the present terminus at Juniper Street, to the North line of Laurel Street, and to make and furnish to this Common Council an estimate of the cost of extending the sewer system of said City, on Fourth Street, from its present terminus at Juniper Street, to the North line of Laurel Street.

(Certificate of Clerk attached)

(Auditors Certificate attached) (Approved May 10<sup>th</sup> 1898.)

Insurance on Eng House renewed for 1 yr. from May 24<sup>th</sup> 98.  
The insurance on Fire Engine House #1, and the electrical apparatus contained therein expires on May 24<sup>th</sup>. Therefore

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was ordered renewed for One year commencing May 24<sup>th</sup> 98. The risk being \$3500. The premium being \$105<sup>00</sup>.

Commissioners. Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Authority to sell old lumber in Sewer receptacle.  
The Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Common Council that they authorize this Board to sell such of the old lumber that is contained in the old sewer receptacle in the bay at the end of the sewer outlet pipe, as is not required for use by the City.

Adjourned

W. J. Davis,

President

A. H. Davis Secy.

San Diego, Cal., May 20<sup>th</sup> 1898

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian.

The minutes of May 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

\$100.- worth

Stamps

Be It Resolved, that the Secretary be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to make requisition to the Common Council for authority to purchase \$100.<sup>00</sup> worth of postage stamps, for the use of the various departments of the City Government.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

Board of

Health

requested

To

meet in

joint session

with this

Board

From the Common Council was received Ordinance No 525. which authorizes and directs the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of garbage, rubbish, and other refuse matter of the City, and providing for the removal and disposal thereof, designating a City Dump; and requiring certain rubbish and other refuse matter to be removed to the City Dump.

The same was read and ordered placed on file; and the Secretary instructed to notify the Board of Health to meet with this Board at 10 o'clock A.M. on Tuesday the 31<sup>st</sup> day of May 1898.

Dept. of

Sewers

asks

leave of

Absence

The following communication was received from Supt. of Sewers, Mr. T. M. Shaw,

"I herewith respectfully request that you grant me "leave of absence" for such time as I may be in service of the United States, as an officer in the auxiliary fleet of the United States Navy."

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted, Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

Any of the

employees

desiring to

leave to

serve the

U.S. Govt.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Whitney, Tige:-

Be It Resolved, that it is the sense of this Board that during the time of war existing in the U. S. of A. that any officer of this Board, or in the employment of this Board, desiring to render his services to the U. S. Govt.

during war  
will be re-instated  
upon return

will upon his return be re-instated in the position that he leaves  
should he so desire.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was adopted by  
the following vote,

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting aye.

A. Hamlin  
appointed  
Temporary  
Supt Sewers

Upon motion being duly seconded, the Assistant Supt. of Sewers  
of the City of San Diego, Cal., Mr. A. Hamlin, was appointed temporary  
Supt. of Sewers of Said City, by the following vote. Commissioners  
Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting aye.

J. Bachman  
appointed as  
Temporary Asst.  
Supt. Sewers

Upon motion being duly seconded, <sup>Temporary</sup> Mr. J. Bachman was  
appointed Assistant Supt. of Sewers, of the City of San Diego Cal, by the  
following vote.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting aye.

Bids for  
Fire Dept  
Supplies

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to  
be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock AM,  
on Thursday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1898, and the hour of 11 o'clock  
having arrived the President declared the time closed in which  
to present bids.

The following bid was received, viz:-

Highest

Bidder	Cash Check	Limit of Bid.
Hamilton Bros.	\$12.41	\$248.20

Contract  
awarded to  
Hamilton  
Bros.

Hamilton Bros. being the only bidder and as his  
bid was a considerable lower than the price said goods  
have heretofore been charged the Fire Dept. for the same  
goods. It was moved and duly seconded that the  
contract for furnishing said supplies be awarded to  
Hamilton Bros.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting aye.

Repair the  
Culvert

The Supt. of Streets was instructed to repair the  
culvert at 25<sup>th</sup> and Logan Avenue; also to place the road signs.

Advertise  
to lower  
main sewer

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids  
for constructing about 475 ft. of 6" sewer to grade on 13<sup>th</sup> bet. E. H. St.  
2 flush tanks and 1 manhole.

A communication was received from

communication Mr. Chas. A. Holloway, Baltimore Md. in which he states that the  
from Holloway Chemical Fire Engine ordered by this City will be shipped on  
stating date Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup> of May 1898 and arrive at San Diego on or before  
Engines be here June 9<sup>th</sup> 1898.

by June 7<sup>th</sup> The same was ordered placed on file.

10 days extension granted on Sewer contract Mr. L. D. Snedecor, in a communication of the 25<sup>th</sup> inst. makes application for an extension of 10 days time within which to complete his contract of laying a sewer in Brooks Ave.

Upon motion the same was granted. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

30 days extension on Roset Canyon Road Messrs. Thomson and Hinkle, in a communication of the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. make application for an extension of 30 days time within which to complete their contract of grading a roadway in Roset Canyon.

Upon motion the same was granted. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

There being no further business the Board adjourned till Tuesday at 10 o'clock A.M.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Davis.  
President.

San Diego, Cal., May 31<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

present	Commissioners	Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis
absent	"	Whitney.

In response with a request to have the Board of Health meet with the Board of Public Works for the purpose of discussing the garbage question and formulating some definite plan for the disposition of said garbage, the manner of disposition and the kind of wagons to be used, etc. - The following members of the Board of Health were present, viz:-

Commissioners, Stead, Woodward <sup>and</sup> McGee.

After having discussed the question <sup>and</sup> upon motion being duly seconded, the matter was referred to the Board of Health for further consideration and to formulate plans and specifications for same by which the Board of Public Works may advertise for bids and let a contract, said plans and specifications to be returned to this Board by their next regular meeting. (Thursday 10 A.M.) The same was carried

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis,  
President:-

San Diego Cal., June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10. A.M.

(Regular Meeting)

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of May 28<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> were read and approved.

Bond  
for \$100.  
Approved.

Messrs. Hamilton Bros. present a bond for \$100<sup>00</sup>, with messrs. H. Craig and Arthur Shaw as sureties, for the faithful performance of his contract to furnish the Fire Dept. supplies.

Upon Motion being duly seconded said bond was approved. Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis, voting Aye.

475 feet  
Sewer to  
be laid to  
grade.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board on Thursday, at 10 A.M. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1898, for the laying of 475 feet of sewer pipe to grade, the building of 2 manholes and 1 flush tank on 13<sup>th</sup> Street between E & G Streets, the following bid was received. Viz:-

	<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Cert. Ch.</u>	<u>Amt. of Bid</u>
<u>Lowest</u>	<u>William Osburn</u>	\$20.00	\$275.00

Contract  
awarded  
to  
William Osburn

There being but one bid received and said bid being considered, reasonable, by the Board, it was moved & duly seconded that the contract be awarded, for the construction to grade of said sewer to said William Osburn at his bid.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis, voting Aye

Mrs. Kingstone  
granted a  
permit to  
put in new  
front to  
Kuhn Bldng.

Mrs. Pauline Kingstone makes application for a permit to change the front of the Kuhn Building on D <sup>and</sup> 4<sup>th</sup>. Said change to be in conformity with the city ordinances regulating the repairs of buildings within the fire limits. It was moved and duly seconded that the same be granted.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis, voting Aye.

The following bills were read and approved. Viz:-

Salaries

4419	Engineers	Pay Roll	\$ 225 00
4428	Board of Public Works	" "	325 00
			5 50
			<u>\$ 550 00</u>

Fire Department.

4379	Oliver C. Reed	Insurance on Electrical Fire alarm system	105 00
4448	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.,	Notice, supplies	40
4454	Hamilton Bros.	Corn brushes, Oil, Duster, Sponges etc.	9 60
4458	Van Haren Drug Co.	Soap, Cond. Powders	4 90
4459	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	11 50
4460	Hoff. Casting & Son	Hay, grain etc.	67 37
4472	E. J. Delaney	Shoaling	16 25
			2 15 02
			<u>\$ 215 02</u>

Park Improvement

4361	Geo. A. Benson	Making apron for mower	1 50
4367	Todd & Hawley	Shovel & Iron (materials for mower)	1 35
4381	Chas. S. Hardy	3 loads manure	3 00
4383	Todd & Hawley	Ironed Singletree	3 15
4389	Julian Plumbing Co.	Valve, plugs, sap, & lime	9 20
4398	W.W. Swain	Making screen	3 00
4447	J.D. Sun Pub. Co.,	Adv. Sidewalking Plaza	20
4470	J.D. Water Co.	Water	2 15 30
			2 4 00
			<u>\$ 44 00</u>

Sewer and Drainage

4429	Pay Roll		72 00
4385	Domestic Oil Co.,	500 feet 6" Sewer Pipe & 20 - 4x6 ss	84 10
4391	Julian Plumbing Co.	Flush tank Brooks bet 2 & 3	21 75
4435	J.D. Water Co.	Flushing	74 52
4443	Frank Foley	Hauling	7 5
4457	J.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv. Sewer pipe	2 20
			2 68 32
			<u>\$ 261 32</u>

Public Building

4356	A. Hitchcock, Agt.	Rent Lot D. Block 99	125 00
4357	L. F. Jones	" " 9 " 41	26 00
4358	M. Riverall	" Mtl Room Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr. May	6 00
4360	R. L. Clark	" Dr. Lot D. Block 112	25 00
4364	J. W. Lefton	" 1/2 " H. " 10	30 00
4377	D. L. Stephens	" City Hall	100 00
4380	J. M. Ballou, Agt	" Lot J. " 36 1/2 mo.	1 00
4408	J. D. Gas & E. Lt Co.	" Lights	3 8 2 5 2 3 6 7 8 <u>\$ 236 75</u>

Office a/c

4354	E. N. Sullivan	4 Rec't Books	auditor	\$ 3 50
4390	E. N. Sullivan	Tally Sheets	Clerk	9 75
4403	Gal. Rubber Stamp Co.	Ads - engraving etc	"	10 25
4415	Albert H. Heath	Circulars for plumbing Inspector		2 25
4418	M. J. Wertheimer & Co.	Stationery		19 70
4432	City Scavenger Co.	May.		1 00
4451	J. D. Towel Supply Co.	Mo. May		<u>2 25</u>
				<u>48 90</u>

General a/c

4363	Sunset Tel & Tel Co.	Phone City Bound		2 50
4368	Geo. A. Benson	Rep. Flags		2 50
4374	G. V. Webster	Hauling ropes Newtown Park for flag		2 50
4399	G. W. Steward	Guying flag pole " " "		1 00
4465	O. P. Waters	Putting up pulley for flag "		5 00
4468	J. D. Water Co.	Water Hall & Bound		<u>3 50</u>
				<u>7 5</u>
				<u>\$14 75</u>

Fire Hydrant

4436	J. D. Water Co.	Rent 94 Hydrants		<u>1293 33</u>
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Street Light

4407	J. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light		<u>1250 00</u>
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Street Sprinkling

4439	Pay Roll			\$ 2 41 00
4352	Quinton & Beak	Repairs wagons		1 00
4434	K. L. Parrott	" "		5 50 6
4437	J. D. Water Co.	Water		<u>2 12 30</u>
				<u>3 07 36</u>
				<u>\$509 36</u>

Street Sweeping

4439	Pay Roll			3 38 50
4352	Quinton & Beak	Straightening Brace		50
4382	Ah Quinn	Bamboo		1 8 00
4401	Sam. Waugh	Making Brooms		1 8 00
4402	H. R. McAniff	Oil		2 10
4409	Silver Gate Oil Co	"		<u>8 5</u>
				<u>3 77 95</u>
				<u>\$377 95</u>

Street Repairs

4439	Pay Roll	\$134 50
4353	A. Kingsberry	75
4355	La Jolla Water Co.	175
4366	Frank Foley	50
4410	E. M. Capps	170
4412	Rush L. & Mill Co.	50
4416	West Coast Lumber Co. Lumber	19 66
4417	J. Kingswood	3 25
4441	D. A. Nagle	2 47
4449	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.	30
4455	Diamond Carriage Co.	3 00
4469	J. D. Water Co.	16 30
		<u>1 1/4</u> <u>6 8</u>
		<u>\$184 68</u>

It was moved and seconded that we take a recess until 2 o'clock P.M.

The same was carried, and so ordered.

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

San Diego, Cal., June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Thursday 2 P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

present	Commissioners	Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.
absent	"	Whitney.

The meeting was re-convened in regular form.

\$500.00 for St.  
Repairs.  
25<sup>th</sup> cleaning  
D. St.  
The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council for authority to expend \$500.00 for repairs on the Streets; also for authority to clean up "D" Street at an expense of \$25.00.

Chemical  
Engine  
Accepted  
by  
Board.  
The Chas. T. Halloway, Chemical Fire Engine furnished through the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co., of San Francisco, having arrived, and the same being inspected by the Board of Public Works, and all attachments checked and found to be correct and in accordance with the terms of the contract, and the said Chemical Engine being entirely satisfactory to the Chief of the Fire Department, and to the Board of Public Works. It was moved and seconded that the same be, (the Chemical Fire Engine), be accepted; and the bill for same: Viz.: \$2,150.00 which is contract price, be ordered paid.

Commissioners Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye  
" Whitney absent.

Commissioner Whitney instructed the Secretary to record his vote as Aye on the acceptance of said Chemical Engine.

Notify  
Chapman  
of  
acceptance  
The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to Mr. S. R. Chapman, of the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co., notifying him of the acceptance of the Chemical Fire Engine, and for him to present his claim therefor.

adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. J. F. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Davis,  
President

San Diego, Calif., June 7<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Tuesday 2 P.M.

Called Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioner Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Contract executed & bond approved. It was moved and duly seconded that the contract with William Osburn, for the laying to grade a sewer on 13<sup>th</sup> St. bet. E. and G. Streets, be executed and the bond for same of \$100. be approved. The same was carried by the following vote.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Bond approval Mr. William Osburn presents materialmen's bond for \$137<sup>50</sup> with same sureties, viz.: Joe Kelly and Adolph Levi, protecting labor etc. on said sewer work.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was approved. Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council, viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1013.

Engineer directed by Council to estimate cost grading 3<sup>rd</sup> Laurel to Olive Sts. Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed and instructed to prepare and present to this Council an estimate of the cost of grading that portion of Third Street in said City from the North line of Laurel Street to the South line of Olive Street.

(Clerk's Certificate Attached.)

The same was referred to the City Engineer.

Joint Resolution No. 1014.

Purchases supplies for Auditor. Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be, and the said Board is hereby authorized and directed to purchase and procure for the Auditor and Assessor's department of said City the following articles and supplies, viz:-

One Warrant Book, Four Lot Books, 2400 blank warrants.

Provided, The indebtedness incurred hereunder shall not exceed seventy dollars.

(Clerks Certificate attached.)

(Auditors Certificate attached.)

The Secretary was instructed in accordance therewith.

Joint Resolution No. 1015.

Whereas, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 500 of the City of San Diego, ~~fixing~~, fixing water rates to take effect July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1898, it is necessary that a water gauge be placed and maintained in the office of the Board of Public Works of said City for the purpose of recording the pressure of the water supplied to the said City and its inhabitants under the provisions of said ordinance.

And Whereas, the said Board of Public Works have procured such water gauge but have not connected the same with the pipes of the water system.

Therefore, be it Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California,

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and the said Board is hereby authorized and directed to place a water gauge in the office of said Board, and connect the same with the pipes of the water system supplying the said City and its inhabitants with water under the provisions of said Ordinance No. 500. And that said Board keep a record of the pressure as shown by said gauge and transmit the same or a copy thereof to this Common Council on the first day of each month during the time the same shall be maintained.

(Clerks Certificate attached)

(Auditors Certificate attached)

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for setting up said water gauge and laying the water pipe to a connection with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Main.

Joint Resolution No. 1017.

Beth Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, Cal. as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby empowered

Place the  
watergauge  
order of  
Council.

Expend \$75<sup>00</sup>  
for labor  
Howard Tract.

and directed to expend the sum of seventy-five dollars for labor in watering the trees on the Howard tract in the City Park, and in the Ladies Annex Park.

(Clerks Certificate attached.)

(Auditors Certificate attached).

Supt. of Parks  
directed  
accordingly

Upon motion being duly seconded, Supt. of Parks, Stiles, was authorized and directed to employ help for the purpose of irrigating and otherwise preserving the Howard Tract and the Ladies Annex Parks, of the City Park, of the City of San Diego, Cal., in the sum of not to exceed Seventy-five dollars (\$75<sup>00</sup>) for labor.

Commissioners, Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Adjourned

To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. R. Dixon, Secy.

M. J. Davis,  
President-

San Diego, Calif. June 9<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Supt Sewer

water tap to connect two flush tanks at 13<sup>th</sup> & G. Streets at once and while the trench is open. Said trench being opened for purpose of laying said 13<sup>th</sup> st sewer down to grade.

Anedecor's

Claim of

\$80<sup>00</sup> approved.

Mr. Isaac D. Anedecor having finished his contract of laying a sewer in Brooks avenue betw 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets, and the same being to the satisfaction of the Supt. of Sewers, and said Anedecor being desirous of receiving his pay therefor, presents his claim for \$80<sup>00</sup> the contract price.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was approved. Commissioners, Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

Fairon Plumbing Co.

claim \$200.-

approved for

\$85.- pending

delivery 3 globes

The Julian Plumbing Co. having completed their contract of placing the "D" St Plaza in a condition for lighting with gas, and the same being done in accordance with the terms of their contract and to the satisfaction of the San Diego Electric Light <sup>and</sup> Gas Co. It was moved and duly seconded that their claim of \$200. the contract price be allowed less \$15<sup>00</sup> to be withheld until the replacing of 3 globes, (which were broken enroute) has been made.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Communication

to

Common Council

Paint & Reset

Newtown Flag

Poles

Cost \$37<sup>50</sup>

The Secy. was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council stating that the Newtown Flag Pole is in a dangerous condition and is liable to fall at any moment and may or cause the death of someone. Therefore the Board respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize us to take said pole down, paint it, repair it, and re-set it in a good and substantial manner. Estimated Cost of so doing \$37<sup>50</sup>

The following ordinance was received from the Common Council:

Ordinance No. 527.

Disposition of  
garbage -  
Secy. instructed  
To Advertise  
for  
bids.

"An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of garbage, rubbish, and other refuse matter of the City and providing for the removal and disposition thereof, designating a city dump, and requiring certain rubbish and other refuse matter to be removed to such city dump."

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with the requirements of said Ordinance, said bids to be presented at regular meeting Thursday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1898.

To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

E. J. Davis,  
President:-

San Diego, Cal. June 16<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called to order in regular session, there being present Commissioners; Julian, Whitney and Davis

Minutes Approved.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved..

Secretary Dixon Leave of Absence

A communication from Secretary F. H. Dixon, requesting a leave of absence for a period of 30 days commencing June 15<sup>th</sup> 1898 was read and on motion said request was granted by the following vote to wit:- Commissioners, Julian, Davis and Whitney voting, aye.

Joint Resolution No. 1021.

Joint Resolution #1021  
Expend \$500.  
for Repairs

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

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend Five Hundred Dollars in repairs upon the various streets in said City

(Auditors Certificate attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk)

Resolution read and ordered placed on file

City Eng. to prepare plans to sewer upper 1<sup>st</sup> floor S.W. & N.E. The following joint Resolution was read and the City Engineer was instructed to prepare Plans and Specifications for the work therein contemplated, by the 23<sup>rd</sup> of June.:-

Joint Resolution No. 1022.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

Joint Resolution #1022  
Sewer on upper 1<sup>st</sup> floor S.W. & N.E.

That Adam Buck, G. B. Grow, Mary C. Kline, Carry Thompson and Geo. H. Hazzard, residents and property-owners in that portion of said City of San Diego, between Third and Fifth Streets and Juniper and Laurel Streets, be and they are hereby authorized and permitted, at their own expense and without cost to the City, to extend the public sewer on Fourth Street, from its present terminus at Juniper Street, to the North line of Laurel Street. Such sewer to be constructed

in accordance with plans and specifications therefor, prepared for that purpose, by the City Engineer, and to the grade established by said Engineer; and the said work of constructing such sewer shall be done under the supervision of the Superintendent of Sewers of said City and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

That no part of the cost or expense of the construction of such sewer shall be paid by the said City of San Diego, provided, however, that if such sewer be constructed in accordance with and pursuant to the terms and conditions of this resolution, the said City of San Diego will refund, to the said parties constructing such sewer, the original cost of such construction, but not to exceed the estimate made by the City Engineer of the cost of the same, at such time as there are funds available for that purpose, in the Sewer and Drainage Fund of said City.

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

The following Joint Resolution was read and ordered placed on file, viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1023.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San-Diego, as follows:-

That the bill of Jones and Son, for taking care of the garbage scow and for storage on pumps, ropes, lines, etc., (equipments of said scow), from the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1897, at the rate of five dollars per month, amounting in all to the sum of \$30<sup>00</sup> be allowed and paid; that the Board of Public Works O.K. such bill; and the Auditing Committee is hereby directed to allow the same.

(Auditor's Certificate attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk)

The following Joint Resolution was read and ordered filed, viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1024.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend the sum twenty-five (25) dollars in clearing up "D" street.

(Auditor's Certificate attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk)

The following Joint Resolution was read and ordered filed, viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1025.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and the said Board is hereby authorized and directed to take down the New Town flag pole, repair it, paint it, and reset same in a good and substantial manner, and that said Board is hereby empowered and directed to expend the sum of thirty-seven and 50<sup>00</sup> dollars (37<sup>50</sup>) in making said repairs and resetting said flag pole.

(Auditor's Certificate attached)

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

The following Joint Resolution was read and ordered filed and the Secretary was instructed to issue a permit in accordance therewith:-

Joint Resolution No. 1026.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That Little <sup>2d</sup> Niles be and they are hereby permitted to erect a one-story improved veneered building, about 30 x 80 feet in size, on Lot 'C' in Block seventeen (17) in Horton's Addition in the said City of San Diego, as requested in the petition of said Little <sup>2d</sup> Niles to this Common Council, bearing date May 23<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

(Certificate of City Clerk.)

Ordinance No. 531, Authorizing and directing "the Board of Public Works to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, after advertising for 5 days, the old lumber that is contained in the old sewer receptacle in the Bay of San Diego, at the end of the sewer outlet," was read and ordered filed and the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance therewith.

The Secretary was instructed to have the Telephone in the office of the Board of Public Works moved to the front part of the office and call bells put in from this office to the Auditor's Office and Treasurers Office to save the annoyance of running from this office to the other offices every time they are wanted at the Phone.

The following claims were passed on and approved

Fire Department.

4529 Boston Ht over Hose & Rubber Co. Double 80gal. Holloway Chem. Engine \$2150.00

Public Buildings

3973 W.W. Whitney  $\frac{1}{2}$  Cost brick Wall bet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  C + D. Bl. 35 Hartn's. \$128.50

Sewer Fund.

4531 Wm Osburn Putting in Sewer on 13 $\frac{1}{2}$  St. re. \$277.00

The hour for opening bids having arrived, in accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board on Thursday at 1 P.M. June 16<sup>th</sup> 1898, for the disposal of garbage, rubbish, and other refuse matter of the City of San Diego, Cal. for a period of one year beginning June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1898, the following bids were received: -

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Cert. Check.</u>	<u>Amount of Bid</u>
Wm Gilcher	\$50.00	\$75.00 per Month
City Scavenger Co.	\$135.00	\$224.00 per Month

Wm Gilcher being the lowest bidder, upon motion being duly seconded, the contract, for the disposal of garbage, rubbish and other refuse matter of the City of San Diego, Cal. for a period of one year beginning June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1898, was awarded to him by the following vote, to wit: -

Commissioner Julian voting Aye.  
 " Whitney voting Aye  
 " Davis voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to notify Wm Gilcher that the contract for the disposal of garbage had been awarded to him.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned to 10 o'clock A.M. Saturday June 18<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Adjourned

Attest:

A. H. Dixon  
Secretary

W. J. Davis,  
President

San Diego, Cal. June 18<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Saturday 10 o'clock A.M.

Adjourned Meeting.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board met for the purpose of receiving bids in accordance with a publication "Notice to Contractors" inviting sealed proposals to be delivered at the office of said Board between the hours of 10 and 11 A.M. on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1898, to do the following work, to wit:-

"To set and connect with the water mains of the San-Diego Water Co. - One Edison Pressure Water Gauge".

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Cert. Check.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>
Julian Plumbing Co.	None.	*29. <sup>00</sup>

On motion duly seconded the said bid of the Julian Plumbing Co. for \$29<sup>00</sup> was accepted by the following vote, to wit:-

Commissioner Julian voted Aye  
 Commissioner Whitney voted Aye  
 Commissioner Davis voted Aye.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon  
Secretary

J. J. Davis  
President.

Wednesday 3 o'clock. P.M.

San Diego, Cal. June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Special Meeting.

The Board met in Special Session, on a call by the President, for the purpose of entering into a Contract with W<sup>m</sup> Gilcher for the disposal of garbage &c. for one year.

There were present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The time having arrived for the executing of the Contract awarded to W<sup>m</sup> Gilcher on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1898 for the disposal of garbage, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other waste and refuse matter of the City for a period of one year, and the proper notice of the award of contract for said work having been posted for five days, the time required by law, in the office of this Board and the said Contractor, W<sup>m</sup> Gilcher presenting the prepared contracts and bond for the above work, viz: The disposal of garbage &c. for the period of one year, and said Contracts and bond being in proper form, the same were ordered executed on motion duly seconded by the following vote, to wit:-

- ① Commissioner Julian voted, Aye
- ② Commissioner Whitney voted, Aye
- ③ Commissioner Davis voted, Aye.

Whereupon the said Contract was executed.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon  
Secretary

*J. Davis*  
President

San Diego, Cal. June 23<sup>d</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 o'clock A.M.

Regular Meeting

The Board of Public Works met in regular session, there being present, Commissioners, Julian and Whitney. Commissioner Davis was absent. - Commissioner Julian in the Chair.

Minutes  
Approved

The minutes of the previous regular meeting and of the adjourned and special meeting were read and approved.

Granting  
request of the  
following com-  
munication

The following communication was read and on motion the request therein was granted by the following vote, to wit! -

Commissioner Julian voting, Aye.

Whitney voting, Aye.

Davis being absent

The communication reads as follows:

San Diego, Cal. June 20<sup>th</sup> 1898.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works

City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

Communication from Water Company to make connections with the Water Company of 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> St. mains

Will you kindly authorize the party securing the contract for connecting the new water pressure gauge in the City Hall with the Third Street main; to also connect said pressure gauge with the Fourth Street main and the Second street main, and the Water Company will be responsible for the extra expense of the two additional connections.

The object of this is for the purpose of a correct record in case of a local disturbance of the pressure, such as the use of a fire hydrant for filling a sprinkling wagon in the vicinity of the City Hall.

Knowing that your honorable board desire to deal justly with the water Company, as well as the City, we submit this request as entirely fair to all parties concerned.

Very respectfully,  
J. M. Howells.

President of the San Diego Water Co.

Upper 4<sup>th</sup> St.  
Sewer speci-  
fications

Specifications for the sewer extension on upper Fourth St. were presented by the City Engineer, and ordered filed and further action postponed till some future date.

Granting Archie  
Crowell, leave  
of absence

On motion duly carried by the following vote, to wit:-  
Commissioners Julian and Whitney voting Aye.  
Commissioner Davis being absent; Archie Crowell of the City Engineer's  
Office was granted a 30 days leave of absence

Moving Auditor  
shelves etc.

A Requisition was granted to the City Auditor for shelves  
and pigeon-holes for the preservation of records in his office not to  
cost, exceeding \$15.90

There being no further business the Board adjourned

Attest:-

G. H. Dixon  
Secretary

W. J. Davis,  
President.

San Diego, Cal. June 30<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 o'clock A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The Board met in regular session, there being present, Commissioners, Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis

The hour having arrived for the sale, for cash, of the old lumber in the old sewer receptacle, in the Bay, at the end of the Sewer outlet as per notice published in the San Diego-Sun, for a period of 5 days as per instructions of Ordinance No. 531, passed by the Common Council "An Ordinance providing for the sale of certain personal property of the City of San Diego, Cal:- The said property was offered for sale and sold, for cash, to the highest bidder, viz:- To M.S. Goularte for the sum of \$15.00

minutes  
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following communication was read:-

San Diego, Cal. June 30<sup>th</sup> 1898.

To the Board of Public Works,  
City of San Diego, Cal.  
Gents:-

On behalf of Mr. H. N. Thompson of the contractors of Thompson & Hinkle to grade a road in Rose Canyon I respectfully ask an extension of 30 days in which to complete the aforesaid Contract.

H. S. Hinkle

for Thompson & Hinkle.

On motion the extension of time asked for in the above was granted by the following vote to wit:- Commissioner Julian voting, Aye; Commissioner Whitney voting, Aye; Commissioner Davis voting, Aye.

Permission was granted to Mrs. M. D. Carroll to use the surplus earth being taken from Robinson Ave. bet 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sts.

There being no further business the Board adjourned till Saturday morning, July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10 o'clock.

Attest: A. H. Dixon  
Secretary

J. J. Davis  
President

San Diego, Cal. July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Saturday, 10 o'clock A.M.

Adjourned Meeting

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, there being present Commissioners, Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The following Pay Rolls were approved, Commissioners, Julian, Whitney and Davis voting, Aye: :-

4600	Engineers Dept.	\$ 225.
4607	Street "	\$ 857.
4604	Sewer "	* 60.
4603	Park. "	* 66.
4605	Board of Public Works.	\$ 325.

Notice on  
City Plaza:  
forbidding the  
distributing  
handbills

It was ordered by the following vote, Commissioners, Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye, :- That a notice be posted on the City Plaza, stating that anyone found distributing, handbills, dodgers or paper of any description on the Plaza will be promptly arrested.

Ask Council  
100- for the  
Repair Streets

The Secretary was instructed to send a communication to the Council asking for an appropriation of \$100. more for the purpose of watering the trees on the Park. also asking for an appropriation of \$100. for repairing bridges on F. St, L. St & Sto.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Atest: A. H. Dixon  
Secretary

W. J. Davis.  
President.

San Diego, Cal. July 7<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meeting were read and approved.

Petition from  
City Guard Band  
to pay for lights  
on Plaza, referred  
to Auditing Com.

A communication was received from Mr. J. M. Dodge, Manager of the City Guard Band petitioning the City to pay for the light used by said Band at the Band Stand on the D Street Plaza.

Said communication was read and referred to the City Auditing Committee.

Supt. of Parks  
instructed to  
water the  
Howard Park  
expenses  
not exceed  
\$100.-

The following Joint Resolution from the Common Council was received, and the Supt. of Parks was instructed in accordance therewith, the expense therefor not to exceed \$100.00.

Joint Resolution No. 1029.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to continue the watering of the Howard Park Tract, and employ labor to assist therein at a cost not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

(Auditors Certificate attached)

(Clerks certificate attached)

Supt. of Streets  
instructed to  
water trees  
Upper 5<sup>th</sup>  
expence of  
not exceed  
\$20<sup>00</sup>

The following Joint Resolution from the Common Council was received, and the Supt. of Streets was instructed in accordance therewith, the expense therefor not to exceed \$20.00.

Joint Resolution No. 1030.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby instructed and directed to have the

shade trees on upper Fifth street irrigated, at an expense not to exceed twenty dollars (\$20<sup>00</sup>), the same to be paid out of the Park Improvement fund.

(Auditor's Certificate attached.)

(Clerk's Certificate attached)

Repair road  
across River  
at Poor Farm.

Diry to  
purchase  
Dictionary

Upon motion being duly seconded the Dept of Streets was instructed to repair the road across the river near the Poor Farm Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to purchase for the use of the office One unabridged Webster's Dictionary and Stand. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

The following Ordinance was received from the Common Council: Viz:

"Ordinance No 534."

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to stop all proceedings in constructing sidewalks and grass plots in the Plaza, and to refrain from incurring any further expense in improving the Plaza, until further orders from the Common Council.

Said entitled foregoing Ordinance was read and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were read and ordered approved:

Street Sweeping.

4576	San Diego Water Co.	water ahead of sweeper	\$ 5 20
4501	Ah Luinn	150 lbs. china bamboo @ 12 <sup>ft</sup>	18 00
4504	Ah Luinn	145 " " " "	17 40
4564	Samuel Waugh	1 Steel drill bit	75
4565	" "	2 brooms, sweeper \$24 <sup>00</sup> - 12 hand brooms \$6 <sup>00</sup>	30 00
4566	Silvergate Oil Co.	Oil	80
4567	Palace Crockery Co.	2 lamp globes & wicks	45
4577	N.L. Parrott	Repairing sprinklers	10 85
4607	Pay Roll		338 50
			\$ 423 95

Street Sprinkling

4576	San Diego Water Co.	Water	\$ 216 20
4607	Pay Roll		180 00

\$ 396 20

Street Repairs

4479	T. Holland	Hauling material	\$ 75
4483	Davis Dranga Co.	1 Keg 40d. nails	\$ 2 00
4487	C. R. Webster	Hauling tools	1 00
4493	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv.	90
4507	La Jolla Water Co.	Water street trough	175
4528	Frank Foley	Hauling Lumber	50
4559	M. Schlegel	Cleaning lenses or level	2 00
4572	J. Kingswood.	Hauling lumber	3 00
4575	Union Stables	Dbl team Engr.	3 00
4578	Davis & Dranga	Nails	5 65
4593	J. D. Water Co.	Street troughs	16 50
4609	Edwin M. Tappo	Car fare adv.	2 95
4610	F. E. Davis	Steeling picks	6 85
4620	C. R. Webster	Hauling	2 5
4623	West Coast Lumb. Co.	Lumber	41 32
4625	Diamond Carriage & Livery Co.	Team 1 <sup>2</sup> 3 seater 3 <sup>0</sup>	5 00
4627	J. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv.	2 80
4607	Pay Roll		33 8 50
			\$ 435 72

Park Improvement

4526	L. B. Lamb	Hauling 2 loads manure	\$ 3 00
4534	Todd & Hawley	1 Grass Rake	60
4538	Julian Plumbing Co.	3/4" Thread	30
4560	Russ L & M. Co.	8 posts 4x4-5	1 55
4595	J. D. Water Co.	Water	70 85
			\$ 76 30

Sewer and Drainage

4527	Frank Foley	Hauling sewer pipe	\$ 75
4537	Julian Plumbing Co.	Pipe fittings & union etc	18 85
4589	J. D. Water Co.	Water flushing	72 90
4635	Isaac A. Snedecor	placing 1 <sup>2</sup> "	1 00
			\$ 93 50

Police Department

4535	J. Schulz	Hauling prisoners	\$ 50
4547	J. A. French	Sick cords, police clubs	15 00
4550	W. A. Reeder	Hauling prisoners	50
4558	M. G. Ferrer Jr.	Interpreting	2 00
4581	Levi Livery & C. Co.	Hauling prisoners	1 00
4616	A. S. Jennings	Food of prisoners	18 50
4624	Diamond Carriages Co.	Hauling "	3 00

not Audited by Board

Fire Department

4557	Hamilton Bros.	Supplies	Contract	\$28 05
4561	Russ L & Mill Co.	17-2x6-22 R. Pine		6 61
4569	H. A. Delsing & Sons	Hay, grain etc.	Contract	78 90
4570	E. J. Delaney	Horse-shoeing	"	16 25
4583	A. W. Braun & Co.	Sulphuric Acid & frame, Soda etc		14 80
4584	Davis Dranga Co.	Hayfork, bolts, etc		2 10
4594	J. D. Water Co.	Water		9 25
				\$155 96

General ac

4484	Geo. A. Benson	18 ft. flag	\$5 00	
4503	Sunset Tel & T Co.	Phone Pound	2 50	
4548	Jones & Butler	Gilding Ball flag pole Newtown	3 00	
4552	Mrs. J. D. Palmer	Taking down raising flag pole	37 55	
4555	S.D. Dist Tel Co.	Mess. Service	40	
4588	Julian Plumbing Co.	Setting water gauge	29 00	
4591	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Notice Sale Lumber	20	
4592	S.D. Water Co.	Water, Hall & Pound	3 50	
				\$1 15

Public Buildings

4480	H. M. Stanton, agt. Rent.	Material yard, Apr., May & June	\$15 00	
4505	L. F. Jones	1 1/2 " 2 Blk 44 Horton	25 00	
4524	R. G. Clark	" " " 112 "	25 00	
4525	D. Hitchcock, agt.	" - 2 " 99 "	12 50	
4539	J. W. Sefton	1 1/2 st. " 10 "	20 00	
4615	F. S. Jennings	Care prisoners	50 00	
4617	S.D. County	Jail	10 00	
				167 50

4587	Street Lights	S.D. & Elec Lt Co.	\$1250 00
4590	Fire Hydrants	S.D. Water Co	1293 28

Legal ac

4546	So. Pac. Co.	17A mile ticket Atty	\$25 00
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Public Health

4629	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Ord. Bids disposal garbage	50
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Office a/c

4478	J. S. Johnstone Son	12 Melback Chimneys - 6 Mantels	\$ 60
4574	M. J. Walker	Stamps for Health Dept	.50
4508	Graham & Weldon	1 Arm rest & repair old one	1.25
4510	Gould Futton & Co.	9 Reg. Books 100ea.	13.50
4545	J.W. Williams	Painting floor Auditors Office	2.50
4556	Hamilton Bros.	1 Whisk Broom	.25
4562	Granden Bumg & Co.	Printing	26.20
4571	A. A. Long	Rep. Chairs	1.50
4586	Davis & Dranga Co	Broom, Mop Heads, Window dryer etc	7.85
4622	H. A. Wertheimer & Co.	Stationery	7.40
4633	The Evening Tribune	6 Books of 2400 warrants,	18.00
			<u>\$ 62.55</u>

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Alanson,  
President:

San Diego, Cal, July 14<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board met in regular session there being  
present Commissioners Whitney and Davis  
absent " Julian

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Joint Resolutions #1033 and 1034 were this day received from the Common Council and are as follows: Viz-

"Joint Resolution No. 1033.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to construct a sidewalk on the north side of "G" Street, between India and Columbia Streets, including two returns, such work to be constructed in accordance with the specifications for sidewalking streets contained in Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said city, approved August 15<sup>th</sup> 1893.

(Auditor's certificate attached.)

(Blerks " " )

"Joint Resolution No. 1034.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized to expend the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100<sup>00</sup>) for repairs on bridges on the following named Streets, Viz- A. H. T. & P. Streets and requested in a communication of said Board to this Common Council, under date of July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1898.

(Blerks Certificate attached)

(Auditors " " )

\$100.- for  
repairing  
bridges

Joint Resolution No. 1033, was ordered placed on file and the Supt. of Streets notified in accordance with the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 1034.

Recommend  
to  
Council to  
second  
Joint Res.  
1033-

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they repeal Joint Resolution No. 1033, and inclose therewith a statement of money expended from the Street Repair Fund, which statement will show the very low condition of funds and that it is impossible to do said works.

Audit Com.  
Pay mess.  
Service will  
be reformed  
by patrolmen  
Repair Gasoline  
Eng. and  
proceed to  
pump salt  
water for  
sprinkling

A communication dated July 7<sup>th</sup> 1898, was received from the Auditing Committee, of the City of San Diego, that hereafter instead of incurring indebtedness for messenger service, the City patrolmen will notify members of the Board of meetings without cost to the City. Also, that hereafter advantage should be taken of the contract with Hamilton Bros. for furnishing supplies to the City.

The Supt. of Streets was instructed to have the gasoline Engine belonging to the City, repaired and put in shape for use at once. Also to commence the use of salt water for street Sprinkling purposes as soon as said Gasoline Engine is ready for use.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

Dr. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal., July 21<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present, Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Ordinance #540, directing the Board of Public Works to pave the "D" Street Plaza with Red Gravel was read and ordered placed on file: The City was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with said Ordinance, and in accordance with the specifications prepared by the City Engineer dated July 11<sup>th</sup> 1898. Said bids to be returnable to this Board between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on July 28<sup>th</sup> 1898.

The contract for shoeing 12 horses, more or less, of the Fire Department for a term of one year having expired, upon motion being duly carried the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for shoeing 12 horses, more or less, of the Fire Department, once per month each or oftener if required for a term of one year beginning August 4<sup>th</sup> 1898. Said bids to be returnable to this Board between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on July 28<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Joint Resolution #1035, from the Common Council was received, authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase postage stamps in amount of \$25<sup>00</sup> for the use of the various departments. The same was ordered on file, and the following resolution was adopted, Commissioners, Whitney Julian and Davis, voting Aye: Vig:-

"Be It Resolved That the Secretary be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make a requisition on the City Auditor for a warrant of \$25<sup>00</sup> the same to be used for the purpose of purchasing postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Government."

The following resolution from the Common Council is the authority for the foregoing resolution. Vig:-

Joint Resolution No 1035.

Authorization  
to purchase  
25<sup>00</sup> Stamps.  
Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase twenty-five dollars worth of postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City government.

(Clerks Certificate attached.)

(Auditors Certificate attached.)

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No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., July 28<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

30 days

additional time A petition from Messrs. Thomson and Hinkle asking for 30 days additional time within which to complete their contract in grading the Rose Canyon Road was read, and upon motion being duly seconded said 30 days additional time was granted. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

and Hinkle

on Canyon Road

ask Chief of

Police to try

certain who

took gravel from

tree, Bancroft &

on Ralston

Upon motion being duly seconded, it was the sense of this Board to ask the Chief of Police to investigate and ascertain if possible whether or not any gravel has been moved from the street on Bancroft near Ralston, in Pueblo-hd 1162 since July 11<sup>th</sup> 1898, and by whom moved, and report the findings of his investigation to this Board, by request of Mayor D.C. Reed. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting aye.

Sam Williams

wanted 30 days

leave of absence

from Aug. 1/98

City Engineer, Capps, makes a request for 30 days leave of absence for chairman, Mr. Sam Williams commencing August 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting aye.

Dept. of Streets

instructed to

take salt water

for sprinkling

wherever possible

or it is the

cheapest.

The Supt. of Streets was instructed by a unanimous vote of the Board to pump saltwater for sprinkling purposes whenever the haul makes it cheaper to do so; and whenever it is cheaper to use saltwater from the San Diego Electric Ry Co's. plant at Power-house to do so.

At all times to keep in view the interest of the City, and save every dollar for her that is possible.

recommend

Common

Council, N.B.

change of the

City Clerk makes requisition for permission to exchange his Densmore Typewriting Machine for another that is practically new, giving old typewriter and \$50<sup>00</sup> for same, the same was referred to the Common Council with approval.

by Clerk.  
7 p.m. 1876  
of this Board.

Time to receive  
bids closed.

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The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, The President declared the time for receiving bids for paving the "D" Street Plaza with Red Gravel, closed.

Engineer  
reports not  
sufficient  
Red Gravel at  
pit designated  
to pave Plaza

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City Engineer Cappa reports that there is not a sufficient amount of gravel at the point designated in the specifications for paving the plaza. Therefor upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council, together with a new set of specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer designating the points from which to take gravel.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis voting aye.

Bids to pave Plaza  
returned un-  
opened.

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It was moved and seconded that the bids received on paving the Plaza with Red Gravel be returned to their respective bidders unopened.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis voting aye.

Adjourned.

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No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., August 4<sup>th</sup>, 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form, present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council, Vig.

Joint Resolution #1043.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby instructed and directed to carry out the provisions of Joint Resolution #1033, providing for the construction of sidewalks and curbs on the north side of "G" Street between Columbia and India Streets.

(Certificate of Clerk attached.)

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.  
By H. W. Vincent, Deputy.

The foregoing Joint Resolution was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with the provisions of said Resolution and by the following vote, Vig:-  
Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting aye.

Ordinance #543. Authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works, to make certain improvements on the Plaza, ~~Sidewalks in front of the New Town Park on G Street,~~  
~~was read and ordered on file, and the Secretary instructed~~  
to - Paving the "D" Street Plaza, with Red Gravel. The Secretary was instructed to advertise in accordance therewith, by the following vote.

Commissioners, Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting aye.

Sidewalk

Park. No.

Gidey bet

India and

Columbia

Advertise

for above

Pave the

Plaza

with Red

Gravel

Procure 2

- Ordinance #544, Authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Calif., to have two water barrels made, to be used for sprinkling the streets of said City.

new barrels  
for Sprinklers

In accordance therewith, and by a unanimous Aye vote, the Dept. of Streets was instructed to have said barrels made.

Purchase  
Typewriting  
machine

Ordinance #544, Authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Calif., to provide the City Clerks office with a "Densmore" Typewriter.

In accordance therewith the typewriting machine under consideration was purchased, the consideration being the old machine now in use in the Clerks Office and \$50<sup>00</sup> cash.

Comm fr. the  
Chf. of Police  
regard to gravel

A communication was received from the Chief of Police in reply to ours of July 28<sup>th</sup> 1898, asking him to investigate whether any gravel has been taken from gravel bed in Oneida Lot 162 since July 1<sup>st</sup> '98. and report his findings to this Board.

"No gravel taken since July 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Time for receiving  
bids horseshoeing  
closed.

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived and said time being the time to close the bids for shoeing the fire department the President so declares it,

Bids were  
received as  
follows

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 1898 for doing horseshoeing for the Fire Department for one year, the following bids were received: Tigr:-

Lowest ✓

Bidder.	Certified Check	Am't bid
J. E. Delaney	\$25 <sup>00</sup>	\$125
Geo. W. Carey (new shoes \$120 resuting 75 <sup>00</sup> )	25 <sup>00</sup>	\$120

Mr. Geo. W. Carey being the lowest bidder, was upon motion being duly seconded awarded the contract by the following vote.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

The following bills were read and approved, viz:-

Fire Department.

4637	Julian Plumbing Co.	Opening Street, cement & cement paving	\$ 12.50
4676	W. W. Richards	Horse dentistry	6.00
4691	Hamilton Bros.	Brooms, bucket oil Soap sponges etc	12.04
4698	H. F. Dexting & Son	Hay grain etc	82.44
4738	J. E. Delorey	Shoeing 13 horses, month July	16.25
4739	J. A. Sun Pub. Co.	Advs.	.50
4742	Dick Yo	120 bunches carrots	4.00
4743	Van Harren Drug Co.	Drugs	1.25
4744	Russ Lumber Co.	Pine	3.09
4769	J. D. Water Co	water	9.25
4770	F. W. Braun & Co.	Soda Bicarb.	3.36
			\$ 150.68

Salary

4746	Engineers	Pay Roll	\$ 225.00
4747	Public Works		\$ 225.00

Police Dept.

4628	H. D. Nichols & Co.	1000 pistol Cartridges	\$ 14.01
4713	J. D. Jennings	Feed for prisoners	14.50

Sewer Department

4748	Pay Roll		\$ 60.00
4665	James White	Lauling lumber	12.25
4693	J. D. Adw. Co.	.12# spike	4.48
4727	Russ Lumber Mill Co.	Lumber	2.04
4777	J. D. Water Co.	Plushing Sewers.	7.53

Public Building

4639	D. Hitchcock Agt.	Rent lot 2 Sec 99 Horton	\$ 12.50
4645	L. J. Jones	" " 1/2 " 44 "	25.00
4646	R. G. Clark	" " 1/2 " 112 "	25.00
4664	D. G. Stephens	" City Hall	100.00
4707	J. D. Goot Elect Lt Co	lights	34.20
4714	J. D. County	Rent Jail	10.00
4715	J. D. Jennings	Care prisoners	50.00

Park Improvement

4749	Pay Roll		\$7200
4660	James White	Hauling rubbish	100
4668	W.C. Miner	filng saws	115
4677	Dodd & Hawley	hardware	65
4678	Jalian Plumbing Co.	repairs on pipe	90
4722	Davis Dranga Co.	Tax	05
4764	W.C. Miner	putting handles in picks	35
4765	S.D. Water Co.	water	33.80
4776	"	<u>Trees at st</u>	140
4709	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	<u>Street Lights</u>	\$111.30
			\$1250.00

Office a/c.

4650	City Scavenger Co.	Garbage	June	100
4671	W.C. Miner	24 pigeon holes		1640
4675	W.J. Walker	Cash paid July 5/98 for postage		150
4681	Albert H. Heath	Blanks. Sidewalk permits		375
4682	Hamilton Bros.	Zinc		10
4683	Frandzen B&Co.	1000 postal cards		1275
4684	" "	500 ground plans plumbing - 500, Social relation		2100
4697	Morris & Heatham	4 Job Books		2000
4704	M.A. Northern & Co.	Stationery		2265
4705	R.V. Schiller	Marrant Register		1000
4706	Aerone Bros	Rep. Chairs		250
4726	Garrison & Smith	Blanks Criminal Complaints		475
4778	A.C. Read	1 Denomore Supervisor		50.00
				11640
				\$17640

General a/c

4644	Sun Set Tel & Tel Co.	Phone at Pound	250
4651	Geo. A. Benson	Flag <sup>50</sup> repairing flags <sup>250</sup>	750
4720	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv.	690
4762	S.D. Water Co.	Water, Hall & Pound	350
			2040
			\$2040

Fire Hydrant

4775	S.D. Water Co.	Water, Rental Hydrants July	Reduced to	808.33
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### Street Repairs

4759	Pay Roll	Labor	\$354.00
4649	M. Schlegel	cleaning telescope lenses	250
4663	Nat R. Titus	cash pd out of deed right-of-way Street, Brooke & Baker	60
4670	H. B. McAuliff	painting 3 road signs	200
4673	Julian Plumbing Co.	repairing water trough	100
4685	McKenzie Flint & Wineby	rubber belting	811
4686	J. Holland	hauling lumber	50
4687	Alfred Romero & Co.	cleaning out well foot India	1000
4689	Hamilton Bros.	gasoline	115
4700	Putnam Field	St. notices	450
4703	C.R. Webster	hauling tools	50
4728	F.C. Davis	sharpening picks	20
4729	J. Kingswood	hauling	225
4730	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	Advs.	210 =
4731	Davis & Dranga Co.	Hardware	495
4732	Major Stables	Abl. Team	200
4733	E.M. Tappo	tax fare pd out	275
4734	W.W. Stewart	Cement	800
4736	Bruce L & Mill Co.	Lumber	120
4737	West Coast Lumb Co.	"	6293
4762	S.D. Water Co.	water troughs	1860
4766	Domestic Oil Co.	Oil	200
4767	Clarke & Brandt	"	180
4772	Diamond Carriage Co.	Livery	150
			493 14
			\$493 14

### Street Sprinkling

4674	Standard Iron Works	Rep. Pump	2670
4759	Pay Roll	Labor	379.00
4643	Domestic Oil Co.	Gasoline, oil	100
4688	K.L. Parrott	rep. sprinkler	225
4699	Silvergate Oil Co.	Gasoline	85
4776	S.D. Water Co.	Water	8975
4902	J. Marill & Co.	Gasoline	240
			502 15
			\$502 15

### Street Sweeping

4759	Pay Roll	Labor	238.50
4647	Ah Quin	bamboo brushes	1800
4674	Standard Iron Works	repairing sweeper	15
4735	" " "	" "	2000
4701	L.H. Dinton	" "	100
			377.65
			\$377.65

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

*J. J. Davis,* President.

San Diego Cal. Aug. 11<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The minutes of July 28<sup>th</sup> and August 4<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Towels & Soap. Mr. N. J. Dowell, Tax Collector and Treas. makes requisition for soap and towels for use of departments down stairs.

Purchase Upon motion being duly seconded, The Secretary was authorized and instructed to purchase 1 Doz towels ~~and~~ <sup>\$1.00</sup> worth of castile soap for the use of the various departments, and to instruct the Janitor to keep said towels clean.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Mem of Authority each claim

A communication from the Aud. Committee notifying the Board that hereafter a memoranda of the authority, under which each and every claim against the City has accrued, must accompany such claim to entitle it to be audited by this committee.

The same was read and ordered on file.

Supt Sts. fix Sweeper

Upon motion being duly seconded the Supt of Streets was instructed to have the Street Sweeping Machine repaired.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

Geo. W. Carey  
contract for  
shoeing horses  
executed

The contract between the Board of Public Works for the City of San Diego, and Geo. W. Carey for the shoeing of all of the horses of the Fire Department for a term of one year beginning August 11<sup>th</sup> 1898, having been prepared, and Mr. Geo. W. Carey being present and being desirous of executing the same, and there being no objections filed, therefore upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the same was ordered executed.

Bond for same  
approved.

Mr. Geo. W. Carey presents a bond for the faithful performance of said contract in the sum of \$250<sup>00</sup> with W. Llewlyn & Co. Rogers as sureties. The said bondsmen being satisfactory.

It was moved and duly seconded that said bond be executed.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Is ret'd. The Secretary was instructed to return the certified check of Geo. W. Carey.

Contractors  
Notice  
Sidewalk &  
Pave

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids for Sidewalking the North side of "G" Street between India and Columbia and for the paving of the "D" Street Plaza with Red Gravel, and the hour of 11 o'clock having arrived the President declared the time closed within which to receive said bids and the Secretary was instructed to proceed to open said bids.

Sidewalking No. Side "G" St. bet. Columbia & India.

Bidders	Amt. of Cert. Check.	Sidewalk <input type="checkbox"/> foot.	Curb Lim. foot
John Engelbrecht,	\$25 <sup>00</sup>	10½ <sup>4</sup>	29 <sup>4</sup>
Joseph Kelly.	\$12 <sup>00</sup>	9¾ <sup>4</sup>	27 <sup>4</sup>

Contract to Upon motion being duly seconded, Mr. Joseph Kelly being the lowest bidder <sup>for the work</sup> be awarded the contract to do said work.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.  
Paving "D" St. Plaza, with Red Gravel.

Bidders.	Amt. of Cert. Check.	Amt. of Bid.
J. Engelbrecht	\$10 <sup>00</sup>	\$187 <sup>00</sup>
Joseph Kelly	12 <sup>00</sup>	224 <sup>00</sup>
J. Jones	9 <sup>55</sup>	191 <sup>00</sup>
Wm. Osborn	15 <sup>00</sup>	200 <sup>00</sup>

Contract to Upon motion being duly seconded, Mr. John Engelbrecht being the lowest bidder the above work ~~was~~ awarded to him.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 16<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Tuesday 10 AM.Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form there being  
present Commissioners Julian <sup>and</sup> Whitney.  
absent " Davis

Mr. H. P. Whitney in the chair.

Contract Red Gravel having been prepared, the same was read and upon  
and Bond Motion being duly seconded the same was ordered executed.  
Paving Plaza Commissioners Julian <sup>and</sup> Whitney voting Aye.  
executed  
approved

The bond for same in the sum of \$200.- with  
 Ed. Mescott & Geo. W. Haggard as sureties was approved.

Material bond The materialmen's bond in the sum of \$93<sup>50</sup>  
approved was also ordered approved.

There being no further business the Board  
meeting adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Sec.

H. P. Whitney  
 President - pro tempore.

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

<u>present</u>	Commissioners	<u>Whitney and Julian.</u>
<u>absent</u>	"	<u>Davis.</u>

Julian

Commissioner Julian in the chair.

minutes

The minutes of the last regular and special meeting were read and approved.

milk Tester

Upon motion being duly seconded the Health Dept. was granted a requisition for a Milk Tester, by the following vote, Viz: Julian and Whitney voting Aye.

Johnson Hinkle

The City Engineer, Supt. of Streets and the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Cal., having on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1898, examined into the condition of the Rose Canyon Road as graded by Messrs. H. N. Johnson and Edward C. Hinkle, contractors for grading said roadway; and they find said road graded to the satisfaction of said Engineer and Supt. of Streets and Board of Public Works, therefore,

Approved  
and  
Accepted.

Be It Resolved, that said road be, and is hereby approved and accepted this 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1898, and that the bill of said H. N. Johnson and Edward C. Hinkle, contractors for the grading of said roadway, be approved in the sum of \$649<sup>89</sup>, which sum is the contract price and is in accordance with the contract of said H. N. Johnson and Edward C. Hinkle, dated April 20<sup>th</sup> 1898, for grading said Rose Canyon Road.

Commissioners Julian and Whitney voting Aye.  
" Davis, being absent.

Contract for  
Sidewalking  
on "G" St.  
Executed

The contract for the sidewalk the north side of "G" Street between India and Columbia Streets in front of the New Town Plaza, having been prepared, and Mr. Joseph Kelly the successful bidder being present and anxious to execute the same and there having been no objections filed, and the award of contract having been posted the required five days, therefore,

Upon motion being duly seconded the said contract was ordered executed by the following vote, Viz:-

Julian and Whitney, voting Aye. Davis - Absent.

Bond  
approved.

The bond for same in the sum of \$200<sup>00</sup> with W. Clewelyn & Aug. R. Schmitff as sureties, was ordered approved.

Commissioners Whitney & Julian, voting Aye.  
Davis, being absent.

Material-bond  
approved.

The materialmens bond in the sum of \$100<sup>00</sup> with some sureties, was ordered approved.

Commissioners Whitney & Julian voting Aye.  
Davis being absent.

The Secretary was instructed to return to Mr. Kelly his certified check of \$72<sup>50</sup> that accompanied said bid.

The following Joint Resolution #1046, was received from the Common Council and the Supt. of Streets notified in accordance therewith:

Joint Resolution #1046.

Resolution  
Superste.  
make weekly report to  
of saltwater sprinkling

Be It Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Superintendent of Streets of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby directed to report to this Council the number of gallons of salt water used per day for sprinkling the streets of said City: an itemized account of the expense incurred therefor, such report to be made weekly at the close of each and every week, and filed with the City Clerk not later than the following Monday, except the first report hereunder shall include the two weeks closing August 13<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Certificate of Clerk attached.

Plans for  
Engine  
House.

Ordinance No. 549. Authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to have plans and estimates of the cost made of the construction of an engine house for the Chemical Fire Engine recently purchased by the City.

Said ordinance was read and ordered on file. Commissioner Julian delegated to look after same.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest  
F. H. Dixon

A. Julian  
President pro tem

San Diego, Cal. Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Thomson & Hinkle present a claim for extra work on Rose Canyon Road for \$25.00

Moved extra work Upon motion being duly seconded said claim was allowed for \$12.50

their contract and claim approved Upon motion being duly seconded the claim of Thomson and Hinkle for grading the Rose Canyon Road as per their contract was ordered approved \$ 649.89

Engelbrecht Contract claim approved for paving D St Plaza The Board of Public Works, having on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of August 1898, inspected the "D" Street Plaza, find the work of paving same with "Red Gravel", done to the satisfaction of said Board, therefore,

Be it Resolved, that said work be and is hereby approved and accepted, and that the claim of John Engelbrecht for doing said work be approved and ordered paid in the sum of \$187.00 the contract price.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian, voting Aye.

Benches in the Newtown Park Upon Motion being duly seconded Mr. Harvey C. Stiles, Supt. of Parks, be ordered and directed to have Six benches made for the Newtown Plaza at a cost not to exceed \$10.00.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye

Adjourned. To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

*F. H. Dixon*

*M. J. Davis, President:-*

San Diego, Cal. Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were  
read and approved.

17<sup>th</sup> mile

The City Attorney makes requisition for a 1000 mile  
ticket over the Cal. Southern Ry..

The same was granted and the Secy. instructed  
to issue a requisition for the same.

Commissioners, Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Purchase

city directory

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secy. was  
instructed to issue a requisition to the various departments  
that have made requisition on this Board, for a City Directory  
for the use and convenience of said various departments.

Comrs. Julian, Whitney & Davis, voting Aye.

Ask for \$500.

to repair

streets

Secretary was instructed to address a  
communication to the Common Council petitioning for \$500.-  
for repairs of streets: also to ask the Common Council to  
pass an ordinance allowing a certain amount for the general  
of Sprinklers and expense pertaining to sprinkling outside  
of the \$500.- already allowed for sprinkling.

The following bills were read and ordered  
approved. Commissioners Julian, Whitney & Davis, voting Aye. Vig:-

Fire Department.

4809	Amt. Fire Eng. Co.	2 heavy "firemans" lanterns	\$ 8 00
4808	A. B. Tairnes	Expressage on lanterns	2 75
4810	Weed & Reupsch	Painting Engine	55 00
4814	Geo. W. Carey	Shoeling 12 horses	15 60
4815	Hamilton Bros.	Brooms, Salt, Dusters Polish, Sponges etc	13 68
4855	Pacific Wood & C. Co.	Hay, grain etc.	144 41
4857	H. A. Oesting & Son.	" " "	26 57
			\$ 266 01

Salary ac-

4841	Board of Public Works Pay Roll	\$25 00
4834	Engineers	22 500
		<u>\$550 00</u>

Street Repairs.

4846	Pay Roll	106
4787	Graham & Neldon	20
4798	Jno. G. Forward	1 90
4801	C. R. Webster	25
4802	W.W. Barrick	1 75
4805	The People Transfer	50
4807	C. R. Webster	1 50
4828	West Coast Lumber Co.	28 02
4830	J. Kingswood	2 75
4833	Edwin McFappa	4 25
4859	J. N. Johnstone & Son	12 00
4869	Ebon Taxie	1 50
		<u>\$180 42</u>

Street Sprinkling

4846	Pay Roll	\$422 00
4783	J.D. Elec. Ry Co.	445
4831	Silvergate Oil Co.	4 05
4849	J.D. Water Co.	20 95
4864	Clark & Brank	1 75
4865	K. L. Parrott	68 00
4871	J. D. Merrill & Co.	1 60
4804	G. W. Becker	120
4860	J. D. Elec. R. Co.	8 30
		<u>\$542 30</u>

Street Sweeping.

4846	Pay Roll	\$345 75
4811	Ah Ruinn	18 79
4819	Hamilton Bros	15
4829	C. W. Swamby	24 00
		<u>\$388 69</u>

Sewer Dept.

4850	Water	\$75 88
4842	Pay Roll	60 00
		<u>\$135 33</u>

Park Department

4840	Pay Roll	Labor	24 00
4812	John Engelbrek	Paving D&F Plaza with "red gravel"	187 00
4816	Todd Hawley	Axe handle, file, wrench & screwdriver	1 15
4817	E. Fitzgerald	Box and staples	.75
4847	J.D. Hdw. Co.	1 Set Lawnmower blades	3 35
4862	J.D. Johnstone & Son	3 reducers	.65
			<u>\$216.90</u>

Public Building

4856	S.D. Gas & Elec Co. light		<u>22 85</u>
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General ac

4761	Sundt Delco.	Phone at Pound	<u>250</u>
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Office ac

4791	H.W. Shildren	Letter heads & Envelops	5 00
4799	J.W. Boone	Towels with roller	3 60
4818	Harris & Cheatham	Police record	10 50
4820	Hamilton Bros.	Soap castile	1 00
4839	Albert H. Heath	1250 Envelops	7 25
			<u>\$27 35</u>

Legal ac

4870	Sol. Col. Riggs Co.	1/4 mile ticket	<u>2500</u>
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Public Health ac

4826	S.G. Wesson & Co.	Milk Tester, acid etc	<u>17 25</u>
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Street lights

4823	S.D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Lights	<u>\$125 00</u>
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So. Cal. Ry Co.

fencing right-of-way.

The Secy. was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council in regard to the So. Cal. Ry. Co. fencing up their right of way in Solidad Valley near Sorento, and recommend that some action be taken at once toward procuring the rights of way and constructing a roadway through said right-of-way at once.

Also to address a communication to the Common Council recommending the plans for an Engine House as planned by Mr. C. A. Logan as the best and submit said plans to the Common Council for their inspection.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

T. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
 present were Commissioners Davis and Whitney  
 absent Julian.

Minutes  
read The minutes of the last regular meeting were read  
 and approved.

make repairs  
sweeper  
sprinklers "Ordinance #550, authorizing the Board of Public Works  
 of the City of San Diego, California, to make all necessary repairs  
 upon any street sprinkler, street sweeper, or upon any other  
 machine, implement, or tool, owned by the city of San Diego,  
 and providing for the payment thereof out of the "proper fund"  
 of the City of San Diego, California", was received from the Common  
 Council and the same ordered placed on file.

Advertise  
for bids  
road to  
Cemetery  
 X  
bridge across  
Chollas Valley "Ordinance #553, authorizing certain public work  
 to be done within the city of San Diego, California, under the super-  
 vision of the Board of Public Works of said City, and directing  
 said Board to construct the same", was received from the  
 Common Council and the Secretary was instructed to advertise  
 for bids for the construction of said Mt. Hope Cemetery  
 road and the bridge across Chollas Valley in accordance  
 with said ordinance and the plans and specifications on file  
 in the office of the Board of Public Works.

The following Joint Resolution #1048, was received  
 from the Common Council, Virg.

Joint Resolution #1048.

Contract  
for forage  
fire Dept  
6 mos pr.  
Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1898 Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the  
 City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said City  
 be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to  
 advertise for bids and let a contract to the lowest  
 responsible bidder for the furnishing of forage to the Fire  
 Department of the said City of San Diego for the period of  
 six months.

Approved by the Mayor Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Blerks certificate attached.

Auditors certificate attached.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise in accordance with the provisions of said Joint Resolution.

Purchase  
water from  
Kyle 5<sup>4</sup>/17m  
Gals. when  
cheaper to buy  
than pump

Supt of Streets Osburn was instructed to purchase from Mr. Kyle, foot of 5<sup>th</sup> Street, what Salt water he may need to sprinkle the territory in that portion of the City that is sprinkled from the foot of 6<sup>th</sup> Street. Mr. Kyle proposes to furnish said water at 5¢ per 17m gallons, and to use said water whenever it is cheaper to purchase than to pump - The Haul considered.

Left wharf to  
ever outlet

Supt. of Sewers Hamlin was authorized and instructed to project the wharf that leads from Jones' Wharf to the end of the sewer.

The following bills were read and ordered approved, viz:-

### Office a/c

4898	M. A. Warthermer & Co.	Stationery	\$ 20 40
4899	Chas. A. Chase	Chamois skin	1 00
			\$ 21 40

### General a/c

4888	J. A. Heath	Rope for flag pole etc	1 75
4894	D. D. Water Co.	Water	3 50
			\$ 5 25
4851	S. D. Water Co.	Hydrant Rental	8 08 33

### Park Improvement

4889	W. T. Lemon	Rep. mower	3 5
4892	S. D. Water Co.	Water	2 6 95
			\$ 2 7 30

### Street Sprinkling

4866	K. L. Parrott	Rep. Sprinklers	5 3 51
4867	"	" "	4 0 20
			\$ 9 3 71

Street Sweeping.

4887	Standard Iron Works	Reps. on Sweeper	<u>1425</u>
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Street Repairs

4886	Standard Iron Works	Pulleys	550
4891	Diamond Carriage Co.	Livery, Engr	800
4895	S.D. Water Co.	Water, troughs	1920
4900	Domestic Oil Co.	Oil	100
4901	C.A. Magle	Bituminous patch work	1030
4904	S.D. Sand Dredg. Co.	Printing	57
4907	S.D. Lumber Co.	Lumber	2207
4912	Jos. Kelly	Sidewalk No. Side S. St opposite Park	19041
			<u>\$25705</u>

Library a/c

4788	Wm. Dougall	"Kings Forest Flora of Newfoundland" Book.	1000
4792	Davis & Dranga	Castors, Hock, Tubing etc	491
4824	S.D. Gas & Elec Lt Co.	Light	3500
4882	W.B. Woodward	Rent	8500
4896	Garrison & Smith	Printing	1050
4897	M.L.W & Co.	Stationery	160
4905	A. Schiller	Binding	9210
4906	Mary E. Walker	Money adv. Stamps M.O. etc	1090
4913	H. L. Benbough	1 Desk	2500
			<u>\$27601</u>

Police a/c

4773	Diamond Car. & Liv. Co.	Hauling prisoners	150
4795	Nichols & Co.	Posters	40
4803	" "	"	65
4821	J.S. Priest	Interpreting	300
4832	Levi L. & Davis Co.	Hauling prisoners	200
4875	F.S. Jennings	feeding Prisoners	1625
4890	Diamond C & L Co.	Hauling "	150
4902	J.S. Priest	Interpreting	300
			<u>\$2830</u>

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A.H. Dixon Secy.

President

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Park Supt.

Park Supt. Stiles makes application for and was granted 30 days leave of absence commencing the 19<sup>th</sup> inst.

ask for \$100.00

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending the appointment of \$100<sup>00</sup> for labor in watering the trees in the Howard Tract. Also to address a communication to the Police Commissioners recommending the appointment of the Park Superintendent as a special police and to act as such during his term of office.

Repair the

Mr. Swain, agrees to stake 7 benches Newtown Park - put two strips galv. Iron on 6 new benches. Repair the old benches <sup>and</sup> Stake all benches, for \$4.75

Newtown Park

benches

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 <sup>and</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1898, for the construction of a wooden bridge across Chollas Creek on the Cemetery Road <sup>and</sup> the grading of a wagon road to Mt. Hope Cemetery, the following bids were received: Viz:-

Bids on Bridge over Chollas Creek.

	<u>Bidders.</u>	<u>Cert. Check</u>	<u>Am't of Bid.</u>
<u>Highest</u>	Evans & Chadwick	\$40.00	\$724.00
	J. W. Coates	110.00	792.00
	C. N. Sinclair	50.00	881.00
	R. F. Smith	50.00	919.00
	To-Op-Bldng. Assn	50.00	816.00
	J. Engelbrecht	45.00	895.00

Bids on Mt. Hope Cemetery Wagon Road.

Bidders	Certf. Check	Amt of Bid.
R. A. Smith.	\$100.00	\$1049.00
J. Engelbrek.	55.00	1144.00
C. A. Aikle.	70.00	No amount
Wm Osburn.	110.00	1970.00

Bridge It was moved and duly seconded that Evans & Chadwick be awarded the contract for the construction of the bridge across Cholla Creek on Mt. Hope Cemetery Road, Said Evans & Chadwick being the lowest bidder, viz. \$724.00

Chadwick Commissioner Julian voting aye.  
" Whitney voting aye.  
" Davis voting aye.

grading It was moved and duly seconded that Mr. R. A. Smith be awarded the contract for the construction of the Mt. Hope Cemetery wagon road at his bid viz.: \$1049.00, Said Smith being the lowest bidder.

R. A. Smith Commissioner Julian voting aye.  
" Whitney voting aye.  
" Davis voting aye.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

J. J. Davis, President.

September 22nd 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Contract for

Hollas Creek

Bridge

Ordered Executed

Aye

Bond

Approved

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1898, for the construction of a wooden bridge over Hollas Creek on the Mt. Hope Cemetery <sup>Road</sup>, and messrs. Evans & Chadwick being the lowest bidder and the contract for the construction of said bridge having been awarded to them and the notice of the award of said contract to said Evans & Chadwick having been posted the required time and the contract having been prepared and presented, it was moved and duly seconded that the contract be executed and the Bond be approved the sureties on same being messrs. W.W. Allen, G.S. Wood & G.Y. Gray  
Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

Material

Bond for

Bridge ordered

Approved

The Bond for protection of materialmen, laborers mechanics etc. in the sum of \$365<sup>00</sup> with same sureties as above for said Evans & Chadwick was read and ordered approved. Commissioners Julian, Whitney & Davis voting Aye

Contract for

Mt. Hope

Cemetery Road

Ordered Executed

Aye

Bond for same

Approved

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1898, for the construction of a wagon road to Mt. Hope Cemetery, and in accordance therewith the contract for doing said work was awarded to R.F. Smith the lowest bidder, the notice of award of contract having been posted five days, as required by law, and the contract and bond having been prepared and presented to this Board. It was moved and duly seconded that the said contract be executed and the Bond for same be approved. The sureties on said bond being D.C. Collier and D.C. Collier Jr. and the amount being \$500<sup>00</sup>

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

Bond \$525<sup>00</sup>  
for labor etc.  
ordered  
approved

The Bond for <sup>protection of</sup> materialmen, Laborers, mechanics etc. in the sum of \$525<sup>00</sup> with D.C. Collier and D.C. Collier Jr. as sureties for material furnished and labor done on the Mt. Hope Cemetery Road was ordered approved.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

Advertise  
calling for  
bids on  
forage for  
fire Dept.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works on Thursday 10 o'clock A.M. on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1898, for the furnishing of forage for the fire department for a term of six months beginning Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1898, the following bids were received Viz:-

Bidders.	Certf.	Check.	Wheat	Hay	Tame Oats	R. Barley	Bran.	Bedding
H. A. Oestring	\$50.00	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$28.00	\$20.00	\$10.00	per ton.	
Wm W. Glain	\$50.00	\$19.95	\$19.89	\$29.00	\$20.00	\$10.00	" "	
Irvine & Co.	\$50.00	\$22.00	\$22.50	\$28.00	\$20.00	\$10.00	" "	
Pac. Wood Coals	\$200.00	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$27.00	\$20.00	\$9.00	" "	

Contract  
awarded to  
Wm. McElain

Upon motion being duly seconded the contract for furnishing the Fire Department with forage for a term of Six months from Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1898, was awarded to the lowest bidder. Viz:- Wm. McElain

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

\$500<sup>00</sup>  
apportioned  
for  
St. Repairs

"Ordinance #554, authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego to expend \$500<sup>00</sup> for general street repairs," was received from the Common Council and read and ordered placed on file.

Stamps

The Secretary was instructed to petition the Common Council for \$50<sup>00</sup> to purchase stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Government.

Hamlin granted  
leave absence  
till Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Mr. A. Hamlin petitions this Board for a leave of absence from today till Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 1898. Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

J.W. Shaw  
resumes his  
position as  
Supt. of Sewers

Mr. J.W. Shaw requests that he may resume his position as Supt. of Sewers, stating that his services in the U.S. Navy being no longer required. Upon the unanimous vote of the Board his request was granted.

Proposition  
Care for  
Parks for  
\$145<sup>00</sup> per. mo.

A communication was received from messrs.  
J. J. Buser <sup>and</sup> C. D. Thompson, proposing to take care of all  
the City Parks in San Diego, Cal. and cultivating same whenever  
required etc for the sum of \$145<sup>00</sup> per month exclusive of water.

The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secretary.

J. P. Harris, President.

San Diego, Calif., Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board met in regular session there being present Commissioners Julian and Davis "but late" Whitney.

Minutes last meeting read and approved.

The contract for the furnishing of forage for the Fire Department having been prepared, it was moved and duly seconded that the same be executed, Commissioners Julian and Davis voting Aye.

The bond in the sum of \$200.- for the faithful performance of said contract with Messrs. J. S. Schirm and H. B. McAliff as sureties was read and the sureties being satisfactory the same was ordered approved. Commissioners Julian and Davis voting Aye.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council asking for authority to repair the Sewer on Third St. between Toy and Hawthorn Streets in accordance with the plans of the Dept. of Sewers. Estimated cost will be about \$300.00.

A communication from Geo. H. Merchant to take care of the City's Parks for \$117.- per. month, was read and ordered on file.

The following communication from the San Diego Electric Ry. Co., dated Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 98. was received.

"We expect to commence track laying on D Street within the next two weeks, and we respectfully request that you permit us to lay the track in a direct line on D Street from the East line of Front Street to the East line of Third Street."

In reference to said above communication the following Resolution was adopted by the following Aye vote, Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

"Be It Resolved that the S.D. Elec. Ry., Co., be and they are hereby authorized and directed to lay their Street Ry. track, in a straight line from the East line of Front Street to the East line of Third Street."

Dixon granted  
30 days leave  
of absence.

Secretary Dixon was granted 30 days leave of absence commencing Sept 30<sup>th</sup> 1898, to attend the U.S. District Court as a witness for the United States.

Move fence  
to  
remove fence  
over Street

The Supt. of Streets was instructed to move the fence along the line of the Mt. Hope Cemetery Road, and place same off of the right of way: also to remove the fence from across the Street bet 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Streets on 18<sup>th</sup> Street.

Rumsey 30  
days leave  
absence

W<sup>m</sup> Rumsey was granted a vacation of 30 days commencing Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> '98, as per his request.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

There being no further business the Board adjourned till 10 o'clock A.M. Tuesday October 4<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Calif. October 3d, 1898.

Tuesday 10 a.m.

Adjourned Meeting.

The Board was called together in regular form.  
There were present: Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

The following Bills were read and ordered approved,  
Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney, voting "aye."

Street Sweeping.

4934	Ah Quinn	Bamboo Brush	2602
4940	Standard Iron Works.	Repairing Street Sweeper	11160
4943	Silver Gate Oil Co.	Oil	160
4946	C. W. Swambly	Brooms	1800
5008	S. D. Water Company.	Water	390
5010	Pay Roll		33617
			<u>49729</u>

Street Sprinkling.

4930	McKenzie, Flint & Worsby	Supplies for Pump.	50
4938	S. D. Electric Ry. Co.	Salt Water	1255
4939	Standard Iron Works.	Repairing Gasoline Pump	300
4941	San Diego Hardware Co.	Material for Pump	45
4943	Silver Gate Oil Co.	Gasoline	640
4962	S. J. Merrill Oil Co.	Gasoline	240
4984	J. S. Johnstone & Son	Material for Pump	356
4991	S. D. Truck Co.	Hauling Pump	100
5005	K. L. Parrott	Tanks, and repairs to wagons	11940
5008	S. D. Water Co.	Water	1565
5010	Pay Roll		43750
			<u>60241</u>

Street Repairs.

4917	Davis & Dranga Co.	Furnishing Materials	805
4942	James White	Hauling Lumber & Tools	100
4944	A. J. Stark.	Hauling Lumber & Repairing Culvert	150
4945	S. D. Lumber Co.	Lumber	671
4980	J. Kingswood	Hauling	250
4981	J. M. Crittenden	Hauling	300
		Am't Carried over	<u>2176</u>

### Street Repairs (Continued.)

Amt Brought forward.

4982	Edwin M. Capps	Car fare advanced	2176
4983	C. R. Webster	Hauling	705
4997	S. D. Water Co.	Water for street troughs.	90
4998	San Diegan Sun Pub. Co.	Advertising Contract - Chollas Bridge & M. st. Imp't.	1845
5004	C. A. Nagle	Repairs to streets.	55
5006	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	342
5010	Pay Roll		789
			27150
			33152

### Park Improvement.

4926	Chas. H. Julian	Plaza Lamps, etc.	1595
4927	Julian Plumbing Co.	Balance on Contract	1500
4937	Pay Roll		400
4953	Wm. Swain	Repairing benches, New Town Park	475
4954	Wm. Swain	New benches, " " "	1000
4992	S. D. Water Co.	Water	2225
4973	W. T. Lemore	Repairing Lawn Mower	50
			7245

### Sewer and Drainage

4929	Todd + Hawley	Nails	20
4960	Pay Roll		6600
4964	J. S. Johnstone + Sons	Repairs	685
4981	J. M. Crittenden	Hauling	50
5000	John N. Woolman	Repairs.	635
5009	S. D. Water Co.	Water for flushing.	7560
5013	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	235
			15785

### Fire Department.

4998	San Diegan Sun Pub. Co.	Advertising Contract for supplies.	35
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### General Account.

4883	Sunset Tel. + Tel. Co.	Round Telephone	250
4969	S. D. Gas + Elec. Light Co.	Lighting Plaza	1100
4995	San Diegan Sun Pub. Co.	Monthly Statement	195
4996	S. D. Water Co.	Water for City Hall + Pound	350
4998	San Diegan Sun Pub. Co.	Adv. Ordinances No. 550 + 551-	90
			1985

## Public Buildings.

4924	H. M. Stanton	Rent	1500
4974	County of San Diego.	Rent of Jail	1000
4975	F. S. Jennings	Care of Prisoners.	5000

## Street Lighting.

4967	S.D. Gas & Elec. Light. Co.	Lighting streets.	125000
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## Fire Hydrants.

5007	S. D. Water Co.	Hydrant Rental	80833
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## Legal Account.

4932	Southern Pacific Ry. Co.	1000 Mile Book for City attorney.	2500
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## Public Health

5011	Wm. Gilcher	Garbage Contract.	7500
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## Office Account.

4952	Frandsen & Davis	Directories	1500
4965	Albert H. Heath	Printing	475
4966	Garnett & Smith	"	450

## Salary.

4936	Pay Roll	Board of Public Works.	32500
4985	Pay Roll	Engineer Department.	22500
			55000

There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

Attest: J. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

J. H. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 6th. 1898.

Thursday, 10 a.m.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form. There were present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Minutes read  
and approved.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of the adjourned meeting held October 4th. 1898, were read and approved.

The following Ordinance No. 556 was received from the Common Council:

Ordinance No. 556.

An Ordinance Authorizing and Directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California to purchase Postage Stamps and Revenue Stamps.

Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows;

Section 1. That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized to purchase Fifteen Dollars' worth of Postage Stamps and Ten Dollars' worth of Revenue Stamps for the use of the various departments of the City government.

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

Certificate of Clerk attached.

The above Ordinance was read, whereupon the following Resolution was adopted, Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting "aye", and the Ordinance ordered on file.

City authorized  
to purchase  
Postage & Revenue  
Stamps.

Be It Resolved: That the Secretary be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make a requisition on the City Auditor for a warrant of \$25<sup>00</sup>, the same to be used for the purpose of purchasing postage and revenue stamps for the use of the various departments of the City government.

The following Ordinance No. 557 was received from the Common Council:

Ordinance No. 557.

An Ordinance Directing the Board of Public Works to Construct an Engine House for the Chemical Engine Recently Purchased by the City of San Diego.

Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Ordinance 557 Section 1. That the Board of Public Works of the said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the construction of an Engine House upon Block 280 in Horton's Addition in said City, for the Chemical Engine House recently purchased by this City.

Florence Height That such engine house be constructed according to the plans therefor, made by C. A. Logan and on file in the office of the City Clerk.

That the cost of such engine house shall not exceed nine hundred dollars (\$900<sup>00</sup>)

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

Certificate of Clerk attached.

The above Ordinance was read and ordered placed on file, and in accordance therewith the following resolution, duly seconded, was carried, Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian voting "aye". —

Sec'y autho- Be It Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby autho-  
nized to adver- rized and directed to advertise for bids in accordance with the provisions  
tai for Bids of Ordinance No. 557, and in accordance with the plans and specifications  
for Engine prepared for the same by C. A. Logan, Architect, and on file in the office  
House of the City Clerk of the City of San Diego, Cal. Said bids to be return-  
 able to this Board between the hours of 10 and 11 O'clock A. M. on  
 Tuesday the 1<sup>st</sup>. day of October 1898. —

City Engineer The following Joint Resolution No. 1050, was received  
instructed to from the City Council, read, ordered placed on file, and the City  
prepare estimate Engineer instructed to furnish the estimate called for in said Resolution.  
for grading B.  
st. from 21st  
to 24th.

Joint Resolution No. 1050.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows: —

That the City Engineer of said City of San Diego be, and

said City Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to make and furnish to this Common Council an estimate of the cost of grading to the official grade that portion of "B" street in said City from the West line of Twenty-first Street to the West line of Twenty-fourth street.

Certificate of Clerk attached.

Quartemass  
rental permission  
build owning  
W. Corner of  
8th & H.

Upon the request of R. Quartemass, by J. M. Robinson his attorney, permission was granted to said Quartemass to erect a wooden awning across the sidewalk in front of Building at the North-West Corner of 8th. and H. streets, in the City of San Diego, Cal. Said awning to be constructed in strict accordance with the provisions of Section No. 35 of Ordinance No. 102, approved November 25th 1890.

The vote by Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian being "aye". -

Bills read  
allowed.

The following Bills were read and ordered approved, Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting "aye"

#### Fire Department.

4911	M. B. Hiatt	Step ladder	350
4925	Geo. W. Carey	Shoeing Horses	1200
4928	R. P. Guinan	Glazing	320
4935	Hamilton Bros.	Supplies.	797
4947	Russ L. & M. Co.	Lumber	76
4948	Pacific Wood & Coal Co.	Feed for Horses	7935
4993	S. D. Water Co.	Water	935
5018	Pacific Drug Co.	Chemicals	971
			<u>12575</u>

#### General Fund.

5024	S. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Lightning Plaza Band Stand.	800
			<u>800</u>

#### Public Buildings.

4908.	L. St. Jones	Rent	2500
4909	R. G. Clark	"	2500
4914	D. Hitchcock Ag't.	"	1250
4915	D. G. Stephens	"	10000
			<u>16250</u>
		Am't. Carried Over	

# Public Buildings. (Continued.)

		Am't Brought for'd.	16250
4922	J. W. Sefton	Rent	3000
5019	S. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.		<u>3545</u>
			<u>22795</u>

## Office.

5014	Bd. of Public Works	Postage + Revenue Stamps.	25000
5023	M. A. Wertheimer	Stationery	<u>3720</u>
			<u>6220</u>

Board adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest: A. H. Dixon

Secretary

A. H. Dixon,

President.

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 13th. 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called together in regular form. There were present Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney.

Minutes read  
and approved.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Secretary instructed  
and communication  
to Council calling attention to the  
fact that the Palms on the Plaza are being injured by  
persons breaking off the leaves, and that, in the opinion of the  
Board, to effectively stop this, it will be necessary to add to the  
height of the protecting frames built around each palm, and re-  
questing that authority be granted the Board of Public Works  
to have such work done at a cost not to exceed Twenty-five  
Dollars (\$25<sup>00</sup>).

Dr. Magee, of the Board of Health, appeared before  
this Board, and called the Board's attention to the unsanitary  
conditions existing at the lower end of Tenth street, by reason of  
the stagnant waters on the North side of the Railway Tracks, and  
suggested that the Railway Companies be made to place Culverts  
under the tracks to properly drain the street.

Whereupon, By Resolution duly seconded, Commissioners  
Davis, Julian & Whitney voting "aye", the Superintendent of Streets  
was instructed to make an examination of the premises and  
cause such work to be done as will improve the Sanitary Condition  
of the street.

Requesting  
Council to  
front Board  
authority  
to repair  
building  
Howard tract.

By Resolution duly seconded, Commissioners Davis,  
Julian and Whitney voting "aye", the Secretary was instructed  
to address a Communication to the Common Council  
requesting authority to have the building on the Howard  
Tract repaired and fitted as a residence for the Superintendent of  
Parks; the Board believing that the Superintendent of Parks being  
on the ground would be able to devote more time to looking after,  
and watering the trees, etc. on the Howard Tract, and that this improved  
service would more than compensate for the expense of making necessary repairs.

The following communication from the City Engineer was received and read:-

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 13th 1898.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:

Communication  
from City  
Engineer  
about Water  
Pipes being  
laid by the  
S.C.M.W. Co.

I wish to call your attention to the fact, that the Southern California Mountain Water Co. is at the present time placing in the streets of this City a system of Water pipes, which they claim is a part of the proposed water works, as designed by me, in accordance with Ordinance No. 356, and as outlined in that certain contract or agreement, made and entered into on the 9th day of May 1896, by and between the Southern California Mountain Water Co. and this City, to furnish water, and construct a system of Water works. If this is the case, it is absolutely necessary that the proper care be taken to see that the specifications are followed.

This will incur some expense in the way of Inspectors, surveys, etc.

Very Truly Yours

(signed.) Edwin M. Capps

City Engineer.

Above Commu-  
nication referred  
to Council

Whereupon, By the affirmative vote of Commissioners, Davis, Whitney and Julian, a Resolution was adopted directing the Secretary to address a Communication to the Common Council, transmitting the above letter of the City Engineer, and asking for specific instructions in the matter.

Board  
adjourned.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, October 18th 1898, at 10. a.m.

Attest: F. H. Dixon

Secretary

M. J. Davis. President

San Diego, Oct. 18th 1898-

Tuesday, 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting.

The meeting was called to order in regular form. There were present, Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney.

Minutes read  
and approved.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Joint Res. No. 1055  
Deno filed.

The following Joint Resolution No. 1055, was received from the Common Council, read, and ordered placed on file.

Joint Resolution No. 1055.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That M. C. Willis be and he is hereby authorized and permitted to grade that portion of Seventeenth Street in front of Lot (11) Eleven in Block Fifty-Two in Sherman's Addition in the said City of San Diego, to the established grade of said street, and to the center line thereof.

Certificate of Clerk attached.

The following Communication from the City Engineer was received and read:-

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 18th. 1898-

To the Hon. Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:

If the water pipes now being laid on lower "D" street are not being laid under the original water contract between the Southern California Mountain Water Co. and this City (this question having been referred by your Hon. Pbody to the Common Council, and by them referred to the Joint Water Committee; action on the same cannot be possible until the next meeting on Nov. 7th, and by that time the greater portion of the pipes will have been laid and without inspection) then the pipes must be laid either under Ordinance No. 541 passed by the Common Council July 25th 1898, which grants to the Southern

California Mountain Water Co. the right to lay fresh water pipes, and under the supervision of the Superintendent of Streets, or under Ordinance No. 552 passed by the Common Council on Sept. 6th 1898, grants to E. S. Babcock the right to lay salt water pipes under the supervision of the City Engineer. The question is, what is it Salt, or Fresh.

Very Truly  
 (signed) Edwin M. Capps.  
 City Engineer.

City attorney  
advice  
Board. During the discussion that followed the reading of the above letter, it was deemed best to secure the advice of the City attorney, whose presence was requested.

Upon Mr. H. S. Doolittle appearing before the Board, the matter was explained to him in detail, and upon his advice, the following communication was ordered sent to the Southern California Mountain Water Co.:-

San Diego, California, October 18th. 1898.  
 Southern California Mountain Water Co.

San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:

Communi-  
cation sent  
to the Sou.  
Cal. Mt. Wa-  
ter - Co. The fact has been called to our attention that you have commenced, or are about to commence the laying of water pipe in the streets of the City of San Diego, and that you now have a force at work on "D" street in the said City of San Diego, digging a trench for the purpose of laying such pipe.

We are desirous of knowing and, therefore, ask whether or not you expect to consider the pipe which you are now so laying, or about to so lay, as being laid in accordance with the contract and plans and specifications for the proposed water system, heretofore entered into by you with the City of San Diego, and whether or not you expect to turn over and deliver such pipe when so laid, or any portion thereof, to the City, in accordance with, or in part performance of the terms of said Contract, or whether you expect to consider said pipe, when so laid, as a part of the system described and mentioned in said contract and in the plans and estimates of the system of water works mentioned and described in said contract and in the plans and estimates of the system of water works mentioned and described in said contract.

Kindly favor us with a reply at your earliest possible convenience and oblige  
 Yours Respectfully (signed) W. J. Davis

" A. H. Julian

" H. P. Whitney

Commissioners of the Board of Public Works of  
 the City of San Diego, California.

Bids received  
In construction  
Engine House

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works on Tuesday the 18th day of October 1898, between the hours of 10 and 11 A.M. for the construction of an Engine House on Block No. 280 of Horton's Addition, the following bid was received:

Bidder	Portf. Check	Amt. of Bid.
Fred. E. Libby & G. M. Kimball,	\$58 <sup>00</sup>	\$1145 <sup>00</sup>

The bid of F. E. Johnston, not being made in regular form and not containing a certified<sup>✓</sup>, as required, was not considered.

Bids rejected

The bid made by F. E. Libby & G. M. Kimball, being for more than the amount named in Ordinance No. 557, Viz.:— Nine hundred dollars, (\$900<sup>00</sup>) was rejected upon motion duly made and seconded, Commissioners, Davis, Julian & Whitney, voting "aye".

Sec'y. instructed  
re-advertise  
Bids for  
the Construction  
of Engine House

Upon motion duly made and seconded, Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney voting "aye", the Secretary was instructed to re-advertise for Bids for constructing an Engine House on Block No. 280 of Horton's addition, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 557. Said bids to be returnable to this Board between the hours of 10 and 11 A.M. on Monday the 24th day of October 1898.

Board adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest: F. H. Dixon  
Secretary

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, October 20th. 1898.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called to order in regular form. There were present Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian.

Minutes read  
and approved

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Board adjourned

There being no further business, the Board adjourned until 10.30 O'clock<sup>A.M.</sup> of Monday October 24th, 1898.

Attest: F. H. Dixon  
Secretary

H. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal - Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Tuesday 10.30 A.M.

Special meeting:-

All

present

The meeting was called together in regular form  
Present were Commissioners Julian Whitney & Davis.

minutes

dispensed with

Bids on

Engine

House

In accordance with an advertisement calling  
for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public  
Works on Tuesday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of October 1898. between the  
hours of 10 <sup>and</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. for the construction of an  
Engine House on Block No. 280 of Hortons Addition the  
following bid was received

Rejected

notin form

Bidder	Bertf. Check	Amt of Bid.
Jenkins	45 <sup>00</sup>	\$400.-

Said Bid was accompanied with a certified check  
payable to the Board of Public Works, the same not  
being in proper form and upon advice of the City attorney  
said bid was rejected and the Secretary instructed  
to re-advertise for bids to be returnable on Monday  
Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> 1898. at 10<sup>30</sup> A.M.

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

I. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Wednesday 9 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

all  
present

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian Whitney and Davis.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

The following communication was received from E. S. Babcock, Pres't So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Messrs. W. J. Davis, A. H. Julian and H. P. Whitney.

Board of Public Works, of the  
City of San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:-

Communication Your communication of Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>, in reference to laying water pipes in the streets of the City of San Diego, is received today from Mr. E. S. Babcock on my return from the County.

regard to  
laying pipe I beg leave to say to you that the pipes which are being laid, and which are expected to be laid, are being and will be laid in accordance with the contract, plans, and specifications for the proposed water system of the City of San Diego; and, whether the same will be turned over and delivered to the City, under the contract with it, is a matter to be determined by the Courts.

Yours truly.

E. S. Babcock  
President"

In accordance with said communication and by the unanimous Aye vote of the Board the following resolution was ordered addressed to the Mayor. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal. Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Hon. D. C. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego, Calif.

Dear Sir:-

We respectfully recommend to your Honor that you call the Common Council together in Special Session tomorrow, Thursday Evening for the purpose of authorizing the Board of Public Works to appoint an inspector on the pipe laying now being done by the So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co.

To authorize  
appointment  
Inspector

To take notes and gather any information that may be of value to the City of San Diego, at any time in the future and to have and keep said information as a matter of record.

There being no further business the Board adjourned:

Attest:-

G.H. Dixon

Secretary

W.J. Davis President

San Diego, Cal. Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Wednesday 2 P.M.

Special meeting.

Meeting called together in regular form, there being  
present Commissioners, Davis & Whitney  
absent " Julian.

President Davis stated that after having studied over  
 the advisability in regard to the sending of the communication  
 adopted at the morning session to the mayor he believed it  
 would be better to rescind same and to authorize the  
 City Engineer to perform said work.

In consequence thereof the following resolution was  
 adopted by the following vote.

Commissioners Davis and Whitney voting Aye  
 " Julian being absent.

"Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the  
 City of San Diego, as follows:

Communication to mayor of Morning Session recinded.  
 That the action taken by the Board in directing  
 the Secretary to address the following communication to the Hon.  
 Mayor Viz: "We respectfully recommend that your Honor call the  
 Common Council together in special session tomorrow Thursday  
 Evening for the purpose of authorizing the Board of  
 Public Works to appoint an inspector on the pipe  
 laying now being done by the So. Cal. Mtn Water Co.  
 to take notes and gather any information that  
 may be of value to the City of San Diego at any time  
 in the future, and to have and keep said information  
 as a matter of record." be and the same is hereby  
 recinded.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a  
 unanimous Aye Vote the following resolution was  
 adopted. Viz:-

City Engineer appointed as Inspector over pipe laying  
 "Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works  
 of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby  
 directed to examine and inspect the work now being  
 done and to be done by the Southern California Mountain  
 Water Company in laying and constructing a pipeline

in the City of San Diego for the purpose of ascertaining whether said pipeline is being constructed according to the plans and specifications set forth in the and described in that certain contract heretofore entered into between the City of San Diego and the said Southern California Mountain Water Company and to report thereon to this Board."

The Secretary was instructed to make a copy of the communication of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst written to the So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co. and the answer thereto dated the 24<sup>th</sup> inst from the So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co., also the action taken by the Board of Public Works in instructing the City Engineer to take notes and gather information in regard to pipe laying by the So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co., in the City of San Diego, Cal. etc. and embody said communications and instructions in a communication and forward same to the Common Council.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Adjourned.

Attest:-  
J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.      W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting.

all present The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

minutes approved The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimousaye vote the following resolution was adopted. Viz:-

Order upon Common Council for \$50<sup>00</sup> for Stamps. Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego;

That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to petition the Common Council for an order for \$50<sup>00</sup>, for postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Government.

Order for City maps for Atty's office. City Attorney makes requisition for a set of City maps for the use of his office. The same was referred to the City Engineer with instructions to supply same.

Authority to repair City Hall. A communication was received from Mr. D.G. Stephens of Los Angeles Cal. the owner of this building (the City Hall) to have said building repaired whenever it needs it. Said communication is dated Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1898. The same was ordered placed on file.

Adjourned No further business the Board Adjourned

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. Oct 31<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> A.M.

Special Meeting:-

All

Present

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

reading minutes  
dispensed with.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

Bids received  
for  
construction

<u>Engine House</u>	<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Certf. Check.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>
	g. A. Jenkins.	\$45.00	\$900.00

Jenkins  
awarded the  
Contract

Mrs. g. A. Jenkins being the only bidder and as his bid was within the limit of the appropriation and upon motion being duly seconded the contract for the furnishing of materials and the construction of said Engine House was awarded to him by the following vote. Viz:- Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

Adjourned:

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon.

Secretary.

S. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Recess till  
2 P.M.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the Board took a recess until 2 o'clock P.M.

F. H. Dixon, Secretary.

San Diego, Cal. Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898.

Thursday 2 P.M.

Present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes  
approved.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted by a unanimous Aye vote.

Bridge  
across.

Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Bridge over the North Cholla Creek on the Mount Hope Cemetery Road be and the same is hereby accepted, the same having been completed in accordance with the plans and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works. Also that the bill in the sum of \$724<sup>00</sup>, the contract price, be approved.

Bills approved.

The following bills were read and approved.

Public Health

Street Light

5087 S.D. Gas & Elec Co. Light

\$125000

(N.T.)

Public Building

5020	M. Riveroll	Storeroom June to Oct 1 <sup>st</sup> 4 mos.	\$400
5022	A. Hitchcock agt.	Rent 2 Blk 99 Hortons	1250
void. 5027	A.E. Horton	2	
5030	L. A. Jones	Rent 60 <sup>1/2</sup> & B 41 to Nov 21	2500
5031	R. G. Clark	" " D. " 112	2500
5043	J. W. Sefton	" " H. " 10 for Oct.	2000
5084	S. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light	4205
5123	F. S. Jennings	Keeping prisoners	5000
5124	S.D. County	Rent Jail Oct	1000
5135	S. D. Sun Pub. Co.	Adv. Eng House	30
			\$19885

Office a/c

5026	Harris and Cheatham	Printing	240
5028	Davis & Dranga Co.	Plum bob	50
5035	Bancroft Whitney Co	"Foster's Federal Practice"	1700
5044	Arey & Jones	Rep. Roller Typewriter etc	1200
5059	E.H. Sullivan	Printing	850
5072	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	1 ton coal	1100
5097	Stenhouse & Co.	Printing	150
5099	S.D. Paint Co.	Material for painting floor	293
5122	Garrison & Smith	Printing	300
			\$5983

General a/c

4957	Sunset Tel & Tel Co.	Phone City Park	250
5086	S. D. Gas & Elec Lt. Co.	Light	100
5114	S.D. Water Co.	Water	350
5129	S.D. Sun Pub Co.	Printing	1592
5132	J. S. Johnstone & Son	Rep gas leak	125
			\$2417

Fire Hydrant

5121	S. D. Water Co.	Water	\$80833
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### Fire Department

5029	Davis & Dranga Co.	Sash Cord & 3 bolts	72
5046	W.W. Richards	Dentistry, Horse.	700
5050	R.P. Guinan	Glasses for fire alarm boxes	125
5060	Hamilton Bros.	Dusters, Brooms, Sponges etc.	1131
5061	Geo. W. Tarey	Shoeing 13 horses	1560
5063	Wm. McClain	Hay, grain etc.	13503
5071	W.C. Miner	Lumber, nails etc.	961
5088	Will C. Popping	Celluloid Ring, Rep. lines etc.	120
5101	S.D. Hardware Co.	Crushing Saw and Hook	295
5104	J.A. Heath	625 ft. Hemp line	170
5115	S.D. Water Co.	Water	925
			<u>\$19562</u>

### Salary

5079	Public Works	* 32500
5092	Engineers	<u>22500</u>
		<u>*55000</u>

### Park Improvement

5078	Pay Roll	* 3600
5034	Todd & Hawley	50
5037	S.D. Sun Pub. Co.	35
5047	Todd & Hawley	20
5051	Nash & Phipps	45
5094	W.P. Fullerton Co.	50
5105	A. Kindler	25
5106	S.D. Water Co.	2060
		<u>*5835</u>

### Sewer and Drainage.

5076	Pay Roll	6600
5120	S.D. Water Co.	<u>7812</u>
		<u>*14412</u>

Street Repairs

5091	Pay Roll		\$115 00
5040	Graham & Weldon	200 grade stakes, (Engr.)	3 00
5048	Todd & Hawley	.2x8x16x4 - stdw.	2 82
5052	R.J. Blair	Tontr. of abstract	5 50
5057	N.J. Stark	Hauling rubbish.	1 25
5065	J.G. Springer	" boards & dirt	50
5069	S.D. Lumber Co.	Lumber	3 25
5102	E. M. Taffe	St. Car fare	1 20
5117	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	5 82
5118	S.D. Water Co.	Water,                      troughs	18 35
5127	S.D. Sun Pub Co.	Printing	75
5133	J.S. Johnstone Sons	Ball, Cock & Seas	2 75
5134	Evans & Chadwick	Building bridge Cemetery Road	724 00
5053	Owen McLaughley	Right of way         "	100 00
			\$ 984 19

Street Sweeping.

5091	Pay Roll		\$338 50
5039	Graham & Weldon	Spools for Sweeper	9 50
5049	Ah Ruim	Bamboos	22 44
5062	C.W. Twambly	Making brooms	18 00
5064	Geo. W. Carey	Repairs on Sweeper	3 00
5126	E. O. Rogers	"        "        "	10 95
5103	S.D. Paint Co.	Mohn Castor	1 50
			\$ 403 89

Street Sprinkling

5091	Pay Roll		\$423 00
5054	Geo. A. Benson	Duck Hose	75
5058	S. J. Merrill Oil Co.	10 Gal Gasoline	1 60
5068	S.D. Hdw. Co.	3 wrenches	2 00
5081	Schultheiss Bros.	1 Sprinkler	8 50
5095	Silvergate Oil Co.	Gasoline	5 60
5116	H.L. Parrott	Repairs	14 20
5119	S.D. Water Co.	Water	8 65
5128	S.D. Elec. Ry Co.	Salt water	12 70
			\$ 478 10

Adjourned

Upon a motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the Board adjourned until Saturday 10<sup>30</sup> o'clock A.M. November the 5<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Reconvened Saturday 10<sup>30</sup> A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

Present were Commissioners  
Absent "

Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.  
Whitney.

To approve executing the contract with Mr. G. F. Jenkins and approving Bonds & Excuse Contract

The meeting was called for the purpose of executing the contract with Mr. G. F. Jenkins and approving the bonds therefor, for the construction of the Chemical Fire Engine House to be located on Block #280, of Horton's Addition in accordance with the terms of his bid therefor as was submitted to this Board on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 1898.

Contract Bond not prepared

The City Attorney not having the contract and bond prepared, the Board upon motion being duly seconded and a unanimous Aye vote adjourned till Monday 10 o'clock A.M. the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1898.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis President

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 9th, 1898.

Monday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:

Present:	Commissioners	Julian and Davis.
Absent:	"	Whitney

Recess Mr. G. S. Jenkins being present and not having his bondsmen ready asks that the Board take a recess till 4<sup>30</sup> P.M.

The same was ordered by the President.

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

reassembled Monday 4<sup>30</sup> P.M.

Present	Commissioners	Julian and Davis.
Absent	"	Whitney.

Contract & Bond for Chemical Fire Engine House The contract for the construction of the Chemical Fire Engine House to be erected on Block 280 Horton's Addition and the required bonds therefor having been prepared and Mr. G. S. Jenkins being present and desirous of executing the same.

Executed It was moved and duly seconded that the contract for the construction of said Engine House be executed.

Commissioners	Julian voting Aye
"	Davis "
"	Whitney being absent

Bond not satisfactory requested by Jenkins to secure additional bondsmen The Bond in the sum of \$500.00 for the faithful performance of said aforementioned contract and the material and labor bond in the sum of \$500.00 being presented with Messrs. W. O. Colhemus and Chas. E. Wood as sureties, the Board upon investigating concludes that so far as they are able to ascertain they do not deem the Bond sufficient; therefore they notified Mr. Jenkins that he will be required to furnish an additional surety before said bond and contract will be approved.

Adjourned until Wednesday 10 A.M. No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon Secy.

President:-

San Diego, Cal. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Re-assembled. Wednesday 10. A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:

Present Commissioners  
Absent

Julian and Davis  
Whitney.

Requested  
to procure  
Bondsmen  
by Thursday  
Regular  
Meeting

Mr. G. F. Jenkins being present asks that he be allowed more time within which to secure the additional bondsmen required by the Board. Mr. Jenkins was requested to procure said bondsman and present the name at the next regular meeting, viz Thursday 10. A.M. November 10<sup>th</sup> 98.

Adjourned.

The Board thereupon adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. F. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Contract and Bonds for the engine house approved  
Mr. G. F. Jenkins being present presents the name of Aug. R. Schmipff as the additional surety on the bonds that the Board require of him on his contract for the construction of the Chemical Fire Engine House to be located on block #280. of Hortons Addition. Mr. Schmipff being a satisfactory surety. The Board upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote approved said Contract and said Bonds.

Minutes. The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

Comm. to Council bitumen A St. bet. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>  
The secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council in relation to the bitumone patchwork that is necessary to be done on "A" Street between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Streets: and also that the Electric Ry. Co., is holding back their work awaiting the action of the Common Council.

Ord. water trees toward track filed  
Ordinance #562, authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to expend Fifty Dollars for Labor in watering the trees in the "Howard Track", was read and ordered on file.

Ord. for Constructing sewer on Hawthorn St. & See st. to Adv. - bids.  
"Ordinance #563, providing for the repair of the wooden trestle and the sewer on Third and Hawthorn Streets in the City of San Diego, California," was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary directed to advertise for bids for the construction of said Sewer in accordance with said Ordinance #563, and in accordance with the plans and specifications as furnished by the City Engineer.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest: T. H. Dixon Secy.

J. J. Davis

President

San Diego, Cal. Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council, Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1057.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and is hereby given to A. Stegeman, to make a connection with the sewer on twenty-fourth street and to construct a sewer from such connection so made, in and through the alley in block nine (9) of Kimball's addition to San Diego, California, said sewer to be constructed according to specifications to be prepared and furnished by the City Engineer of said City of San Diego, and under his supervision, and at the expense of the said A. Stegeman; provided, that the said A. Stegeman shall also procure permission to make said connection and construct said sewer, from the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California."

Clerks Certificate Attached"

"Joint Resolution #1058.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and is hereby given to B. L. Major to repair, alter, and change a frame house which he has moved upon the South half of Lot "K" in Block nineteen (19) of Horton's Addition to the City of San Diego, California; and also to build another frame house on the North half of said Lot "K"; and also to build a small barn upon the rear of said lot.

Clerks Certificate Attached."

"Joint Resolution #1059.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:  
 That permission be and the same is hereby granted  
 to R. Quartermass to erect a wooden awning in front of his store  
 on "H" street between Seventh and Eighth Streets in said city,  
 said awning to be supported by iron posts to extend across and  
 over the sidewalk to curb from building.

Clerks Certificate Attached."

"Joint Resolution #1060.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be requested to  
 furnish the Common Council the status of the Cemetery road,  
 for which the amount of \$3,000<sup>00</sup> was appropriated for the  
 construction of the same last April.

Clerks Certificate Attached."

"Joint Resolution #1061.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be  
 and is hereby authorized and empowered to incur an  
 indebtedness, not exceeding two hundred dollars, in purchasing  
 the necessary assessment books and supplies for the City  
 Assessor that will enable him to make the assessment  
 for fiscal year 1899.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditor's Certificate Attached."

"Joint Resolution #1064.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

That the Government of the United States  
 be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to lay and  
 construct a pipe line from the reservoir of the San Diego  
 Water Company, on Point Loma, near the Government

Reservation line to the quarantine Station at La Playa, through Pueblo Lot 106 of the Pueblo lands of this City, which Lot belongs to said City;

That such pipe line, to be so laid, shall be three inches (3") in diameter and laid at least one foot (1') under the surface of the ground;

That this permit is granted in pursuance of a request therefore, under date of November 12<sup>th</sup>, 1898, and on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Oberks Certificate Attached.

The foregoing Joint Resolutions were read and ordered placed on file.

The Auditor having made requisition for blanks and assessment roll books, The Secretary invited proposals for same with the following result:

Baker Bros. being the lowest bidder on printing agree to do the following work at the following prices.

9000. Assessment Stmtz. on 20 lb. chemical manilla paper for 2760

1200. Personal Tax Reccts. bound, numbered etc 100 to book " 3.25

1,000. Notices, gummed on back, upper margin. " 1.50 \$32.35

Said foregoing work was awarded to Baker Bros.

R. Schiller being the lowest bidder on the 10 Assessment Roll Books was awarded the Contract at his figure \$80<sup>00</sup>

The Secretary was instructed to make a copy of the request <sup>of Oct. 27</sup> to the Common Council for Stamps: also to petition the Common Council for \$1000.- for Street Repairs.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon.

Secretary. St. J. Cavis.

President:-

San Diego, Cal., Nov 21<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Monday 3 P.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis

Minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting  
was dispensed with.

Stiles resigns Mr. Harvey C. Stiles in a communication dated Nov 20/98  
tenders his resignation as Superintendent of Parks to take effect  
at once.

Resignation accepted. Upon motion being duly seconded said resignation  
was duly accepted by the following vote. Viz:-  
Commissioner Whitney voting Aye  
" Julian " "  
" Davis " "

Applications The following persons made application for  
Superintendent of Parks: Viz:-

Thomas Netting,  
W. H. Robinson.  
Frank Belden.

Belden appointed Supt. of Parks Upon vote being taken upon the applicants  
Mr. Frank Belden received two (2) and Mr. W. H. Robinson one (1).  
Mr. Belden having received the majority of all the  
votes cast was declared the choice of the Board, he was  
thereupon appointed Supt. of Parks of the City of San Diego  
California.

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:

J. A. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

R. A. Smith

Petitions

extension

time till

Dec 20/98

Granted.

Mr. R. A. Smith under date of November 22<sup>nd</sup> 1898, petitions for an extension of time in which to complete his contract in grading the Mt. Hope Cemetery Road, desiring until December 20<sup>th</sup> 1898 in which to complete said work.

There being no objection, and by a unanimous Aye vote said extension of time was granted.

Belden

granted

leave absence

2 weeks

Mr. Frank Belden petitions for a leave of absence of two weeks from today naming as a substitute in his place Mr. Stiles as brother to ex-Supt. Harvey C. Stiles.

There being no objection said leave of absence was granted.

Resolution

elogizing

Stiles

The following resolution was offered, the same upon being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote was adopted. The resolution is as follows, to-wit:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That we, in accepting the resignation of Mr. Harvey C. Stiles, as Superintendent of Parks, do so with great reluctance.

We fully recognize the fact that our Parks under his able management and with the limited amount of funds at his disposal are in excellent condition.

We appreciate the service rendered: and we wish him well in his new departure.

Calling

for

bids

Sewer

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered <sup>at the office</sup> of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, between the hours of 10<sup>and</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. on Tuesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1898, for the construction of a sewer on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street between Doy and Hawthorn Streets, the following bids were received;

Viz:-

Bidders:	Certf. Checks:	Am't of Bid:
Tom Shanley	\$10.00	\$120.00
Otto Walmgren	15.00	275.00
Isaac D. Snedecor	15.00	296.50
Thos. Kettling	7.50	124.00
A. G. Chadwick	10.00	187.00
James McGuire	15.00	237.00

Shanley awarded contract  
 Tom Shanley being the lowest bidder, upon motion being duly seconded the contract for the construction of the sewer in 3rd Street between Ivy and Hawthorn Streets was awarded to said Tom Shanley at his bid, viz \$120<sup>00</sup>, by a unanimous Aye vote of the Board.

Return checks  
 The Secretary was instructed to return the certified checks to the unsuccessful bidders.

Bills approved  
 Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the following bills were read and approved.

5036	H. D. Nichols & Co.	2 paper targets	.40
5038	" " "	120 white pasters	.65
5152	" " "	120 cartridges	14.00
5055	Geo A. Benson	frame for canvas target	2.55

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,  
 Secretary.

J. J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal. Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Friday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners. Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Thursday, being Thanksgiving day, a legal holiday, the regular meeting was held this (Friday) day.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular, special and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council. Tigr.

Joint Resolution #1065.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and permitted to bituminize about two hundred and eighty (280) square feet of "D" Street between Third and Fourth Streets in the City of San Diego, California, at a cost not to exceed twenty-eight dollars (\$28.00)

The above permit and authority is given in pursuance of a request wherefore to this Common Council, by said Board of Public Works, bearing date November 10<sup>th</sup>, 1898.

Certificate of Clerk attached.

Certificate of Auditor attached.

Motion

Moved and Seconded that Oliver Reed be allowed to insure the Fire Engine House, located on Block #280. Horton's Addition for at \$750<sup>00</sup>

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, Voting Aye.

Eng House

Oliver Reed

Adjourned.

Attest:-



A. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

H. J. Davis,

President.

Monday 2 P.M.

San Diego Cal. Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Julian and Davis,  
absent " Whitney.

Meeting Called

Approve Bond

Aye

Contract

The meeting was called for the purpose of executing  
the contract and approving the bond of Mr. Tom Shanley for the  
construction of a sewer in Third Street between Hawthorne & Joy  
Streets.

Contract  
Ordered  
Executed

The contract for the construction of a sewer in 3rd Street  
between Hawthorne and Joy Streets, in accordance with plans  
and specifications therefor on file in the office of the Board of Public  
Works, having been let to Mr. Tom Shanley for the sum of \$120<sup>00</sup> on  
the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1898; and in accordance with the law  
requiring a notice of said award to be posted for 5 days in a  
conspicuous place in said office before the said contract shall  
be executed; and as said notice was duly posted as required  
by law.

It was moved and duly seconded that the contract  
with said Shanley be executed.

Commissioner Julian voting Aye.  
" Davis " "  
" Whitney being absent.

Bonds  
Ordered  
Approved

The Bond in the sum of \$100<sup>00</sup> for the faithful  
performance of said Contract: And the "Mechanics, Materialmen  
and Laborers Bond" in the sum of \$60<sup>00</sup> with messrs. A. E.  
Davis and H. M. Willard as Sureties on each bond, were presented.  
and upon motion being duly Seconded was approved by a  
unanimous Aye vote.

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

H. J. Davis, President:-

San Diego, Cal. Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1898.

Thursday 2 P.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular and special meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolution No. 1071, was received and ordered on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1071.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That whereas, the Southern California Railway Company has petitioned the Common Council for a franchise to lay and maintain its railroad switches and tracks upon Atlantic Street from the North line of "H" Street to the South line of "B" Street in the said City of San Diego, California,

Therefore, be it resolved that the said Company be and is hereby granted the temporary right to lay its switches and tracks on said Atlantic Street, from the North line of "H" Street to the South line of "B" Street in said City of San Diego, California.

I hereby approve the foregoing resolution this 29<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1898.

D.C. Reed.

Mayor of the City of San Diego.

Ordinance No. 566.

Sale of  
old lumber  
sewer

An Ordinance providing for the sale of the lumber in the truss supporting the sewer at Third & Hawthorn Streets in the City of San Diego, California; was read and ordered on file.

Ordinance No. 569.

500<sup>00</sup> Stamps

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California to purchase \$50<sup>00</sup> worth of postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Govt. was read and ordered on file.

own. to  
initial grade  
1st Eng  
house

I was moved & seconded that the City Engineer be instructed to make an estimate of the cost of the grading off of the lot upon which the Chemical Engine sets.

Commissioner Whitney voting aye  
 " Julian " "  
 " Davis " "

The following bills were read and approved. Viz:-

5218	S.D. Water Co.	Fire Hydrant	Water	\$ 808 33
5183	S.D. Gas & Elec Lt Co.	Street Lights		\$ 1250 00
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		Office a/c		\$ 2058 33
5145	M. A. Wertheimer & Co.	Stationery		\$ 2213
5165	Cal. Rubber Stamp Co.	Ink		70
5167	Stenhouse & Co.	Letter heads		1075
5180	Board of Public Works	Postage Stamps \$50 <sup>00</sup> To be distributed various deptmts.		
5191	San Diego Hardware Co.	Window brush, wiper, pokers, shovels etc		310
5192	M. A. Wertheimer & Co	Stationery		2050
5193	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	1/2 ton Coal		575
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		General a/c		\$ 6293
5147	Sunset Tel & Tel Co.	Phone	Park	<hr/> 250
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		Salary a/c		
5200	Public Works	Pay Roll		\$ 32500
5197	Engineers	" "		<hr/> 22500
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		Public Buildings		\$ 55000
5148	R. G. Clark	Sr Lot & - Block 112 Mortons		2500
5150	L. A. Jones	" I " 41 "		2500
5158	D. Hitchcock, agt	" I " 99 "		1250
5166	J.W. Sefton	" H " 10 "		2000
5171	Oliver C. Reed	Insurance Eng House		1125
5184	S.D. Gas & Elec Lt Co.	Light		<hr/> 5190
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				\$ 15565

Fire Department

5210	Pay Roll	Labor	\$1100 00
5172	Hamilton Bros.	Sponges, polish, Oil, Brooms, Duster etc	770
5173	J.W. Braund Co.	Rag br-carb Soda	336
5176	Geo. W. Carey	Shoeing horses	1200
5177	Wm McLain	Hay, grain etc	14639
5211	Russell Mill S.	Lumber	1837
5219	J.D. Hdw. Co.	Locks & hinges	123
			<u>\$1289 05</u>

Park Dept.

5204	Pay Roll	Labor	\$1600
5157	Dodd & Hawley	Wrench & Axe	275
			<u>\$1875</u>

Sewer & Drainage

5203	Pay Roll	Labor	\$7200
5163	J. J. Schirm	Cement	225
5169	L. King Kendall	Hauling Lumber	50
5217	J.D. Water Co.	Water	7200
			<u>\$14675</u>

Street Repairs

5206	Pay Roll	Labor	7200
5152	Frank Foley	Express	50
5161	Evans & Chadwick	Extra lumber in bridge	25
5162	Frank Foley	Express	50
5170	Wm Wilson	Hirey Hire, St Committee	350
5174	J.D. Lumber Co.	Lumber	1066
5181	Frank Foley	Expressage	50
5185	E.M. Tapps	Tar fare	225
5188	J. Kingswood	Hauling	225
5189	J.D. Hdw. Co.	Nails, Burners, globes	375
5213	H.L. Simmonds	Square, axe (monkey-wrench) etc	695
5214	C.A. Nagle	Bitumen, on D. bet 3 & 4	2800
5220	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	920
5222	Levi Stark & Sons Co.	Hauling	50
			<u>\$1441</u>

Sprinkling a/c

5206	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 86 00
5152	Clarke & Brandt	Oil for Eng	1 45
5215	J.D. Elec. Ry Co.	Salt Water	7 45
5216	J.D. Water Co	Brush "	9 85
			<u>\$ 104 75</u>

Sweeping a/c

5206	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 338 00
5216	J.D. Water Co.	Water ahead of sweeper	2 60
5144	A.D. Paint Co	Lub. Oil	3 75
5187	R.W. Powell (several gate) oil		80
5208	C. W. Swambly	Mak. Broom	12 00
5209	Ah Quinn	Broom material	<u>22 20</u>
			<u>\$ 378 35</u>

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon

Secretary.

S. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Calif. Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present, were Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following bill was read and approved.

5232

W. P. Fuller & Co., Sperm Oil

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Advertise

for sale

Lumber

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids, and to sell to the highest bidder all that certain lumber that is piled up at the intersection of Third <sup>and</sup> Hawthorn Streets belonging to the City. Said lumber being the lumber taken from the old trestle across the canyon that was used to support the sewer across said canyon.

Julian find  
out who broke  
the globe

Commissioner Julian was delegated as a committee of one to try and ascertain who broke the globe on the lamp post on the N. E. corner of the "D" Street Plaza.

Petition for  
Belden as  
Spl. Police.

The Secretary was directed to address a communication to the Board of Police Commissioners petitioning them to appoint Mr. Frank E. Belding as a special policeman to act as such during his term of office.

Ducky  
wants use  
gasoline Eng.  
Denied.

Mr. A. W. Ducky, 207-8<sup>th</sup> St. petitions the Board for the use of the City's gasoline engine, wants to take same to Cholla Valley for a short time.

Said privilege was denied.

Supply  
Notify Proprietors  
owners fix  
sidewalks

The Supt. of Streets was instructed to notify the owners of the property on 16<sup>th</sup> bet J & K - on "K" bet 18 & 20 Hs bet 14 & 15 Streets, to repair their sidewalks or remove the balance of the boards therefrom.

Supt. Parks  
D' St Plaza

The Secretary was instructed to notify Supt of Parks Belden to wet down the "D' St. Plaza" at least once per. week.

The "Country Club" make application to tap our Park water Pipe.

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the following resolution was adopted.

Bent Resolved, By the Board of Public works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Country Club be, and it is hereby granted permission to tap the City's water pipe leading to the Park; Said tap being for the purpose of securing water simply for culinary purposes. The rental therefor will be \$1<sup>00</sup> per. month.

The Secretary was instructed to purchase 3 books. (day book - cash book & ledger) for Auditor.

Mrs. Harris & Cheatham agree to furnish said books for Auditor for \$2<sup>10</sup> & Schiller to furnish same for \$2<sup>75</sup>

Mrs. Harris & Cheatham was given the work.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council. Viz:

Joint Resolution #1074.

Bent Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Supt. of Parks of said City be and he is hereby directed and requested to investigate and report to the Common Council as soon as possible the names of all parties occupying any portion of any of the public parks of said City of San Diego; and that the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed and requested to investigate and report to this Common Council the names of all parties occupying any of the lands owned by said City exclusive of the public parks, and in such report to show what lands, if any, are being occupied.

Certificate of the Clerk attached.

Seal

The Park Supt. <sup>and</sup> the City Engineer were notified in accordance with said resolution.

Joint Resolution #1075.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego,

Sup't Parks California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have  
Nail, doors & windows the windows in the barn on the "Howard Track" in the City Park,  
windows Barn securely boarded up and fastened so that said building may be protected  
from injury.

Clerk's Certificate Attached.

Auditor's Certificate Attached.

The Sup't of Parks was authorized and directed to proceed in accordance with said Joint Resolution #1075.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon.

Secretary.

J. P. Davis,

President.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

Present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney ~~and~~ Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following claim was read and ordered approved.

5255 C. A. Logan Chemical Eng. House, plans & specifications \$50.00

C. L. Steadman agrees to take care of the police wheel for the department for \$1<sup>00</sup> per month including repairing of punctures.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the same was granted.

Mr. Jenkins petitions for an extension of 30 days time within which to complete his contract with the City in building the Chemical Fire Engine House.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the same was granted.

Mr. R. A. Smith petitions for an extension of 10 days time within which to complete his contract with the City in constructing the Cemetery Road.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the same was granted.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to Mr. O.C. Eberhart stating that he must pay for the globe that was broken by his team while running away. Said globe being located on a lamppost in the N.E. portion of the "D" Street Park, we have several witnesses, who saw said Eberhart's team strike said post.

The City Attorney will be instructed to collect said bill unless paid within five days from date hereof.

The bill in question is for \$2<sup>50</sup> said bill having been heretofore sent to Mr. O.C. Eberhart on Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> 1898.

\$500 allowed  
St. Dept

Ordinance #574, authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to expend five hundred and fifty dollars in repairing the streets of this city, was received this day and ordered placed on file.

Baldon  
reports  
parties on Park

A communication was received from Park Sept. Baldon giving a list of the parties occupying portions of the City Park. The same was read and ordered placed on file, and a copy of same sent to Com

adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. F. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal. Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1898.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read and ordered approved.

N. A. Smith	Grading Cemetery Road as per Contract	\$1049.00
Tom Shanley	Constructing Sewer " " "	\$120.00

The Commissioners of the Board of Public Works, the City Engineer and the Supt. of Streets having looked over the work of the grading of the Cemetery Road, done by Mr. R. A. Smith and found the same to be in accordance with the contract and satisfactory to all parties herein mentioned.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote the following resolution was adopted: to-wit:-

Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Cemetery road, (as graded by Mr. R. A. Smith as per his contract) be and the same is hereby accepted and approved; and his bill for \$1049.00 as per contract is hereby ordered approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote the following resolution was adopted: to-wit:-

Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the work of constructing a sewer in Hawthorn Street between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Streets by Mr. Tom Shanley be and the same is hereby approved; and his bill for \$120.00 as per his contract is hereby ordered approved.

"Ordinance #580. authorizing certain public work to be done within the city of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said city, and directing said Board of Public Works to perform the same". The same was read and

ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance with the said Ordinance.

Resolution recinded

The following resolution was passed Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> 1898. Viz:-  
 "Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego,  
 as follows:-

That the Country Club be, and it is hereby granted permission to tap the City's water pipe leading to the park: said pipe being for the purpose of securing water simply for culinary purposes. The rental therefor will be \$1<sup>00</sup> per month."

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the foregoing resolution was recinded.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was unanimously adopted. Viz:-

"Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego as follows:-

Water Co.  
authorized  
to tap pipe  
running to  
"Howard Track"

That the San Diego Water Company be and it is hereby allowed to tap the water pipe belonging to the City of San Diego Cal. which supplies the tract known as the "Howard Track" for the purpose of supplying water to the Country Club. The water so supplied to be for culinary purposes only. It being also understood that said tap is to be made at a point on said pipe north of the meter which registers the water used by the City at the "Howard Track" so that the City shall not be charged with water used by the Country Club.

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to terminate said privilege at pleasure".

Chief of Police Dept.  
authorized  
to expend  
\$25<sup>00</sup> for  
repairs of  
office after  
lease is executed.

Ordinance #581, authorizing the leasing by said City of certain premises for use of head-quarters of the Police Department of the City of San Diego, California, and directing the Mayor of said City to execute such lease." The same was read and ordered on file. In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 2- of said Ordinance and Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote. The Chief of the Police Department was authorized, upon the execution of said lease, to expend upon repairs of said building a sum not to exceed \$25<sup>00</sup>

Paint selected  
for Eng House.

The Sherwin-Williams Paint # 472 was selected as the paint to be used on the Chemical Engine House now in course of construction.

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council and the same was read and ordered on file.

Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1082.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

That the City Engineer of said City be and he is hereby instructed, directed and authorized to make an estimate of the cost of grading 15<sup>th</sup> Street in said City from the North line of "D" Street to the South line of the City Park, and to furnish this Common Council with such estimate when so made.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego Cal., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1898

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Board met in regular session with all commissioners present. Viz:- Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes read The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Health Officer, Dr. Stockton appeared before the Board and petitioned said Board to instruct the City Engineer to make a survey of the premises located on Lot "G" of Block #121 Hootons Addition, (5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Streets) and prepare a map of said survey showing the location of water closet, depth of S. etc, all for use of said Health Department. In accordance with said foregoing petition the City Engineer was instructed to make said survey and plan. Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, concurring.

Bids In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1898, to do the grading for the extension to the Cemetery Road and construct a small bridge over Cemetery Creek in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the Board of Public Works.

The following bids were received. Viz:-

<u>R. J. Smith</u>	Temp. Check \$60.00	Amt bid. \$1115.00
<u>John Engelbrek</u>	" " \$50.00	" " \$970.00

Contract awarded John Engelbrek being the lowest responsible bidder was upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote awarded the Contract to do said work.

The following resolution was adopted by a unanimous Aye Vote. Viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Supt of Streets be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prohibit the sprinkling of paved Streets with Salt water; also to see that all bitume

clean streets  
after opening  
and repairing

Streets that are hereafter opened for any purpose whatsoever be immediately placed in good condition and all debris remaining therefrom be at once removed and not allowed to remain on the streets in detriment to the street and the public in general.

The following communication was received from the San Diego Electric Railway Co., and the same was ordered on file. Viz:-

"San Diego Electric Railway Co.,

W. J. Davis, President  
Board of Public Works,  
San Diego, California.

Dear Sir:-

This Company is now prepared to bid for the sprinkling of the streets of San Diego traversed by its lines.

We will furnish saltwater and distribute the same on all the streets covered by the electric road except upper Fifth, upper D and upper K Streets where the grades are excessive, for fifty-five cents per 1000 gallons. On the upper parts of Fifth, K and D Streets, we will distribute it for seventy-five cents per 1000 gallons during the month of January; after that date, we will distribute it for the same price elsewhere, fifty-five cents, as we will be prepared with strong enough motors to run the sprinkling car loaded up any grade on the system.

Very respectfully,

San Diego Electric Railway Co.,  
By Joseph A. Blink,  
Secretary." w.

The following communication was received from the Southern California Mountain Water Co., And the same was ordered on file. Viz:-

"Southern California Mountain Water Company.

San Diego, Cal., December 27<sup>th</sup> 1898.

W. J. Davis, President  
Board of Public Works,  
San Diego,  
California.

Southern California Mountain Water Co.  
Dear Sirs:-

This company will be prepared by the 1<sup>st</sup> of January to sprinkle all that territory of the city lying South of A and West of Tenth street with fresh or saltwater for 25% less than it has hitherto cost the City. This proposition is based on having the use of the city sprinkling carts. Water hydrants are expected on the next steamer, and we hope to have them in place by the 1<sup>st</sup> of January.

Very respectfully,

Southern California Mountain Water Company.

H. P. Wood. Secretary."

Wiscott's  
claim \$125-  
for Truck  
Referred  
Council

Mr. Ed. Wiscott presents a claim for one wagon truck amount \$125<sup>00</sup>. This truck has been in use by City since August '94. The City has paid nothing as yet for its use.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to send said claim to Common Council with recommendation that they authorize the purchase of said <sup>truck</sup> class and order said <sup>bill</sup> paid.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon

Secretary.

W. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. January 4<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Wednesday 9 AM.

Special Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form, there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the following bills were read and approved. Viz:-

Fire Department

5248	S.D. Water Co.,	Water	\$ 9 25
5296	S.D. Hdw. Co.	Shovel, Dash Cord & Lantern	3 10
5297	A.W. Braun & Co.	Acid & Carb. Soda	9 13
5300	Hamilton Bros.	Brushes, Sponges, Oil, Soap, Duster etc	15 22
5306	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	11 75
5307	J.S. Johnstone & Sons	Rubber Tube 10 ft.	1 10
5322	Geo. W. Carey	Shoeing horses	15 60
5323	Wm. McCalm	Hay, grain etc.	146 89
5357	S.D. Water Co.	Water	9 25
			<u>\$ 221 29</u>

Park Improvement

5373	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 16 00
5249	S.D. Water Co.	Water	12 95
5274	Fandigen Burn Co.	Notices	2 50
5277	Todd & Hawley	Peerless Scoop & Wire Brads	1 23
5308	S.D. Hdw. Co.	Nose menders, saw, nails etc	3 58
5330	S.D. Lumber Co.	Lumber	4 90
5358	S.D. Water Co.	Water	11 20
			<u>\$ 52 46</u>

Sewer & Drainage

5364	Pay Roll	Labor	\$ 94 00
5241	S.D. Sun Pub Co	Adv.	8 5
5309	S.D. Hdw. Co.	Shovels & Picks	3 00
5313	C. A. Nagle	Bituminous paving	8 00
5382	S.D. Water Co.	Flushing sewers	77 19
5395	Domestic Oil Co.	Oil	7 9
5406	S.D. Sun Pub Co.	Adv.	4 5
			<u>\$ 184 28</u>

		<u>Salary a/c</u>	
5371	Board of Public Works	Pay Roll	\$325.00
5365	Engineers	" "	225.00
			<u>\$650.00</u>
		<u>Office a/c.</u>	
5237	W. A. Lemon	Drawer Keys	.50
5238	Stanhouse & Co.,	Letter-heads & Sewer application books (2).	8.50
5257	" "	17 $\frac{1}{4}$ blanks	5.25
5273	Granden, Burn. & Co.	Blanks	.37.-
5281	C. A. R. Stamp Co.	1 green ink pad	.35
5291	W. G. Walker	1 shade	.75
5319	Pac. Wood & Coal Co.	Coal	34.00
5320	Baker Bros.	goods - Statements - notices etc	228.5
5349	J. D. Furniture & Carpet Co.	Recovered desk	250
5350	W. W. Swain	Making Coal box City Atty	1.25
5351	Russ Lumber Mill Co.	Firewood	4.00
5388	Palace Grocery Co.	2 China Tuskidors	1.20
5387	Harris & Heatham	Day-book - Cash & Ledger	21.50
5389	Garrison & Smith	10 Reg. Books	6.50
			<u>\$157.25</u>
		<u>Public Building Fund.</u>	
5190	F. P. Botsford	Rent bell tower May to Dec 31/98	\$1500
5252	F. S. Jennings	Keeping prisoners mo. of Nov. 98	50.00
5253	S. D. County	Rent Jail	1.00
5258	R. G. Clark	Rent 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ lot D Block 112 Norton	2.50
5259	D. Hitchcock agt.	" " 99 " to Jan 6/99	12.50
5260	L. F. Jones	" " 41 " " 21/99	25.00
5270	D. G. Stephens	" City Hall	100.00
5278	J. W. Sefton	" 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " 10 " mo. Dec.	30.00
5290	H. M. Stanton, agt.	" E & A. Block 762 mth. 7d. Oct nov & Dec 98	15.00
5324	S. D. Gas & Elec. Lt. Co.	Light	53.60
5325	F. S. Jennings	Keeping prisoners mo. Dec.	50.00
5326	S. D. County	Rent Jail mo. Dec	1.00
			<u>\$396.10</u>
		<u>Fire Hydrant</u>	
5381	S. D. Water Co.	Water	\$808.33
		<u>St. Light</u>	
5328	S. D. Electric lights Co.	Light	\$1250.00

No further business the board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

President

San Diego, Calif., Jan'y. 5<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes  
read

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Advertise  
or grading  
Moreno Road.

"Ordinance #582 providing for the grading and construction of a road through "Moreno" in the City of San Diego, California" was read and ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance with said Ordinance as soon as the specifications therefor are ready.

Advertise  
or grading  
Middletown  
Road.

"Ordinance #584 authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to do certain work within said City." Viz: To construct an extension of the Middletown Road. The same was read and ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of same as soon as the specifications therefor are prepared.

Advertise  
or construction  
wtown  
sidewalk.

"Ordinance #586 directing certain public work to be done within the City of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City." Viz: To construct a cement sidewalk & curb on Columbia Street, between "F" & "G," Newtown Park. The Secretary was instructed to advertise in accordance with said Ordinance.

Joint Resolution #1086 was received from the Common Council read and ordered on file, and the Dept. of Streets notified in accordance therewith.

Joint Resolution #1086.

Be It Resolved By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Street Superintendent of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby instructed and directed to notify the owners of property along Sixteenth, "H" and "K" Streets in the City of San Diego, California, who have wooden sidewalks in front of their respective properties, to either repair the same and keep the same in repair, or to remove them; and report to this Common Council whether or not said property owners comply with such notice.

Certificate of Clerk attached.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Take the following resolution was adopted: Viz:-

"Be It Resolved By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Streets are in a very bad condition and are in need of immediate attention; therefore we respectfully petition the Honorable Common Council for \$1000.00 for use in the street department in making the necessary repairs.

Joint Resolution #1088, was this day received from the Common Council read and ordered on file and the Dept. of Streets instructed to commence at the North End of the Sorrento Grade and repair this way as far as is possible to repair with the allowance of \$200.- The Joint Resolution is as follows:-

Joint Resolution #1088.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to expend the sum of two hundred dollars in repairing the Sorrento Grade and the new Rose Canyon Road.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

The following Joint Resolution #1090 was received from the Common Council, the same was read and ordered on file:-

"Joint Resolution #1090.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California:

for  
Auditors  
books. That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to allow and incur an indebtedness to the amount of \$21.50 for the purchase of a set of books for the City Auditor, consisting of one ledger, one Cash Book and one Day Book, in which to keep the accounts for the City.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors Certificate attached."

The following Joint Resolution #1092, was received from the Common Council, the same was read and ordered on file:-

"Joint Resolution #1092.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of said City be and he is hereby directed to make and present to this Common Council a survey of "F" Street from the east line of 14<sup>th</sup> Street to the west line of 18<sup>th</sup> Street, that will comply with the intersecting streets between said points.

Clerks Certificate attached.

The following bills were read and approved.

General ac

5334	Chas Wills	Hauling election supplies	75
5403	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Pub Ord.	11 23
5356	S. D. Water Co.	Water	3 50
5246	" " "	"	3 50
5245	Sunset Del. & Del. Co.	Phone, Pound	2 50
5243	S. D. Dish Del. Co.	Messgr. for Tom Whitney	40
5242	S. D. Sun Pub Co.	Adv.	3 15
			<u>\$25 03</u>

Street Sprinkling.

5402	Pay Roll	Labor	* 38 00
5345	K. L. Parratt	Repairing wagon	2 60
5254	Clarke & Brant	"	5 85
5392	S. D. Water Co.	Water	16 00
			<u>* 52 45</u>

Street Sweeping a/c

5402	Pay Roll	Labor	* 327 50
5267	Graham & Weldon	2 brush spools	475
5312	Ah Quinn	178# china bamboo brushes @ 12¢	2136
5341	C. W. Doambly	Making 1 broom - 12 small ones	18 00
5342	Geo. W. Carey	Rep. dbl. trees	325
5347	Silver Gate Oil Co.	Oil	80
			\$ 375 66

Street Repairs a/c

5402	Pay Roll	Labor	* 568 00	
4999	Clarke & Brant	Repairs on Eng.	50	
5235	J. D. Sun Pub Co.	Ordinances	75	
5236	McKenzie Flint & Winsby Co.	Belt Lacing etc	99	
5247	J. D. Water Co.	St. water troughs	18 10	
5269	Frank Foley	Hauling	100	
5279	Dodd & Hawley	1 Dog shovels	1150	
5292	Diamond Carriage Co.	Carriage hire	450	
5293	R. D. Paschen	Hauling lumber	50	
5310	J. D. Hdw. Co.	Pick handles & level	625	
5311	Frank Foley	Hauling	150	
5314	N. J. Stark	"	200	
5339	C. A. Nagle	Bituminous patching	2080	
5340	E. M. Tappo	Tar fare	360	
5343	Robt. Shitt	sharpening picks	80	
5344	Levi Hack Co.	Team	400	
5346	W.C. Miner	Filing saw	185	
5348	Russ Lumber Mill Co.	Picks Engt. Dept	145	
5359	J. D. Water Co.	Water troughs	1780	
5360	J. Kingswood	Hauling	100	
5384	Diamond Carriage Co.	Carriage hire	600	
5385	West Coast Lumber Co.	Lumber	4268	
void	5392	J. D. Water Co. (Shsprinkling a/c)	---	
	5394	Eben Cassie	Sharpening tools	200
	5404	J. D. Sun Pub Co.	Advs.	332
			\$ 72089	

Office a/c

5411	W. A. Wertheimer & Co.	Stationery	39 42
5418	R. Schiller	Record book	2500
5419	" "	Assessment Rolls	80 00
			\$ 144 42

	<u>Air Department</u>	
5299	C. A. Nagle Rep. sidewalk	*10 40
	<u>Sewer &amp; Drainage</u>	
5416	E. Strahlman Diamond dye	25
	<u>Public Building</u>	
5421	M. Riveroll Rent Storeroom Oct. Nov. & Dec. '48.	3 00
	<u>Park Department</u>	
5417	W. P. Fuller & Co. white lead	15

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest

J. H. Dixon, Secretary,

J. F. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. January 6<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Friday 1:30 P.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis.  
absent. Julian.

The contract for the grading of the extension of the Cemetery Road in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the Board of Public Works having been let to Mr. John Engelbrek for the sum of \$970.00 on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1898: and in accordance with the law requiring a notice of said award to be posted for 5 days in a conspicuous place in said office before the said contract shall be executed; and the bond for same approved: and as said notice has been duly posted as is required by law.

Cemetery Road  
Engelbrek  
Contract  
" and  
Bond  
approved

Said contract and bond having been prepared and Mr. John Engelbrek being present and ready to execute same,

It was moved and duly seconded that said contract be executed and the bond for same in the sum of \$500.00 with messrs. D. A. Garretson and Geo. W. Hazard as sureties be approved.

Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.  
" Julian being absent.

Material  
Bond  
approved

It was moved and seconded that the bond for the protection of laborers, materialmen, mechanics etc", as required by the State Law, in the sum of \$500.00 with D. A. Garretson and Geo. W. Hazard as sureties be approved.

Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis Voting Aye.  
" Julian being absent.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., January 12<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular meeting

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Julian <sup>and</sup> Whitney (Julian in the chair.)  
absent was Davis

Minutes

Minutes last regular & special meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolution was received from  
the Common Council, read and ordered on file and the Supt. of  
Streets notified in accordance therewith. To wit:-

Joint Resolution #1097.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of  
San Diego, as follows

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego,  
California, be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered, and  
directed to expend the sum of one thousand dollars in making  
necessary repairs upon the streets of the said City of San Diego, and  
said sum is hereby appropriated for that use.

Blerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "      "

Ordinance #587.

An Ordinance Authorizing the performance of certain Public  
work within the City of San Diego, California, and directing the Board  
of Public Works of said City to perform the same.

Said Ordinance authorizes the construction of a sewer  
in the 8<sup>th</sup> ward.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise in accordance  
with said Ordinance as soon as the plans and specifications  
therefor are ready.

Upon Motion being duly seconded the Chief of Police was  
allowed to purchase Linoleum for the floor of his office.

Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian voting Aye.

The following claim was allowed: Viz:-

5475

J.C. Schiom Storage Sprinkling wagons etc \$1000

City Engineer was authorized to have transit fixed.

Blasting bond

C. A. Achelle presents a bond to do blasting on Lat A & B Block 46 on A & 7<sup>th</sup> Streets Hortons for \$500<sup>00</sup> with L.O. Mix and A. J. Armstrong as sureties  
 Upon Motion being duly seconded the same was ordered approved  
 Commissioners Julian & Whitney voting Aye.

Repair Skylight

George Sutton make application to enlarge sky light on 5<sup>th</sup> bet D & E Streets, the same being on Lat D. Block 44 Hortons. Same was granted.

Time to receive bids

The hour having arrived within which to receive bids for the construction of a sidewalk on Columbia Street, in front of the Newtown Park The President declared the time closed.

Bids on Newtown Park Sidewalk received

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1899 for the construction of a sidewalk on Columbia Street between 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Streets in front of the Newtown Park the following bids were received, to wit:

Bidders	Certf. Check	Amount of Bid.
Jos. Kelly	\$15 <sup>00</sup>	26 <sup>4</sup> & 10 <sup>4</sup> \$238.00
Jas. McHajr	10 <sup>70</sup>	*214.00
Peter Christensen	15 <sup>00</sup>	30 <sup>4</sup> & 10 <sup>4</sup> *250.00

Awarded

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by the following vote the contract was awarded to him.

Commissioners Julian & Whitney voting Aye.  
 Davis, being absent.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned until  
Tuesday 10 A.M.

Attest:A. H. Dixon, Secy.

T. C. V. S. Jackson  
President pro tempore

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Adjourned meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Davis, Julian & Whitney

McKair Contract

Sealed &

Bond approved

The contract with Mr. James McKair for the sidewalkings  
on Columbia Street in front of the Newtown Park having been prepared  
and Mr. James McKair being present and ready to execute same.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous  
Aye vote the contract was ordered executed and the bond for same  
in the sum of \$200<sup>00</sup> with Wm Osburn & W.H. Corder as sureties was  
ordered approved.

Material

Bond

approved.

The bond for the security of materialmen, mechanics,  
or laborers employed by Contractors upon State, Municipal, or other  
Public work, in the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars with Mr.  
Wm Osburn and W.H. Corder as sureties was read and ordered approved.

Commissioners Davis, Whitney & Julian voting Aye.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Wednesday, 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called together in regular form  
present were Commissioners Whitney and Davis.  
absent Julian

Gilbert agrees to repair Rose Canyon Road as per Specifications  
Mr. G. H. Gilbert being present agrees to do all the  
repairing of that portion of the Rose Canyon wagon road where the  
same passes through Pueblo Lots 1267, 1266 and 1291, that is known  
as the portion of the road graded by Stinkle & Thomson and in  
accordance with the specifications therefor as prepared by  
Engineer E. M. Tapp as presented and read to this board  
in open session this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1899, for the sum of  
\$199<sup>00</sup>

adj till 2 P.M. to prepare the contract  
Upon Motion being duly seconded and by the following  
Aye vote, the Secretary was instructed to ask the City Attorney  
to draw up a contract therefor in accordance with said spec-  
ifications between G. H. Gilbert and the City of San Diego, Cal. and  
have same ready by 2 o'clock P.M. this day. Bond fixed at \$200<sup>00</sup>  
Commissioners Whitney and Davis voting Aye  
Julian being absent.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Board  
took a recess until 2 o'clock P.M.

A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

Wednesday 2 o'clock P.M.

San Diego, Calif. Jan'y 18<sup>th</sup> 1899.

The Board met in usual form there being present Commissioners Whitney and Davis absent Julian.

Gilbert  
Contract &  
Bond  
Approved

The contract between Mr. G. N. Gilbert and the City of San Diego Cal. for the repairing of the Rose Canyon Road in accordance with the specifications therefor having been prepared; and Mr. G. N. Gilbert being present and ready to execute same. It was moved and duly seconded that the contract be executed and that the Bond in the sum of \$200<sup>00</sup> for the faithful performance of said contract with W.B. Stage and John Engelbrek as sureties be approved.

Commissioners Whitney and Davis voting Aye.  
" Julian being absent.

Material  
Bond for same  
Approved

The bond to "secure the payment of the claims of materialmen, mechanics, or laborers employed by contractors, upon State, Municipal, or other Public work" approved March 27<sup>th</sup> 1897, in the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars with W.B. Stage & John Engelbrek as sureties was read and ordered approved.

Commissioners Whitney and Davis voting Aye  
" Julian being absent

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., Jan'y. 19<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney and Davis absent Julian.

Minutes  
The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution was read and adopted by the following vote: Viz:- Commissioners Whitney & Davis voting Aye Julian, being absent.

The resolution is as follows, to wit:-

Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Chemical Engine House approved & accepted  
That the Chemical Engine House located on Block #280, Hortons Addition, be and the same is hereby approved and accepted. The same having been done in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the Board of Public Works and to the satisfaction of said Board of Public Works: also that the bill in the sum of \$900<sup>00</sup>, the contract price, be and the same is hereby approved.

The following bills were read and approved.

5488	J. A. Jenkins	Engine House	\$900.-
5489	Chas. N. Julian	Globe plaza lamp	2.50
	Jessie J. Coulton	Tower Block 7. Breed & Chase Adm.	220.00

India St. Extension Road: bids received for same.  
In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board of Public Works on Thursday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1899, at between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. for the construction and grading of a wagon road between Thalmers Street where it intersects with India Street in Middletown to Witherby Street near Old Town, the following bids were received. Viz:-

Lowest ✓	John Engelbrek	Cash. Check	\$90 <sup>00</sup>	1675.00
	R. A. Smith	" "	100.00	1915.00
	Wm Osburn	" "	200.00	1820.00

The Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for and let a contract for the construction of the said Middletown <sup>road</sup> extension, carries an appropriation of only \$500<sup>00</sup> and as the lowest bid is \$675<sup>00</sup> therefor.

Awarding of  
Contract  
ayed over  
or 20 days  
Be It Resolved by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Cala. as follows:-

That the awarding of the contract for the construction of a roadway from the intersection of Chalmers and India <sup>st</sup>, Middletown San Diego to Oldtown, be delayed over for 20 days or until February 8<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Commissioners	Whitney and Davis voting Aye Julian, being absent.
"	

Invitation  
to Mayor  
and Council  
meet with  
Board of Public Works  
and inspect  
the street flume.  
The Secretary was instructed to extend an invitation to the Mayor, the Common Council and the Street Committee in particular to meet with the Board of Public Works, the City Engineer and the Dept. of Streets on Saturday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January 1899, at 9 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of inspecting the B Street Flume and formulating a plan for immediate action.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., Jan'y. 26<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board was called together in regular form present were Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis.

20 days

Time granted

Mr. John Engelbret petitions for 20 days additional time within which to complete his contract for grading the extension of the Cemetery Road.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the same was granted.

Petition

Council

for

\$300.- for Parks

\$1000.- for Streets

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council petitioning for \$300.- for the use of the Park. It being desired not to plow the Park this time but to thoroughly cultivate and harrow same. We desire to do this as soon after February 1<sup>st</sup> as possible, unless it rains in the meantime. also to recommend the apportioning of \$1000.- for street repairs.

Tool room

not wanted.

Notify Mr. Riveral that we will not have use for the material or tool room back of this office any longer.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Assist:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., February 2<sup>nd</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The Board met in regular form there being present Commissioners, Whitney, Julian and Davis.

minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

reputation Rose Canyon Road. Commissioners Julian and City Engineer Cappa, on Friday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1899, inspected the grading of the Rose Canyon Road as completed by Mr. G. N. Gilbert, who contracted to do said work. They found the same to have been done in a satisfactory manner; therefore the following resolution was adopted:

accepting same and proving claim. Be It Resolved by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows: That the grading and repairing of the Rose Canyon Road, be and the same is hereby accepted and the claim of Mr. G. N. Gilbert for \$199<sup>00</sup>, which is in accordance with his contract for doing said work be approved.

Commissioners, Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

advertising or bids for constructing Ward Sewer. In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> & 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February 1899, for the construction of a Sewer in the district known as the 8<sup>th</sup> Ward and whereas the notice calling for said bids has not been published the requisite number of times required by law, therefore,

bids not awarded & advertise Be It Resolved by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego as follows: That the Secretary, be and he is hereby directed to re-advertise for bids for the construction of said sewer; and that all bids received in accordance with said notice be returned to the respective bidders unopened.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

make copy intour map for the umber of commerce Upon Motion being duly seconded the City Engineer was instructed to make a copy of the contour map of the City Park, for the Chamber of Commerce. Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

City Charters

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council asking to have a number of City Charters published.

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the members of the Methodist Church were granted a permit to erect a sign across "D" Street on Friday, Feby 3<sup>rd</sup> '99. advertising a Supper to be given on said night.

Bulkhead in Creek, Cemetery Bridge.

The Supt. of Street was instructed to put in a dash-board or bulkhead in Cholosa Creek to protect the approaches of the Cemetery Bridge.

List of the City Taxes bound.

Upon Motion being duly Seconded the City Clerk was allowed to have the certified list of the City Taxes as taken by Mr. Hickman bound.

Commissioners. Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, Voting Aye.

The following communication was received and read: Viz:-  
"San Diego, Cal., January 30<sup>th</sup> 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works:

of the City of San Diego, Cal.  
Gentlemen:

We the undersigned do hereby vigorously protest against the Southern California Mountain Water Company et al, or any other person or corporation, erecting a water tank on Block 12 of Turners Addition to San Diego, and also protest against the issuance of a permit to any one for the erection of a water tank on said block.

Yours respectfully,  
Mrs. Geo. Geddes,  
Sadié O. Ingle,  
Heber Ingle,  
E.A. Wells,

Filed  
The same was filed.

Application for a permit to erect a water tank.

The following application was received from the Southern California Mountain Water Company for a permit to erect a water tank on Lot 10 & 11 of Block 12 Turners Addition to San Diego. The same was read and ordered placed on file. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., Jan 31<sup>st</sup> 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego, State of California,  
Gentlemen:-

The undersigned, the Southern California Mountain Water Company, hereby make application to your Honorable Board for a permit to erect and construct upon the South half of Lot 11 and the North half of lot 10, Block 12, Carruther's Addition, City of San Diego, a tank or reservoir to be constructed of boiler iron of one fourth of an inch in thickness, riveted together with iron rivets, which said tank or reservoir is to be thirty nine feet and eight inches in diameter and twenty four feet high, built upon stringers 12x16 inches resting upon concrete piers, upon which said stringers 4x14 floor joists will rest. Said tank or reservoir is intended to be used for the storage of water in connection with the distributing system of the undersigned, and for the purpose of regulating and maintaining a steady and ample fire pressure throughout the water distributing system of the undersigned. When filled with water the pressure per square inch at the bottom will not exceed eleven pounds, while said tank as constructed, is capable of withstanding a pressure of seventy pounds.

Respectfully,  
Southern California Mountain Water Company.  
By S. V. Babcock, President."

~~The following additional specifications to the above application~~

The annual reports of the various departments of this Board, also the report of the Board, was read and the same ordered transmitted to the Honorable Mayor.

The following claims were read and ordered approved:- Viz:-  
Streeto.

Claim numbers. 5592, 5490, 5497, 5500, 5505, 5506, 5507, 5508, 5509, 5510, 5511, 5512, 5513, 5514, 5515, 5556, 5657, 5558, 5559, 5560, 5561, 5563, 5562, 5564, 5565, 5566, 5598, 5604, 5608, 5607, 5288, for balance. 5504.

Board of Public Works.

Salary, Claims. 5551, 5553.

Office a/c.

Claims. 5486, 5492, 5496, 5568, 5569, 5571, 5580, 5588, 5599, 5611, 5612, 5537.

Public Building.

Claims. 5474, 5477, 5479, 5480, 5481, 5540, 5584, 5585.

Park Improvement.

Claims. 5550, 5523, 5524, 5525, 5488.

Sewer and Drainage

Claims. 5548, 5498, 5544, 5545, 5567, 5605, 5613.

Street Lights.

Claim. 5533.

Fire Department.

Claims. 5482, 5483, 5495, 5501, 5518, 5519, 5520, 5521, 5522, 5593, 5594.

Fire Hydrant.

Claim. 5603.

Dog Tax Fund.

Claims. 5376, 5393, 5620.

General a/c

Claims. 5332, 5491, 5503, 5517, 5538, 5539, 5573, 5579, 5581, 5582, 5609, 5610.

Police Department.

Claims. 5484, 5541, 5542, 5543.

Recess No further business the Board took a recess until 2 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of receiving the opinion of the City Attorney in regard to the authority vested with said Board in granting or not granting permits for the erection of Water Tanks within the city.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis. President

San Diego, Cal., Feby. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1899.

Thursday 2 P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

Present, Commissioners. Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis also Mr. Heber Ingle to protest against the granting of said permit & Mr. Shaw representing water Co.

Reconvened. This meeting was adjourned over until this hour for the purpose receiving the opinion of the City Attorney in regard to the power of the Board of Public Works in granting permits for the construction of water tanks within the City limits.

In accordance with said request the following opinion was received. Viz:

"San Diego, Cal., Feby 2<sup>nd</sup> 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,

of the City of San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:

You have requested this office to give you an opinion relative to your power and duty in granting a permit to the Southern California Mountain Water Company, to construct a tank or reservoir upon the South half of Lot Eleven (11) and the North half of Lot Ten (10) in Block Twelve (12), Coronado Addition in the City of San Diego, for the storage of water, upon the following application:

"San Diego, California, January 31<sup>st</sup>, 1899.

To the Honorable, The Board of Public Works of the

City of San Diego, State of California.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned, the Southern California Mountain Water Company, make application to your Honorable Body for a permit to erect and construct upon the South half of Lot Eleven (11) and the North half of Lot Ten (10) in Block Twelve (12) Coronado Addition in the City of San Diego, a tank or reservoir to be constructed of boiler iron of one-fourth of an inch ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) in thickness, riveted together with iron rivets, which said tank or reservoir is to be 39 feet and 8 inches in diameter and 24 feet high, built on stringers  $12 \times 16$  inches, resting upon concrete piers, upon which said stringers  $4 \times 14$  floor joists will rest. Said tank or reservoir is intended to be used for the storage of water in connection with the distributing system of the undersigned and for the purpose of regulating and maintaining a steady and ample fire pressure throughout the water distributing system of the undersigned. When filled with water the

The pressure per square inch at the bottom will not exceed eleven (11) pounds, while the said tank, as constructed, is capable of withstanding a pressure of seventy (70) pounds.

Respectfully,  
Southern California Mountain Water Company,  
By E. S. Babcock, President."

Section 41 of Ordinance No. 102, entitled "An Ordinance Regulating the Construction, Alteration, and repair of buildings in the City of San Diego, California, approved November 25<sup>th</sup>, 1890, provides that Before beginning the erection, alteration, or repair of any building within the City limits, South of San Diego River, permits must be obtained from the Board of Public Works therefor, etc.

Assuming then that the structure, for the erection of which a permit is hereby requested, is a building within the meaning of the foregoing section, the question then arises, should the permit, for which application has been made, be granted by your Honorable Board.

Opinion  
Continued. We have not been able to find within said Ordinance 102, which contains many and various specifications for the construction and repair of buildings within the City of San Diego, any special specifications which would apply to the erection of the structure here in question. If that Ordinance contained specifications for the erection of this structure then it would be the duty of your Honorable Board to issue such permit for the erection thereof if the specifications therefor complied with the specifications set forth in the Ordinance.

As we take it, the reasons why ordinances of this character are passed is for the purpose of protecting "the security of the inhabitants and the safety and security of property and life" within this City; and the Charter of this City grants to the Common Council the power to provide ordinances for such purpose. But as the Common Council have not provided for specifications for the construction of a tank or reservoir of this kind, we would advise that your Honorable Board examine the specifications according to which this structure is to be erected, and if you find therefrom that the structure will not endanger "the security of the inhabitants and the safety and security of property and life" in this City and that the quality and character of the material to be used in its construction is of sufficient strength and the factor of safety great

enough to prevent danger to property and life then the permit should be granted.

If this Ordinance did not contain any specifications for the erection of buildings whatever, but merely provided that before beginning the erection, alteration, or repair of any building within the City limits, permits must be obtained from your Honorable Board, such Ordinance would not give your Honorable Board the power to refuse to issue a permit simply because it would shut off light, or interfere with the view from some other building, or because its style or character of erection was not in accordance with the ideas of your Board, the erection of such a structure would not endanger "the security of the inhabitants and the safety and security of property and life" within the City.

Opinion  
Continued.

As we take it, if this reservoir or tank was to be of only one fourth of the size of the one for the erection of which a permit is requested, no question would be raised in regard to the power of your Honorable Board to grant such permit, the only question, then, in our opinion, for your Honorable Board to determine in granting such permit, is whether or not "the security of the inhabitants, and the safety and security of property and life" would be endangered by the erection of this structure; and if your Honorable Board finds, from the examination of the specifications, that the structure will not endanger life or property, and that the quality and character of the material to be used in its construction is of sufficient strength, and the factor of safety great enough to prevent danger to property and life then, in our opinion, the permit should be granted.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H. E. Doolittle.

"City Attorney"

Opinion  
filed.

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The foregoing opinion was read and ordered on file.

Additional  
specifications  
water tank

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Mr. C. G. M. Rose for the Southern California Mountain Water Company presents additional specifications for the erection of the water tank in question, a copy of which is as follows: Viz:-

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego, California:  
Gentlemen:-

In addition to the matter contained in the application of the Southern California Mountain Water Company for permit to erect a reservoir or tank on Eighth Street, said company submits the following:

Specification  
for Water  
Tank

Said tank is to rest upon twenty-four concrete piers 3x3 feet at bottom of pier built on hard pan. There will extend across these piers six rows of caps 14x16 in size. On top of these, floor joists 4x14 in clear placed two feet or less apart, on top of which a floor consisting of two inch Oregon pine is to be closely laid and securely nailed. The bottom of said tank is to be constructed of three sixteenth iron single riveted. The sides of said tank will consist of boiler iron one-fourth of an inch in thickness of sheets of about four feet in width, the first three sheets to be double riveted, at end of sheets with three-eighths of an inch iron rivets, the next three sheets of the same kind of iron, but single riveted. The iron of which this tank is to be constructed, was formerly used in a oil tank, and has been kept well painted and has not deteriorated in any respect, but is fully as good now as when new. This to be put together in the very best possible manner, and when completed and as a further and additional safe guard, which this Company believes to be wholly unnecessary, there will be placed on the outside and securely bolted together for the purpose of supporting and strengthening said tank, 8x8 inch timbers resting upon said caps and extending from the bottom of said tank to the top.

Trusting that the above information will fully acquaint your honorable board with the manner in which said tank is to be construed, we remain,

Yours truly,  
Southern California Mountain Water Company,  
By C. G. M. Boel."

Ailed.

The foregoing was ordered placed on file.

Recess till  
7<sup>30</sup> P.M.

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote the Board took a recess until 7<sup>30</sup> P.M. During the interim the Board together with the City Engineer will inspect the material to be used in the construction of said tank.

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

San Diego, Cal., February 2nd 99.

Thursday 7.30 P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:

Re-convened.

The Board re-convened in the usual manner with Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis being present; also there was present Mr. Oscar Trippett, representing Mrs. Geddes et al. <sup>and</sup> " " " Mr. V. E. Shaw . The So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co.,

motion  
adopted.

After listening at length to arguments pro & con. the following resolution was introduced and adopted, by a unanimous Aye vote, viz:-

Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, be instructed to make mathematical calculations to ascertain whether or not the tank that is proposed to be erected on lot 10871 of Block No. 12 of Tarrathers Addition to San Diego, California, by the Southern California Mountain Water Company, according to the application of said Company is, in his opinion safe: and submit the result of his finding to this Board by 7 o'clock P.M. Friday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1899.

City Atty  
to be  
present.

The Secretary was directed to notify the City Attorney to be present at the next meeting of the Board.

Adjourned  
8 P.M.  
Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>

Upon motion and by a unanimous Aye vote the Board adjourned until Friday at 7 o'clock P.M. the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1899.

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

San Diego, Cal., February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1899.

Friday 7 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

Re-convened.

The Board re-assembled in usual form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, and Oscar Rippett representing Mrs. Geddes et al.

" V.E. Shaw

" So. Cal. Mtn. Water Co.

Engineers  
opinion  
received.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Public Works meet to receive the opinion of the City Engineer in regard to the safety of erecting a tank on lots 10 & 11 of Block 12, Carruthers Addition to San Diego, for which application has been made by the Southern California Mountain Water Company to construct said tank in accordance with specifications submitted therefor to this Board.

The report is as follows:-

To the Honorable Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California.  
Gentlemen:-

In accordance with the orders of your Honorable Body, to "make calculations, to see whether or not the tank proposed to be put up by the Southern California Mountain Water Company, on lots 10 and 11, Block 12, Carruthers Addition, is, in my opinion safe", I report as follows:

In making this report, I fully realize the serious nature of the result of a rupture of so large a tank full of water, located on the steep side-hill, as is proposed.

The factor of safety of any structure is a matter of judgement of the engineer and is principally governed by the importance of the structure and the safety of life and property that would be in danger in case of failure.

Engineers use factors from four to eight, for the character of work proposed. In this case I would select a factor of Six as a mean, which is low enough, considering the circumstances.

The tank proposed to be erected is made of sheet iron and is second-hand, having been, for some ten years, standing on a platform at Coronado Heights, used

at one time, I understand, for the storage of crude oil. It has been cut into pieces by shearing the rivets with chisels, loaded upon the cars, and is now on the cars at the foot of Fifth Street.

I have inspected this material and find the sheets of iron to be nine (9) feet and nine (9) inches long and four (4) feet and three (3) inches wide. The sheets, that are punched for a double row of rivets on the vertical seams, have a thickness of scant one-fourth ( $1\frac{1}{4}$ ) inch; and the sheets punched for a single row of rivets, to be three-sixteenths ( $\frac{3}{16}$ ) of an inch.

All horizontal seams to be single riveted, and the vertical seams in the first three sheets from the bottom to be double riveted, all other vertical seams single riveted.

Opinion continued. The quality of the iron in this tank is, of course, an unknown quantity without tests being made, for tensile strength, bending, etc., etc., etc., which I consider to be outside the province of this report.

I will adopt, in these calculations, new wrought iron of a tensile strength of fifty thousand pounds per square inch, which is considered the best manufactured. The factor of safety, then, for a solid sheet of metal would be one-sixth of 50,000 lbs., or 8,333 lbs. Trantome, page 233, states that double riveted seams have only .70, and single riveted .56 of the strength of the solid sheet. Therefore, the double riveted sheets should not sustain a greater tensile strain per square inch of metal, for a factor of six, than 5,833 pounds; and the single riveted sheets 4,666 pounds.

The dimensions of the tank, as given in the communication to your Honorable Body, states:

The diameter	39.66 feet
" Depth "	24.00 feet

The first three sheets on the bottom are double riveted, and the upper three are single riveted.

From the above data I find the capacity to be 221,847 gallons, 927 tons.

The tensile strain on the metal in the sides of the tank, at the following depths from the top, when the tank is full of water, will be:-

at 23 feet, 2375 lbs.)	Thickness of metal required, for a new tank factor 6.	406"
at 22 feet, 2272. lbs.)	" " " " "	390"
at 21 feet, 2169. lbs.)	" " " " "	371"
at 20 feet, 2065. lbs.)	" " " " "	357"
at 19 feet, 1962 lbs.)	" " " " "	335"

at 18 feet,	1859 lbs.)	Thickness of metal required, for a new tank factor 6.	.316"
at 17 feet,	1756 lbs.)	" " "	.300"
at 16 feet,	1652 lbs.)	" " "	.283"
at 15 feet,	1549 lbs.)	" " "	.264"
at 14 feet,	1446 lbs.)	" " "	.247"
at 13 feet,	1343 lbs.)	" " "	.230"
at 12 feet,	1240 lbs.)	" " "	.214"

OpinionContinued

at 11 feet,	1136 lbs.)	" " "	.242"
at 10 feet,	1032 lbs.)	" " "	.221"
at 9 feet,	929 lbs.)	" " "	.199"
at 8 feet,	826 lbs.)	" " "	.177"
at 7 feet,	723 lbs.)	" " "	.155"
at 6 feet,	619 lbs.)	" " "	.133"
at 5 feet,	516 lbs.)	" " "	.111"
at 4 feet,	413 lbs.)	" " "	.088"

Factor of safety of old tank (assuming the old tank to be made of new iron) at the different depths below the top:-

Depth of water,	Thickness of metal in old tank.	Factor of safety old tank.
23 feet,	.250" equals	3.70)
22 feet,	". . " .250") 1st Sheet.	3.85)
21 feet,	". . " .250")	4.04)
20. feet,	". . " .250")	4.20).

19 feet,	" "	.250")	4.48)
18 feet,	" "	.250") 2nd Sheet.	4.71)
17 feet,	" "	.250")	5.00)
16 feet,	" "	.250")	5.30)

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15 feet,	" "	.250")	5.68)
14 feet,	" "	.250") 3rd Sheet	6.07)
13 feet,	" "	.250")	6.52)
12 feet,	" "	.250")	7.00)

11 feet,	3/16 equals	.187"	4.64)
10 feet,	" "	.187" 4 <sup>th</sup> Sheet	5.08)
9 feet,	" "	.187"	5.64)
8 feet,	" "	.187"	6.34)

Riveted Double Riveted

Single Riveted

7 feet.	$3\frac{1}{16}$ " equals	.187) 5 <sup>th</sup> Sheet.	Factor of safety old tank	7.24)
6 feet.		.187)		8.43)
5 feet.		.187)		10.10)
4. feet.		.187)		12.75)
		----- 00 -----		Single Plate

From the above figures it is plain to be seen that the two bottom sheets are far below the required factor of safety, while the third sheet is well inside the safe point.

The fourth sheet is quite low on the lower edge, and safe on its upper.

Opinion  
continued. The fifth and sixth sheets are far in excess of the required factor.

The above calculations are based upon first-class boiler riveting, of the same workmanship as for steam boilers. In the assembling of the sheets of iron, the rivet holes should come in line without the use of drift-pins. Hot rivets should be used, and all seams chipped, calked, etc., etc., etc.

The foundation of the tank I have not considered, although of great importance as any defect in this part may prove fatal to the structure. The Company has not presented any plan for this portion of the work and I, therefore, cannot pass upon it.

In conclusion, it must be borne in mind that the old material cannot be expected to come up to the factor of safety as above calculated for new material, and is, therefore, proportionately weaker. In my opinion, gentlemen, the tank is below good engineering practice and should not be constructed of the material proposed.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Edwin M. Cappa.

City Engineer of the City of San Diego,  
California."

Opinion  
filed. The foregoing report was read and ordered placed on file:-

Permit  
not granted. President Davis asks the Council for the Plaintiff and the Council for the Defendant if they wish to make any remarks concerning the granting or not granting of said permit. No one having anything to say, It was moved and duly seconded that the permit be not granted.

Commissioners Whitney voting Aye  
" Julian " "  
" Davis " "

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis. President.

Wednesday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal. February 8<sup>th</sup> 1899.

no quorum  
adjourned

Pursuant to the action taken by this Board on January 19<sup>th</sup> 1899, in laying over for a period of 20 days from said date, the awarding of a contract for the grading of the India Street Road to Mr. John Engelbreck, and as said time, 20 days expires this day, and as there was no quorum present to award said contract to said Engelbreck, the Secretary adjourned the meeting over.

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

Thursday 10. A.M.

Regular meeting:

San Diego Cal., Feby 9<sup>th</sup> 1899.

The meeting was called in regular form there being present commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis absent Julian

The minutes of last Regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

Pursuant to the action of this Board on January 19<sup>th</sup> 1899, in laying over for a period of 20 days from said date, the awarding of a contract for the grading of the India Street Road to Mr. John Engelbrek and as said time, 20 days expired yesterday the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, and as there was no quorum present to act on said awarding the Secy. adjourned the meeting over and,

Pursuant to Ordinance #594, passed by the Honorable Common Council and approved by the Mayor on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 1899, authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to accept the bid of John Engelbrek, for the sum of Sixteen hundred and Seventy-five dollars, wherefor,

In accordance with said Ordinance #594 and upon motion being duly seconded the contract to do the grading of said India Street Road extension in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the Board of Public Works was awarded to John Engelbrek by the following vote, Viz:

Commissioners Whitney voting Aye.  
Julian Absent  
Davis Voting "

Pursuant to Ordinance #595 passed by the Honorable Common Council of the City of San Diego and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 1899. Providing for the purchase of a team of horses, one set of double harness, including one pair of snap collars, one indicator and gong, one fire alarm box, and one set of harness hangers and weights, for the use of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California.

In accordance with said Ordinance #595 we received bids on harness, said harness to be made

in accordance with specifications submitted and on file in the office of the Board of Public Works. The bids are as follows:-

<u>Bidders</u>	<u>on harness</u>	<u>Amount of bid.</u>
E. J. Edwards	"	\$34.50
Paul Stapp and Co.	"	44.00
Will C. Popping	"	49.00
E. M. Orrick	"	63.50

Edwards Upon motion being duly seconded the contract was awarded  
awarded to Mr. E. J. Edwards the lowest bidder, Harness to be as per specifications or not accept  
Contract

<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Whitney,</u>	<u>voting Aye</u>
"	<u>Julian,</u>	<u>Absent</u> "
"	<u>Davis,</u>	<u>Voting</u> "

Providing Ordinance #602, authorizing the Board of Public  
for the Works to expend not more than \$50<sup>00</sup> on each stoppage of the main  
Cleaning of sewer, was received from the Common Council and ordered placed on  
sewers file.

Advertise Pursuant to Ordinance #598, directing the Board of  
To let bids Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise  
Lighting for bids and let a contract for lighting the Streets, Avenues,  
City. and Parks of Said City, with Electric Lights, for a period of One Year,  
Beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 1899, approved February 7<sup>th</sup>, 1899,  
was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary  
was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with  
said Ordinance #598.

The following letter was served on Miss. Rebecca McLain  
at 11<sup>45</sup> o'clock A.M. February 8<sup>th</sup> 1899.

San Diego, Cal. February 8<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Miss. Rebecca McLain

"A" Street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth Streets, City.  
Dear Madam:-

Complaint has been made at this office that you have  
fenced up a portion of the alley in Block numbered six (6) of Gardner's  
Addition to the City of San Diego, said block being bounded on the  
North by "A" Street, on the South by "B" Street, on the East by  
Fifteenth Street, and on the West by Fourteenth Street; and you  
are hereby notified to remove said fence within five days  
from the date of this notice or it will be necessary that  
the City should remove the same from the said alley.

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This alley is a public highway and it is unlawful for you to fence the same.

Kindly comply with this notice and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

Board of Public Works, of the

City of San Diego.

By W. J. Davis

President."

Bids closed  
grading Morena  
Road.

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived the President declared the time for receiving bids for the grading of the Morena Road closed.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to this Board between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. Thursday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1899, for the grading and construction of the Morena Road the following were received:- Viz:-

<u>Bidders</u>	<u>Curb Checks.</u>	<u>Amts. Bid.</u>
Woodbody and Roesner	\$65.00	\$1300.00
John Engelbrecht	70.00	\$1315.00
Tom Osburn	75.00	\$1365.00

Lowest  
Contract  
awarded.

Woodbody and Roesner being the lowest bidders for said work, upon motion being duly seconded and by the following vote, they were awarded the contract to do said work:

Commissioner	Whitney	voting Aye.
"	Julian	absent "
"	Davis	voting "

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

W. J. Davis.

President.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Monday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called for the purpose of accepting that portion of the Cemetery Road that was graded by John Engelbrekt.

There being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney, & Davis.

City Engineer Cappa together with the Board of Public Works inspected the Cemetery Road and found same done in a satisfactory manner and in accordance with the plans and specifications therefore.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote the following Resolution was adopted.

Be It Resolved by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego as follows:

That that portion of the Cemetery <sup>Road</sup> for which John Engelbrekt, contracted with the City to grade, be and the same is hereby accepted and his claim therefor in the sum of \$970<sup>00</sup> be approved.

The Secretary was directed to transmit to the Hon. Common Council the proposition made by Mr. Spencer for the furnishing of a Safe for the use of this department together with the plan designed by the Secretary of the Board. Said proposition is to exchange the Safe in use in the office for one as per design and pay \$200<sup>00</sup> additional.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Secretary

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. February 14<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Reading minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Sewer The meeting was called for the purpose of receiving bids for the construction of a sewer in the district known as the 8<sup>th</sup> ward.

Bids In accordance with the advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>3/4</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1899, for the construction of a sewer in the district known as the 8<sup>th</sup> ward in accordance with the plans and specifications therefore on file in the office of said Board.

(8 <sup>th</sup> Ward) Bidders (Sweat)	Certified Checks.	Amount Bid.
Wm Osburn.	\$ 200.00	\$ 3791.25
R. A. Smith.	200.00	3747.00
A. Kindler.	210.00	4213.00
J. Shanley.	200.00	3873.00
Jos. Kelly.	200.00	3779.00
J. Engelbrecht	200.00	3945.00
lowest ✓ Goodbody & Roesner	185.00	3570.00

and awarded. Messrs. Goodbody & Roesner being the lowest bidder for the construction of said sewer, <sup>the contract</sup> was upon motion being duly seconded awarded to them by the following vote:-

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis, voting Aye.

Lufh. of Sewers

The construction of the aforesaid sewer being of much importance to the City in a sanitary way, and as it is necessary that it be constructed in strict accordance with the plans and specifications ~~therefore~~, and as the Common Council have made no provision for an inspector over said work to see that the contract for constructing said sewer is carried out to the letter, therefore the

instructed  
to be  
inspector  
on  
Sewer Work

following resolution was adopted by a unanimous Aye vote.

Be It Resolved By the Board of Public Works of the  
City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Superintendent of Sewers, he and he is  
hereby directed and instructed to personally inspect each and  
every joint and see that they are properly wiped and layed and  
that all work in connection with the construction of the  
sewer as contracted to be layed in the 8<sup>th</sup> Ward by Messrs.  
Goodbody and Roesner, is done in strict compliance with the  
terms of his contract, and that proper records thereof be made and  
preserved, which is in accordance with ~~Section of Chapter 5.~~ Charter of  
San Diego.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

W. J. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal., Arby. 16<sup>th</sup>, 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present, Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

The following resolution was presented and adopted.

Petition for \$50<sup>00</sup> for Stamps. Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Secretary petition the Honorable Common Council for an allowance of \$50<sup>00</sup> for stamps for use of the various departments of the City Government.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis. Voting aye.

The following Joint Resolution #1101, was read and ordered placed on file. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1101.

Provision for purchase of truck Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized to purchase the two-horse truck upon which the gasoline engine, belonging to the City, is now placed, from Ed Wescott, for the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00);

Ed. Wescott That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed, upon the presentation of a verified claim therefor, to allow said claim and authorize the issuance of a warrant therefor, for the said sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00), payable to the said Ed Wescott, upon the execution of a Bill of sale therefor to the said City of San Diego.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditora " "

Joint Resolution #1102. from the Common Council was received, read and ordered on file, and the Superintendent of Streets notified in accordance therewith.

Joint Resolution #1102.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Place a  
Watering  
Trough  
at Pueblo  
That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby directed and authorized to place and maintain, or cause to be placed and maintained, a public watering trough near the northeast corner of Pueblo Lot 104 of the pueblo lands of the City of San Diego, California.

Clerk's Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "      "

Joint Resolution #1103. from the Common Council was received, read and ordered on file, and the Superintendent of Streets notified in accordance therewith.

Joint Resolution #1103.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Authority  
to expend  
\$1000.- on  
Streets.  
That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized empowered, and directed to expend the sum of one thousand dollars in making the necessary repairs upon the streets in the City of San Diego, California, and said sum is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Certificate of Clerk attached.

"      "      Auditor      "

Morena Road  
Contract  
approved.  
The contract of Goodbody and Roesner for the grading of the Morena Road, was upon motion being duly seconded approved by the following vote.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Bonds  
approved.  
The bond for the foregoing contract, and the material-mens bond for same both same sureties (James Connell and M.P. Johnson) were upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote approved.

Bond & Contract  
Approved.

The contract with John Engelbrek for the construction of the India Street <sup>road</sup> extension, was upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote, approved

Bond  
Approved

The bond for the faithful performance of the foregoing contract in the sum of \$500<sup>00</sup> with Chas. Engebretsen & J.A. Cohn as sureties was approved by the following vote.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Bond  
Approved.

The material-mens bond for said work in the sum of \$1,200<sup>00</sup> with Geo. W. Haggard & D. A. Garretson as sureties was approved by the following vote.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest,

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal., Feby. 21<sup>st</sup> 1899.

Tuesday 11 A.M.

Special Meeting.

The meeting was called for the purpose of executing a contract with Goodbody and Roesner for the construction of a Sewer known as the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer & East School House Sewer, there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Present

Upon Motion being duly seconded the contract with Goodbody and Roesner for the construction of the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer was ordered executed and the Bond for same in the sum of \$1000.- for the faithful performance of said contract, with messrs. John R. Seifert and W. Llewelyn as sureties was ordered approved. Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

material-

Bond for

same

approved

Upon motion being duly seconded the materialmen bond in the sum of \$2300.- for the securing of the labor and material in the above contract same sureties was ordered approved

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon,

Secretary

W. J. Davis.

President:-

Thursday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal. Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes read and approved.

A communication from the Street Committee of the Common Council dated February 13<sup>th</sup> 1899, notifying the Board of Public Works of the action of the Committee denying the request of the Board for \$300<sup>00</sup> for the cultivation of the Howard Tract and recommending the apportioning of \$1000<sup>00</sup> for the use of the Street Department in repairing the Streets and requesting that the Street Superintendent be instructed to report to the Council as to where the said \$1000.- has been expended, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

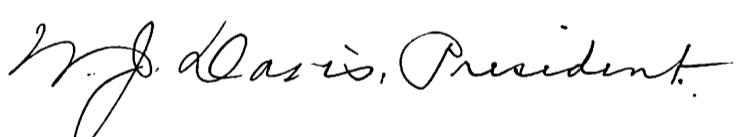
Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:



A. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

  
W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego Cal. Mar. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The minutes of the last special and Regular Meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council, the same was read and ordered on file. The resolution is as follows. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1108.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby directed and empowered to expend the sum of Fifty dollars for postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City Government. Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors " "

Dated Feby 28<sup>th</sup> 1899.

\$50<sup>00</sup> for  
Stamps  
allowed.

Communication

To Council to  
purchase a  
Desk for Justice

To purchase  
Sewer of  
A.W. Frost

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council approving the Requisition of the City Justice for a Roller Top desk for his office at a cost of \$40.00 and recommend the authorization for its purchase. and also recommend the payment of the claim of A.W. Frost of \$385<sup>00</sup> for a 6inch sewer laid from 24<sup>th</sup> Street 340 feet east in Alley between G<sup>rd</sup> & D. Streets complete with flush tank. Said sewer was laid under the Supervision of the Supt. of Sewers.

The following bills were read and approved.

Sewer apc

Claims 5755. 5744. 5712. 5656. 5716.

Street Lights:-

Claim 5702

Park Improvement.

Claims: 5739, 5704, 5637, 5717.

Public Health a/c

claim 5729, 5695.

Public Building a/c

Claims 5700, 5494 for bal of \$900 or \$225.- 5653, 5657, 5642, 5664, 5641, 5663, 5646, 5644.

Fire Hydrant.

Claim 5754.

Legal a/c

Claims 5726, 5723, 5690, 5684, 5665.

Office a/c

Claims 5777, 5758, 5743, 5742, 5713, 5706, 5655

General a/c.

Claims 5725, 5722, 5697, 5691, 5680, 5677, 5669, 5650, 5639, 5638, 5635, 5634.

Fire Department.

Claims 5630, 5631, 5662, 5670, 5671, 5672, 5673, 5674, 5692, 5708, 5709, 5710, 5711, 5720, 5727, 5728, 5729, 5760, 5775.

Salary a/c

Claims 5784, 5714.

Street a/c

Claims: 5661, 5659, 5629, 5628, 5627, 5626, 5752, 5778, 5656, 5738, 5737, 5736, 5734, 5733, 5721, 5719, 5699, 5698, 5686, 5685, 5676.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest.

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. H. Dixon,

President.

San Diego, Cal. March 6<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Monday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners, Julian and Davis absent " Whitney.

Upon Motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted, by the following vote.

Commissioners Julian & Davis voting Aye.  
Whitney, being absent.

Accepting  
Moreno Road  
by  
approving the  
claim  
therefor

The resolution is as follows. Viz:

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, As follows:-

That the Moreno Road as graded by Goodbody and Roemer as per their contract dated February 14<sup>th</sup> 1899, be and the same is hereby approved and accepted: Also the claim of Goodbody & Roemer for \$300. the contract price for doing said work be approved.

To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. March 9th 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The minutes of the last regular and special meeting were read and approved.

Cultivate Parks  
Upon Motion being duly seconded the Supt of Parks was instructed to cultivate the City Parks, and in so doing not to incur an expense to exceed \$150<sup>00</sup>

Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

That will be  
spense of  
Sprinkling Gar  
n. 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
The Secy. was instructed to address a communication to Mr. Jos. Hink Supt. J. D. Elec. Ry. Co. to ascertain what he will sprinkle 5<sup>th</sup> Street from "A" Street to University Avenue One time per week also two times per week. Said Sprinkling to be with saltwater and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

Rent of  
Police Court  
per Apr 1, 1899  
A communication from Sam'l. J. Fox, dated Mar. 7<sup>th</sup> 1899, was received this day notifying this Board that from and after April 1<sup>st</sup> 1899 the rent of for the office of the Chief of Police #950, 3<sup>rd</sup> Street will be Ten dollars per month.

Same was filed.

From the Common Council was received

Joint Resolution #1105.

Engr. to  
establish  
grade  
Toronto  
Road.  
Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows: That the City Engineer of the Said City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby requested and directed to make an estimate, and establish the grade, and make a survey and plans and specifications for the Toronto Road as defined and set forth in the Lockyer proposition, and return the same to this Common Council when so made.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

Clerks      "      "

Upon motion the said resolution was referred to the City Engineer.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

The following Resolution from the Common Council was received and ordered placed on file:-

Joint Resolution #1107.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and it is hereby granted to W.H. Winear to construct a brick building with eight inch walls on lot A in Block 69 of Hortons Addition to the said City of San Diego, California, about 12x30 feet in size adjoining the rear and east side of the building now on South east corner of 4<sup>th</sup> and G Streets.

Clerks certificate attached.

The following resolution from the Common Council was received and the same referred to the City Engineer to report on same.

Joint Resolution #1112.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for bids and let to the lowest responsible bidder a contract for the construction of an "A" culvert in the ditch on the street running along the south side of Lots 2, 3, 6 and 11, being a subdivision of Pueblo Lot 1783 of the pueblo lands of said City of San Diego, which said street is a part of the road leading from San Diego to La Jolla; and that said contract also include the grading of the roadway over said culvert and the approaches to the same, provided the cost of the proposed work does not exceed the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five dollars (\$125<sup>00</sup>).

Auditors certificate attached.

Clerks                  "                  "

The following resolution from the Common Council was received and the Secy. instructed to notify the Telephone Companies in accordance therewith.

Joint Resolution #1114.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be placed in the Ninth Ward Engine House

Engine House and in the Florence Nights Engine House, Telephones.  
Auditor's certificate attached.

City Engineer Cappa reports in reference to Joint Resolution #1112. as follows.

Recommend a small bridge instead of an "A" culvert.

Approximate Cost:	Grading 63.3 yds Cut	\$189.90
"	Bridge	<u>\$100.00</u>
		Total, \$289.90

In accordance therewith Joint Resolution #1112. was referred back to Council with this recommendation, for instructions.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. H. Dixon.

President.

San Diego, Cal., March 16<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present, Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes. The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council. The same was referred to the City Engineer.

Joint Resolution #1110.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Calling for  
Estimate  
India St.  
Road  
Grading.

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby requested and directed to furnish an estimate of the cost of the grading of the India Street Road from the end of the present surveyed road now being constructed under contract with John Engelbret, to Old Town, from its termination at the South line of Old Town to a point in Old Town at or near the Old Jail, in accordance with the survey made by said City Engineer of said City.

Blerks Certificate attached.

(SEAL)

Joint Resolution #1111.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

Calling for  
Estimate  
Grading  
Stand Pipe  
Road.

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby requested and directed to furnish an estimate of the cost of grading the Standpipe Road over Spreckels Heights, beginning at a point in Old Town, near the Standpipe, and extending over and through Spreckels Heights, to Old Town, according to the survey heretofore made by the said City Engineer of said City.

Blerks Certificate attached.

(SEAL.)

The following letter was received from the S. A. Elec.  
Ry. Co. Viz.:

"San Diego, Cal. March 21<sup>st</sup> 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,  
Gentlemen:-

Your letter of the 9<sup>th</sup> informing us of your action at  
a meeting held that day expressing a wish for our figures for  
sprinkling with car on 5<sup>th</sup> street from A. to University Avenue  
with salt water one time per week, also for sprinkling over the  
same territory the same way twice a week to the satisfaction  
of your board. In reply would say that we do not care to equip  
and enter the market for street sprinkling on the street des-  
ignated, but if you will advertise for bids for sprinkling of all  
streets where our railroad runs, as well as all streets south of  
A and west of 12<sup>th</sup> where the railroad does not run, stating  
how often you want them sprinkled, and what kind of water you  
want used, we will make a bid, the first proposition of yours  
does not give us a chance to even pick the Turkey bones, and  
we are getting tired eating Buzzard all the time.

Yours truly,

Joseph A. Flint."

The foregoing was read and ordered on file.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous  
Aye Vote the Secretary was instructed to advertise for  
bids for plowing, harrowing & cultivating the "Howard Tract and  
The Ladies Annex" Parks.

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal. March 20<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Monday 10. A.M.

Special Meeting:

Called for  
letting City  
Lighting  
Contract.

The meeting was called for the purpose of receiving bids for the lighting of the City of San Diego, Cal., for a period of one year from April 1<sup>st</sup> 1899, with Electric Light. There being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Light  
Notice

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office up to the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. on Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1899, for the lighting of Streets, Avenues and Parks with Electric Lights for a period of one year beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1899 and ending on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1900, in accordance with the specifications therefor on file in the office of the Board of Public Works.

Bidder

San Diego Gas & Electric Light Co. by R.W. Powers, Pres't. Cert. Check \$2000.. \$1354<sup>50</sup> per Mo.  
or 10<sup>50</sup> per Lamp.

Awarded

The San Diego Gas & Electric Light Co. being the only responsible bidder.

Attorney  
make  
Contract

It was moved and duly seconded that said bid be accepted and the contract awarded to said San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co. and the City Attorney instructed to prepare the contract in accordance with said bid and the specifications therefor.

Commissioners Whitney voting aye  
" Julian "  
" Davis "

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Davis,

President.

San Diego, Cal, March 23rd 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last two regular meetings and the special meeting were read and approved.

Conn. fr.  
Cal. Dustless  
Road Co.  
A communication was received from the "California Dustless Roads Co." agreeing to keep "C" Street from 4<sup>th</sup> to India free from dust for a period of one year for \$350.00

The same was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to address a communication to said Company stating that the territory over which they propose to apply said oil (C from 4<sup>th</sup> to India St) is but 2160 feet or less than  $\frac{1}{2}$  a mile, also that they stated personally to the Board that they would prepare One mile and keep this said mile in repair and entirely free from dust for, from \$250.- to \$350.- per mile. They now make a proposition asking over \$700.- per mile and select "C" Street as the street to make said test upon.

Believing that they have erred - We, the Board, will select the territory, and ask their figures per mile, Selecting "D" Street from 3<sup>rd</sup> to California Street, being 2440 feet, and "K" Street from 6<sup>th</sup> to 120 feet East of 15<sup>th</sup> St. This territory makes One mile and gives two different kinds of foundations upon which to make the test.

Petition  
asking  
for fire  
Escapes on  
Santa Fe  
Building  
The following petition was received, read & ordered on file, and the Secretary instructed to notify the owner of the said Santa Fe building to place fire escapes as is required by law upon said building at once.

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.  
The petition is as follows, viz:-

San Diego Cal. March 17<sup>th</sup> 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

We the undersigned respectfully petition your Honorable Body to compel the owner of the Building known as the "Santa Fe" and being located on lots A and B of block 36, Horton's Addition to San Diego, to comply with Section 15 of

Copy  
of

said  
petition.

Ordinance No. 102, of the Ordinances of the City of San Diego, which provided for the placing of metallic fire escapes on all buildings of three stories or more in height, for the protection of life; and prescribing a penalty for non-compliance with said Ordinance.

signed by 26 roomers of the Santa Fe Building.

Received this day from the Common Council was  
"Joint Resolution #1115."

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of the Said City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby requested and directed to make a survey for a wagon-road — feet in width, from the easterly terminus of the new Cemetery Road recently graded by John Engelbrecht, in the said City of San Diego, and from thence along the south line of the Cemetery to the south main entrance of the said Cemetery, and also to make an estimate of the cost of grading such a road, and to furnish the Common Council with a plat of such survey and estimate of such cost of grading said road.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

The foregoing Joint Resolution was referred to the City Engineer.

Received this day from the Common Council was  
"Joint Resolution #1116."

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and said Board of Public Works is hereby empowered and directed to expend the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars (\$150<sup>c</sup>), for cultivating, plowing, harrowing, and furrowing the "Howard Tract" and the "Ladies Annex," preparatory to irrigating the trees in said tracts.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with the foregoing joint resolution.

Received this day from the Common Council  
"Joint Resolution #1118."

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said

Authority  
to  
purchase  
desk for  
Justice  
Office.

City of San Diego be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to purchase, for the office of the City Justice of the said City of San Diego, one roller-top desk, not to exceed in cost the sum of forty dollars (\$40.00).

Banks Certificate Attached

Auditors Certificate Attached.

The foregoing joint resolution was ordered placed on file.

Received this day from the Common Council the following  
Joint Resolution #1119.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and instructed to grade a roadway, for the convenience of teams and pedestrians, from the South line of "D" Street at its intersection with eighteenth street, in a southerly direction, along the center line of eighteenth street, for such a distance as is necessary to obtain a reasonably good grade, providing that the expense thereof shall not cost to exceed the sum of One hundred dollars, which sum is hereby appropriated for such purpose.

Banks Certificate Attached.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

The Dept of Streets was instructed to do said work in accordance with said joint resolution.

Received from the Common Council the following  
Joint Resolution #1122.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and instructed to have that certain building located on the South half of lot lettered "I" in Block numbered forty-one (41) of Norton's Addition to the City of San Diego, California, altered and repaired so that said building may be used for Fire Department purposes, the plans and specifications of such repair to be made by the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, in conference with the Chief of the Fire Department of the said City of San Diego, and the expense of so altering and repairing said building not to exceed the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300<sup>00</sup>) said alterations and repairs not to be commenced

Authority  
to  
expend  
\$300<sup>00</sup>  
on Fire Dept.  
Building

until the City shall have received a lease therefor.

Auditors Certificate attached.

Clerks Certificate attached.

The City was instructed to advertise in accordance with said joint resolution as soon as the specifications therefor are prepared.

Health

Claims

The following claims of the Health Department were ordered approved. Viz:- 5678, 5679, 5682, 5687, 5688, 5689, 5693, 5694, 5705, 5707, 5730, 5731, 5732, 5735, 5763, 5769, 5780, 5781, 5782, 5783.

Legal ac. Claim done.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Adjourned

Attest:

A. H. Dixon  
Secretary

W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. March 25<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called for the purpose of receiving bids on Stationery and on plowing & harrowing the "Howard Track" and "Ladies Annex" Parks.

Present

There were present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Stationery

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1899, for the furnishing of Stationery for the use of the various departments of the City Government for a term of one year beginning April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1899. The following bids were received. Viz:-

<u>Bidders</u>	<u>Bertf. Check</u>	<u>Total price - Am't. of Bid.</u>
M. A. Wertheimer & Co.,	\$25.00	" " \$127.54
E. M. Gurbach	\$30.00	" " \$137.72

Awarded

M. A. Wertheimer & Co. being the lowest responsible bidder. Upon motion being duly seconded the contract for supplying Stationery to the City for one year from April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1899 was awarded to them.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis voting Aye.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1899, for the furnishing of all tools labor, materials, transportation and other expenses necessary to thoroughly plow, harrow, furrow and cultivate those tracts of land known as the "Howard Track" and the "Ladies Annex". The following bids were received. Viz:-

<u>Bidders</u>	<u>Bertf. Check</u>	<u>Am't. of Bid.</u>
John Engelbrek	\$15.00	\$295.00
C. A. Cickel	15.00	235.00
J. A. Jones	10.00	186.00

Mr. J. Jones bid of \$186.- being the lowest bid received for plowing, harrowing & cultivating the "Howard Tract" and the "Ladies Annex" and,

Whereas Joint Resolution #1116 authorizes the expenditure of but \$150.- for said work, and as the said bid recd. for doing said work is in excess of said amount, therefore the following resolution was adopted, Viz:-

Asking  
for  
Authority  
to  
spend  
186<sup>00</sup> on  
Parks.  
Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Secretary be and he is hereby instructed and directed to address a communication to the Common Council giving a list of the bids received for plowing, furrowing, harrowing and cultivating the "Howard Tract" and the "Ladies Annex" and recommend that they authorize this Board to award the contract for doing said work to J. A. Jones the lowest bidder at his bid.

Commissioners, Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,

Secretary

W. J. Glassie,

President.

San Diego, Cal. March 30<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

present	Commissioners	Whitney and Julian
absent	"	Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

In accordance with Joint Resolution #1114, from the Common Council authorizing and directing this Board to cause to be placed in the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward House and the Florence Heights Engine House, Telephones.

In accordance therewith the Secy. was instructed to address a communication to the Sunset Telephone Co., to ascertain if they will make us special rates.

In reply thereto the following was received. Viz:-

"Los Angeles, Cal. March 24/99.

Mr. R. L. Lewis, Manager,  
Sunset P.T. Co.

San Diego, Cal.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst., I herewith return to you the letter from Secretary T. H. Dixon, of the Board of Public Works, March 9, 1899.

Please inform Mr. Dixon that we have no authority to quote any other rates than the regular tariff rates.

Yours truly,

C. W. Stinchcliff.

Asst. Genl. Sept."

The regular tariff rates are as follows. Viz:-

10 party line	\$2 <sup>00</sup>	per. month.
2 "	\$5 <sup>00</sup>	" "
1 "	\$6 <sup>00</sup>	" "

In accordance with the foregoing the following resolution was adopted. Viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego as follows:-

That the Sunset Telephone Co. be and it is hereby authorized and directed to place a 2 party line in 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Engine House and one in the Florence Heights

Phones

for

9<sup>th</sup> Ward

and

Florence

Heights

Engine

Houses

Accepted

Engineer House.

Commissioners Whitney and Julian voting Aye.  
 " Davis being absent.

Duettless  
Road  
matter  
dropped.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to Mr. L. B. Delamp, manager of the California Duettless Roads Co. stating that the figures now presented are entirely too high and very different from that were personally made to the Board.

They have therefore concluded to drop the matter entirely.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1899, for the furnishing of all tools, labor, materials, transportation and other expenses necessary to make alterations and repairs to building located at 936 Third Street to be used as hook and ladder house.

The following bids were received:

Bidders.	Bertf. Check.	Bid
W.C. Miner	\$15.00	\$265 <sup>00</sup>
G.R. Watkins	none	\$281 <sup>00</sup>

Contract awarded

Mr. W.C. Miner, being the lowest bidder upon motion being duly seconded and by the following vote was awarded the contract to do said work.

Commissioners, Whitney, voting Aye  
 " Julian " "  
 " Davis being absent.

Lighting  
contract  
executed  
Bond  
Sinks  
Jorres  
Sureties  
approved.

In accordance with the action of the Board at a meeting held on March 20<sup>th</sup> 1899, in awarding to the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co., a contract for the lighting of the Streets, Avenues and Parks for one year from April 1<sup>st</sup> 1899, in accordance with specifications therefor on file in the office of this Board, and having posted the award of said contract for five days as is required by law, The Board did on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 1899 execute said contract and approve the Bond. Therefor in the sum of \$5000.00 with Jno. F. Sinks and G.W. Jorres as sureties.

Board adjourned till Saturday 10 A.M.

Attest: F.H. Dixon, Sec.

A. Jefferson  
President Pro

adjourned  
Saty 10 A.M.

Saturday 10. A.M.

San Diego, Cal. April 1<sup>st</sup> 1899.

Special Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being  
present Commissioners, Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, Julian in chair.  
absent. Davis.

Minutes

Reading of the minutes was suspense with.

Upon Motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted by a unanimous Aye vote. Viz:-

Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, that the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, be and he is hereby directed to prepare and furnish to this Board of Public Works plans and specifications for a metallic fire escape for that certain building known as the Marshall-Higgin building, located on the southwest corner of Fourth street and "B" street in the said City of San Diego, California. Said metallic fire escape to extend from the first floor to the upper stories of such building, and at least four feet above the roof thereof, and to be affixed to the outer walls thereof.

Engg to  
furnish  
the Escape  
Plans

Pay Roll  
Claims

Adjourned.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following claims were read and approved.

Claims # 5891, 5893, 5896, 5898, 5901.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

N. H. Julian  
President Propt

San Diego, Cal. April 6<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Conn. fr.  
Ch. Fire Dept  
Contract for  
Hay etc. expired A communication was received from the Chief of the Fire Department in which he notifies the Board that the contract for furnishing the Fire Department with Hay & grain has expired.

Same was ordered placed on file.

Purchase  
open market Upon motion being duly seconded the Chief of the Fire Department was authorized to purchase by requisition in the open market at the lowest possible figures all hay, grain, etc. necessary for the use of the Fire Department until other arrangements are made.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

M.A.W & Co.  
Stationery  
Contract &  
Bond  
approved. Upon Motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote of the Board the contract with M. G. Wertheimer & Co. for furnishing the City with stationery for one year commencing April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1899, was ordered approved: and the bond for same in the sum of \$250<sup>00</sup> with J. Wagenheim & Melvin Klauber as sureties was approved.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote of the Board the following claims were ordered approved:

Public Health Claims. 5789, 5841, 5849, 5850, 5888, 5889, 5890.

Fire Department Claims. 5772, 5797, 5813, 5846, 5852, 5853, 5858, 5860, 5862, 5863, 5864, 5865, 5936, 5937, 5938, 5946, 5960, 5978.

Public Building, 5766, 5767, 5794, (5793 rejected) 5809, 5810, 5832, 5912, 5922, 5923, 5942, 5945,

Sewer Department, Claims, 5799, 5795, 5800, 5939, 5956, 5980.

Police Dept. Claims 5934, 5935.

Park Improvement Dept. 5773, 5803, 5856, 5940, 5961, 5981.

General a/c. Claims #, 5771, 5786, 5796, 5811, 5854, 5909, 5944, 5950, 5969, 5970.

Office a/c, Claims, 5764, 5816, 5855, 5859, 5866, 5867, 5868, 5924, 5929, 5947, 5949, 5966.

Streetlight Claim, 5913, Fire Hydrant Claim 5957.

Street Claims, 5765, 5770, 5787, 5788, 5798, 5843, 5844, 5848, 5857, 5861, 5869, 5870,  
5871, 5872, 5905, 5906, 5907, 5925, 5926, 5927, 5928, 5953, 5954, 5962, 5963, 5965, 5975,  
5976, 5978.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

F. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. April 13<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes approved.

For Authority to print 11000 Tax Certif.  
The Secy. was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council asking for authority to purchase 11000 Tax Certificates for the Tax Collector. The cost last year being \$77<sup>00</sup> for said number.

Gauge Chart  
The Secy. was authorized to purchase an Edison Pressure Gauge Chart and one year's supply of paper for same.

Engelbrecht granted 10 days time.  
Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote, Mr. Jno. Engelbrecht was granted 10 days additional time within which to complete his contract in grading the India Street extension

Supt. of Streets  
The following Joint Resolution was received this day from the Common Council and the Supt. of Streets instructed in accordance therewith. Viz:..

Joint Resolution #1124.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:..

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and instructed to complete the grading of the cut of eighteenth (18) street at its intersection with the South line of "D" street, so that when completed it will make and constitute a good and passable roadway, at noth to exceed the sum of \$100.00 Dollars.

Blerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "      "

Received this day from the Common Council the following. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1125.

Advertise for bids to plow Park  
 Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids for plowing and cultivating that portion of the City park known as the "Howard Tract" and the "Ladies' Annex," and to submit all bids so received to this Common Council for approval. And that said Board of Public Works be, and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to reject all bids heretofore received by said Board for plowing and cultivating that portion of said Park above mentioned.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors      "

Delay on Plowing Park too long - can only water same now

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council stating that the delay was so long that it is now useless to attempt to plow and cultivate the city Park, as the weeds have all gone to seed. The best that we can now do is to furrow these parks and water them as best we can.

G.A.R. granted permit

The G.A.R. were granted a permit to erect arches on 3rd Streets and 4th Streets for the celebration commencing May 1<sup>st</sup> 99.

Received this day from the Common Council the following:

Joint Resolution #1126.

Advertise for bids for the Construction of small wooden bridge near La Jolla  
 Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let the contract for the construction of a small wooden bridge over the ditch in the street running along the south side of lots two (2), three (3), six (6), and eleven (11) being a subdivision of Pueblo Lot seventeen hundred eighty-three (1783). Said street being a part of the road leading from San Diego to La Jolla. And also for the grading of the approaches to said bridge. The cost of said work not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00).

Auditors Certificate Attached.

Clerks      "

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with said Resolutions as soon as specifications are ready.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council and referred to the City Engineer.

Joint Resolution # 1127.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed and instructed to prepare and furnish to this Common Council estimates of the cost of raising the India Street bridge to the official grade of said street, and also an estimate of the cost of grading the approaches to said bridge when so raised.

Clerk's Certificate attached.

Joint Resolution # 1128.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed and instructed to fix and establish the grade of 23rd Street in the City of San Diego, California.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Honorable Common Council stating that Mr. John Engelbrecht has completed his contract in grading the India Street Road Extension, and that said road is entirely useless as it stands for it terminates with a five foot fill or jump off and is therefore impassable.

The Board recommend that you authorize the extension of said road at once in accordance with the Engineers plans and estimates.

The City Clerk makes requisition on this Board for a Typewriting Desk.

We respectfully recommend that you authorize the purchase of said desk.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. April 17<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Monday 3 P.M.

Special Meeting:

present	Commissioners	Julian and Davis
absent	"	Whitney.

India St.  
Road Etn  
accepted  
\$1675<sup>00</sup>  
claim  
therefor  
approved

Commissioners Julian and Davis and Engineer Capps having this day inspected the India Street Road Extension and find the work of grading said piece of road done in a manner satisfactory to the City Engineer and the Board of Public Works. Therefore upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the following Resolution was adopted. Viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the India Street Road Extension as graded by Mr. John Engelbret, the contracting party, be and the same is hereby approved and accepted; and his claim therefor in the sum of \$1675<sup>00</sup>, the contract price, be approved.

adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest.

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

N. J. Davis. President

San Diego, Cal. April 20<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davies.

minutes The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

The following was received from the Common Council.

Joint Resolution #1129.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

\$1000.00 for St. Repairs That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to expend the sum of one thousand (\$1000.00) in general repairs of Streets.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors      "

Supt. of Streets was notified in accordance with said resolution.

Joint Resolution #1130.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Low Arm Lights 10<sup>th</sup> & E. That the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have a low arm electric light placed at the intersection of Tenth and "E" streets.

Auditors Certificate attached.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co. to place a low arm light in accordance with said foregoing resolution.

Joint Resolution #1132.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Fire Alarm Boxes 4<sup>th</sup> and University  
That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to purchase the necessary wire, etc., to move the fire alarm box now located at the old Power House of the Citizens' Traction Company to the south west corner of Fourth street and Walnut Avenue; and to place a new fire alarm box near 4<sup>th</sup> and University or 5<sup>th</sup> and University, whichever the Fire Commissioners recommend.

Blerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "

The Fire Commissioners were asked to make an estimate of wire needed and the cost of same also to make a recommendation as to where they wish to place the Fire Alarm Boxes and report their findings to this Board.

Joint Resolution #1133.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

T.W. Desk City Clerk  
That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to purchase a type-writing desk for use in the City Clerk's office, provided the cost of the same is not to exceed the sum of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00).

Blerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "

The Secretary was instructed to purchase said desk for the use of the Clerks Department.

Joint Resolution #1134.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Sewer for K. Session  
That permission be and the same is hereby given to Miss. H. O. Sessions to connect with the Fifth Street sewer and construct a six (6) inch sewer on Ivy Lane from Sixth (6) Street to Fifth (5) Street, in accordance with the ordinance of the City of San Diego providing for such work, and providing further that the same shall be done under the supervision of the Superintendent of Sewers of said City. Said sewer

To be constructed of Six(6)inch vitrified stone sewer pipe.  
Certificate of Clerk attached.

Superintendent of Sewers instructed in accordance with said resolution and to make proper notations thereof.

Joint Resolution #1131.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

11,000.- Tax Certificates for Tax Collector.  
That the Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized to purchase 11,000, tax certificates, or tax receipts, for use of the City Tax Collector.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors " "

The Secretary was instructed to take bids and purchase said certificates from the lowest bidder.

Ordinance #618.

Extension of India St. Road to Old Town.  
An Ordinance Authorizing certain Public Work to be done within the City of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City, and directing the Board of Public Works to perform the same.

The forgoing authorizes the constructing of a wagon road 24 feet in width commencing at the terminus of the road recently graded by John Engelbrek (the India Street extension Road) and extending to Old Town.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for grading said road as soon as the right-of-way therefor is secured.

Ordinance #622.

Sale of Engine House 9<sup>th</sup> St.  
An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for sale the old building located on Lot S. of Block 99 Horton Addition and the same for cash to the highest bidder.

The Secretary was instructed in accordance with said Ordinance.

250 City  
Charters

Ordinance #623.  
 An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to have printed 250 City Charters at an expense not to exceed \$100.00

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The Secretary was instructed to receive bids and let the contract for said printing to the lowest bidder.

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Extension  
of  
9<sup>th</sup> Ward  
Sewer

Ordinance #624.  
 An Ordinance authorizing the extension of the ninth ward sewer for a distance of eighty feet, and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to extend such sewer, at an expense not to exceed \$80<sup>00</sup>.

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The Secretary was directed to advertise in accordance with said Ordinance as soon as the specifications therefore are completed.

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Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

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Attest.

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. P. Davis.

President.

Thursday 10 AM.

San Diego, Calif. May 4<sup>th</sup> 1899.

~~Regular Meeting:~~

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Pages #482 & 483 were skipped by error, see page 484.



San Diego, Cal. April 27<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

In accordance with an advertisement of this Board to sell at public auction at its office in the City Hall at 10 o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1899, to the highest bidder, for cash, that certain building, and sheds attached thereto, located on Lot "I" in Block 99 of Hortons Addition, and used as a hook and ladder house for the Fire Dept. The President of said Board of Public Works did at the above specified time sell said above described building to Mr. G.W. Hitchcock for \$60<sup>00</sup> this being the highest bid.

The following communication was received from the City Engineer, Edwin M. Capps, the same was ordered spread upon the minutes:- Viz:-

"San Diego, Calif. April 27<sup>th</sup>, 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

Having been recently elected to the Honorable office of Mayor of this City, it becomes necessary to present this, my letter of resignation as your City Engineer; It is with deep regret that I do so. My long connection with the office has greatly attached me to it. The work of the office, though at times has taxed my patience to the utmost limit, has been my professional work, and therefore congenial to me.

During my term of office since July 3<sup>d</sup> 1893, I have been in constant association with your honorable body, and we have transacted a vast amount of business together, and I wish to extend to you my thanks for the considerate and courteous treatment that you have accorded me.

At times differences of opinion have arisen,

Minutes  
Fire Eng.  
House  
9<sup>th</sup> Apr.  
Sold  
for \$60<sup>00</sup>

Engt Capps  
Resignation

as is natural in affairs in life, but I feel such differences were honest, and all intended for the best interests of the City.

I shall always look back upon our associations with pride, and the kindest regards for the members of your honorable board.

You will please accept my resignation as City Engineer, for the City of San Diego, to take effect on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 1899.

Very Truly Yours,  
Edwin M. Capps."

Capps Resignation

Accepted.

Upon motion being duly seconded the resignation of Mr. Edwin M. Capps was accepted by the following vote: Viz:- Commissioners, Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted by the following vote. Viz:-

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Whereas Edwin M. Capps was appointed by the Board of Public Works to the office of City Engineer for the City of San Diego in the year 1893, and

Whereas, since that time until the present date Edwin M. Capps has filled that office and discharged its duties with the highest efficiency, and in a manner creditable to himself and redounding always to the interests of the citizens of San Diego, and

Whereas, the citizens of the City of San Diego in just recognition of the rectitude and competency of Edwin M. Capps as a civic official, have honored him and subserved their interests by electing him as mayor of said City on the 4<sup>th</sup> of April, 1899, therefore,

Be It Resolved, that the Board of Public Works of said City in regular session convened, taking cognizance of the commendation and endorsement of Edwin M. Capps' official career as City Engineer of said City, by the citizens of said City, by their action on April 4<sup>th</sup> last, do hereby add to said commendation and endorsement the commendation and endorsement of said Board, and while expressing their regret that he should have by the assumption of his duties as mayor to vacate the office, the affairs of which, he has conducted so creditably for the past six years, yet

Be It Further Resolved that said

Resolution

of endorsement

of Capps

during his

term of

Office.

Board of Public Works does hereby express their entire confidence that Edwin M. Capps will bring to the discharge of his duties as Mayor of the City of San Diego the same honorable regard for the interests of the citizens and tax payers, and the same creditable competency as he has manifested in the administration of the office of City Engineer during the past six years.

Be It Further Resolved that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of said Board of Public Works.

The President declared it now in order to proceed to elect a City Engineer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Edwin M. Capps.

The Secretary then read applications, for the position of City Engineer, from Lew B. Harris, Geo. d'Heinicourt and L.J. Davids.

L.J. Davids appointed Engineer. It was moved and duly seconded that vote be taken on the above applicants, which resulted in Mr. L.J. Davids receiving all the votes or a unanimous endorsement of the Board.

The President thereupon declared Mr. L.J. Davids the choice of the Board, and fixing the time to assume the duties of the office of City Engineer at May 1<sup>st</sup> 1899.

Purchase wire for Fire Dept. The Secretary was instructed, in accordance with joint Resolution #1132, to purchase 2 miles of Double Board Weatherproof Iron Wire #10, B.W.G. \$28<sup>00</sup> per. mile, weight about 350 lbs. per. mile. of John A. Rockling's Sons Co. 25 & 27 Fremont St. San Francisco, Cal. by the following vote, Viz:- Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis, voting Aye.

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by the following vote the following resolution was adopted. Viz:- Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis, voting Aye.

Accepting 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer. Whereas the work of constructing the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer by Messrs. Goodbody and Roemer, has been completed, and

Whereas the Supt. of Sewers has filed his certificate certifying that the work has been performed in accordance with the plans and specifications ~~therefore~~, and

Whereas, we, the Commissioners of the Board,

of Public Works and the Supt of Streets, Mr. Fred Osburn, did on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April 1899, inspect said 9<sup>th</sup> ward sewer and find the work done in a satisfactory manner, therefore

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the 9<sup>th</sup> ward sewer as constructed by Messrs. Goodbody and Rosner, Contractors, be and the same is hereby approved and accepted; and the claim therefor in the sum of \$3570<sup>00</sup> is hereby approved.

The following joint resolution from the Common Council was received, read, and ordered on file and the Janitor instructed in accordance therewith: Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1137.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to purchase for the City of San Diego One (1) regulation bunting flag, Eighteen (18) feet long, and bunting and flags, not to exceed the sum of \$60<sup>00</sup>

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "      "

The City was instructed to have hand phones placed in Engineers, Auditors and Treasurers Office: also to have push button connections made with said Departments.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest.

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. H. Davis, President.

Approving  
claim therefore

Purchase  
Flag & Bunting

Phones  
in  
offices

San Diego, Cal. May 4<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 AM.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Election  
of Pres.  
of Board

In accordance with Art. 5- Chap 1. Sec. 2. of the Charter of the City of San Diego, the Board proceeded to elect a President for said Board from amongst their number for the ensuing year.

Comr. Whitney placed in nomination Comr. W. J. Davis the same was seconded by Comr. Julian. No other nominations being made the roll was called with the following result.

Commissioner Julian voting Aye.

" Whitney " "

" Davis . excused.

Commissioner Davis being the choice of the Board, He was declared elected President of the Board for the ensuing year.

Record  
Books  
for  
Clerk

The City Clerk makes requisition on this Board for 2 Record Books, Board of Aldermen, 2 Record Books, Board of Delegates, 1 Record Book Joint Resolutions.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending the purchase of same.

Repairs  
to the  
Hook & Ladder  
Building  
approved.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis and the Chief of the Fire Department this day inspected the building as repaired and altered for the use of the Fire Dept on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street bet D. & E. Streets and find the same done in accordance with the contract, plans and specifications and satisfactory to the Board and to the Chief of the Fire Dept. Therefore,

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Calif. as follows:-

That the building located on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street between D. and E. Streets and to be used as a hook and ladder house for the Fire Department, as altered and repaired, be and the same is hereby approved and accepted. And the claim

therefor in the sum of \$265<sup>c</sup> be approved.

The following bills were read and approved. Viz:-

Fire Department

Claims 6230, 6222, 6223, 6304, 6287, 6243, 6242, 6241, 6240, 6238, 6202, 6185.

General a/c

Claims, 6188, 6197, 6321, 6308, 6307, 6283, 6273, 6189.

Office a/c

Claims, 6306, 6293, 6270, 6257, 6256, 6206, 6235.

Public Building a/c

Claims, 6315, 6234, 6233, 6276, 6201, 5942.

Public Health a/c

Claims 6305, 6183, 5888, 5830, 5818.

Park Improvement a/c.

Claims 6294, 6255, 6254, 6252, 6231, 6262.

Street lights

Claims, 6277, 6311, 6298, 6186, 6225, 6265.

Street a/c.

Claims, 6300, 5660, 6292, 6310, 6309, 6301, 6295, 6285, 6284, 6275, 6261, 6260, 6258, 6248  
6247, 6246, 6245, 6244, 6239, 6224, 6220, 6205, 6204, 6198.

Pay Rolls

Claims, 6263, 6264.

Fire Hydrant a/c

Claim 6299.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

M. Davis, President.

Adjourned

San Diego, Cal. May 11<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The Board was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting, were read and approved.

Place

Upon Motion being duly seconded the Chief of the Fire Department was instructed in accordance with Joint Resolution #1132, to move fire alarm box from old Power House of the Citizens' Traction Co. to the S.W. corner of 4<sup>th</sup> Street and Walnut Ave., and to place a new fire alarm box near 4<sup>th</sup> and University or 5<sup>th</sup> and University, by the following vote: Viz:- Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis voting Aye.

Repair

Screen

Doors.

Tax Collector, Dodge was allowed to have the screen doors in front of his office fixed so that they will open both ways: also the arch over the desk repaired.

Fire Escape.

The Secy. was instructed to address the following communications to the Common Council. Viz:-

Recommend the adoption of the submitted plan of fire escape and to authorize the enforcing of Ord #102.

Re-Insure

Eng. House.

Recommend that the Board be instructed to re-insure the building, and apparatus contained therein, located on 3<sup>rd</sup> St. bet. D & E. and used by Fire Department placing a valuation of \$3500.00 on said building, the premium therefor being \$140<sup>00</sup> old insurance terminates May 24<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Frost

Sewer Claim

Referred.

Refer claim #6341 of Mr. A. H. Frost for \$285.00 for payment of a 6" sewer laid in alley of Block 4 Golden Hill Adm. from lot D to 24<sup>th</sup> St. bet C & D, to the Common Council for their consideration.

Stamps

Recommend that the Board be authorized to purchase \$100.00 worth of postage stamps for use of the various depts of the City Govt.

Claim

Referred.

Refer claim #6249 for \$55<sup>75</sup> of J. H. Woolman for making the water connections for the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer and recommend that it be authorized paid.

Bitumen  
Patch Work

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Recommend that the Board be directed to advertise for bids for the bitumen patch work of bitumen paved streets.

Aud. Com.  
Claim  
Referred

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The Auditing Committee under date of May 9<sup>th</sup> 1899, "Refer back to this Board claim # 4249 for \$5.75 of Jno. H. Woolman for making water connections to the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward Sewer, for ratification by the Common Council. also

Bitumen

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That you <sup>Board</sup> recommend to the Common Council for authority to advertise for and let a contract for the repairing of bitumen streets. also

Endorse  
Authority  
on all  
Claims

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That all officers empowered to incur indebtedness and purchase supplies endorse upon the back of the claims filed for any such indebtedness or supplies the section of the charter, number of ordinance, number of contract, resolution or other authority under which the indebtedness was incurred or supplies were purchased. also

Owners  
of teams  
only to  
drive

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That the attention of the members of the Board of Public Works be called to the provisions of the City ordinances providing that men must not be employed to drive teams for the city unless they are the actual owner of such team."

The contents of the foregoing were referred in accordance with their recommendations and the communications ordered on file.

Advertise  
Forage  
Com. July 1/99

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The following Resolutions were received from the Common Council: Viz:-

Joint Resolution # 1142.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the furnishing of forage for the use of the Fire Department of said City for one year from the first day of July, 1899. Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors        "        "

The same was ordered placed on file:-

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Joint Resolution # 1141.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure two record books, Board of Delegates, two record books, Board of Aldermen, one record book; Joint Resolutions, for use of the City Clerk's department.

Clerk's Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "      "

In accordance with the foregoing the Secretary received the following bids.

R. Schiller                          \$15<sup>00</sup> each.

Harris & Cheatham,                          15<sup>25</sup> "

R. Schiller being the lowest bidder the making of said record books were awarded to him.

The following communication was received from the Honorable Mayor.

"San Diego, Cal. May 11<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Hon. Board of Public Works  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.  
Gentlemen:

It has been my observation that the duties of the Superintendent of sewer is not so arduous, but what he could with ease, perform not only such work, but the work of the office of Plumbing Inspector as well, with your kind permission to make such consolidation, I will recommend the same to the Common Council for their consideration.

Your Secretary can do all the clerical work for the Board of Health, during his spare time.

This will save \$90<sup>00</sup> per month to the City.

Very Truly Yours,

Edwin M. Gaffs,  
Mayor."

The foregoing was read and ordered on file and upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted by a unanimous Aye vote: Tigr-

Mayors Recommendation endorsed by Board

Whereas, the Board of Public Works is in receipt of a communication from the honorable mayor of the City of San Diego of even date herewith, asking that they recommend to him the consolidation of the office of Plumbing Inspector with the office of Superintendent of Sewers and that the Secretary of the Board of Public Works do the clerical work of the Board of Health in addition to the work of the Board of Public Works, and

Whereas, it is the sense of this Board that the work of the Superintendent of Sewers is not so arduous, but he can with ease perform said work, and also attend to the duties required of the plumbing inspector, therefore

Be It Resolved, By The Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That we will, as per your suggestion, recommend to your Honor, that you recommend to the Common Council of the City of San Diego the consolidation of said respective offices.

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Upon motion of Commissioner Whitney and seconded by Commissioner Julian the following resolution was adopted: Viva

Capt. of Streets and Secy. of Board are Retained

Whereas, the position of the Superintendent of Streets of the City of San Diego, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City; and the position of the Secretary of said Board have been honorably and creditably filled by the present incumbents who have discharged their duties with the highest efficiency and who have always strived to serve the public in a manner that would reflect credit upon themselves as well as upon this Board, therefore

Be It Resolved, By The Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That Mr. Fred Osburn, Superintendent of Streets of the City of San Diego, and Mr. A. H. Dixon, Secretary of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, be and they are hereby retained in their respective positions.

Commissioner Whitney voting Aye

" Julian " "

" Davis " "

No further business the Board adjourned.

Clerk:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. May 18<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

River Sand

50¢ cu.yd.  
filed.

A communication was received from Waldo S. Waterman Genl. Mgr. S. D. Tuyama & Eastern Ry. Co. offering a quantity of clear river sand at 50¢ per cubic yard.

The same was read and ordered filed.

Supt. Sewer  
applications

filed.

Applications for the position of Supt. of Sewers were read from the following applicants, and were ordered on file.

John Campbell,

A. H. Julian

W. H. Doddridge,

Jno. H. Woolman, in event Plumbing Inspector and Sewer Inspector are consolidated.

Vote

No choice

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote it was decided to proceed to ballot for sewer Supt. The ballot shows as follows

	1 <sup>st</sup> ballot	2 <sup>nd</sup> ballot	3 <sup>rd</sup> ballot.
P. M. Shaw	1.	1.	1.
A. H. Julian	1.	1.	1.
W. H. Doddridge	1.	1.	1.

appointment

postponed

Three ballots having been taken without a choice it was moved and duly seconded that the election of Supt. of Sewers be postponed.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Asst.

Mrs. James A. Wade makes application for Asst. Supt. of Sewers. The same was ordered on file.

Belden

Retained

Mr. Frank E. Belden was retained as Supt. of Parks by a unanimous Aye vote.

10 AM.

Friday.

No further business Adjourned till 10 A.M. Friday.

Attest. F. K. Dixon, Secy.

W. J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal. May 19<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Friday 10 A.M.

Special Meeting:-

present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes  
The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Adv. to build Bridge  
In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of this Board between the hours of 10.<sup>and</sup> 11 o'clock A.M. on Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1899, for the construction of a bridge and the grading of the approaches to said bridge, the same being located between La Jolla and Pacific Beach.

The following bids were received: Tigr-

Bidders	Conf. Check	Amt. of Bid.
M. D. Goodbody.	\$ 20.00	\$ 322.00
No. Engelbrek	\$ 20.00	\$ 325.00
Wm. Oxburn.	\$ 20.00	\$ 340.00

Bids rejected.  
Joint Resolution #1126 from the Honorable Common Council instructing the Board to advertise for and let a contract to do the foregoing work, allows but \$200.00, therefore upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote, all bids were rejected.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Council of the action of the board.

To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Calif. May 24<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Wednesday 10<sup>30</sup> AM.

Special Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes. The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council, Vig:-

Joint Resolution #1149.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to insure against loss by fire or water, the two story frame building and the additions thereto attached, and occupied by the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California, situated on the west side of Third Street, between "D" Street and "E" Street, in the City of San Diego, California, for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.) dollars; and the Electrical Fire-alarm Apparatus and appliances therein contained, being a part of the Fire-alarm System of the said City of San Diego, for the sum of Two Thousand (\$2000.) dollars for the term of one (1) year, commencing on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1899.

And that the Board of Public Works be, and the said Board of Public Works is hereby directed to distribute such insurance and all fire insurance hereafter required by the said City of San Diego, among all the Fire Insurance Agencies in the said City of San Diego.

Clerk's Certificate Attached.

Auditors      "      "

Applications Applications were received and read from the following Insurance Agents to insure the said property. Vig:- Williams & Riger.

W. A. Abrahams.

Conover O'Brien.

Robyn & DeJalieu.

Upon motion being duly seconded the foregoing Agents were authorized to write a policy for \$625<sup>00</sup> each on the aforesaid property the Premium therefore being \$25<sup>00</sup>.

Insure

\$625<sup>00</sup> each.

each. Said Insurance to take effect at noon this day.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

S. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. May 25<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 AM.

Regular Meeting:-

Present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular and special meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1145.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, be and is hereby directed to make and furnish to this Common Council, a survey and plans for, and an estimate of the costs of a sewer, from the Normal School Building situated on University Heights, in the City of San Diego, California; thence running in a southerly direction along University Boulevard to University avenue; thence in a westerly direction along said University avenue to the Saint Joseph's hospital, and to connect the same at the most convenient point with the public sewer system of the City of San Diego.

Clerks Certificate attached.

The City Engineer was instructed in accordance with the foregoing.

Joint Resolution #1146.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and furnish to this Common Council, a survey and plat for a wagon road sixty feet wide through Pueblo Lots No. 1208 and No. 1798 of the Pueblo Lands of the City of San Diego, between Moreno Donsite and La Jolla.

Clerks Certificate attached.

The City Engineer was instructed in accordance with the foregoing:

Joint Resolution #1147.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and is hereby authorized and empowered to incur an indebtedness, not exceeding one hundred dollars, for the irrigating and cultivating of the "Howard Tract" of the City Park of the City of San Diego, California.

Auditors Certificate attached.

The Supt. of Parks was instructed in accordance with the foregoing.

Joint Resolution #1148.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure, for the use of the various departments of the City Government, \$25<sup>00</sup> worth of postage stamps.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors      "

The Secretary was instructed to purchase postage stamps as per the foregoing authority.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council for authority to expend not to exceed \$40.- for watering and cultivating the trees on upper 5<sup>th</sup> Street.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

D. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal., June 1<sup>st</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners, Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Supt. of Streets have goods stored in material yd. Supt. of Streets was instructed to have the goods that are stored in the store-room of the Riveroll house back of this office moved to the material yard and there stored: also notified, that the S. D. Electric Co. have been laying track on Hogan Ave. bet. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Street and have left the street in bad condition. Notify the proper authorities to remedy this.

Gilcher Contract The Secretary was instructed to notify the Common Council that the "Gilcher" contract for the disposal of garbage expires June 22/99.

J. M. Shaw relieved. Upon Motion of Commissioner Whitney and Seconded by Commissioner Julian the following Resolution was adopted: Viz:

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

In accordance with Art. 5, Chap. 1. Sec. 12. of the Charter of the City of San Diego, that the services of Mr. J. M. Shaw, Supt. of Sewers of the City of San Diego, California be, and they are hereby dispensed with.

Commissioner Whitney voting Aye.

" Julian, " "

" Davis, " "

Ass't Sewer. Supt. to act as Supt. Upon Motion being duly seconded Ass't Supt. Hamlin was instructed to take charge of the sewers until further notice, and perform said duties as Ass't Supt.

Authority  
to purchase  
lot Books.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council for authority to purchase 4 lot books for use in the Assessors Department

The following claims were read and approved:-

General ac

Claims # 8420, 6449, 6368, 6404, 6366, 6413, 6333, 6332, 6331, 6330.

Office ac

Claims # 6329, 6345, 6340, 6349, 6378, 6379, 6380, 6381, 6382, 6383, 6394, 6395, 6411, 6423,

Public Building

Claims # 6343, 6360, 6373, 6374, 6389, 6401.

Library Fund.

"J.W."

Park Imp. Fund.

Claims # 6431, 6286, 6344, 6418, 6445, 6454, 6455,

Fire Department

Claims # 6427, 6336, 6359, 6372, 6390, 6391, 6392, 6397, 6406, 6407, 6408, 6409, 6410, 6443,  
6444, 6464.

Street Light

Claim # 6403.

Legal ac

Claims # 6352, 6439,

Salary ac

Claims # 6428, Engrs. \$215.- Works # 6434, \$325.

Sewer ac

Claims # 6249, 6367, 6363, 6371, 6429.

Street ac

Claims # 6436, 6351, 6361, 6362, 6375, 6384, 6385, 6386, 6396, 6398, 6399, 6400, 6416, 6417, 6422  
6437, 6440, 6446, 6452, 6453.

No further business the Board adjourned.

J. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

M. J. Davis,

President

San Diego, California June 8<sup>th</sup>, 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being  
present Commissioners Whitney and Julian  
absent Commissioner Davis.  
 Commissioner Julian in the chair.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were

read and approved.

The following claims were read and ordered approved:-

General a/c

Claims # 6478, 6479, 6502,

Street a/c

Claims # 6462, 6488, 6489, 6490, 6505, 6506, 6507,

Police a/c.

Claims # 6350, 6356, 6370, 6393, 6405,

Public Building

Claim # 6337.

Office a/c

Claims # 6460, 6474, 6475, 6477,

Fire Hydrant a/c

Claim # 6468.

Public Library a/c

Claim # 6278.

Lot Books for Assessor In response to a personal call for bids for the making of 4 lot books for use in City Assessors office the following bids were received. Viz:-

R. Schiller

\$10<sup>35</sup> each.

Harris & Cheatham

\$35.00 for th 4.

Contract was awarded to Harris & Cheatham.

The following Joint Resolutions were received from the Common Council. Vig:-

Joint Resolution # 1151.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and is hereby given and granted to A. M. Van Horn to construct a wooden addition to his building located on Fourth street, between "E" and "F" Streets, on Lot "J", Block 63, of Horton's Addition in the City of San Diego, California.  
Clerks Certificate Attached.

The foregoing Resolution # 1151, was ordered placed on file.

Joint Resolution # 1157.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and is hereby given to A. M. Hovey to construct a small addition of corrugated iron to the building situated at number 1421 "D" Street.

The above Joint Resolution having been on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 1899, submitted to the Mayor of the City of San Diego, California, and the period of ten days after its submission to the Mayor having elapsed, and the said Mayor not having signed or returned said resolution with his objections thereon in writing, the same has become a law, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 1899, by operation of Section 17, Chapter 1, Article 2, of the Charter of the City of San Diego, California.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

The foregoing Resolution # 1157, was ordered on file.

Joint Resolution # 1158.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California.

That the Board of Public Works of said city be and is hereby authorized to purchase four lot books for the City Assessors office at a cost not exceeding \$5.00

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

The Secretary was instructed to take bids on lot books.

Building Permit

Building  
Permit for  
A. M. Hovey.

Lot Books  
Assessors  
office.

Joint Resolution #1159.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Bridge near La Jolla  
That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the construction of a small wooden bridge over the ditch in the street running along the south side of lots two (2), three (3), six (6), and eleven (11), being a subdivision of Pueblo lot One thousand seven hundred and eighty-three (1783); said street being a part of the road leading from San Diego to La Jolla.

And also for the grading of the approaches to said bridge, the cost of said work not to exceed the sum of Two hundred and fifteen (\$215.) dollars, that being the estimate of the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

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The foregoing Resolution #1159, was read and ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance with said resolution.

Joint Resolution #1160.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Authority to cultivate the trees upper 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
That the Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized to expend and incur an indebtedness to the amount of not to exceed \$40.00 for cultivating and watering the trees in upper 5<sup>th</sup> Street, the same to be paid from Park Improvement Fund.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors Certificate Attached.

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Supt of Parks to comply  
The foregoing resolution #1160 was read and ordered on file and the Supt. of Parks notified to proceed in accordance with said resolution.

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Repair bitumen Streets.  
Ordinance #630, authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for one year for the repair of the Streets in the City of San Diego, State of California paved with bitumen.

In accordance with said Ordinance #630, the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for said work, the bids to be returnable Saturday between 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. The 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1899.

*adjourned*  
There being no further business the Board adjourned till Saturday 10 o'clock A.M. June 10<sup>th</sup> 1899.

To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

A. H. Julian  
President pro-tem.

San Diego, Cal., June 10<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Saturday 10. A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

present	The meeting was called in regular form there being
absent	Commissioners Julian and Davis.
	" Whitney.

Minutes  
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Bids.  
Bitumen  
Patch  
work  
In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> and 11 o'clock A.M. on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1899, for keeping the bitumen paved streets in repair for one year as per the provisions as contained in Ordinance #630, and as the hour of 11 o'clock has arrived the President declared the time within which to receive bids closed. The following bids were received Viz:-

<u>C. A. Nagle,</u>	Bent. Check \$10.00 price per sq ft on Concrete 12 <sup>1/2</sup> <sup>4</sup>
	" " " " Broken Stone 11 <sup>1/2</sup> <sup>4</sup>
	" " " " Natural Soil 10 <sup>1/2</sup> <sup>4</sup>

Contract  
awarded  
to Nagle  
*adjourned*  
May C. A. Nagle being the only bidder and as his bid is in the estimation of the Board reasonable, the Contract was therefore awarded to him. Commissioners Julian and Davis voting Aye.

No further business the Board adjourned

Attest: F. H. Dixon, Secretary

A. H. Julian, President

San Diego, Cal., June 15<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting

Present

The meeting was called in usual form there being present Commissioners. Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Complaint  
occupying  
Streets at  
La Playa.

A petition was received from Mrs. Maggie R. Cottrell, protesting against persons occupying San Antonio Street, La Playa, and requesting the Board of Public Works to remove said squatters from the Street.

The said petition was read and ordered on file and the Supt. of Streets and Commissioner Julian delegated to investigate the matter.

\$200. per mo.  
June & July  
Sprinkler

"Ordinance No 640. authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to spend Two Hundred (\$200.) Dollars in the months of June and July, 1899, for Street Sprinkling," was received and ordered on file and the Supt. of Streets notified in accordance therewith.

Use Band  
Stand Schley  
Day.

Mr. Jenkins, <sup>representing</sup> of Co. "B" was granted permission to use the "D" Street Plaza and Band Stand on July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1899 to celebrate "Schley" Day.

Bituminous  
Patch work  
Contract &  
Bond approved

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office June 10<sup>th</sup> 1899, for bituminous patch work, and Mr. C. A. Nagle being on said date awarded the contract to do said work, and thereafter on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1899, the agreement for said work was ordered executed, and the Bond therefor in the sum of \$100. with M. A. Vincent and W. Llewelyn as sureties being presented the same was ordered approved.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

Board adjourned until Saturday 10 A.M.

Attest: A. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis,

President

Saturday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal. June 17th 1899.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

minutes.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

Advertisement for Construction of Bridge at La Jolla.  
In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 & 11 o'clock A.M. on Saturday the 17th day of June 1899, for the construction of a bridge and the grading of the approaches thereto, in Pueblo Lot 1783, on the road between Pacific Beach and La Jolla the following were received: Viz:-

Bidder	Mr. Nelson.	Bill. Check \$20 <sup>00</sup>	Amt. of Bid. \$319.00
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Bid rejected  
Council notified.  
Mr. Nelson being the only bidder and as his bid is in excess of Joint Resolution #1159, of the Common Council authorizing the said work and appropriating \$215<sup>00</sup> therefor,

It was moved and duly seconded that the said bid be rejected and the Secretary to notify the Council of the action of the Board.

Commissioner Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

Present

Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived and in accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. on June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1899 for the furnishing of forage for the use of the Fire Department for the term of one year commencing July 1<sup>st</sup> 1899, the following bids were received, Viz:-

Storage.	Pac. Wood <sup>and</sup> Coal Co.	S. D. Coml. <sup>and</sup> Mill Co.	Drown <sup>and</sup> Co.	Wm. McClain	Oesting <sup>and</sup> Sons.					
6 Tons Red Oats	\$30.	\$480.00	\$27 <sup>50</sup>	\$440.00	\$30.	\$480.00	\$32.	\$512.00	\$20.	\$320.00
75 " Wheat Hay	\$20.	\$1500.00	\$16 <sup>00</sup>	\$1200.00	\$16.	\$1200.00	\$21 <sup>50</sup>	\$1612.50	\$18.	\$1350.00
0 " R. Barley	\$30.	\$300.00	\$24 <sup>50</sup>	\$245.00	\$24.	\$240.00	\$30.	\$300.00	\$25.	\$250.00
0 " Bran	\$24	\$240.00	\$18 <sup>50</sup>	\$185.00	\$18.	\$180.00	\$20.	\$200.00	\$20.	\$200.00
25 " Bedding	\$14	\$350.00	\$10. <sup>4</sup>	\$250.00	\$11.	\$275.00	\$15.	\$375.00	\$12.	\$300.00
		\$3270.00		\$2320.00		\$2375.00		\$2999.50		\$2420.00

Contract Awarded

The S. D. Coml. <sup>and</sup> Milling Co. being the lowest bidders the Contract for forage for the Fire Department for the year beginning July 1<sup>st</sup> 1899, was upon motion being duly seconded awarded to them by the following vote Viz:- Commissioners. Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye

The following resolution was received from the Auditing Committee. Viz:-

Be It Resolved by the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:-

That all claims filed against the City of San Diego, California, other than Pay Rolls of the several departments for pay of officers and employes who are regularly employed by the month, must be endorsed by the Board or Officer approving the same with the Section of the Charter, number of Ordinance or Resolution, or number of contract under which the said claim or demand was authorized or contracted for; and if for supplies purchased, must have attached thereto a requisition from the Board of Public Works. That the Secretary of the Auditing Committee notify each and every department of the city of the adoption of this resolution, and that the provisions thereof must be complied with to entitle a claim or demand

Resolution  
from Audit-  
Committee in  
regard Claims

to be audited."

The same was read and ordered placed on file.

Bapt. of  
Parks granted  
5 days leave  
absence.

Mr. Frank E. Belden makes application for a ten or fifteen days lay off commencing on June 25<sup>th</sup> 1899.

The same was upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote, granted.

The following Joint Resolution \*1163 was received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cover with plank the well in the City Park, provided the expense thereof does not exceed the sum of ten dollars.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Auditors .

Request for  
Authority to  
purchase hose.

The Secretary was directed to address a communication to the Common Council for authority to purchase 50 feet of 2½ inch hose for use on sprinkling wagons, the price of which will be about \$50<sup>00</sup>

Notify Mr.  
M. Gilcher  
Garbage  
Contract has  
expired

The Secretary was directed to address a communication to Mr. Gilcher notifying him that his contract had expired and that the Board have no authority to allow any claims for the disposal of garbage and that should he receive and dispose of garbage he will be doing so at his own risk as they cannot and will not approve any claims presented for the disposal of same.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

M. J. Lewis, President.

San Diego, Cal. June 29<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

present	Commissioners	Whitney and Davis.
absent	"	Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved

The Secretary was directed to address the following communication to the Honorable Common Council Viz:-

Communication  
to  
Council  
S.D. E. Ry Co.  
Logan Ave.

"We respectfully call your attention to the condition of Logan Avenue, as left by the S.D. Elec. Ry. Co. The said Company in repairing their track have thrown the surplus dirt outside of their right-of-way, which extends two feet from either side of their track. thereby leaving a ridge on said street from 16<sup>th</sup> Street to 23<sup>rd</sup> Street.

Their attention has been called to this a number of times; As yet they have taken no notice of our request.

We respectfully ask that you take such steps as you may deem necessary to compel said Ry. Co., to remove the obstruction, on said street, that have been placed there by said Co."

Upon Motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted. Viz:-

"Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Move the people off of Streets at La Playa.

That the Superintendent of Streets of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby directed to serve a written notice upon any and all persons who have charge or possession of any buildings in any of the streets in the townsite of La Playa in the City of San Diego, California, to remove the same from said streets within five (5) days after service of such notice upon such person having charge or possession thereof; and that said notice shall also recite, that unless such buildings are so removed within such time, the said Superintendent of streets will remove them, and after publication of a notice for a period of three (3) days in the City official newspaper of said City, of the time and place of the sale thereof, that he will sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder, and said notice shall also recite, that unless said buildings are removed within said time, that said person having charge or possession thereof, will be prosecuted for the violation of

Ordinance No. 26, of the Ordinances of the said City of San Diego, approved November 8<sup>th</sup>, 1896, and

Be It Further Resolved, That this Board of Public Works also join and sign said notice."

Commissioners

"

Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.  
Julian absent.

No further business the Board adjourned till 10 A.M. Saturday.

Adjourned.

10. A.M. Sat'dy.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

M. J. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal., July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1899.

Saturday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in usual form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Claim No. The following bills were read and approved. Viz:-  
6561, 6562. , 6564, 6565.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1899, for the supplying of forage to the Fire Department for one year beginning July 1<sup>st</sup> 1899, and as the San Diego Commercial & Milling Co. were the lowest bidders, and as the Board did on said 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June award the contract, for the supplying of said forage, to the said S.D. Com & Milling Co., on said date, therefore,

Storage Contract Executed Bond Approved Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Contract between the City of San Diego and the San Diego Commercial & Milling Co., be and the same is hereby ordered executed and the Bond for same in the sum of \$200.- with W.B. Hage & J.S. Johnstone as sureties be and is hereby approved.

Commissioners Whitney voting aye  
" Julian "  
" Davis "

Recommendations-

The Secretary was directed to address a communication to the Common Council petitioning for an extra allowance of \$400.- for Sprinkling the Streets during the month of July and for \$40.- for cleaning up "D" Street: also that Mrs. O'Leary owner of Lot 6 of Block 20, Horton, 4<sup>th</sup> & Ash Streets be permitted to take out two large pepper trees that are destroying her sidewalk.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

M. J. Davis,

President.

San Diego, Cal., July 6th 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes. The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following Joint Resolutions were this day recd. from the Common Council:- viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1168.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That Mrs. O'Leary of #1421-4<sup>th</sup> street near Ash St. be and she is hereby granted a permit to cut down a pepper tree that is on the sidewalk in front of her residence. The same being in front of lot 6 of Block #201, Horton's Addition.

Clerk's Certificate Attached.

The same was read and ordered on file.

Joint Resolution No. 1169.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, is hereby authorized and directed to expend for street sprinkling during the month of July \$400.- additional to the amount prescribed by Ordinance #640, also that said Board is hereby authorized and directed to expend a sum not to exceed \$40.- for the cleaning up of "D" Street.

Clerk's Certificate Attached.

Auditors        "

The Superintendent of Streets was instructed in accordance with the foregoing resolution.

Joint Resolution # 1170

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

\$50-allowed  
for Stamps  
That the Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to purchase \$50. worth of Postage Stamps for use of the various Departments of the City.

Banks and Auditors Certificate attached.

The Secretary was instructed in accordance with the foregoing:-

Ordinance # 641.

Authority  
to grade road  
Soledad Valley  
An Ordinance Authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids and let a contract for the grading of the Soledad Valley Road, provided the expense thereof shall not exceed the sum of One hundred dollars.

The same was read and ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to advertise in accordance therewith.

Delay the  
moving of  
Squatters La Playa  
bill further  
notice  
In the matter of serving notice upon the squatters (fishermen) at La Playa to move from off the street, the Superintendent of Streets was instructed to hold said notices until further notice. There being a question as to the location of the streets.

The following claims were read and ordered approved. Viz:-

Public Building:-

Claim 6536, 6496, 6517, 6514, 6553, 6581, 6582, 6583.

Sewer & Drainage.

Claim 6515, 6589, 6616.

Legal ac

Claim 6551.

Street Light

Claim 6585.

Fire Hydrant

Claim 6617, 6524.

Park Improvement.

Claim 6547, 6557, 6575, 6587, 6613.

Public Health

Claim 6526, 6539.

Fire Department.

Claim 6450, 6492, 6493, 6503, 6504, 6535, 6554, 6555, 6556, 6566, 6574, 6588, 6611, 6612.

Office a/c.

Claim 6527, 6516, 6530, 6531, 6532, 6542, 6584, 6620.

Street a/c

Claim 6518, 6523, 6544, 6545, 6546, 6548, 6567, 6568, 6593, 6594, 6595, 6596, 6597, 6598, 6599, 6602, 6618, 6619.

General a/c

Claim 6501, 6518, 6538, 6561, 6624.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

*F.H. Dixon.*  
Secretary

*M.J. Davis. President.*

San Diego, Cal., July 13/99.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Davis Whitney and Julian.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following resolutions were received from the Common Council: Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1172.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to purchase a horse for the Fire Department for the use of the Chemical Engine on Florence Street, for not to exceed the sum of \$100.- And said Board of Public Works is hereby directed to confer with the Chief of the Fire Department in making such purchase.

Auditors and Clerks Certificate Attached.  
The foregoing was ordered placed on file.

Joint Resolution No. 1173.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to expend not to exceed \$100.- for watering and cultivating the Howard Tract.

Auditors and Clerks Certificate Attached.  
The Asst. of Parks was instructed in accordance therewith.

Joint Resolution No. 1174.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of

Authority

spend  
\$50.- Hose

San Diego, California, be and they are hereby authorized and directed to purchase fifty (50) feet of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch "fire hose" for use on the street sprinkling wagons, at a cost not to exceed \$50.00

Auditors and Clerks Certificate attached.

The same was read and ordered on file.

Joint Resolution No. 175.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be, and said Board is hereby instructed to protect one of the palms at Old Town with supports as may be necessary at an expense not exceeding ten (10) dollars, payable out of Park Improvement Fund.

Auditors & Clerks Certificate attached.

The same was read and ordered on file.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered to the Board of Public Works on Thursday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1899 at between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. for the construction of a roadway in Soledad Valley at a cost not to exceed \$100. The following bid was received. Viz:-

E.A. Lockyer & Son, Stulman Cost of Clock \$.- Bid \$100.00

I bid  
till the  
Right of Way  
is secured.

As the right of way for a portion of this road is yet to be had, it was moved and duly seconded that the said bid be laid over and no action taken towards awarding the contract until the right of way for the whole of the road is secured.

Commissioner Whitney Voting Aye.

" Julian " "  
" Davis " "

Comm. to  
Council

The Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Common Council that they instruct the Board to make a contract for the feeding of the City's Prisoners; also to notify the Common Council that notice was served on this Board July 11<sup>th</sup> '99 notifying us that the police department must vacate the premises occupied by them within 30 days from date or

pay \$30.- per month rent.

Bills The following bills were read and approved Viz:-  
Office, Claims Noe. 6627, 6628.  
Legal " "  
Police " " 6590, 6592.

Adjourned. To further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

M. J. Davis. President:-

San Diego Cal. July 20<sup>th</sup> 1890.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called together in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney and Julian absent, Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

In accordance with Section C of Ordinance No. 645, of the City of San Diego, California, and upon motion being duly seconded the marsh land at the foot of 11<sup>th</sup> Street between So. 19<sup>th</sup> and So. 20<sup>th</sup> Streets be selected as the grounds to dump, ashes, cinders, old bricks, old plaster, tin cans, old wire, bottles, earth and earthen ware, by the City Scavengers or any person or persons having any of such rubbish to dispose of: also that the City Engineer be instructed to stake off and plainly mark said grounds.

Commissioners Whitney, voting Aye.  
Julian. " "  
Davis, absent.

Upon motion being duly seconded the sample of "Fire King Hose" submitted by the San Diego Hardware Co., be selected and that said San Diego Hardware Co., be authorized to furnish 50 feet of said Hose and 7 female expansion couplings the said hose and couplings are 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  inch. and the price therefor is \$50<sup>00</sup>. Joint Resolution #1174, being the authority.

Commissioner Whitney, voting Aye  
Julian. " "  
Davis, absent.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

A. H. Fullerton  
President-pro-temp

San Diego, Cal., July 27<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes approved.

Capt. Dodge asks permission of the Board to use the City's flag to decorate Bo. B's Hall tomorrow evening.

The Secretary was instructed to place Asst. Supt. of Sewers Hamlin on the Salary Day Roll.

Engineer to perform duties instructed to perform the duties of Supt. of Sewers.  
Supt. of Sewers Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

Sign for garbage dump. Mr. A. A. Crowell, upon motion was granted a leave of absence until August 7<sup>th</sup>, by a unanimous Aye vote.

Adjourned. The Secretary was instructed to have a sign painted and placed at the garbage dump at foot of 11<sup>th</sup> Street betw. So. 19<sup>th</sup> & So. 20<sup>th</sup> Streets stating kind of rubbish is permissible to dump there.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon

W. J. Davis. President

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 3rd 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting were dispensed with.

Upon motion the following claims were read and approved. Claim:-

Office ac.

Claims: # 6638, 6658, 6659, 6660, 6661, 6662, 6700, 6729, 6730, 6747, 6748, 6754.

Streetlight.

Claim # 6715.

Fire Hydrant.

Claim # 6722.

Fire Department.

Claim # 6625, 6669, 6670, 6671, 6693, 6694, 6695, 6697, 6703, 6727, 6745, 6746, 6696.

Public Building:-

Claim # 6631, 6635, 6636, 6711, 6712, 6714, 6713.

Sewer Department

Claim # 6689, 6723, 6721, 6641.

Pay Roll

Claim # 6685, 6679.

General a/c

Claims # 6626, 6639, 6733, 6699.

Health Dept.

Claims # 6537, 6673, 6674, 6675, 6692.

Park Dept.

Claims. 6688, 6642, 6646, 6647, 6672, 6681, 6701, 6702, 6742.

Street Department.

Claims # 6691, 6645, 6648, 6649, 6650, 6651, 6652, 6653, 6654, 6655, 6656, 6680, 6704, 6705, 6706, 6707, 6708, 6709, 6710, 6724, 6725, 6726, 6731, 6732, 6744, 6753, 6756.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. J. Davis.

President.

San Diego, Cal. Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being  
present, Commissioner Whitney and Julian.  
absent, " Davis.

Commissioner Julian assumes the chair.

Minutes

The minutes of July 27 and Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> were read  
 and approved.

Protest  
garbage on  
Main St.

A communication was received from Waldo S. Waterman  
 in regard to the dumping of garbage on the flat near the  
 Buymacca Depot.

Referred to Attorney.

Contract  
Shoing Horses  
expired

The Secretary was instructed to notify the  
 Common Council that the contract for shoing the  
 Fire Department Horses expires August 11<sup>th</sup> '99.

Funds  
for Street  
Repairs

The Secretary was instructed to notify the  
 Council that several thousand dollars are necessary  
 to place the streets in a presentable condition:  
 but can repair some of the worst places for a lesser amount.

There being no further business the  
 Board adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Nixon, Sec.

A. H. Julian  
 President. Pro tem.

San Diego, Cal. Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 Am.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes. The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with

Golf links Master Aine Titus and Chas. Nash make application for the use of part of the City Park lying behind the San Diego High School, to be used as a golf links.

City Park Upon motion being duly seconded the same was granted.

\$25<sup>00</sup> additional for horses Fire Dept. The Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Common Council that they allow an additional \$25<sup>00</sup> for the payment of a horse for the use of the Fire Department. Said amount (\$125.00) deemed to be exceedingly cheap.

\$200.- to sprinkle Cemetery & Moreno Roads The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that the newly graded Cemetery Road and the new Moreno Road be sprinkled as they are fast going to pieces and that the Council allow \$200.- to sprinkle said roads.

Williams 10 days leave absence Mr. Sam Williams, rodman Engineers Office, was granted 10 days leave of absence commencing Monday the 21<sup>st</sup> inst.

Dixon absence Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> J. H. Dixon, Secy. B. of P. Wks was granted a leave of absence until Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> '99 commencing Aug 18<sup>th</sup> '99

Santa Fe crossing Moreno Dpt. of Streets was instructed to notify the Santa Fe Ry Co. to place back the crossing taken up by them at Moreno.

Adjourned No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secretary. W. J. Davis. Presidents

San Diego, Cal. Aug. 24th 1899.

Thursday 10 a.m.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called in regular form, there being present Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney,

Minutes  
Approved

The minutes of the meetings of August 10th and 17th, 1899, were read and approved.

The following Ordinances were received from the Common Council, Viz: -

Ordinance No 652.

An Ordinance appropriating Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) for the purchase of a horse for the use of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California.

Authority to  
Purchase Horse  
for the Dept.  
at \$125<sup>00</sup>

Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated an additional sum of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25<sup>00</sup>) for the purchase of a horse for the use of the Fire Department of said City, and the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to purchase such a horse for not to exceed the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$125<sup>00</sup>) and directed to confer with the Chief of the Fire Department in making such purchase.

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

Auditor's and Clerk's Certificates attached.

Approved: August 22d. 1899.

The above Ordinance was read and Ordered placed on file.

Ordinance No. 654.

An Ordinance appropriating the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100<sup>00</sup>) for sprinkling the newly graded Cemetery and Morena roads in San Diego, California.

Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City

of San Diego, as follows:-

Authority to  
Sprinkle the  
Cemetery Road  
and the  
Morena Road

Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100<sup>00</sup>) for the purpose of sprinkling the newly graded Cemetery road and Morena Road in the City of San Diego, California; and that the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized to expend said sum in sprinkling said roads.

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

Auditor's and Clerk's Certificates attached.

Approved August 22d. 1899.

The above ordinance was read and Ordered placed on file, and the Secretary instructed to notify the Superintendent of Streets to ~~sprinkle~~ the Cemetery Road and the Morena Road at a cost not to exceed one Hundred Dollars.

Communication  
from Judge Anderson  
at Telephone

A communication was received from the Hon. M. B. Anderson, Police Judge, requesting that a Desk Telephone be placed in his office.

The above communication was ordered filed.

City attorney  
advised Board to  
advertise for contract  
to construct  
Old Town Road.

The City Attorney appeared before the Board and stated that he had perfected all the necessary negotiations for the Right of way for the 24 foot wagon road through Old Town, more particularly known as the India Street Road Extension, and advised that the Board advertise for bids for the Construction of said Road.

Acting upon the above recommendation from the City Attorney, Secy. instructed Commissioner Julian moved, and Commissioner Whitney seconded, That the Secretary be instructed to advertise for Bids for the Construction of the India Street Road Extension through Old Town: said bids to be made returnable between the hours of 10 and 11 O'Clock A.M. September 7th 1899.

This motion was carried, Commissioners Davis, Julian and Whitney voting, "Aye".

Claim of Chas.  
Kelly for horse  
for fire dept. allowed.

The claim of Chas. Kelley (No. 6773) for \$125<sup>00</sup>, being the amount due for the purchase of a horse for the use of the Fire Department in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 652, was allowed.

Adjourned.

There Being no further business, the Board adjourned.

Attest:

Secretary.

M. J. Davis.

President.

San Diego, California Aug. 31st. 1899.

Thursday 10 a.m.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called to order in regular form, there being present, President Davis, Commissioners Whitney and Julian.

Minutes  
approved.

The minutes of the meeting of August 24th. 1899 were read and approved.

The following Ordinances were received from the Common Council Viz.

Ordinance No. 656.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids and let a Contract, for one year, for shoeing the horses of the Fire Department of said City.

Authority to  
advertise for  
bids and let  
Contract for  
Shoeing Fire  
Dept't. Horses.

Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract, for one year, for shoeing the horses of the Fire Department of the said City of San Diego.

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

(Auditor's Certificate attached.)

(Clerk's Certificate attached.)

Secretary  
instructed to  
advertise for  
bids.

The above ordinance was read and ordered placed on file, and the Secretary instructed, upon motion duly made and seconded (which motion was carried by a unanimous affirmative vote) to advertise for bids in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 656, for the shoeing of the Fire Department Horses. Said bids to be made returnable between the hours of 10 and 11 O'clock A.M. September 7th, 1899.

Joint Resolution No. 1186.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and the said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to sprinkle or cause to be sprinkled, and thoroughly wet down, Thirteenth street, in the City of San Diego, California, every other day for one week immediately after the adoption of this Resolution.

Authority to  
Sprinkle  
13th Street.

(City Clerk's Certificate attached)

(Auditor's Certificate attached.)

The above resolution was read, ordered placed on file, and the Secretary was instructed to notify the Superintendent of Streets to sprinkle Thirteenth street, in accordance with the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 1186. \*

Mr. John Engelbret, Contractor for the excavation of the cellar of the Building at the N.W. corner of 5th. and Q streets, filed his application to do some blasting at the above named property, and also a Bond in the sum of Five Hundred dollars with Messrs. Wm. Osburn and Ed. Wescott as Permit granted securities.

John Engelbret Upon motion made by Commissioner Julian and duly seconded by Commissioner Whitney, which motion was carried by a unanimous vote in the affirmative, Mr. John Engelbret was granted permission to blast at the N.W. corner of 5th and Q streets, and the Bond, above mentioned was approved.

The San Diego Electric Railway Company having offered to furnish all labor necessary to construct and put in a Box Culvert across Sixteenth, at the intersection of M street, on condition that the City of San Diego furnish the lumber for same, the following motion made by Commissioner Julian and duly seconded by Commissioner Whitney, was carried by a unanimous vote: — That the Secretary be instructed to notify the Superintendent of Streets to furnish to the San Diego Electric Railway Company, the lumber necessary to construct a Box Culvert across Sixteenth Street, at the intersection of "M" street.

Upon motion made by Commissioner Julian, seconded by Commissioner Whitney, and duly carried by an affirmative vote, the Superintendent of Streets was instructed to construct a Bulk-head at the intersection of the Sweetzer Canon Creek and F street, provided that the Superintendent of street would obtain from G. E. Gabrielson, a written guarantee that upon completion of the said Bulk-head, the said Gabrielson would, at his own expense, and free from all cost to the City of San Diego, do all the felling necessary behind the said Bulkhead.

Supt. of Sts.  
directed to  
build bulkhead  
on F & 10th

Secy instructed Upon motion made by Commissioner Julian, and duly  
to send commun- seconded, which motion was carried by unanimous vote, the Secretary  
cation to Com- was instructed to address a Communication to the Hon. the Common  
mon Council, Inc. Council, calling attention to the dangerous condition of the Old Town  
Old Town Bridge. Bridge across the San Diego River, and asking for authority to have the  
bridge re-planked, ~~and the planking covered with asphaltum.~~

Board adjourned. There being no further business, the Board adjourned to  
meet on Tuesday the 5th day of September 1899. \*

Attest: A.H. Dixon

Secretary

W.J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal. Sept 5<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners, Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

The following claims were read and approved. Viz:-

Fire Dept.	Claims # 6835, 6728, 6773, 6789, 6790, 6791, 6797, 6800, 6805, 6806, 6807, 6844,
Legal "	" 6786.
Office "	" 6766, 6767, 6768, 6782, 6783, 6784, 6813, 6816, 6817,
Fire Dept. - J. F. D.	" 6847,
Health	" 6853,
Public Building	" 6757, 6758, 6761, 6762, 6776, 6777, 6822, 6823,
General,	" 6720, 6772, 6814, 6843,
Pay Roll	" 6820, 6831, 6852
Park Dept	" 6837, 6763, 6764, 6824, 6825, 6826.
St. Lights	" 6811.
Sewer & Drainage	" 6785, 6848.
Street Dept	" 6851, 6765, 6769, 6770, 6778, 6779, 6780, 6781, 6794, 6796, 6801, 6802, 6803, 6804, 6809, " 6810, 6817, 6827, 6845, 6846.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,

Secretary

J. F. Davis.

President:-

San Diego Cal. Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The Board met in regular session there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The minutes of August 31<sup>st</sup> were read and approved.

In accordance with the advertisements calling for bids to be delivered at this office between the hours of 10<sup>th</sup> & 11: o'clock A.M. on Thursday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 1899, for the shoeing of the Fire Department Horses and also for the grading of the India Street Extension Road, and as the hour of 11: o'clock having arrived the President declares the time closed within which to receive bids, and the Secretary instructed to proceed to open and read the bids.

Bids for Shoeing Horses.

Bidder	Bertf. Check.	Amt. for 4 new shoes.	Resetting 4 shoes.
E.J. Delaney,	\$25.00	\$2.50	\$1.50
A. Edwards.	\$25.00	\$2.50	\$1.50
Geo. W. Carey.	\$25.00	\$2.50	\$1.50
Eben Bassie,	\$25.00	\$2.50	\$1.50

Grading India Street Extension Road.

Bidder.	Bertf. Check.	Amount.
Goodbody and Roesner	\$15.00	\$225.00
Joe Kelly,	\$15.00	\$265.00
Geo. Engelbrecht	\$15.00	\$255.00

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote, all bids for the shoeing of the horses of the Fire Department were rejected and the Chief of said department was authorized to distribute the shoeing of said horses as nearly equal as possible among the horse-shoers of the City.

It was moved and seconded and carried by a unanimous Aye Vote that messrs. Goodbody and Roesner be awarded the contract for the grading of the India Street Extension Road.

*Bids for Shoeing Horses*

*Bids for Grading India Street Extension Road*

*Shoeing Bids rejected*

*Goodbody and Roesner get Grading Bids*

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council.

In accordance with Ordinance #656, dated Aug. 29<sup>th</sup> 1899, directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract, for one year, for shoeing the horses of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, Cal., we beg to state that we have complied with the instructions contained in said Ordinance #656, and received the following bids: to wit:-

Bidders	4 new shoes.	resetting 4 shoes
E. J. Delaney.	\$2.50	\$1.50
E. Edwards.	\$2.50	\$1.50
Geo. M. Carey.	\$2.50	\$1.50
Eben Cassig.	\$2.50	\$1.50

We have rejected all of said bids and instructed the Chief of the Fire Department to distribute the shoeing of said horses as nearly equal as possible amongst the horse-shoers of the City.

The Janitor was authorized to have someone climb the flagpole on the City Hall and place the rope through the pulleys, the cost of same not to exceed \$2<sup>50</sup>

To further business the Board adjourned till Tuesday the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. at 2 o'clock P.M.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

J. F. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal., Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Tuesday 2 P.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The meeting was adjourned over until today for the purpose of executing a contract with messrs. Goodbody & Roesner for the grading of the India Street Extension Road.

The City Attorney being absent from the City said contract was not ready and therefore messrs. Goodbody & Roesner were unable to enter into same, though they were ready and anxious to comply with their agreement.

The Board at 5 o'clock P.M. adjourned over until 11 o'clock A.M. Wednesday Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1899.

J. H. Dixon, Secretary.

San Diego, Cal. Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Wednesday 11 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

Present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis:-

The contract between the City and Goodbody & Roesner for the grading of the India Street Extension Road being ready upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous vote the same was executed and the bond in the sum of \$200.- with James E. Brophy and J. E. Connell as sureties was ordered approved.

The material-mens bond in the sum of \$175<sup>00</sup> with same sureties was also approved.

No further business the Board adjourned:-

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,

Secy:-

J. F. Davis President:-

San Diego, Cal. Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Statement to Council condition of Street Fund. The Secretary was instructed to make out a statement showing the expense incurred by the Street Department this year to date, and transmit the same to the Common Council together with a copy of the statement received from the Auditor showing the money available for the coming four months to expend upon Streets, Sewers, Parks, Office & General.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis. President:-

San Diego Cal. Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> 99.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Julian, absent Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

There being no business before the Board the meeting adjourned.

F. H. Dixon, Secy.

President:-

Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

present. The meeting was called in regular form there being Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following joint resolution was received from the Common Council: Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1190.

Whereas, numerous complaints have been made, at divers times, of and concerning the bad condition of the sidewalk on the east side of Fifth Street, and between "A" Street and "B" Street in the City of San Diego, therefore,

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego be and the same is hereby directed to notify the owner of the property to put down concrete sidewalk in front of said property within one week from the service of notice and if not so laid to advise this council.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous vote the Board of Streets was instructed to immediately carry out the instructions of said foregoing Joint Resolution.

The following joint resolution was received from the Common Council: Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1192.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

That permission be and it is hereby granted to G. M. Arnold, the owner of lot ~~A~~ in Block five (5) of Horton's addition in the City of San Diego, California, to grade that portion of "B" Street in said city in front of said lot ~~A~~ to the center line of said "B" Street, and to the official grade thereof, as to heretofore established by this Common Council.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Place a  
Concrete  
sidewalk

Lat ~~A~~ & B  
Block 9  
5<sup>th</sup> St  
bet A & B

Permission to  
grade "B" St.  
in front of  
lot ~~A~~ of  
Block 5

Filed.

Said Joint Resolution #1192 was ordered placed on file.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned till Tuesday A.M. at 10 o'clock.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon. Secy.

W. J. Davis. President.

Tuesday 10. A.M.Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting minutes was dispensed with.

Whereas, In accordance with a contract entered into on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 1899, between the City of San Diego, State of California and messrs. Goodbody and Roesner to grade the India Street Road and

Whereas, messrs. Goodbody & Roesner have completed their contract, to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, Supt. of Streets and the Board of Public Works of said City, therefore

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego as follows:

That the India Street Road Extension, be as graded by messrs. Goodbody and Roesner, be and the same is hereby approved and accepted, and the claim therefor in the sum of \$225. is hereby ~~ordered~~ approved.

Commissioners Whitney, voting Aye.

" Julian. " "

" Davis. " "

Upon Motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye Vote the following claims were ordered approved. Viz:-

General	Claim. # 6877, 6880, 6884, 6918, 6925,
Public Building	" 6865, 6866, 6867, 6879, 6885, 6914, 6926, 6927.
Legal	" 6889.
Fire Hydrant	" 6929.
Public Health	" 6904.
Streetlight	" 6915.
Park Imp.	" 6874, 6910, 6919.
Sewer	" 6928.
Police Dept.	" 6905.
Fire Dept.	" 6946, 6945, 6942, 6902, 6894, 6883, 6799.
Street	" 6961, 6960, 6924, 6923, 6922, 6921, 6920, 6913, 6907, 6895, 6886, 6873, 6872, 6871, 6870.
Office	" 6869, 6929.
Salary	" 6881, 6887, 6890, 6891, 6893, 6898, 6908, 6909, 6912.
	" 6932, 6931.

Adjourned.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

M. J. Davis, President.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting.

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

10 days leave

Absence Mr. W. M. Rumsey makes application for a leave of absence of 10 days commencing Monday Oct. 9th 1899. The same was granted with the consent of Engineer Davis.

Sidewalk

Communication A communication from Mr. Geo. S. Kenny in regard to Joint Resolution #1190 was received and ordered transmitted to the Common Council.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Sec.

M. J. Davis, President

San Diego Cal., Oct 12<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Engineer  
instd to  
repair Atlantic  
St. Sewer.

Upon motion being duly seconded the City Engineer was authorized and instructed to have the sewer on Atlantic Street between "A" and "Ash" Street repaired in accordance with his estimate of Oct 10<sup>th</sup> '99.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting Aye.

Transfer of  
\$25<sup>00</sup> to St.  
Fund to  
repair Witherby  
Street.

An Ordinance transferring the sum of twenty-five dollars from the Public Health fund to the Street Fund and authorizing the Board of Public Works to repair Witherby Street therewith.

The foregoing was received this day from the Common Council and ordered placed on file.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

J. F. Davis.

President.

Thursday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal., Oct 19<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Regular Meeting:-

present. The meeting was called in regular form, there being  
Commissioners Julian and Whitney.  
absent. " Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

There being no business the Board adjourned until the next regular meeting.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

A. H. Julian  
President, pro tempore.

October 26<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

present The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

minus. The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting were approved.

Protest A protest from 11 business men living in the Block on the South Side of "D" Street between 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> against the ~~D betw 5-6~~ further obstruction of said Street was this day filed.

In accordance therewith the following resolution was adopted: to-wit:-

Instruction Cupists. Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, as follows:-

remove said obstruction That the Superintendent of Streets be and he is hereby instructed and directed to notify the contractors on said building to clear the sidewalk of said obstructions at once.

Commissioners	Whitney, voting Aye.
"	Julian, " Aye.
"	Davis, " Aye.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis President.

November 2<sup>nd</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Reg. Meeting:-

present The meeting was called in regular form there being  
Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were  
read and approved.

Mr. Geo. W. Staggard makes application for a temporary  
permit to move a store building on 8½ of lot "B" of Block #87, Hortons.  
As said permit is contrary to ordinance #102, regulating the construction  
of buildings within the fire limits, the following resolution was  
adopted: Viz:-

"Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of  
the City of San Diego as follows:-

That we respectfully recommend to the Honorable  
Common Council that Mr. G. W. Staggard be allowed a  
temporary permit of 90 days to move and locate his  
frame building on 8½ of lot "B" Block "87," Hortons  
addition. Said time being until he can construct a  
brick building on the ground vacated by said frame  
buildings. Time not to exceed 90 days from date hereof.

Whitney, Julian & Davis, voting Aye.

The following bills were read and ordered approved.

Claims 7036, 7038.

- " 6969, 6977, 6993, 6994, 6999, 7000, 7001, 7009, 7011, 7013, 7002, 7010, 7014, 7023,  
7024, 7025, 7027, 7052, 7054, 7062, 7063, 7072,
- " 6978, 7028, 7058, 7074, 7080, 7053,
- " 7053,
- " 6963, 6964, 6965, 6966, 6991, 6992, 7065,
- " 6899, 6906, 6941, 6943, 6944, 6973, 6974, 6984, 6986, 7007, 7008, 7019, 7026, 7048, 7049,  
7050, 7061, 7066, 7067, 7069, 7068, 7070,
- " 7034,
- " 6900,
- " 6968, 7032, 7073,
- " 7041, 6981, 6982, 6983, 7018, 7051,
- " 6967, 6980, 7003, 7006, 7020, 7021, 7022, 7044, 7045, 7055.

Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Secy.

J. J. Davis,

President

San Diego, Cal., Nov 9th 1899.

Thursday 10, A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Minutes  
The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Advertise  
for  
Horseshoeing  
and  
disposed dead  
dead animals  
The Secretary was instructed by a unanimous affirmative vote of the Board to re-advertise for bids for the shoeing of the horses of the Fire Department; also to advertise for bids in accordance with Ord. #666, which provides for disposal of dead animals by contract.

The following Joint Resolutions No. 1200, 1201 and 1203, were received from the Common Council, they are as follows:-

Joint Resolution No. 1200.

\$619<sup>00</sup> for  
November  
I  
December  
for  
Sweeping  
and  
Sprinkling  
of San Diego, as follows:  
Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City

That the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to expend the sum of \$310.00, and no more, for the sweeping, sprinkling, care and repair of all Streets of said City of San Diego during the month of November, 1899; and that said Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to expend the sum of \$309.00, and no more, for the sweeping, sprinkling, care and repair of all streets of said City of San Diego during the month of December, 1899; and the said Board of Public Works is hereby further directed to expend no money whatever for street purposes during the months of November and December, 1899, except the amount of Six Hundred and Nineteen dollars (\$619.00) as specified in this Resolution.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Auditors " "

The foregoing was referred to the Supt. of Streets with instructions to comply.

Joint Resolution No. 1201.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

~~Staggard  
granted  
permission  
to move a  
building in  
fire limits  
for 90-days.~~

That permission be given and is hereby given and granted to George W. Staggard for the removal of a certain frame building on the west side of Fifth street in said City between "I<sup>f</sup>" and "H" Streets in said City, for a period of ninety (90) days, providing that the said George W. Staggard shall execute to the said City of San Diego a good, sufficient and indemnifying bond in the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) dollars, conditioned for the removal of said building within the period of ninety (90) days, to a place outside of the fire limits of said City, said bond to be approved by the Auditing Committee of said City of San Diego.

Clerks Certificate attached.

The said resolution was ordered on file.

Joint Resolution No. 1203.

~~Permit to  
erect a  
Fence  
at T. B.~~

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and is hereby given to M. Mahin to erect a temporary shed connecting with the fence on the northeast corner of "H" and Third streets, in the City of San Diego, California.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

The said resolution was ordered on file.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

*A. H. Dixon.*

Secretary.

*B. J. Davis.* President-

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present

Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Books for

Auditor

Assessor

Department

The Secretary was instructed to take bids for the making of 10 Assessment Books, which is in accordance with Ordinance #671. passed by the Common Council on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of November 1899. Said books are for the use of the Auditor's Department for the year 1900.

Bids

In response to said call the following bids were received. Viz:-

Harris and Cheatham	bids \$95 <sup>00</sup>
R. Schiller	" \$97 <sup>50</sup>

Awarded to

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the contract for making said 10 Assessment Roll Books was awarded to Messrs. Harris and Cheatham, said books to be delivered January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1900, and the pay therefor to be from the revenue of the year 1900.

Printing to

1200 personal tax receipts bound and numbered, 1000 notices gummed. 500 male dog licenses 100 female dog licenses. 800 liquor license's to be delivered January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1900, and the pay therefor to be from the revenue of the year 1900.

Ayre, Garrett

& Smith.

The foregoing was awarded to Ayre, Garrett & Smith for \$67<sup>50</sup>.

The following communication was this day received and the same ordered placed on file. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 1899.

To the Board of Public Works  
City of San Diego.

Dear Sirs:-

We the undersigned comprising the

Horse-Shoeing.

horse-shoers of San Diego wish to inform you that our price for shoeing the Fire Dept. animals of San Diego Fire Dept. for new shoes \$2<sup>50</sup> per horse, for re-setting \$1<sup>50</sup> per horse. Furthermore that we would charge any other department the same price for the same class of shoeing.

Yours Respt.

Geo. W. Carey, A.C. Whitmore, Tiffany & Cooghan, E. Cassie, Edward Wilson,  
M. C. Troy, Ed. Dobson, M. Madin, E. J. Delaney, M. McKinley, W. Wills, John D. Bass."

Adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

M. J. Davis. President.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Insure Eng.  
House at  
4<sup>th</sup> and Laurel.  
The insurance on the engine house at 4<sup>th</sup> and Laurel St. will expire on the 26<sup>th</sup> inst., therefore upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote said Engine house was ordered to be re-insured in the sum of \$750<sup>00</sup> by Messrs. Reed <sup>and</sup> Dodson. Term One year. Premium \$12<sup>50</sup>

No bids  
for the  
disposal of  
dead animals  
In accordance with an ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for the disposal of dead animals; and in pursuance with said Ordinance said Board did advertise for bids to be delivered to said Board between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A.M. this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1899; and as this being the second advertisement for bids for the disposal of dead animals; and further that there were no bids received on either occasion, the Secretary was instructed to notify the Common Council of the result of said advertisement.

Letter  
Fire Escapes.  
The Secretary was instructed to prepare a letter to the owners of 3-story buildings, and higher, to comply with Ordinance #668, in regard to the placing of Fire Escapes.

Adjourned till Friday 10 o'clock A.M. December 1<sup>st</sup> '99.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon.  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis President.

Friday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> 1899.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form, there being present Commissioners Julian and Davis absent " Whitney.

Holiday Thursday Nov. 30<sup>th</sup> being a holiday, the regular meeting was held this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1899 (Friday).

Protest  
against occupying  
L St junction  
of 5<sup>th</sup>

A communication was received from Phillip Morse protesting against the maintenance of a fruit & tobacco stand at junction of 5<sup>th</sup> and "L" Streets, said stand being located in "L" Street.

Referred to City Attorney. delivered to Mr. Dingle.

Permit  
Hazzard  
Building

Mr. Geo. W. Hazzard submitted the plans and specifications of the building about to be erected on 5<sup>th</sup> bet of T & H. Streets at a cost of about \$12000.- permit to A.C. Backers.

Upon motion being duly seconded a permit was granted. Commissioners Julian and Davis voting Aye.  
" Whitney being absent.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned till Monday 10 A.M.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon Secretary.

H. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. December 4<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Monday 10 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with.

Mr Frank S. Belden, Sup't of Parks was granted a leave of absence for 10 days, he placing a reliable man in his stead.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian & Davis voting Aye.

The following claims were read and approved

Street Department

Claims 7137, 7086, 7098, 7108, 7109, 7110, 7116, 7117, 7118, 7140, 7145, 7147, 7157, 7162, 7163, 7164, 7191, 7193, 7202.

Public Health

Claim 7033, 7064, 7124, 7177.

Library a/c.

Claim 7087, 7100, 7153, 7142, 7154, 7189, 7190.

Sewer and Drainage.

Claim 7120, 7139, 7144, 7161, 7174.

Street Lights.

Claim 7155.

Fire Hydrants.

7166.

Police a/c

Claims 7121, 7150.

Salary a/c

Claim 7131, 7133.

Fire Department.

Claim 7083, 7097, 7106, 7129, 7169, 7171.

Public Building:

Claims

7090, 7091, 7092, 7094, 7101, 7102, 7103, 7104, 7105, 7148, 7149, 7156, 7169.

Legal A/c.

Claims

7085, 7114, 7115, 7158, 7159, 7175.

Park Improvement

Claims

7146, 7160, 7196.

General a/c

Claims

7084, 7096, 7113, 7165, 7185, 7194, 7195,

Office a/c.

Claims

6979, 7181, 7192.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> 1899.Thursday 10 A.M.Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Davis, Whitney and Julian.

Mr. A. H. Brown and Mrs. D. H. Boyd owners of the Hill Block located on Lot L, Block 70, Hortons Addition petition through their Agent J. D. Wood, for a permit to construct repairs to said building at a cost of \$1000.

Held repairs being in accordance with the ordinance governing the construction and repairs of buildings within fire limits #1. The same was granted.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon, Secretary      W. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

Commissioner Julian offered the following Resolution, viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Street Superintendent of the City of San Diego, California, be, and he is hereby directed and instructed to serve a notice, in writing, upon William C. Sandrock to remove the obstruction consisting of fence posts, fence boards, and wire placed by him in that certain road known as the Mission Valley road in said City, running east and west on the south side of Mission Valley, and in that certain road known as the old Mission Valley grade, running from the south side of the said Mission Valley to the road about a mile east of the Pavilion of the San Diego Electric Railway Company, said obstructions being placed in said roads at and near the junction of the said old Mission Valley grade and the said Mission Valley road running east and west on the south side of said Mission Valley; said obstruction to be removed within six hours from and after the service of such notice upon the said William C. Sandrock; and that the said Street Superintendent be, and he is hereby further authorized and instructed that if the said William C. Sandrock shall fail, neglect, or refuse to remove the said obstruction within the said time, to remove the same, and to haul the same to the material yard of the said City and deposit the same therein.

Notice shall be given by the said Superintendent of Streets in pursuance to section 3 of ordinance No. 26 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, entitled, "An Ordinance for the prevention of Offences against the peace and good order of the City of San Diego, approved November, 8<sup>th</sup>, 1886.

Commissioner Julian moved the adoption of said Ordinance Seconded by Commissioner Whitney - Motion was put, following result Commissioner Whitney voting Aye, Julian, voting Aye, Davis voting Aye.

Carl E. Nichols  
Blasting  
Bond approved

Mr. Carl E. Nichols presents a bond in the sum of \$500. with  
 T. G. B. Nichols & J. E. Fischer as sureties, to blast in lot lot 1, Block E,  
 lots addition, 24 & D.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was approved  
 Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting Aye.

Advertise for  
removal dead  
animals

The Secretary was instructed to re-advertise for  
 the removal of dead animals, in accordance with the provisions  
 of Ordinance No. 666.

Secretary  
instructed  
to prepare  
advertisements  
required by  
Whitson"  
Ordinance

"Ordinance #675, providing for the employment  
 and fixing the compensation of certain employees of the City of  
 San Diego, California, and authorizing the Board of Public Works  
 of said City to purchase certain horses, carts, wagons, harness,  
 blacksmith tools and supplies for the use of said City, and  
 to advertise for bids and let a contract for the construction  
 of certain stable sheds, fences, and blacksmith shop, for the  
 use of said City, and prescribing a system for the care  
 of the streets of the City of San Diego, California"

The said Ordinance #675, was received and filed and  
 the Secretary was instructed to prepare the necessary advertisements  
 in accordance therewith.

Communication  
regard stay,  
join & labor

The Secretary was instructed to address a  
 communication to the Common Council in reference to  
 making special provision for men & teams during the  
 balance of this month also for authority to purchase  
 hay, grain etc for the keeping of the horses to be  
 purchased as required by Ordinance #675.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon.  
 Secretary.

G. J. Davis President

San Diego Cal. Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> 99.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis.

Minutes.

The minutes of Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> were read and approved.

Water

A petition was received asking that the water fountain located on 5<sup>th</sup> Street between E. and F. Streets be connected with the main sewer. The same was ordered placed on file.

Sidewalks

on business

streets.

A communication from W.H. Bailhache was received in regard to the sidewalks on the business streets. Same for the present was ordered on file.

Joint Resolution No. 1211, was this day received from the Common Council. "Viz:-

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego be, and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to investigate the excavation made in the government dyke at Old Town near the place where the San Diego, Old Town and Pacific Beach Railroad track crosses the south side of the San Diego river, for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not such excavation was made by the San Diego Water Company, and if said Board of Public Works should find upon making such investigation that said excavation was made by the San Diego Water Company, that said Board of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to notify the said San Diego Water Company to immediately repair said dyke and put the same in as good condition as before said excavation was made. But if said Board of Public Works should find upon making such investigation that the Said Water Company did not make said excavation, then said Board of Public Works is hereby directed to report the facts to this Common Council before its next meeting.

Clerks Certificate Attached

Seal B

Whitney  
Plans of  
Stable  
adopted.

Upon motion being duly seconded the plans for the construction of the City Stable and Sheds as submitted by Commissioner Whitney were adopted by the following vote Commissioner Julian voting Aye. Davis voting Aye Whitney voting aye.

Adjourned.

No further business the Board adjourned:-

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

A communication was received from Mr. Livermore of the San Diego Water Co. relative to the government dyke at Old Town and the damage to said dyke reported to them by the Board as having been made by said Water Co. etc. The same was ordered on file, and Commissioner Julian was instructed to personally give said Water Co. a more detailed description of the location and repairs to be made to said dyke, and if necessary to go with Mr. Livermore or some representative of the Water Co. and locate the damaged place.

The time having arrived to open the bids for furnishing the City with Wagons, Harness, Blacksmith Supplies, the Hauling away of dead animals etc. The Secretary was instructed to proceed to open and read said bids.

Blacksmith Supplies.

Hawley Hardware Co. Tertf. Check \$100.00 Bid \$248.20

Mrs. Hawley Hardware Co., being the only bidders for said blacksmith supplies, it was moved and duly seconded that the contract for the furnishing of said supplies to them at their bid.

Commissioner Whitney voting Aye

Julian " " "  
Davis " " "

Harness.

No bids.

Removal of Dead Animals.

No bids.

Wagons.

Newell Mathews Co.	\$200.00 -	2-3" Studebaker, Steel Skein, Drop-pole 4" tire	\$72.50 ea.
	2-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	" " " " " " 4" "	77.50 ea.
	2-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	" " " " " " 5" "	90.00 ea.

Hawley Hdw. Co.	\$200.00	1-3" Burd Gear.	3" "	\$75.00 ea.
	2-3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	" " " " " " 4" "	80.00 ea.	
	2-3"	" " " " " " 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	75.00 ea.	
	2-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	" " " " " " 4" "	80.00 ea.	

Awarded.	Robert Crockett	\$200.00	2-3" Fish Brok.	4" "	\$77.50 ea.
		2-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	" " " " " " 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	82.00 ea.	
			Spring to hold tongues up		6.00 ea.
		1-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " Mitchell (medium)	" Stiffpole.	4" "	\$97.50 ea.
		1-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	(Regular) "	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	97.50 ea.
		1-3"	(medium) "	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	91.00
		1-3"	" " " " " " 3" "	82.50	
		1-3"	(Regular) "	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	91.00

Carts.

Hawley Hardware Co.	2-3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Standard Dump	3" Tire	\$49.00 ea.
	1-3" Tubular Axle Standard	3" "	\$49.00 ea.
No tires larger than 3".			

Plow.

Awarded	Hawley Hardware Co.	1-No. 1. 6 Horse Western A.R. Plow, 220* ex share	\$40.00
	Newell Mathews Co.	1-No. 3. Western Grading Plow. ex share	\$40.00

Wagons  
to  
Crockett  
The bid of Mr. Robert Crockett for the furnishing of  
2-3" Fish Brok. steel skein, drop-pole 4" tires Wagons, for \$155.00  
2-3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " " " " " " 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " " " " \$164.00  
being the lowest bid in accordance with the specifications.  
It was moved and duly seconded that the contract be  
awarded to him.

Commissioner Whitney voting Aye.

" Julian " "

" Davis " "

<u>Plow</u> to <u>Hawley Hdw. Co.</u>	Upon motion being duly seconded the Hawley Hardware Co. was awarded the contract for furnishing 1 Western A.R. Plow, in accordance with specifications therefore by the following Vote: Vise
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Commissioner Julian voting Aye.  
 " Whitney " "  
 " Davis " "

~~Gregg & Higgins complain that property at La Playa is being occupied by squatters.~~

The Secretary was instructed to address the following communication to the Common Council in regard to the complaints filed by Messrs. D. Gregg and A. J. Higgins about parties occupying their lots and the streets at La Playa: Complaints having been filed before by A. J. Daily et al. in regard to this same matter and as we brought the matter before the Mayor in regard to the location of the street lines at La Playa and as there appears to be a diversity of opinion as to the exact location of said lines, we respectfully recommend to your Honorable Body that you authorize an official survey made of La Playa and the point.

~~Recommendation that Ramsey's salary be raised to \$75<sup>c</sup>~~

A communication was received from the City Engineer recommending that the salary of Mr. Wm. Ramsey be raised to \$75<sup>c</sup> per month. The same was ordered placed on file.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council approving the recommendation of the City Engineer. Commissioners Julian, Whitney and Davis voting Aye.

~~Harness bid.~~

Ordinance No. 679, confirming the sale of certain Real Estate (City Fire Lot to D.C. Collier Jr.) owned by the City of San Diego, California.

The same was ordered on file.

~~Petitions for work~~

Mr. A. A. Shaw offers to sell to the City 1 set single harness, for sweeper, for the sum of \$8.00  
 1 pr. shafts and 1 pr. Tribune-tree " " " " 10.00  
 Same was ordered on file.

~~Petitions for work~~

The following applications for work in the street department as provided by Sec. 5 of Ord. 675 were received. Viz:-

1<sup>st</sup> Ward.

A. J. Stewart	No. San Diego,	Age 39	Republican Laborer
Sabastino Long	5 <sup>th</sup> and Lewis	" 37	"
Tutis Shafer	3940-8 <sup>th</sup>	" 46	"
Geo. B. Vasco	Mission Valley	" 35	"
John Roberts	No. San Diego	" 60	No Politics

1<sup>st</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	Albert Cottrell	Roseville	Age 23.	Independent.	Laborer
	H. N. Thompson	"	" 45.	Democrat	"
	August Bismeyer	3765-3 <sup>rd</sup>	" 46.	"	"
	<u>Angelo Smith</u>	Old Town	" 48.	"	"

2<sup>nd</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	Alfred Ells	1910 State	" 65	Republican	Blacksmith
	J. D. Murphy	1561 Columbia	" 45	"	Laborer
	<u>G. A. Shaw</u>	1565 India	" 49	"	"
	J. Miles Jackson	1703 "	" 40	"	"
<u>Appointed.</u>	<u>E. Fitzgerald</u>	2271. Front	" 55	"	"
	Martin V. Matimki	1456. California	" 47	No Politics	"
	John Kingswood	1761 Arctic	" 43	Democrat	"
	C. A. McKenna	1910 India	" 39	"	"

3<sup>rd</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	Harry L. Snell	1169 State	" 25	Republican	"
	O. D. Solomon	1241 India	" 39	"	"
	Louis Monroe	1170 State	" 48	"	Hostler
	<u>Samuel Waugh</u>	1052 "	" 62	"	Laborer
	James Steward	405 Ash	" 42	"	"
	C. W. Steele	1133 - 3 <sup>rd</sup>	" 53	"	"
	Michel Durcel	608 - B.	" 40	Democrat	"
	James Cooley	1167. Union	" 51	"	"

4<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	L. S. Overshiner	1232 - Sixth	" 40	Republican	Blacksmith
	<u>James Wells</u>	10 <sup>th</sup> & Cedar	" 58	"	Hostler

5<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	B. W. Troubly	855 Union	" 63	"	Laborer
	David J. Lovell	1120 - E.	" 55	"	"
	<u>Chas. Lewis</u>	California & E.	" 61	"	"
	A. Jones	858. State.	" 64	"	"
	Frank L. Young	905. E.	" 43	"	"
	Ruben Reed	723 Front	" 45	"	Hostler
	Geo. A. Martin	1208 - H.	" 27	Democrat	Blacksmith

6<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	Wilmer N. Nichols	569 - 8 <sup>th</sup>	" 52	Republican	Laborer
	J. Robertson	425 - 7	" 44	Democrat	"
	<u>Nellie Barnes</u>	6 <sup>th</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup>	" 22	"	"

7<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>Appointed.</u>	Isaac A. Esleech	719 - 4 <sup>th</sup>	" 67	Republican	"
	John L. Wilbur	614 - 11	" 27	"	"
	Harry Walker	624 - 15	" 48	Populist	"

7<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>John Martin</u>	811-12	Age 50	Democrat	Laborer
<u>S. E. Webb</u>	2410-6	" 48	"	"

8<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>Chas. M. Boyce</u>	3434-L.	" 21	Republican	"
<u>Alex McKenzie</u>	16 <sup>th</sup> & IV	" 48	"	"
<u>P. B. Gaudian</u>	27 <sup>th</sup> M	" 54	"	"
<u>Percy L. Woods</u>	240-16 <sup>th</sup>	" 32	"	"
<u>Samuel A. Sneedor</u>	1803-J.	" 33	Peoples Party	"
<u>Will H. Garnham</u>	166-16 <sup>th</sup>	" 33	Democrat	"
<u>August Mc Dennis</u>	9 <sup>th</sup> L.	" 30	"	Blacksmith
<u>C. A. Crouch</u>	2321- 4 <sup>th</sup>	" 33	"	Laborer

9<sup>th</sup> Ward.

<u>W. B. Pike</u>	249 Sargent Ave.	" 39	Republican	Blacksmith
<u>J. D. McAfee</u>	32 & U.	" 38	Democrat	Laborer
<u>Chas. Hensley</u>	429 Boston Ave	" 39	"	"
<u>Andy Stathe</u>	Vista & K	" 42	"	"
<u>E. Farrell</u>	G. ave Yuma	" 56	"	"
<u>A. Bysen</u>	341 Milton Ave	" 42	"	"
<u>Frederick Schaaf</u>	32 & R	" 48	"	Blacksmith
<u>J. W. Crawford</u>	545 Newton Ave.	" 41	Republican	Laborer
<u>Timos E. Hudgins</u>	Julian Ave bet 24 & 25	" 55	"	"
<u>Theodore Seely</u>	325 Webster Ave.	" 37	"	"
<u>E. D. Fisher</u>	240 National Ave.	" 47	"	Blacksmith
<u>D. A. J. Laderock</u>	609 Colton Ave.	" 44	Independent	Laborer
<u>A. M. Wilder</u>	748 Grant Ave	" 31	Silver Rep.	"
<u>John F. Devine</u>	846 Milton Ave	" 47	Greenback	"

all filed. The foregoing applications were read and ordered on file.

Selection later The selection of the men from the foregoing list of applications was taken under advisement until Saturday.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until Saturday 10 o'clock AM.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

F. H. Davis President

Saturday 10 A.M.

San Diego, Cal. Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1914.

Adjourned Meeting:-

present The meeting was called in regular form there being Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis.

no bids on harness. The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council. Stating that we have advertised for bids in accordance with ordinance #675 and in response to said advertisement there were no bids received for the reason the amount allowed for the purchase of said harness was insufficient.

Advise for Scraper. Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to advertise for a # 2 Western Wheel Scraper.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis voting, aye.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board at 10 o'clock A.M. for the furnishing of all materials and for the construction of a Stable, sheds and a solidly built four board fence the following bid was received. Viz:-

<u>Stable etc.</u>	<u>S. N. Scovill</u>	<u>certf. check \$60<sup>00</sup></u>	<u>bid \$920.00</u>
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Referred to Council: Moved and Seconded that the said bid be referred to the Common Council for their approval with the recommendation that the contract be awarded to the said S. N. Scovill, at his bid. \$920<sup>00</sup>.

Commissioners Whitney, Julian and Davis, voting, aye.

Bids for Sale Horses In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at the office of the Board at 10 o'clock A.M. for the furnishing of horses for use of the City the following bids were received: Viz:-

John P. Becker	certf. check	\$8.75	2 Horses	\$175.00
Holcomb & M. Carroll	"	17.50	4 "	350.00
J. C. Leach	"	15.00	4 "	300.00
Goodbody & Rosner	"	50.00	7 "	500.00
John Engelbrecht	"	10.00	2 "	137.00
L. L. Ward	"	4.00	1 "	75.00

George B. Chapman. Tertf Check \$10.00 2 Horses \$150.00  
 A. A. Shaw. " " 10.00 3 " 195.00

Bids held over.

Said bids were taken under advisement and the Board proceeded to look at all horses.

Successful applicants for work. The following list of applications was handed to the Secretary, the same being read. It was moved and duly Seconded that it be approved. The list is as follows:

Angelo Smith.	1 <sup>st</sup> Ward	Dem.
E. Fitzgerald	2 <sup>nd</sup> "	Rep.
A. A. Shaw	2 <sup>nd</sup> "	"
Samuel Daugh	3 <sup>rd</sup> "	"
James Wells	4 <sup>th</sup> "	"
Chas. Ames	5 <sup>th</sup> "	"
Dollie Barnes	6 <sup>th</sup> "	Dem.
S. E. Webb	7 <sup>th</sup> "	"
Will H. Graham	8 <sup>th</sup> "	"
Alex McKenzie	8 <sup>th</sup> "	Rep.
J.W. Crawford	9 <sup>th</sup> "	"
John A. Devine	9 <sup>th</sup> "	Greenback

Commissioners Whitney, Julian <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Commissioner Julian resigned.

A communication was received from Mr. A. H. Julian tendering his resignation as a member of the Board of Public Works.

Accepted.

Upon motion being duly Seconded the same was accepted. Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

The following application was received:-

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Julian applies for Sewer Supt.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,

Gentlemen:-

I most respectfully ask your Hon: Board for the appointment of Supt. of Sewers:-

Very Respectfully,  
 A. H. Julian.

Julian elected Supt Sewers.

It was moved and Seconded that Mr. A. H. Julian be appointed to the office of Supt. of Sewers. Term of office to commence January 1<sup>st</sup> 1900.

Commissioner Whitney voting Aye.

Davis " "

Adjourned.

Upon motion being duly seconded the Board adjourned  
till January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1900 - 10 o'clock A.M.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon.  
Secretary.

J. F. Davis. President.

San Diego Cal. Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1900.

Tuesday 10 A.M.

Adj.-Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney and Davis:-

The Secretary was instructed to address to the Common Council the following recommendations. Viz:-

Authority  
Hire teams.  
"Grant authority to hire teams, to make up the required number 18, to work in conjunction with the men employed this day until such time as the balance of the teams have been purchased."

Authority  
award  
Contract.  
Mr. S. H. Scovill being the only bidder for the furnishing of all materials and the construction of City Stable, stable and a solidly built 4 board fence - Bid \$920.- or \$120. in excess to the amount allowed by ordinance. We recommend that the bid be accepted and you authorize the contract be awarded to said S. H. Scovill."

Authority  
purchase  
Horses & Harness  
"Authority to purchase from J. W. Crawford, 2 horses with harness and also the wagon bed used by him in gathering up the street sweepings, for the sum of \$215<sup>00</sup>."

Horses \$100.00  
"Authority to purchase horses and to pay therefore, if necessary, \$100.<sup>00</sup> or more per head."

2<sup>nd</sup> Hand Harness  
\$23<sup>00</sup> per set.  
"That we have purchased 8 sets of second hand harness at \$23<sup>00</sup> per set. Received no bids for new harness advertised for."

Postage.  
"Authority to purchase \$25<sup>00</sup> postage stamps for use of City."

Purchased  
Horses from  
Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote the Board selected the following horses from the following bidders: Viz:-

Goodbody and Roesner,	6 Horses	@ \$75.- ea	\$450.00
John P. Becker,	2 "	" 75.- "	\$150.00
A. A. Shaw,	1 "	" 75.- "	\$75.00

Adjourned till Wednesday 10 A.M.)

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon.

Secretary. T. J. Davis

President

Wednesday 10 A.M.

January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1900.

Adj. Meeting.

Present Commissioners Whitney and Davis.

Bids for Horses. Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous  
Aye Vote all bids for horses, except Goodbody and Rosen's, be  
rejected.

Whitney and Davis - aye.

Bids construction Stable The bid for furnishing all materials and the construction  
of the City Stable, sheds & fence, also for the furnishing of carts  
were ordered rejected by the following vote. Viz:-

Commissioners Whitney and Davis - aye.

Re-Adv. Stable etc The Secretary was instructed to re-advertise  
for bids for the construction of the City Stable, shed, fence etc.

No further business the board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon.

Secretary.

 W. J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 4th 1900.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitney and Davis.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Letter indorsing

Mahin

Mr. John A. Mahin files a letter of indorsement of himself for the position of City Blacksmith signed by 11 Blacksmiths of this City.

The same was ordered on file.

Ordinances

The following Ordinances from the Common Council Nos. 690, 691 & 692, authorising the purchase of Postage Stamps, the Purchase of J.W. Crawford Team, Harness and Dragon-bed and 8 Sets of 2<sup>nd</sup> stand Harness. The same were received and ordered placed on file.

The following resolution was offered and ordered approved, by the following vote. Viz:-

Commissioners Whitney & Davis. Aye.

Resolution

removing

J.H. Dahl

off

"L" St.

bct 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>

Streets

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Street Superintendent of the City of San Diego, California, be, and he is hereby directed and instructed to serve a notice in writing upon J.H. Dahl to remove the obstruction consisting of a house or shanty used as a fruit stand, kept and maintained by him on "L" Street between Fifth and Sixth Street in the said City of San Diego, California; said obstruction to be removed within 10 days from and after the service of such notice upon the said J.H. Dahl; and that the said Street Superintendent be, and he is hereby further authorised and instructed, that if the said J. H. Dahl shall fail, neglect or refuse to remove the said obstruction within the said time, to remove the same and haul the same to the material yard of said City, and deposit the same therein.

Such notice shall be given by the said Superintendent of streets in pursuance to Section 3 of Ordinance No. 26 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, California, entitled,

"An ordinance for the prevention of offences against the peace and good order of the City of San Diego," approved November 8<sup>th</sup> 1886.

The Superintendent of Streets was directed to at once serve notice in writing and a copy of said resolution upon J. H. Dahl.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

J. J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 11<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

Present.

Commissioners Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Providing for

Boiler Inspector

From the Common Council was received Ordinance No. 696, providing for the appointment of an inspector of steam Boilers, and prescribing his duties, and providing for his compensation, in the City of San Diego, California.

The same was read and ordered placed on file and the matter of appointment taken under consideration until the next regular meeting.

Appointment of Inspector of

Boilers. Mr. Thomas Finney files an application for the position

Filed.

The same was ordered on file.

Phone

Judge Anderson, Police Judge was granted a Phone in his office and the Secretary instructed to order same put in.

Ads. for

Police Office

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids to be delivered at this office at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purchase of One #2 Western Wheel Scraper.

J. A. Martin

City Blacksmith

Upon motion being duly seconded J. A. Martin was appointed "City Blacksmith" (which is in accord with the provisions of Ordinance #675.) Whitney <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,

Secretary.

J. J. Davis,

President.

San Diego, Cal., Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1899.

Thursday 10 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

W.W.Whitson  
took seat  
as a  
member of the  
Board.

The Board convened in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitson and Davis.

Mr. W.W.Whitson having presented his certificate of appointment took his seat as a member of the Board. The said certificate of appointment was ordered on file.

The following communication was received from the Mayor of the City:- Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., Jan 17<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Major files  
letter with  
enclosed  
charge from  
J.J. Jones  
against  
Ald Osburn.

To the Hon. Board of Public Works.  
of the City of San Diego, Cal.,  
Gentlemen:-

I herewith transmit to your Honorable Body, two communications that were handed to me by Mr. J.J. Jones. The communications explain themselves. Please investigate.

Very truly,

Edwin M. Cappa,

"Mayor"

The communications referred to are a receipt from Mr. Geo. E. Mason to J.J. Jones for 3 loads of dirt hauled and \$1.50 paid therefor; and a statement from J.J. Jones that he was working for the City on said date (15<sup>th</sup> Feb'y 1898) and that he paid said \$1.50 over to Ald Osburn Capt. of Streets.

Said communications were ordered on file and the Secretary instructed to address Mr. J.J. Jones a note requesting that he come before the Board at its next regular meeting Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> at 9 o'clock A.M. and make affidavit to said charges and bring any other <sup>evidence</sup> information he may have in relation thereto.

The following ordinances were received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Ordinance No. 698.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to purchase lumber for the Old Town Bridge in the City of San Diego, California, and to let a contract for the repair thereof.

Purchase  
lumber from  
Freckles Bros  
and  
let for bids  
Old Town Bridge

The Engineer was instructed in accordance therewith.

Ordinance No. 699.

Employ 10 men 1 month An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to employ <sup>10</sup> additional men at a salary not to exceed forty-five (\$45.00) Dollars per month each.

The same was ordered on file.

Ordinance No. 703.

Build a Road through Eureka Lemon Tract. An ordinance authorizing certain public work to be done within the City of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City, and directing the said Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for doing the said work.

Engr. to prepare plans. The Secretary was instructed to notify the City Engineer to prepare plans and specifications in accordance with said ordinance.

The same, (ordinance) was placed on file & the Secy directed to prepare Advertisements accordingly.

Engr. to prepare Est. to build Sewer 300ft Block 2 - Higgins Adm. 25<sup>th</sup> St. A petition was presented this day signed by Leroy A. Wright, Mr. J. Prout <sup>and</sup> Eliza M. Stewart, recommending the extension of the 25<sup>th</sup> St. sewer up the alley in Block 2 for a distance of 300 feet.

The same was referred to the City Engr. to furnish this Board with the estimated cost of same also from Q to A on 24<sup>th</sup> St.

Dept. Parks cultivate Park Sept. of Parks, Frank E. Belden, makes application for 2 men, 1 team & wagon, 1-2 horse plow, 1-2 horse spring tooth cultivator for plowing & cultivating the Howard & Ladies Annex, Parks. Same was ordered on file.

The following joint resolution was ordered placed on file: Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1213.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Permission to erect building Lot A Block 94 Horton That permission be and is hereby given and granted to Joseph Mullender to erect and maintain a small one story frame metal roofed building, about fourteen feet by twenty-four feet (14'x24') in size, on the north half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of lot lettered "K" (K) in Block numbered Ninety-four (94) of Hortons Addition to the said City of San Diego, being on the west side of Fourth

Street between "H" and "I" streets in the said City of San Diego.  
Clerk's certificate attached.

The Secretary was instructed to get Hartwell the electrician to connect the clerk's office with the Justice Office by push button.

Recess till 3<sup>rd</sup> P.M.

Upon motion the Board took a recess until 3<sup>rd</sup> o'clock P.M.

A. H. Dixon, Secy.

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> P.M.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The Board re-convened in usual form, there being present Commissioners Whitsom and Davis.

In accordance with Ordinance No. 699, the Board appointed, <sup>for one month</sup> the following laborers <sup>to work</sup> on the streets. Viz:-

B. A. McKenney	1910 India Street.	2 Ward.	Democrat.
J. Miles Jackson	1703 "	" "	Republican
C. W. Awambly	855 Union	5 "	"
James Robertson	425-7 <sup>th</sup>	6 "	Democrat
John Eichle	444-15 <sup>th</sup>	8 "	Republican
G. D. Mc Afee	327 N.	9 "	Democrat

Adjourned

Bids on  
Wheel Scrapers

The time having arrived to open the bids for the furnishing of wheeled scrapers to the City, the Secretary was instructed to proceed to open said bids.

Rejected.

Hawley Hardware Co. \*2 Western Wheeled Scraper (Check \$5<sup>00</sup>) \$55.00

The said bid being above the amount authorized, the same was rejected by an affirmative vote of the Board.

Change of  
Meeting Hour.

The following resolution was adopted by an affirmative vote of the Board. Viz:-  
Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works that the time of the regular meeting hour be changed from 10 o'clock A.M. to 9 o'clock A.M.

Adjourned

Attest: A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

J. J. Davis President.

San Diego, Cal., Jan 25<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Thursday 9 A.M.

Regular Meeting:

Present The meeting convened in regular form there being present Commissioners, Cassidy, Whitson and Davis. Mr. Andrew Cassidy presenting his certificate of appointment and taking his seat as a member of the Board.

Minutes The unread minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Manure The offer of Mr. H. D. Whitney, ex-member of the Board of Public Works, of 25¢ per wagon load for manure from the City Stables, was accepted, and the Superintendent of Streets instructed to deliver at the City Stable said manure to said Whitney at said price until further notice.  
25¢ per load.

Parks. The Supt. of Parks was allowed  
1 Spring tooth cultivator  
10 yards fertilizer.  
10 lbs blue grass seed.

4" cedar The Secretary was instructed to notify the Spreckels Brothers Commercial Co. that they have instructions from Common Council to purchase 4in. cedar lumber from them for the re-planking of the Oldtown Bridge: and as soon as we receive the estimate as to the quantity needed we will advise them.  
plank for  
Oldtown  
Bridge.

Parks. Upon motion being duly seconded and an affirmative vote of the Board, Supt. of Parks, Belden, was given permission to change the location of one of the water pipes in the Howard Park.

Appointments Upon motion being duly seconded the following additional men were appointed upon the Streets for 1 month  
Dismissed. A. J. Stearns No. S.D. 1<sup>st</sup> Ward Republican  
Appointed Sebastian Long 5<sup>th</sup> & Lewis 1<sup>st</sup> Ward Republican  
Michael Purcell, 608 - B. 3<sup>rd</sup> " Democrat  
John Martin 811 - 13<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> "  
A. A. Mc Guffie 153 - 15<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> "

Resigned

May James Wells, tenders his resignation as Hostler or Labourer for the City.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was accepted by a unanimous Aye vote.

McAfeeappointed

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote Mr. A. D. McAfee of 327 N. St. 9<sup>th</sup> ward, Democrat was appointed for a term ~~to month~~ vice Joe. Wells, resigned. ? There being no applicant from the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward.

Con. ButlerappointedAss't. Super't.Sewers.

Upon motion of Commissioner Cassidy Mr. Cornelius Butler was put in nomination for the position of Assistant Superintendent of Sewers, to assume the duties thereof February 1<sup>st</sup> 1900.

The same being seconded, Mr. Butler was elected by the following vote Viz:-

Commissioner	Cassidy voting Aye.
"	Whitson voting Aye.
"	Davis voting Aye.

The president declared Mr. Cornelius Butler appointed to the position of Assistant Superintendent of Sewers to assume the duties of said position February 1<sup>st</sup> 1900.

Thomas A.FinneyappointedBoiler Inspector

In accordance with the provisions of Ordinance #696, authorizing and directing the Board to appoint a Boiler Inspector in accordance therewith.

Mr. Thomas A. Finney was placed in nomination for the position of Boiler Inspector of the City of San Diego, California; which nomination was duly seconded.

Upon Ballot Thomas A. Finney was duly elected by the following vote.

Commissioner	Cassidy voting Aye.
"	Whitson "
"	Davis "

The president thereupon declared Thomas A. Finney appointed Boiler Inspector for the City of San Diego, Cal.

J. J. JoneschargesFred Osburn

At a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works, of the City of San Diego, Cal., held on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1900, the Secretary was instructed to notify J. J. Jones, to appear before said Board at its next regular meeting, Thursday January 25<sup>th</sup> 1900, at 9 o'clock A.M. and make affidavit to the charges preferred against Superintendent of Streets Osburn; and bring whatever other evidence he may

have to substantiate the said charges.

As the said J. A. Jones did not appear, in person or otherwise, at the time set, the Board after waiting until 10.30 A.M. one hour and an half after the time set, placed Secretary Dixon upon oath and questioned him as to whether or not he addressed a communication to J. A. Jones requesting his presence before this Board at said above mentioned time and date.

Secretary Dixon, answers, Yes - I mailed to his address, 39<sup>th</sup> & R. St. San Diego, Cal., a letter requesting his appearance.

The following is a typewritten carbon copy of same. Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal." January 19<sup>th</sup> 1900.

J. A. Jones  
39<sup>th</sup> & R. St.  
San Diego, Cal.

Dear Sir:

J. H. Dixon  
Charges  
You are hereby requested to be present at the next regular meeting of the Board of Public Works, Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> day January, 1900, at 9 o'clock A.M., come prepared to make affidavit to charges made against Fred Osburn to the Honorable Mayor of this City and bring whatever other evidence you may have to substantiate the said charges.

Yours truly,  
Board of Public Works.  
By A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

Fred Osburn  
I know that Jones received this letter for I met him on 5<sup>th</sup> Street between D & E. Streets a few evenings after mailing the said letter of which this carbon typewritten letter is a copy.

He told me that he had received my letter.

Fred Osburn was next sworn and upon oath testified that he did not receive from J. A. Jones the \$1<sup>50</sup> referred to. That he did not steal from the City a \$1<sup>50</sup> or any other amount. That all money paid to him belonging to the City has been duly paid over to the Secretary of the Board of Public Works as is required by the Charter of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Upon motion being duly seconded the following resolution was adopted. Viz:-

Cognovitated  
Be It Resolved, by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, Viz:-

That Fred Osburn Superintendent of Streets of the

City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby fully exonerated of the charges preferred against him by J. A. Jones of said City, and that said charges, be and they are hereby dismissed.

Commissioner Cassidy voting Aye.

" Whitson " "

" Davis " "

No further business the Board adjourned.

Adjourned.

Attest:

F. H. Dixon, Secretary

H. J. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal. Feby. 1<sup>st</sup> 1900.

Thursday 9 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting convened in usual form there being present Commissioners Cassidy, Whiston and Davies.

minutes The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Communication The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Bernard Castle Sweeper Co. for price for furnishing 8 Boxes and 4 new wheels.

Louis Sorano  
1 month  
Feby 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr. A. J. Stewart of Old Town having been appointed as laborer on the streets for a term of 1 month commencing Jan'y 25<sup>th</sup> and as said Stewart has failed to appear. Mr. Louis Sorano of Old Town was appointed in his stead.

Adv. for  
Fuel. The Secretary was instructed to advertise for fuel for use of the City Government.

\$1000.- Bond. Mr. Thomas A. Finney was notified that the Board of Public Works will require of him a bond in the sum of \$1000.-

The following joint resolutions were received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1218.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Engr. Est. & Grading That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California, be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and furnish to this Common Council an estimate of the cost of grading Juniper Street to its official grade, from the west line of Brandt Street to the west line of the City Park in said city.

Clerks Certificate attached.

Joint Resolution #1221.

Be It Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be, and said Board of Public Works is hereby instructed

grade 24 ft.  
road on  
"M" St.

and directed to grade a twenty-four (24) foot wagon road in the said city of San Diego, California, along "M" street from the west line of Pueblo Lot numbered 1153 to the east line of the west one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the southwest quarter of said Pueblo Lot numbered 1153, with the men, teams and implements now employed and used in the Street Department of said City; said work to be done according to specifications and surveys to be made by the City Engineer of the said City of San Diego.

Clerks Certificate attached

Joint Resolution #1222.

Be It Resolved, By The Common Council of the City of San Diego,  
as follows:-

That permission be and is hereby given to Nellie H. Rowell,  
W.H. Herbert, J.A. Wright and S.M. Davis, the owners of real property  
fronting of 23rd Street in the City of San Diego, California, between "C"  
and "D" Streets, to grade that portion of 23rd street in said city  
between the north line of "D" street and the south line of "C" street  
to the official grade thereof; said work to be done according to the  
grade stakes to be set by the City Engineer of said City,  
and under the supervision of the Street Superintendent of  
said City, and at the expense of said parties.

That the City Engineer of said City be, and he is hereby  
directed, after said street has been so graded, to issue to the  
said parties a certificate setting forth the number of cubic  
yards of cutting and filling made by them in said grading,  
and the proportions performed by each owner, and that the  
same is done to the established width and grade of said  
street; and thereafter, said certificate shall be filed with  
the Superintendent of Streets who shall record such  
certificate in a book kept in his office for such purpose.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

Joint Resolutions nos. 1218, 1221 & 1222 were referred  
to the City Engineer and Superintendent of Streets with instructions  
to comply. Instructions of #1221, to be carried out by Dept. of  
Streets after the contract has been entered into to grade  
the balance of the street.

The following petition was received and upon  
motion the same was referred to the City Engineer for  
an estimate of cost of same.

The following is the communication:-

Engr.  
&  
Supt. Sts.  
notified.

Engr.  
for Est.

"San Diego, California Jan 31-1900.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,  
of the City of San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:-

Petition  
to  
fix culvert.  
referred  
to Engt. &  
M. C. Mason & Co.  
St. F. Dearing & Son

We, the undersigned, would respectfully request that you allow your street superintendent to inspect and fix the culvert at the south east corner of "K" and Fourth Streets, damaged in one of the recent rains.

Very respectfully,

S. P. Johnson. Agt. P. C. S. to	J. S. Schrim	Ballou & Cosgrove
M. C. Mason & Co.	W. H. Corder.	W. W. Stewart & Co
St. F. Dearing & Son	McKenzie, Flint & Winsby.	Simon Levi.
	Pacific Wood & Coal Co."	

Upon motion being duly seconded and by a unanimous  
Aye vote the following resolution was adopted and the Sup't.  
of Streets directed to carry out the provisions thereof at once.

Resolution:-

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Public Works of the  
City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the Street Superintendent of the City of San Diego,  
California, be and he is hereby directed and instructed to serve  
a notice in writing upon the Coronado Railway Company, a  
corporation, to remove the obstruction, consisting of a frame  
building, kept and maintained by said Coronado Railway Company  
on "L" Street between Fifth and Sixth Streets in said City of  
San Diego, California; said obstruction to be removed within ten (10)  
days from and after the service of said notice upon the said  
Coronado Railway Company. And that said Street Superintendent  
be, and he is hereby further authorized and directed, that if  
the said Coronado Railway Company shall fail, neglect, or refuse  
to remove the said obstruction within the said time, to remove  
the same and haul the same to the material yard of said City,  
and deposit the same therein.

Such notice shall be given by the said Superintendent  
of Streets in pursuance of Section 3 of Ordinance No. 26 of the  
Ordinances of the said City of San Diego, California, entitled, "An ordinance  
for the prevention of offenses against the peace and good order  
of the City of San Diego," approved November, 26<sup>th</sup> 1886.

Adjourned till Saturday 9 o'clock A.M.  
A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

N. J. Davis President

Saturday 9-A.M.

San Diego, Cal., Feby. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1900.

Adj. Meeting

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners, Cassidy and Davis.

The following claims were read and approved.

Fire Department:

#7311.	\$8.00	#7347	\$4.00	*7385	\$3.10	*7425	\$11.75
7340.	15.00	7348	5.75	7386	4.00	7426	5.60
7341.	4.00	7359	6.00	7410	6.92	7427	4.00
7342	1.00	7363	139.05	7424	4.00	7428	16.70

General a/c

*7310	\$7.50	*7354	\$16.75	*7406	\$119.30	*7423	\$5.50
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Dog Tax

*7314	\$13.50
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Legal a/c

*7309	\$25.00	*7394	\$34.85	*7420	\$808.33	*7434	.60
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Office a/c.

#7297	\$95.00	#7318	\$25.00	*7321	\$17.00	*7333	6.
7298	2.25	7319	7.25	7325	2.00	7334	7.
7313	12.00	7320	8.60	7326	.50	7335	1.00
7336	1.50	7366	31.50	7395	5.75	7398	82.63
7337	27.75	7383	2.55	7396	2.75	7399	6.00
7365	9.00	7384	5.50	7397	.75	7421	1.35
7432	64.75						

Public Building a/c.

#7291	\$30.00	*7293	\$100.00	*7358	\$46.70
7292	50.00	7296	10.00	7401	10.00
7294	20.00	7332	7.50	7402	5.00

Park Department

#7352	\$1.50	7353	\$20.00	*7418	\$8.85
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Street lights #7357 \$1365.00 Fire Hydrant Rental #7420 - \$808.33

Sewer Department.

\*7379 \$2.50 \*7400 \$2.24 \*7419 \$76.26 \*7435 \$2.90

Salary a/c

\*7370 \$385.00 \*7372 \$215.00

Police Dept.

\*7364 \$1.75 #7404 \$17.50

Street Department.

*7378	\$616.85	*7316	\$150.00	#7381	\$1.80	#7409	\$4.35
7413	49.00	7317	634.00	7387	2.50	7411	12.85
7301	248.20	7343	15.60	7388	1.50	7412	2.15
7302	.75	7344	.75	7389	7.25	7414	9.00
7303	1.00	7349	2.00	7390	220.72	7415	1.40
7304	525.00	7360	9.90	7391	49.98	7416	3.00
7305	.50	7361	3.50	7392	150	7417	17.75
7315	319.00	7380	3.10	7393	10.90	7436	10.13

adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon.

Secretary.

J. J. Davis.

President.

San Diego, February 8<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Thursday 9 A.M.

Regular meeting:

Present  
Commissioners, Cassidy, Whitson and Davis.

Change the names of Streets.  
A communication was received from the City Engineer enclosing a list of street names in the city limits of San Diego, the names of which occur in other and more central parts of the city. The City Engineer suggests new names, with a recommendation that they be substituted for the old ones.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was referred to the Common Council with recommendation that the same be adopted.

Cassidy, Whitson and Davis voting Aye.

Daily dairy workingmen. Upon suggestion of Mr. Whitson that it would be well to have some small books printed for the laborers to keep a diary of their daily doings in. It was upon motion duly seconded decided to have same printed in accordance with the views of Commissioner Whitson.

Cassidy, Davis and Whitson voting Aye.

Ad. for bids coal and re-plank Oldtown Bridge. In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids to be delivered at 9 o'clock A.M. for the furnishing the city with coal for the year and also for the re-planking of the Old Town Bridge: and as the hour of 10 o'clock having arrived the President declared the time within which to receive bids in accordance with said advertisement was closed; the Secretary was instructed to proceed to open the bids:

Bids on Coal:

	Gallup.	Checks	
Pacific Wood & Coal Co.	\$50.00		*9.25 per ton
S. D. Coal & Mill Co.	\$50.00		*9.75 "

Re-Plank Old Town Bridge.

Achanie Bros.	\$10.00	\$175.00
Alex Bell	7.50	142.50

Awarded to.

The Pacific Wood Coal Co., being the lowest bidders for the furnishing of "Gallup" coal to the City for one year, were by a unanimous Aye vote of the Board awarded the contract, at their bid Yrs. \$9<sup>25</sup> per ton.

Awarded to.

Mr. Alex Bell, being the lowest bidder for doing the work of re-planking the Old Town Bridge, was awarded the contract to do said work at his bid Yrs. \$14<sup>25</sup> by a unanimous Aye Vote of the Board.

The following Ordinances were received from the Common Council.

Ordinance #707.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids and let a contract for grading a wagon road on "M" Street in the City of San Diego, California.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise in accordance with said ordinance #707, when Joint Resolution No. 1221, has been complied with.

Ordinance #713.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to make arrangements with some person or company to allow the City Assessor the use of their abstract books for the purpose of ascertaining therefrom the names of owners of real property who have not made a return of their property to the Assessor for the fiscal year 1900.

The Secretary was instructed to take sealed bids therefor.

Ordinance #714.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to get and receive, for and on behalf of the City of San Diego, California, from K.O. Sessions the trees to be propagated for and delivered to the City as provided in Ordinance No. 153 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, Approved February 16<sup>th</sup>, 18

The Secretary was instructed to prepare blanks in accordance with said ordinance, and to deliver trees to owners of Real Estate upon application and the receipt of the contract in accordance with said Ordinance.

Adv. for  
bids.Bids for  
use Abstract  
Books, use  
AssessorTrees.K.O. Session

25<sup>¢</sup> Stamps.

Ordinance #715.

An Ordinance authorizing the purchase of postage stamps by the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California.

The Secretary was instructed to purchase \$25<sup>¢</sup> worth of postage stamps, in accordance with said ordinance.

The following communication was received from the City Engineer: Viz:-

"San Diego, Cal., Feby. 5<sup>th</sup> 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,  
Gentlemen:-

Est. Cost  
Sewer.

Concerning the attached petition for lateral sewer in portion of Alley in Block 2, St. M. Higgins Addition, connecting with main on 25<sup>th</sup> St. I find such lateral would be 320 feet total length. Estimated cost per foot 90<sup>¢</sup>.

The proposition to extend the 24<sup>th</sup> street sewer main from "B" St. to "A" St. is not feasible, because of fall in grade of 24<sup>th</sup> St. from "B" St. north.

Yours Respectfully,

L. J. Davis,

(City Eng.)

Binder Drop.  
Bond.

The Bond of Thomas Finney in the sum of \$1000.- with Edwin Dobson and Patterson Sprigg as Sureties was, upon motion being duly seconded, approved. Commissioners, Cassidy, Whitson and Davis voting Aye.

Elevations  
on Sewers

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California as follows:

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California be, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to furnish to this Common Council the elevations of the Alley in Block 2 of St. M. Higgins addition to the City of San Diego, between the east line of Twenty-fourth street and the west line of Twenty-fifth street for the purpose of establishing the grade of said alley.

The said Resolution was referred to the City Engineer.

Joint Resolution No 1224.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the City Engineer of the City of San Diego,

Specifications  
Asphalt  
Pavement

California, be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and furnish to this common council specifications for Asphalt pavements, for the purpose of making the same a part of the specifications for the paving of the public Streets of the said City of San Diego, California.

The said Resolution was referred to the City Engineer.

Hay  
Upon a unanimous Aye vote of the Board it was decided  
to purchase <sup>about 30 tons</sup> ~~a carload~~ <sup>more or less</sup> of hay, at \$13<sup>00</sup> per ton, taking warehouse receipt weight.

Adjourned

No further business Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,

Secy.

J. F. Glassie, President.

San Diego, Cal. February 15<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Thursday 9 A.M.

Regular Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Cassidy, Whitson and Davis.

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Recommend

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they authorize this Board to paint the Old Town Bridge.

Exchange

Dirt in

Park for

Dirt on K & J

The Secretary was directed to notify the Common Council that this Board, had upon the verbal recommendation of Mr. Hackett of the Street Committee, exchanged dirt in the City Park for a similar amount located on K<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> & K & 3<sup>rd</sup> Streets belonging to Messrs. Goodbody & Roemer.

Asst. of  
Parks

Belden

resigned

Mr. A. E. Belden, Asst. of Parks of the City of San Diego California, in a communication to the Board, tenders his resignation as said Superintendent, to take effect March 1<sup>st</sup>, 1900.

Upon motion being duly seconded the same was accepted.

Commissioners Whitson, Cassidy & Davis, voting Aye.

S. E. Webb

appointed

Asst. of

Parks.

Mr. S. E. Webb was placed in nomination for the position of Asst. of Parks, vice A. E. Belden, resigned. Said nomination being duly seconded and by a unanimous Aye vote of the Board Mr. S. E. Webb was declared elected Asst. of Parks of the City of San Diego, California, assuming the duties of said office on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 1900.

Recommend

lease

City Stables

1 year.

The Secretary was directed to address a communication to the Common Council recommending that they authorize this Board to enter into a contract and to lease the present quarters and adjoining property, occupied by the City Stables, for a term of one year with the privilege of two or three years, if possible to get it.

Davis to  
purchase  
Stencils

Commissioner Davis was appointed as a committee of one to purchase Stamps and Stencils to mark all tools belonging to the City.

C. A. McKenney  
permanent  
Laborer

Upon motion being duly seconded C. A. McKenney was appointed as Laborer, permanent, in place of S. E. Webb, promoted.

Cassidy, Whiston and Davis voting Aye.

Pac. Wood &  
Coal Co.  
Contract & Bond  
approved

Upon motion being duly seconded the contract between the City and the Pacific Wood and Coal Co., was ordered executed and the Bond for same in the sum of \$5000 with Wilfred C. Harland & Herbert H. Croghan as sureties was approved.

Commissioners Cassidy, Whiston and Davis voting Aye.

Blanks  
for Trees

The Secretary was instructed to procure blanks for use in giving orders on Miss M. O. Sessions for trees to be planted in the Streets of the City.

Write  
St. Sweeper

The Agusa Manufacturing Co., address a communication to this Board in regard to the merits of their Street Sweeping Machine. The same was ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to address a communication to said Agusa Manufacturing Co., and ask to send "Cut" of said Sweeping Machine and if they will come down and demonstrate the working of this machine.

Award to  
Abstractors  
for use  
books for  
City Assessor

In reply to a request for bids for the use of abstract books to assist the City Assessor in ascertaining the names of the owners of property in the City of San Diego on January 1<sup>st</sup> 1900 the following bids were received.

Abstract & Title Co. of San Diego.	\$20.00
Reed & Burk Abstract Co.	\$30.00

Both bids being the same it was decided to decide the preference by tossing up a dime, "Heads" to represent the Abstract & Title Co. of San Diego, and "Tails" to represent the Reed & Burk Abstract Co. The Toss, was won by the Abstract & Title Co. of San Diego, and the work awarded to them.

Cassidy, Whiston & Davis voting Aye.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

J. H. Dixon, Sec.

S. J. Davis, President.

San Diego Cal. Feb 16<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Friday A.M.

Special meeting:-

This meeting was called for the purpose of executing the contract between Alex Bell & the City of San Diego, for the repairs to the Old Town Bridge: and for the approval of the bonds therefor.

Present

There being present Commissioners Cassidy, Whison and Davis

Minutes

The minutes <sup>reading</sup> of the last regular meeting were dispensed with.

Alex Bell

Contract  
executed

Upon motion being duly seconded the contract for labor and material (except lumber) for the repairing of the Old Town Bridge was ordered executed.

Commissioners Cassidy, Whison <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

Alex Bell

Bond  
approved

Mr. Alex Bell, presents a bond in the sum of \$250<sup>00</sup> for the faithful performance of the work with C. H. Swallow & W. Llewelyn as sureties.

I

Material

Bond

Approved.

The same upon motion being duly seconded was ordered approved by the following vote Viz: Commissioners Whison, Cassidy and Davis voting Aye.

The material-mens bond in the sum of \$100<sup>00</sup> for the above work, same sureties, was approved by the following vote. Commissioners, Cassidy, Whison <sup>and</sup> Davis voting Aye.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon, Secretary.

J. J. Davis President:-

San Diego, Cal., Feb'y 23<sup>rd</sup> 1900

Friday 9 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

Thursday, being a legal holiday the regular meeting was held this day.

There being present Commissioners Whiston, Cassidy and Davis.

Present

The un-read minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved

Minutes

The following Joint Resolution was received from the Common Council: Viz:-

Joint Resolution #1227.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:  
Engr. to make estimate cost 24 ft. roadway 32 ft. Ato Logan  
 That the City Engineer be, and he is hereby instructed to make and furnish to this Common Council an estimate of the cost of grading a roadway twenty-four feet in width on 32<sup>nd</sup> Street, from the south line of "R" Street to the north line of Logan Avenue.

Clerk's certificate attached.

The same was referred to the City Engineers.

Ordinance #710.

Fire Escape ordinance

An ordinance amending section 15 of ordinance No. 102, entitled "An ordinance regulating the construction, alteration and repairs of buildings in the City of San Diego, California, approved November 25<sup>th</sup>, 1890."

The said ordinance was read and ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to make a list of all of the 3 story buildings and over 3 story and notify the owner or occupant thereof in accordance with the provisions of said ordinance.

Ordinance #717.

Gilbert Sorento road

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to enter into a contract with and employ Mr. George Gilbert to repair the graded Sorento road, at an expense not to exceed the sum of Twenty Dollars.

Referred to the Dept. of Streets with instructions to comply.

Ordinance #719.

Goodbody & Rosner  
Dirt for Park  
Dirt

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to exchange certain dirt and soil located in the City Park for certain other dirt and soil in the said city of San Diego.

Referred to the Supt. of Streets with instructions to comply.

Street Sweeper  
filed.

A communication was received from the Agusa Manufacturing Co., in regard to Street Sweeping machine. The same was ordered placed on file.

4 & K St.  
Culvert  
estimate.  
Comm. to Council  
X

A communication was received from the City Engineer in regard to the Culvert located at cor. 4<sup>th</sup> & K Streets, with an estimate of the cost for reconstruction of same, Lumber & Materials \$86<sup>44</sup>

Authority to purchase team horses.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the Common Council asking for authority to purchase said lumber and materials. Stating that the work of constructing said culvert will be done by the Street Department: Also to address a communication to the Common Council stating one of the best horses in the Street Department is sick and that it will be necessary to send it out on pasture: And we desire authority to purchase an extra team of horses.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon.  
 Secretary.

S. J. Davis, President.

San Diego, Cal. March 1<sup>st</sup> 1900.

Thursday 9. A.M.

Regular meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present, Commissioners Whitson and Cassidy.  
absent, Commissioner Davis.  
Commissioner Cassidy assumed the chair.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Spl. Police Upon motion being duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Board of Police Commissioners that Mr. S. E. Webb, Sup't. of Parks, be appointed a Special Police, vice J. E. Belden, resigned.

Commissioners Whitson and Cassidy voting Aye.

Advertise bids The Secretary was directed to advertise for Stationery for the use of the City Government for the year ending April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1900.

Stationery. Upon a unanimous Aye vote the following bills were approved.

Office a/c

7299 - \$11.00	7472 - 6.00	7485 - 13.90	7489 - 6.80	7532 - 21.50
7452 - .50	7476 - 10.25	7486 - 7.50	7490 - 3.49	7542 - 18.25
7462 - 25.00	7477 - 1.00	7488 - 16.50	7517 - 12.00	7543 10.25

Public Building a/c

7447 - \$50.00	7465 - 100.00	7471 - 30.00
7448 - 10.00	7467 - 20.00	7529 - 41.65

Public Health a/c.

7539 - 6.60
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Park Improvement a/c

7473 - 7.50	7541 - 3.00
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Sewer a/c

7513 - 13.50	7520 - 68.94
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Claims.Street Light a/c

7483 - \$1365.00

Fire Hydrant a/c

7519 - \$808.33

Pay Roll a/c

7508 - \$215.00

7510 - \$385.00

General a/c.

7443 - 9.28      7453 - 4.00      7498 - 1.40      7518 - 1.30

7444 - 6.79      7466 - 40.00      7499 - 7.60

Fire Department a/c

7331 - 4.00      7451 - 2.50      7523 - 104.05      7527 - 1.05

7450 - 8.00      7487 - 8.00      7526 - 9.50

Police a/c.

7502 - 3.25

7503 - 2.00

Street Department a/c.

7544 - 929.25      7470 - 5.00      7493 - .60      7530 - 42.28

7439 - 1.50      7478 - 31.60      7494 - 9.42      7531 - 37.21

7441 - 3.51      7479 - 2299      7495 - 2.40      7534 - 5.00

7463 - .75      7491 - 552.66      7496 - 1.10      7540 - 40.00

7469 - 499.38      7492 - 240      7479 - 1.75      7535 - 17.35

There being no further business the Board  
adjourned:-

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

Andrew Cassidy  
President,  
pro-tempo

San Diego, Cal., March 8<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

Thursday 9 A.M.

Regular meeting:-

present	Commissioners	Cassidy and Davis.
Absent	"	Whitson.

The reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting  
Minutes was dispensed with.

Ordinance No. 725.

Call for bids Directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California to advertise for bids and let a contract for lighting the Streets, Avenues, and Parks of said City, with electric lights, for a period of one year, beginning on the first day of April, 1900.

Said ordinance No. 725, was read and the Secretary directed to advertise in accordance therewith.

Agusa Sweeper In reply to a communication to the Agusa Manufacturing Co., in regard to the price of their Street Sweeping machine, they place their figures on said machine at \$650<sup>c</sup> F.O.B. factory.

The said communication was referred to the Common Council.

Rent offered A communication was this day received from A. Pico, through his Agent Theo. Fintzelberg offering the lease of the Pico Barn and yard, which covers Lots C, D, E, & F of Block 778, New San Diego, for a term of one year at \$20.- per month or from month to month at said figure.

The same was ordered placed on file for the present.

The following communication was received from the Mayor: and the same was referred to the Superintendent of Streets with instructions to comply.

San Diego, Cal., March 7<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

Communication from Mayor To the Honorable Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, Cal.

Gentlemen:-

I have obtained from reliable information, that Messrs. Goodbody and Roesner have violated Ordinance No. 719 in regard to the excavating of earth in the City Park. These men have

gone outside of the borrow pit as staked out by the City Engineer, and taken the black loam, carting on to the Bancroft property near by.

Will you kindly order every yard of this loam returned to its original place at once, and evenly leveled off

Very truly,

Edwin M. Cappa,

Mayor of San Diego, Cal."

Protest  
regarding  
removal  
dirt from  
"B" St.  
bet.

A protest was filed by Frances M. Hessel against the removal of dirt from "B" Street bet. 22<sup>nd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> Streets, on the ground that there is not sufficient dirt to make the necessary fills at the present, and if the dirt is removed from said street it will add expense and cost of grading the said B Street when it shall be graded and will be a damage and injury to the said Frances M. Hessel.

The same was referred to the Superintendent of Streets with instructions to prevent the removal of said dirt from said street at said points.

Claim for  
\$207<sup>c</sup> for  
Sewer, to  
Council.

Mr. A. Stegeman, petitions this Board to recommend the purchase of the sewer laid by him in the alley in Block Q Kimballs Addition to a connection with the 24<sup>th</sup> St. Sewer, for the sum of \$207.00.

In accordance with said petition the Secretary was directed to recommend to the Common Council that the City purchase this sewer.

The following claims were ordered approved by a unanimous Aye vote of the Board.

Claim.

Street a/c

7552 - \$45.00	7554 - \$4.86	7572 - 22.00	7580. 5.00
7545 - 14.00	7555 - 3.50	7578 - 5.55	7581. 0.12
7553 - 5.00	7556 - 20.64	7579 - 6.50	7587. 3.00

Police a/c

7564 - \$15.00

General a/c

7571 - 5.46 7578 - \$5.50

Claims.Public Building a/c

7566 - \$10.00

Office a/c

7560 - \$13.50

7582 - \$4.50

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

J. H. Dixon,

Secretary:-

H. J. Davis. President:-

Thursday 9. A.M.San Diego, Cal., March 15<sup>th</sup> 1900Regular Meeting:-

present: The meeting was called in regular form there being Commissioners Cassidy, Whitson <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Mинutes

The unread minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Common Council: The following Ordinance #721, was received from the

"Ordinance #721"

Advertise printing Ordinances An ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids and let a contract for printing the ordinances of the said city of San Diego, and bringing the same in book form.

The secretary was instructed to advertise for bids in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance #721, as soon as the copy is received from the City Clerk.

Dept. of Streets It was moved and seconded that the Superintendent of Streets be instructed to move "Dahl" house off of foot of S & L Streets if not moved at the expiration of the 10 days grace given him from last Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1900.

Move Dahl.

Stationery  
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"M" Street

In accordance with advertisements calling for bids for Stationery for the use of the City Government during the year and for the grading of "M" Street (as per plans and specifications) said bids to be delivered at the office of the Board on Thursday at 9 o'clock A.M. the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1900. The following bids were received:-

Bidder.	Stationery. Certf. Check.	Amount List.
M. A. Wertheimer & Co.	\$25.00	
Bidders.	Grading of "M" Street. Certf. Check.	Amount.
Goodbody & Rosner,	\$25.00	\$495.00
J. Engelbret.	\$25.00	\$487.00

2 P.M.

Upon motion the foregoing bids were held over until 2 o'clock P.M.

Recess

There being no further business the Board adjourned till 2 o'clock P.M.

*G. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.*

Present

2 P.M.  
The Board re-assembled in regular form there being present Commissioners Cassidy, Whitsom <sup>and</sup> Davis.

Contract  
for  
Stationery  
to  
Wertheimer & Co.

In the matter of awarding the contract for Stationery for the use of the City Government, Messrs. M. A. Wertheimer & Co., being the only bidder, and as his bid is about the same as last years contract. It was moved and seconded that the contract for furnishing Stationery & Supplies be awarded to them at their bid.

Commissioners Whitsom, Cassidy & Davis, voting Aye.

Contract  
grading  
"M" St.  
J. Engelbret

J. Engelbret being the lowest bidder for furnishing materials & grading "M" Street, was, upon motion being duly seconded awarded the contract for doing said work  
Commissioners Cassidy, Whitsom <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Permit to erect

Nelson Snyder of the Electric Laundry was granted a permit to erect a new 15 horse steam boiler at his place 16<sup>th</sup> & I. Streets.

Commissioners Whitson, Cassidy <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

Retain thepresentCity Stablequarters.

It was moved by Commissioner Whitson and seconded by Commissioner Cassidy that in as much as the Common Council have by their vote expressed their desire of retaining the present quarters occupied by the "City Stables", and that it is the sense of this Board that they be not changed.

Commissioners Whitson, Cassidy <sup>and</sup> Davis, voting Aye.

HealthorSmallpoxResolution.

The following resolution was handed to the Secretary to read: Viz:-

Be It Resolved By The Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California; as follows:

That whereas, there is now a case of smallpox in the City of San Diego, California;

And whereas, It is hereby determined to be necessary by the Board of Public Works, for the preservation of the public health of the said City of San Diego, California, to maintain a pesthouse in the said City of San Diego, and to employ a physician to care for the said case of smallpox and the said pesthouse in order to efficiently maintain the said pesthouse:

And whereas, it is hereby determined to be necessary to cause the person affected with the said disease of smallpox to be removed to said pesthouse and kept there for such period of time as the Board of Health may determine.

And whereas, it is hereby determined to be necessary by the said Board of Public Works to incur certain indebtedness for the purchase of certain goods, wares, and merchandise for the proper care of the said person so affected with the said smallpox.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the said Board of Public Works that the employment of R.J.G. Gregg, M.D. a physician in good standing in the said City of San Diego who has been heretofore selected and employed by the Board of Health of said City be and is hereby ratified and confirmed to render medical services for and attend the said person so affected with the said smallpox, and that his compensation be, and the same is hereby fixed at Ten (\$10.00) Dollars for each and every day in which he is actually and necessarily engaged in rendering medical services for the said person so affected with the said smallpox;

And that there be, by this Board of Public Works, purchased for the use of the Health Department of the said city of San Diego, in caring for the said person so affected with the said smallpox, any and all goods, wares and merchandise which the said Board of Health may deem absolutely necessary in properly caring for the said person so affected by the said smallpox, providing that the same shall not exceed the sum of Five Hundred dollars, and that said Health officer be authorized to incur whatever indebtedness that may be necessary in removing said person to said pesthouse, provided, that the expense thereof does not exceed the sum of Twenty-five dollars.

Auditor's Certificate.

I hereby certify that the appropriation made, or indebtedness incurred, by reason of the provisions of the annexed resolution in expenses for care of smallpox case can be made or incurred without the violation of any of the provisions of the Charter of the City of San Diego, California.

Max R. Dibbs.

Auditor of the City of San Diego,  
California.

Dated March 15<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Upon motion being duly seconded the foregoing resolution was adopted by the following vote.

Commissioners Cassidy, Whitson & Davis, voting Aye.

Adopted  
Adjourned. To further business the Board adjourned till 10 o'clock AM. Tuesday March 20<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon.

Secretary.

H. J. Davis. President.

Sand Diego, Cal. Mar. 20<sup>th</sup> 1900.

Tuesday 10 AM

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present  
Present Commissioners Whitson, Cassidy and Davis.

In accordance with an advertisement calling for bids  
 to be delivered up till 10 o'clock AM, Tuesday, March 20<sup>th</sup> 1900, for the  
Electric light lighting with electric light the City of San Diego, California for the period  
 of one year beginning April 1<sup>st</sup> 1900, the following bid was received:

<u>Bids</u>	<u>Bid.</u>	<u>Letter Check.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>
	San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co.	\$2000.- "noon schedule."	\$1449.50 per. mo.

In accordance with the provisions of the ordinance directing  
 the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and refer said bids to  
 the Common Council, the Secretary was directed to transmit said  
 San Diego Gas and Electric Light Co., bid to the Common Council this day, said

Commissioner Cassidy and Supt. of Streets Osburn did on the  
 17<sup>th</sup> day of March inspect the work done by Alex Bell, "re-planking the Old  
 Town Bridge", and find that said Alex Bell has completed said work  
 to their entire satisfaction, therefore upon motion being duly  
 seconded, the work of re-planking the Old Town Bridge was accepted  
 and the claim therefore in the sum of \$142<sup>50</sup>, the contract price,  
 was ordered approved.

Commissioners, Cassidy, Whitson and Davis, voting Aye.

The following Ordinance was received from the  
 Common Council: Viz:-

"Ordinance #726.

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of  
 Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for  
 bids and let a contract for the sale of the street sweepings of the  
 paved streets of the City of San Diego, California, for a period of  
 one year."

In accordance therewith the Secretary was  
 directed to advertise for sale the street sweepings of said city.

Recommend  
that expend  
\$50<sup>c</sup> for  
Flush Tank -  
Paint Old Town  
Bridge Cost

The Secretary was instructed to recommend to the Common Council that they authorize the expenditure of \$50.- in repairing the flush tank at 14<sup>th</sup> & D Streets: also to repair the City's Gasoline Engine at an expense not to exceed \$75<sup>c</sup>: also that the estimate for the painting of the Old Town Bridge be done at an expense not to exceed \$200--: also that an Ordinance be adopted requiring a deposit of not less than \$5<sup>c</sup> from each and every person, company or corporation who opens a trench of any kind in any of the unpaved streets: and also a deposit of \$10<sup>c</sup> be required from the owner of each house for the moving of which a permit is granted conditioned that all damages to street, gutters, sidewalks etc, be repaired.

Health  
Department  
request  
Board to  
furnish  
Supplies.

The following Resolution was received from the Board of Health of the City of San Diego, and the same was ordered placed on file.

"Be It Resolved by the Board of Health of the City of San Diego California that the Board of Public Works of said City be and said Board of Public Works is hereby requested, authorized and directed to purchase and furnish for said Board of Health, provisions, merchandise and goods, not to exceed in amount the sum of Sixty dollars, for the use of the persons now in quarantine at the Southwest corner of India and D Streets in said City, from time to time as needed, the same to be delivered to the Health Office in this City for said purpose."

Gentlemen:-  
The following communication was received from  
the City Clerk: Viz:-

To the Honorable Board of Public Works,  
San Diego, California,

"San Diego, Calif. March 17<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

Recommendation  
from Street  
Committee

The Joint Street Committee desires that your Honorable Board should transmit to said Committee at your earliest opportunity an estimate of the cost of painting the Old Town bridge; and also that you direct the City Engineer to report to said Committee as to whether the proposed change of grade at the Southeast corner of Third and Nutmeg streets is a proper one to make. The Committee also desires that the City Engineer formulate a plan for numbering houses on University Heights and report the same to the Common Council at his earliest convenience.

The papers in said matters are herewith enclosed.

which papers are to be returned to the City Clerks office.

Respectfully,

Geo. D. Goldman, City Clerk.

By H. W. Vincent, Deputy."

Said communication was ordered on file and the matters pertaining to the Engineers Department were referred to the City Engineer.

No further business the Board adjourned till Mar 21-1900.  
Wednesday 9 o'clock A.M.

Adjourned

Wednesday 9 o'clock A.M.

Attest:-  
A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. F. Davis, President.

San Diego, California Mar. 21<sup>st</sup> 1900.

Wednesday 9 A.M.

Adjourned Meeting:-

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners Whitson, Cassidy and Davis.

Engelbrecht

"W" St.

Contract

executed

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Bonds

approved

In the matter of the contract between J. Engelbrecht vs the City of San Diego, for the grading of "W" Street in the City of San Diego as per plans & specifications therefore on file in the office of this Board. Said contract being for \$487.- It was moved and duly seconded the same be executed; and the bond therefore in the sum of \$1000.- with S. A. Garretson and Geo. W. Haggard as sureties be approved, and also the material mens bond in the sum of \$300.- same sureties, be approved. Commissioners Cassidy, Whitson and Davis voting Aye.

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:-

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. F. Davis, President

San Diego, Cal., Mar. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1900.

Thursday 9. A.M.

Regular Meeting:

The meeting was called in regular form there being present Commissioners, Whitson, Cassidy and Davis.

Reading Minutes  
The reading of the unread minutes of the previous meetings was dispensed with.

The following joint resolutions were received from the Common Council. Viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 1229.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That permission be and it is hereby given to the Hawley Hardware Company to remove that certain two-story frame building now situated on lot "C" in block 88 of Horton's Addition to the city of San Diego, California, to lot "D" in block 68, of the same addition, provided, that the same shall not remain upon said lot "D" in said block 68 for a period of more than one (1) year.

Clerks Certificate Attached.

The Secretary was directed to comply with the provisions of said ordinance. Joint Resolution.

Joint Resolution No. 1230.

Be It Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, is hereby authorized and directed to expend not to exceed the sum of Fifty (\$50.00) dollars in the repair to the flush tank located at 14<sup>th</sup> and "A" Streets in the said city of San Diego, California.

Clerks and Auditor's Certificate Attached.

"Ordinance No. 727, authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to pay certain bills contracted by the Park Department and Street Department of the said City", was received from the Common Council and the claims referred to therein were ordered approved.

Repair the  
Gasoline Eng.

"Ordinance No. 728, directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego to repair or cause to be repaired an engine and pump owned by the City of San Diego, and properly house the same, and appropriating money therefor."

The Secretary was directed to advertise for bids in accordance with the provisions of said ordinance.

Cut Trees  
in City Park.

H. S. Hammock Esq. cut out the dead trees in the City Park, for the wood contained in said trees, clear up and burn all brush therefrom. all of said work to be done under the supervision of the said Supt. of Parks and to his entire satisfaction.

Locate a  
Slush Tank.

The City Engineer was instructed to locate for the Sewer Department a Slush Tank near the Russ School House.

Adjourned

No further business the Board adjourned.

Attest:

A. H. Dixon,  
Secretary.

J. F. Davis, President.

The end.