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Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, January 25th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held
this day at 7:30 P.M., President Morgan presiding.

Present-Delegates Frewert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Ahnsted,
Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Williamson, James,
Keasidy, Morgan and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Perrin and Johnson.

An Ordinance providing for the appointment of three Special
Policemen to serve until April 1st, 1898, was presented and read, and
on motion of Delegate Lambert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Ahnsted,
Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Williamson, James,
Keasidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Perrin and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 489.

An Ordinance providing for the appointment of three Special
Policemen for the Police Department of the City of San Diego, California,
and fixing their compensation.

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

Section 1. That the Board of Police Commissioners of the City of
San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered
and directed to appoint three (3) special policemen who shall be under
the supervision and control of the Chief of Police of the said City of
San Diego, for the remainder of the month of January, 1898, subsequent
to the time when this ordinance goes into effect and for the months
of February and March, 1898.

Sec. 2. That the monthly salary of said three (3) special police-
men is hereby fixed as follows, viz: seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per
month each until April 1st, 1898, after which time said special
policemen shall receive no compensation from the said City of San
Diego.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force
from and after its passage and approval.

Sec. 4. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he
is hereby directed, immediately after the passage and approval of this

ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance to prevent horses and mules from running away was presented and read and on motion of delegate Cassidy was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—delegates Frewert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Chusted, Lambert, Woddrige, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes—None

Absent delegates Barnes, Perrin and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No.

An Ordinance to prevent horses and mules from running away in the public streets in the city of San Diego, California.

Be it Ordained, By the Common Council of the city of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That no person shall leave, or allow any horse or horses, mule or mules to be or remain standing upon any of the public streets, alleys, or public places in the city of San Diego, California, without being in some way secured either by hitching or being under the personal control of some person of suitable age; provided, that any of such animals shall be deemed hitched within the meaning of this ordinance if fastened to a weight weighing not less than fifteen pounds, placed upon the ground, and provided further, that all of such animals, drawing wagons, carts, drays, or other vehicles, shall be deemed hitched if pulled back so as to slacken the traces and securely fastened in such position by the lines.

Sec. 2. That every person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding fifty dollars or by imprisonment in the city jail of said city for not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The city clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter of the recommendation of the Board of Public Works that the sewer in 22nd street between E and W streets be lowered was read and adopted, viz:

The Sewer Committee recommend that the within request of the Board of Public Works to lower the main sewer on 22nd st. bet. E & W

be granted.

A. Beard,
A. E. Dodson,
W. L. Frevert,
J. M. Williamson

1/21/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to lower the main sewer on 22^d street between "C" and "D" streets was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James,
Leassidy and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Perrin and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 955.

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 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.

The following report of the Health and Morals Committee in the matter of an Ordinance to prohibit the keeping of more than one cow on one lot in the thickly settled part of the City was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted, viz:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend that the within proposition to prevent the keeping of more than one cow on one lot be laid on the table.

A. Beard,
A. E. Dodson,
J. M. Williamson,
W. J. Morgan

1/21/98.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of the request of the Tax Collector for additional deputies was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted, viz:

The Joint Finance Committee recommend that the request of the Tax Collector be granted, and the City Attorney instructed to prepare the necessary papers to carry this recommendation into effect.

Geo. B. Watson

Jan. 25th, 1898.

H. Sweeney,
A. P. Johnson, Jr.,
M. J. Perrin,
A. A. James.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of procuring bonds was read and on motion of Delegate Almsted adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 25th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:—

The Joint Finance Committee, to whom was referred the matter of preparing the necessary ordinance to provide for the procuring of the proposed refunding bonds, herewith recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to prepare an Ordinance directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for printing the bonds.

Respectfully,

Geo. B. Watson,
H. Sweeney,
A. P. Johnson, Jr.,
M. J. Perrin.

The following report of the Special Committee appointed to investigate the purported delay in publication of the Ordinance providing for the issuance and sale of refunding bonds was read and on motion of Delegate Almsted adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Jan'y 21st, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

The Special Committee appointed under the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 941, to investigate the cause of purported delay in publication of the Ordinance providing for the issuance and sale of refunding bonds, herewith report:

That upon investigation we have satisfied ourselves that the publication was made in due order of business, and there was no intentional delay on the part of any person.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney,
A. E. Watson,
A. Beard,
W. L. Frevert.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that the sewer now being constructed on Walnut avenue and ending at the south end of the alley in block 1, Loma Grande addition, be extended in said alley a distance of 483 feet was read, and on motion of delegate Truett the recommendation was adopted.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to extend the sewer system was read and on motion of delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Truett, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alusted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Perrin and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 490.

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.

Whereas, the Board of Public Works of said City has recommended to this Common Council that the line of sewer, now being constructed on Walnut avenue in said City, be extended 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 to said City, will be extended and constructed northerly in and through said alley for a distance of four hundred and eighty-three (483) feet; and

Whereas, the estimated cost of such sewer extension is \$24,188.

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

Section 1. That the said Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to extend the sewer system of said City by constructing a sewer from a connection with the west end of the line of sewer, now being constructed on Walnut avenue in said City, northerly through the alley in block one (1) of Loma Grande addition, a distance of four hundred and eighty-three (483) feet.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A Joint Resolution selecting a street to Mount Hope Cemetery being recommended by the Joint Street Committee was on motion of delegate Alusted adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Truett, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alusted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

News - None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Perrin and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 954.

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

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 Chollas Valley, to the southwest corner of said Mount Hope Cemetery, and that it be made 80 feet wide instead of sixty feet in width, as shown by said survey and plat;

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.

At this time Delegate Perrin enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A petition from property owners on "A" street between Seventh and Tenth streets, asking to have that portion of "A" street graded, was presented; and on motion of Delegate Alvested the petition was granted and the City Attorney instructed prepare the necessary papers to carry this action into effect and present the same to the Street Committee for action.

A petition of citizens for a low arm electric light at Julian avenue and Twenty-fifth street was presented and on motion of Delegate Perrin referred to the Joint Electric Light Committee.

The petition of D. M. Hirschler for an Auctioneer's license was on motion of Delegate Perrin referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners asking for an Engine House for the new Chemical Engine to be located on Florence Heights was on motion of Delegate Alvested referred to the Joint Fire Committee.

A communication from the Merchants and Manufacturers association asking the Council to investigate the advisability of licensing certain trades, etc., was referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

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The protest and objections of property owners to the proposed sidewalk and curbing of D street from Thirteenth street to Twenty fourth street was presented and on motion of Delegate Perrin was set for hearing on the 7th day of February, 1898, at 8 P.M., and the clerk was instructed to notify the protestants as required by law.

A communication from the City Scavenger Company offering to erect a crematory for the disposal of garbage was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to build a wagon road 20 feet wide on 32d street from Main street to the Brewery was presented and on motion of Delegate Alvested referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution requesting the San Diego Gas and Electric Company to take two lights from the mast at the corner of 28th street and National avenue and place one at the corner of 26th street and National avenue and one at the corner of 26th street and Logan avenue was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson referred to the Joint Electric Committee.

The proposition of A. Swart to build a scow of about 10 tons capacity for the disposal of garbage for the sum of \$2200.00 was read and referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

The monthly statement by the Board of Public Works of the expenditures of the various departments of the City Government for the month of December, 1897, was presented and ordered filed.

At this time the Board takes a recess for ten minutes.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested,
Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Absent Delegates Barnes and Johnson.

The following report of the Special Committee in the matter of the disposal of garbage was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 25th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

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City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:-

The Special Committee appointed to investigate the matter of the disposal of garbage, herewith report as follows:

We recommend that the place at Old Town where the City Scavenger Company is at present dumping City garbage be declared a nuisance.

That the City Scavenger Company be notified that hereafter they will be required to dump garbage at a point where the Government dyke ends, on the northwest side of the dyke.

In order to get at the expense of the disposal of garbage by scow, before determining which is the most economical method of disposing of garbage—scow or crematory—we recommend that the City Engineer be instructed 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), to be propelled by a latest improved California Gasoline Marine engine; the boat to be a wooden one, with steel lined pockets. That he also ascertain the cost of a suitable wharf from which to dump garbage and sail the scow.

We also recommend that the City Engineer be allowed additional assistance, in order that this work be done at once.

Respectfully,

Geo. B. Watson,

A. E. Nutt,

H. Sweeney,

W. H. Doddridge,

J. W. Barnes.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution requiring the City Scavenger Company to dump their garbage at the end of the Government dyke was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frewert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almusted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

No—delegate Perrin.

Absent—Delegates Barnes and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 953.

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

That the City Scavenger Company shall hereafter dump all garbage on the northwest side of the Government dyke at Old Town and near the westerly end of said dyke.

A Joint Resolution instructing the City Engineer to prepare plans

and specifications for the construction of a garbage was read and on motion of Delegate Woddridge adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Almeted,
Lambert, Woddridge, Williamson, Cassidy and
Morgan.

Noes-Delegates Perrin, Landis and James.

Absent Delegates Barnes and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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.

At this time Delegate Alden is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

An ordinance to exclude from certain limits of the City all bawdy houses, houses of ill-fame and prostitution, having been recommended by the Health and Morals Committee, was referred back to said Committee for further revision.

The petition of James White to lease Pueblo Lot 1329 for a period of ten years was presented and read and on motion the same was denied.

Upon motion of Delegate Perrin and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

Thereupon after giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session sign an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Police Commissioners to appoint three Special Policemen; also an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to extend the Sewer System by constructing a sewer in the alley in block 1, Loma Grande addition.

An Ordinance directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for lithographing and furnishing to the City 280 bonds for the proposed

issue of \$260,000.00 4 1/2 % refunding bonds of the City was presented
and action thereon postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

Attest: *A. Morgan*
Mr. D. Saldeman President of the Board of Delegates.
City Clerk.

Special Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, January 29th, 1898.

Pursuant to the following call of the Mayor, viz:

Mayor's Office, City of San Diego, California.

January 28th, 1898.

To the Members of the Common Council of the
City of San Diego, California.

Gentlemen:—

I, D. L. Reed, Mayor of the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, good cause appearing to me therefor, do hereby call a special session of your Honorable Body, for the 29th day of January, 1898, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P.M. thereof, at your usual and accustomed place of meeting, in your chambers in that building known as the City Hall, situated on the southwest corner of Dth and Third streets, in the said City of San Diego.

The purpose for which said special session is called is to consider and act upon an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor of said City to execute and the clerk to attest a contract between the City of San Diego and the Lamprecht Brothers, for the sale and purchase of \$260,000.00 municipal refunding bonds, and to consider and act upon an Ordinance authorizing and directing the clerk of said City to advertise for bids for lithographing said bonds, or to take any other or further action in regard to the sale, execution, or issuance of said bonds that may be deemed advisable.

And you are hereby notified that your presence is desired at said special session at the time and place above mentioned.

Geo. V. Goldman, City Clerk of the City of San Diego, California, and ex officio clerk of the Common Council of the said City of San Diego, is hereby directed and instructed to serve, or cause to be served, notices in writing of this call upon each and every member of the said Common Council, said notice to contain a statement of the time, place and object of the said special session.

D. L. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego, California.

A meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M. President Morgan presiding.

Present—Delegates Brewster, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy, A. Morgan and Clerk Goldman.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan and Perrin.

The following Message from the Mayor was read and ordered filed.
 Mayor's Office, City of San Diego, California,
 January 29th, 1898.

To the Honorable Common Council of the
 City of San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:—

Having, on the 28th day of January, 1898, issued a call for and called a special session of your Honorable Body, for the 29th day of January, 1898, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P.M. thereof, at the usual and accustomed place of meeting of your Honorable Body, in your chambers in that building known as the City Hall, situated on the southwest corner of D and Third streets in said City of San Diego, I now desire to and do hereby notify you, being now assembled pursuant to said call, of the object for which you have been convened, which is as follows:

For the purpose of considering and acting upon an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor of said City to execute and the clerk to attest a contract between the City of San Diego and the Lamprecht Brothers, for the sale and purchase of \$260,000.00 municipal refunding bonds, and for considering and acting upon an Ordinance authorizing and directing the City clerk of said City to advertise for bids for lithographing said bonds, or for taking any other, or further action in regard to the sale, execution, or issuance of said bonds that may be deemed advisable.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego, County
 of San Diego, State of California.

An Ordinance directing the Mayor to execute an agreement with the Lamprecht Brothers company for the sale of \$260,000.00 refunding bonds, and directing the City clerk to advertise for bids for lithographing and furnishing to the City 200 blank bonds for the proposed issue, was presented and read.

On motion of Delegate Almsted certain blanks in Section 2 of said Ordinance were filled as follows:

One directing said advertisement to be published for five days; and one directing the bids to be returned before 7:30 P.M. of the 7th day of February, 1898.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Johnson said Ordinance was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan and Perrin.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 491.

An Ordinance directing the Mayor of the City of San Diego, California, to execute an agreement for and on behalf of said City, with the Lamprecht Brothers Company, for the sale to said Company, of \$260,000.00 refunding bonds of said City, and directing the clerk of said City to advertise for bids for lithographing and furnishing to said City 280 blank bonds for the proposed issue of said \$260,000.00 refunding bonds.

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

Section 1. That the Mayor of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed, in the name of, for and on behalf of, and as the act and deed of the said City of San Diego, to execute an agreement with the Lamprecht Brothers Company (a corporation whose principal place of business is in the City of Cleveland, State of Ohio) for the sale by said City, to said Lamprecht Brothers Company, of \$260,000.00 refunding Bonds, the issuance of which Bonds has been provided for by Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of said City, approved December 21st, 1897, and which agreement has already been signed by the said Lamprecht Brothers Company and is now in the possession of the City Clerk of said City and is endorsed "Contract between the City of San Diego, California, and the Lamprecht Brothers Company, for the sale and purchase of the sum of \$260,000.00 in Municipal Refunding Bonds;" and the City Clerk of said City is hereby authorized and directed to attest the execution of said agreement by fixing thereto his signature and the corporate seal of the said City of San Diego.

Sec. 2. That the City Clerk of said City is hereby instructed to advertise for bids in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diegoan Sun, for lithographing, furnishing, and delivering to said City 280 blank bonds, with coupons attached, 240 of which bonds shall be for the sum of \$1,000.00 each and 40 thereof for the sum of \$500.00 each, for use by said City in issuing the \$260,000.00 Refunding Bonds, the issuance of which has been provided by Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved December 21st, 1897, which advertisement for bids shall be published for five days in said newspaper; said advertisement shall state that each bid must be accompanied by a check payable to the order of the Mayor of said City and certified by a responsible bank for at least 20% of the amount of the bid; and said advertisement shall fix the time when such bids will be received, which time shall be up to the hour of 7:30 o'clock P.M. on the 7th day of February, 1898, and shall also state that the said Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids that may be made in response to said advertisement.

Sec. 3. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the execution of the contract, in pursuance of Section 1 of this ordinance and the approval of the bond of the said Lamprecht Brothers Company, by the Mayor of said City, to return the check of \$2,500.00 which accompanied the bid of the said Lamprecht Brothers Company, for the purchase of said bonds.

Sec. 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

At this time the Board takes a recess for five minutes.

Upon reassembling there were

Present-Delegates Frevert, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorpe and Perrin.

After giving due notice, President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Mayor to execute an agreement with the Lamprecht Brothers Company for the sale of \$260,000.00 refunding bonds, and directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for lithographing and furnishing to the City 200 blank bonds for the proposed issue.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

A. Morgan.

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, February 7th, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30
P. M., President Morgan presiding.

Present-Delegates Freest, Barnes, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert,
Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James,
Cassidy, A. Morgan and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden and Johnson.

The minutes of Adjourned Meetings held January 17th and 20th,
1898, and of Special Meeting held January 29th, 1898, were read
and approved.

At this time delegate Alden enters and takes his seat in
the Board.

This being the time and place fixed for hearing the objections
to the construction of sidewalks and curbs, on Fifth street between
Ash street and Walnut avenue, proposed to be constructed in
pursuance of Resolution of Intention No. 584, adopted by this
Common Council on the 22nd day of November, 1897, the same
is now taken up, and after hearing all the objections urged to
said work and improvement, on motion of delegate Perrin the said
objections are overruled and denied.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution denying and overruling such
objections was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Freest, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Perrin,
Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and
A. Morgan.

Noes-Delegates Lambert and Doddridge.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 962.

In the Matter of Hearing the objections made by the owners of lots,
lands, and real estate fronting upon Fifth street in the City of San
Diego, between Ash street and Walnut avenue, to the sidewalking and
curbing of said Fifth street, between said points.

Whereas, the Common Council of the City of San Diego heretofore,
on the 22nd day of November, 1897, adopted a Resolution of Intention No.
584, to sidewalk and curb Fifth street in said City, between Ash street

and Walnut avenue, which Resolution was approved by the Mayor of said city, on the 13th day of December, 1897;

And Whereas, certain owners of lots, lands, and real estate adjoining, fronting, and abutting upon said Fifth street, between said points, liable to be assessed for the expense of said work, as aforesaid, have made objections in writing, to such sidewalking and curbing, which objections were filed with the city clerk of said city, on the 4th day of January, 1898, and this being the time and place fixed for the hearing of such objections,

Therefore, Be it Resolved, By the common council of the city of San Diego, as follows:

That this is the time and place fixed for the hearing of the objections made by owners of lots, lands, and real estate fronting, adjoining, and abutting upon said Fifth street, between Ash street and Walnut avenue, liable to be assessed for the expense of said work, to the sidewalking and curbing of said Fifth street, between Ash street and Walnut avenue, which sidewalk and curb it is proposed to construct in pursuance of said Resolution of Intention No. 584, adopted by the common council of said city, on the 22nd day of November, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said city on the 13th day of December, 1897;

That it appears to the common council that the city clerk of said city has duly notified all persons making such objections to the construction of such sidewalks and curbs, of the time and place when such objections would be heard by the common council of said city, by depositing a notice thereof, in the postoffice of said city of San Diego postage prepaid, addressed to each objector, or his agent when he appears for such objector;

That the said common council after hearing all the objections urged to the construction of said sidewalks and curbs and duly considered the same, hereby overrules and denies such objections, and each and all of such objections be and the same are hereby overruled and denied.

This being the time and place fixed for hearing the objections to the construction of sidewalks and curbs, on ~~13th~~ street between Thirteenth and Twenty-fourth streets, proposed to be constructed in pursuance of Resolution of Intention No. 585, adopted by this common council on the 20th day of December, 1897, the same is now taken up, and after hearing all the objections urged to said work and improvements, on motion of delegate Perrin the said objections are overruled and denied.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution denying and overruling such objections was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewest, Barnes, Aldin, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Noes-None

Absent-Delegates Frary and H. J. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 961.

In the Matter of hearing the objections made by the owners of lots and lands adjoining and abutting upon 5th street in the city of San Diego, between the east line of Thirteenth street and the west line of Twenty-fourth street, to the sidewalking and curbing of said 5th street, between said points.

Whereas, the Common Council of the city of San Diego heretofore, on the 20th day of December, 1897, adopted a Resolution of Intention No. 585, to sidewalk and curb 5th street in said city, between the east line of Thirteenth street and the west line of Twenty-fourth street, which Resolution was approved by the Mayor of said city, on the 31st day of December, 1897;

And Whereas, certain owners of lots and lands adjoining, fronting, and abutting upon said 5th street, between said points, liable to be assessed for the expense of said work, as aforesaid, have made objections in writing, to such sidewalking and curbing, which objections were filed with the city clerk of said city, on the 25th day of January, 1898, and this being the time and place fixed for the hearing of such objections,

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

That this is the time and place fixed for the hearing of the objections made by owners of lots and lands fronting, adjoining, and abutting upon said 5th street, between the east line of Thirteenth street and the west line of Twenty-fourth street, liable to be assessed for the expense of said work, to the sidewalking and curbing of said 5th street between the east line of Thirteenth street and the west line of Twenty-fourth street, which sidewalk and curb it is proposed to construct in pursuance of said Resolution of Intention No. 585, adopted by the Common Council of said city, on the 20th day of December, 1897, and approved by the Mayor of said city on the 31st day of December, 1897;

That it appears to this Common Council that the city clerk of said city has duly notified all persons making such objections to the construction of such sidewalks curbs, of the time and place when such objections would be heard by the Common Council of said city, by depositing a notice thereof, in the postoffice of said city of San

diego, postage prepaid, addressed to each objector, or his agent when he appears for such objector;

That the said Common Council, after hearing all the objections urged to the construction of said sidewalks and curbs and duly considered the same, hereby overruled and denies such objections, and each and all of such objections be and the same are hereby overruled and denied.

On motion of Delegate Perrin further action on the matter of sidewalking and curbing D street from Thirteenth to Twenty-fourth street was postponed until the first Monday in May, 1878.

After giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to purchase of J. S. Johnston 252 feet of stone sewer pipe, six inches in diameter, now laid in Walnut avenue.

Upon motion of Delegate Perrin, Clerk Goldman was directed to inform the Board of Aldermen that this Board is now ready to go into Committee of the Whole to meet with said Board of Aldermen in Joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing and considering the Annual Message of the Mayor.

Clerk Goldman retires and upon his return informs the Board of Aldermen are ready to meet with this Board for the purpose above mentioned.

Thereupon the Board goes into Committee of the Whole to meet with the Board of Aldermen in Joint Committee of the Whole.

Upon reassembling there were

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan,

Absent-Delegates Frary and W. J. Morgan.

On motion of Delegate Almsted the following report of the Joint Committee of the Whole in the matter of the Annual Message of the Mayor was adopted:

The Joint Committee of the Whole recommend that the Annual Message of the Mayor, ^{and the reports of the various departments} be referred to a Special Committee consisting of the President and two members of each Board, except that pages 8 and 9 of the report of the City Attorney be referred to the Joint Water Committee.

Thereupon President Morgan appoints Delegates Almsted and

Frevert to act with himself as members of such Special Committee from this Board.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting a communication from Alderman Sweeney complaining of the Board of Public Works and City Engineer in the matter of procuring plans and specifications for the garbage scow was read and ^{filed; and the communication} referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting a communication from Dr. P. C. Remondino, President of the Board of Health, in the matter of the disposal of garbage was read and ^{filed; and the communication} referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting the request of the Board of Public Works for additional assistance for the City Engineer, and recommending that the same be granted, was read and filed; and said request was granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance granting four additional assistants to the City Engineer for thirty days was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alusted, Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamsons, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary and W. J. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 493.

An Ordinance granting to the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, four additional assistants, for a period of thirty days, and fixing their compensation.

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

Section 1. That the City Engineer of said City be and he is hereby granted and allowed four additional assistants, one of which shall be an engineer and the other three, helpers, for a period of thirty days, to assist him in preparing plans and specifications and estimate of cost for a complete sewer system for that portion of said City south of "N" street and west of Chollas Valley, as directed by Joint Resolution No. 949, heretofore adopted by this Common Council.

Sec. 2. That the compensation of such assistants shall be as follows:

The Engineer shall receive \$100.00 per month; and two of the said

helpers \$65⁰⁰ per month each; and the other such helper \$50⁰⁰ per month; provided, that the entire aggregate compensation to be paid all of such assistants shall not exceed \$280⁰⁰.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

At this time delegate Williamson is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A Message from the Mayor appointing Joseph A. Flint as a Member of the Board of Police Commissioners, vice B. F. Mackey, resigned, was read and said appointment confirmed by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alinsted, Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

The clerk announces that in response to an advertisement therefor he had received bids from the following named persons for lithographing and furnishing to the city 200 bonds for the refunding of \$260,000⁰⁰ of the outstanding bonds of the city:

The bid of Britton & ^{of San Francisco} Key, offering to furnish said bonds for the sum of \$200⁰⁰.

Said bid was accompanied by a certified check for \$40⁰⁰.

The bid of M. A. Wertheimer & Co. for Dickman Jones Co. of San Francisco offering to furnish said bonds for the sum of \$205⁰⁰.

Said bid was accompanied by \$45⁰⁰ in cash.

The bid of the Los Angeles Lithographic Co. of Los Angeles offering to furnish said bonds as provided in said advertisement for the sum of \$197⁰⁰; and if the bonds and coupons are lithographed on one sheet, for the sum of \$187⁰⁰.

Said bid was accompanied by a certified check for \$40⁰⁰.

The bid of the H. S. Crocker Company of San Francisco offering to furnish said bonds for the sum of \$150⁰⁰.

Said bid was accompanied by a certified check for \$30⁰⁰.

On motion of delegate Alden the bid of H. S. Crocker Company of San Francisco was accepted.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the Resolution of Intention to sidewalk and curb Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue and of the publication and posting of the notice

of the passage of said Resolution of Intention, being presented, were ordered filed.

Upon motion of Delegate Olmsted action on the Resolution Ordering the Work of sidewalking and curbing Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue was postponed until the Regular Meeting in April, 1898.

Upon motion of Delegate Olmsted the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

The following report of the Joint Fire Committee in the matter of location of a Fire Engine House for the Chemical Engine to be located on Florence Heights was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 4th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:

The Joint Fire Committee, to whom was referred the communication of the Board of Fire Commissioners asking the Common Council to provide grounds and an Engine House for the Chemical Engine soon to be delivered to the City, herewith report as follows:

We recommend that the Board of Public Works be instructed to have the barn now on the Howard Park Tract moved on to a tract of land in the City Park to be set apart for the use of the Fire Department, which last mentioned tract shall be six acres (more or less), the westerly boundary of which shall be the easterly boundary line of the Park Boulevard running northerly from Eighth street, and which tract shall be directly east of the intersection of Nutmeg street with the City Park.

We further recommend that the Board of Public Works be instructed to have said barn fitted up for use as an Engine House, to be so placed that it will face west and be directly in Nutmeg street, were said street extended easterly.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Ordinance.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney,

L. A. Blochman,

H. M. Landis,

F. P. Frary,

W. L. Frevert.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works 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 adopted by the following vote, to-wit:
Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert,
 Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James, Cassidy
 and A. Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. _____

An Ordinance 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.

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 and directed to remove the barn, now on that portion of the City Park known as the "Howard Tract", to another tract of land in the City Park, the westerly boundary of which shall be the easterly line of the Park Boulevard running northerly from Eighth street, and to contain about six acres of land, and which tract shall be directly east of the intersection of Mutney street with the west line of the City Park; and the said Board is further authorized and instructed, after the removal of said barn, as above directed, to fit the same up for use as an engine house for the chemical fire engine recently purchased by the City, and so place the same that it will face west and be directly in Mutney street extended easterly through the City Park.

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

The annual statement of the gross earnings, gross cash receipts, gross expenses and construction expenditures of the San Diego Water Company for the year ending December 31st, 1897, together with the annual statement of the amounts paid by each water rate payer for the year ending December 31st, 1897, were presented and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Joint Water Committee to investigate as to what water rates should be fixed and to report an Ordinance establishing water rates for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, and ending June 30th, 1899, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert,
 Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James, Cassidy and

A. Morgan.

Noes-None,

Absent-Delegates Frary, N. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 763.

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

That the statement of the San Diego Water Company, delivered to the City Clerk of said City, on the 31st day of January, 1898, which purports to show the name of each water rate payer and the amount paid for water by each water rate payer, during the year ending December 31st, 1897, and the revenue derived from all sources by said Company, and the expenditures made by said Company, in supplying water during the said time, be and the same is hereby referred to the Joint Water Committee of this Common Council, for the purpose of investigating what rates should be fixed, and reporting to this Common Council an Ordinance establishing rates to be charged and collected by the said San Diego Water Company for furnishing water to the said City and the inhabitants thereof, from the 1st day of July, 1898, to the 30th day of June, 1899, both days inclusive.

The petition of W. H. Hirschler for an Auctioneer's license for six months was presented and granted.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Lands to confer with the Board of Supervisors in the matter of selling City land to the County for County Farm purposes was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Penin, Landis, Johnson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, N. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 765.

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

That the Joint Committee on Public Lands be and is hereby instructed to confer with the Board of Supervisors upon the question of selling a portion of the City Lands lying north of the river to the County for County Farm purposes.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the Resolution of

Intention to curb and gutter the west side of Front street between Kalmia and Laurel streets, and of the publication and posting of the notice of the passage of said Resolution of Intention, being prevented, were ordered filed.

Thereupon a Resolution Ordering the Work of curbing and guttering the west side of Front street between Kalmia and Laurel streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Elmsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Now None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution Ordering the Work

Of curbing and guttering that portion of the west side of Front street in the City of San Diego, California, between the north line of Kalmia street and the south line of Laurel street.

Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the public interest and convenience of said City require that the street work hereinafter described be done, and therefore the said Common Council hereby orders the following street work to be done in said City, to-wit:

That that portion of the west side of said Front street in said City of San Diego, between the north line of Kalmia street and the south line of Laurel street (except where already curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City, approved August 15th, 1893;

And also that that portion of the west side of said Front street, between the north line of Kalmia street and the south line of Laurel street, be guttered with cobble stones, which gutter shall be six (6) feet wide, and the cobble stones shall be not less than six (6) inches in diameter and shall be set on edge and firmly embedded in sand. The cross sections of the gutter shall be concave, and the bottom shall have the following elevations at the south line of Laurel street, above the datum line established as a basis of street grades in said City, by Ordinance No. 3, approved June 30th, 1886:

At the point of curb line, 203.25 feet.

At a point 3 feet from the curb line, 203.00 feet.

At a point 6 feet from the curb line, 203.50 feet.

The bottom of the gutter, at the north line of Kalmia street, shall have the following elevations, above said datum line:

At the point of curb line, 196.25 feet.

At a point 3 feet from the curb line, 196.00 feet.

At a point 6 feet from the curb line, 196.40 feet.

The grade of the bottom of the gutter, between the south line of Laurel and the north line of Kalmia streets, shall be uniform between the elevations and points above specified.

The outer edge of the gutter shall be turned down into the ground at least one foot and thoroughly tamped in.

The San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution Ordering Work, and the notice of said work inviting sealed proposals for doing the same, shall be published, in the manner and form, and by the persons required by law.

The clerk of this city is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the chamber door of said Common Council, a notice with specifications inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said clerk is hereby directed to publish, for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same, and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

Said clerk is also hereby directed to publish this Resolution Ordering Work, for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract with the City Scavenger Company to dispose of the city garbage for 30 days was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alusted, Lambert, Soddridge, Landis, Johnson, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

No-Delegate. Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 960.

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 enter into a contract with the City Scavenger Co. for the disposal of the city's garbage at a place to be designated by the Board of Health of this city for the period of thirty days and at a cost of \$275.00.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to employ the necessary assistance for the City Engineer to prepare plans for a garbage scow was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Thorp, Doddridge, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.

Noes—Delegates Alden, Almsted, Lambert, Perrin, Landis and Leasidy.

Absent—Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 a garbage scow, wharf, etc.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of ascertaining the cost of re-grading First street was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Feb'y 4th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

The Joint Street Committee herewith recommend that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare and present an estimate of the cost re-grading First street north of D and south of Laurel street, such re-grading to be sufficient to put said First street in proper condition for travel.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney,

A. Beard,

A. E. Nutt,

W. H. Doddridge,

M. J. Perrin.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to present an estimate of the cost of re-grading First street from D to Laurel was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.

No—Delegates Leasidy.

Absent—Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 964.

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 prepare and present to this Council an estimate of the cost of re-grading First street north of D and south of Laurel.

Such re-grading to be sufficient to put said First street in proper condition for travel.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct a wagon road through Pueblo Lots 1266, 1267 and 1291 was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, and A. Morgan.

Now-Delegates James and Cassidy.

Absent-Delegates Triany, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. -

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 said Board to do the same.

Be it Ordained, By the common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the following public work is hereby authorized, by the common Council of said City, to be done under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, to-wit: the construction of a wagon road, through Pueblo Lots 1266, 1267, and 1291 of the Pueblo lands of said City, over the route as shown by the survey and plat 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 Canyon Road through Pueblo Lots 1267, 1266, 1291. Surveyed by Edwin M. Leapps, City Engineer, Dec. 1897."

Sec. 2. That the said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to advertise for bids for the construction of the above named road, and to cause the same to be constructed.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An ordinance authorizing the City Tax Collector to appoint 3 additional deputies was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James, Leassidy and A. Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 496.

An ordinance authorizing the City Tax collector to appoint three additional deputies.

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

Section 1. That the Tax collector of said City be and he is hereby authorized to appoint three deputies to assist in writing up certificates of sale for delinquent taxes of 1897.

Sec. 2. That the compensation of such deputies shall be Two & 5/100 dollars per day, provided that the entire compensation for the deputies, provided for hereunder, shall not exceed one hundred ^{no} 100 dollars.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A Joint Resolution ratifying certain actions of the Board of Public Works in the matter of improving the Plaza, and directing them to make further improvements on the Plaza was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James, Leassidy, and A. Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 958.

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 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.

A communication from Mr. L. M. Penn in the matter of the disposal of garbage was presented and referred to the Special Committee on garbage.

The petition of F. A. Reynolds for permission to display pictures on the streets of the City and to advertise his business of painting, was presented and granted.

At this time the Board takes a recess of five minutes

Upon re-assembling there were

Present Delegates Truett, Barnes, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Persin, Landis, James, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Absent Delegates Frary, M. J. Morgan, Alden, Johnson and Williamson.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, February 14th, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

A. Morgan

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest,

Geo. D. Goldmann

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, February 14th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Morgan presiding.

Present Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almstedt, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, Morgan and Elbert Goldman.

Absent Delegates Frary, James and Cassidy.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

After giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance authorizing the City Tax Collector to appoint three additional temporary deputies; also an Ordinance granting to the City Engineer four additional assistants for the period of thirty days.

At this time delegate James enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting a communication from the Board of Health to the Board of Police Commissioners in the matter of the sanitary condition of the Police quarters, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon said communication was ordered filed.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners on Thirteenth street between H and I streets, asking the City to reimburse them for grading said portion of Thirteenth street, was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Feb'y 4th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

The Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the petition of property owners on 13th street, between H and I streets, herewith recommend that said petition be denied for the reason that said owners failed to comply with the provisions of the Vrooman Act, in that said portion of said street should be graded to the official grade and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney,

A. E. Nutt,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

M. J. Perrin.

A report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the protection of the old palms at Old Town was presented and a motion of Delegate Perrin referred back to said Committee for further investigation.

A report of the Committee on Public Buildings in the matter of the erection of a City Hall, transmitting the offer of J. D. Wood as agent to sell to the City for City Hall purposes that portion of Block 42, Horton's addition, bounded on the north by the Plaza, on the east by Fourth street, on the south by the alley in said block and on the west by Third street, together with the buildings thereon, for the sum of \$75,000.00, was read and the report and offer were ordered filed.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to report as to what right the City has to parks in La Jolla was read and on motion of Delegate Almsted adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 966.

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

That the City Attorney investigate and report to this Common Council, what rights the City has to any Parks or Plazas, as laid out or shown on the map or plat of La Jolla Park addition.

A Joint Resolution, ^{directing the Superintendent of Parks} to water the trees along Park Boulevard and also to water such other trees in the Park as he may deem necessary to preserve them was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare the necessary papers to open Park Boulevard was presented and referred to the Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works estimating the cost of placing street signs in that portion of the city from "A" street on the north to the water front on the south and from Seventh street on the east to Third street on the west, to be \$68.10, was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to sell the doors, windows and old brick that are now stored in the "Howard Tract" of the city Park was presented and the authority granted, provided the material is not needed for the new Engine House to be located on Florence Heights.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of procuring plans and specifications for a garbage scow, and of procuring a wharf from which to sail said scow, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the city Engineer in the matter of procuring plans and specifications for a garbage scow and of procuring a wharf from which to sail said scow, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the city Engineer in the matter of the extension of the More Canyon road was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of January, 1898, showing fines collected to the amount of \$75.00, was ordered filed.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of January, 1898, was ordered filed.

The application of F. W. Brown for permission to sell leather suspenders and belts without paying a license therefor was presented and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

The petition of J. Rutledge for permission to construct a sewer in the alley in block 2, H. M. Higgins' addition, was presented and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

The protest of John F. Sinks to the proposed sidewalking and curbing of First street from "A" to Maple street, was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Petitions of citizens for low arm electric lights at Ninth and "H" streets, and at Thirty-second and "K" streets were presented and referred to the committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

The petition of Pearson & Hundershot for the payment to them of the amount due for lowering the sewer on Twenty-second street was presented and referred to the Joint Finance Committee and City Attorney.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that the salary of Wm. Rumsey, chairman in the City Engineer's office, be increased to \$75⁰⁰ per month, was presented and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a statement of expenses of the various departments of the City for the month of January, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The statement of the Auditor for the month of January, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The application of A. M. McConoughey for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk, redwood curb and cobble stone gutter on Thirteenth street was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The application of Hayes & Green for a retail liquor license was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

The protest of citizens and residents of Old Town against the further dumping of garbage in that vicinity was presented and ordered filed.

The petition of E. P. Brooks for the refund of \$13⁸⁸ paid on account of erroneous assessment was presented and referred to the Finance Committee.

The application of Thos. Nichols for an auctioneer's license for six months was presented and the license granted.

At this time delegate Frary enters and takes his seat in the Board.

An Ordinance directing the Mayor and clerk to sign a contract with H. S. Crocker Company for lithographing blank bonds for the city was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Almusted,
Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James and A. Morgan.

No delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent delegate Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 494.

An Ordinance directing the Mayor of the City of San Diego, California, to execute an agreement in the name of said City, with "H. S. Crocker Company," for lithographing, selling and delivering to said City two hundred and eighty blank bonds, with coupons attached, and directing the clerk of said City to attest the execution of the said agreement.

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

Section 1. That the Mayor of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement, in the name of and for and on behalf of said City, with "H. S. Crocker Company" (a corporation of San Francisco in said State, for the lithographing, furnishing, selling, and delivering to said City, by said "H. S. Crocker Company," two hundred and eighty (280) blank bonds, with coupons attached, to be used by said City in issuing two hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$260,000.00) Refunding Bonds, the issuance of which has been provided for by Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of said City, approved December 21st, 1897; the said agreement to be made in accordance with the bid of the said "H. S. Crocker Company," filed with the City clerk and accepted by the Common Council of said City February 7th, 1898; and the clerk of said City is hereby directed to attest the execution of the said agreement by affixing his signature and the seal of said City thereto.

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

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to grade the approaches to the intersection of "F" and Twenty-second streets on the west side was presented and granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to grade the west side of the intersection of "F" and Twenty-second streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almusted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegate Leassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 495.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to do certain public work therein.

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 of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to grade and cut down the approaches at the west side of the intersection of "F" and Twenty-second streets within said City, at a cost not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00).

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

At this time the Board takes a recess of five minutes.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alnsted, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan.

Absent—Delegates Lambert and Leassidy.

Upon motion and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

After giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to grade the west side of the intersection of "F" and Twenty-second streets; also an Ordinance directing the Mayor and Clerk to sign a contract with "H. S. Crocker Company" for lithographing and furnishing to the City 200 Blank Bonds.

An Ordinance repealing Section 5 of Ordinance No. 411, approved February 4th, 1897, was read and on motion of delegate Alnsted adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alnsted, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Lambert and Leassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 498.

An Ordinance repealing Section 5 of Ordinance No. 411 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, approved February 4th, 1897.

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

Section 1. That Section 5 of Ordinance No. 411 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, entitled, "An Ordinance establishing a City Pound in and for the City of San Diego, California, creating the office of Pound-keeper, fixing his fees, authorizing the appointment of deputies, and providing for the prevention of certain animals running at large within certain prescribed limits of said City of San Diego, and directing the police to take charge of horses and teams found not tied within certain limits of said City," approved on the 4th day of February, 1897, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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

Sec. 3. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

The petition of C. L. Brimhall for authority to construct a small one-story frame barn on the rear of lot 6, block 19, Horton's addition, was presented and on motion of delegate James the authority asked for was granted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Lambert and Cassidy.

On motion of delegate Almsted the Public Buildings Committee was instructed to investigate and report a suitable site for a City Hall, the same to contain not less than one-half a block.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to furnish supplies for the various departments of the City was read and on motion of delegate Almsted adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 497.

An Ordinance 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.

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, shall have charge and superintendence of the furnishing of all material and supplies for every office, board, and department thereof;

That said Board of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized to procure and furnish material and supplies for the various offices, boards, and departments of the said City of San Diego (when required by any such office, board, or department, and if deemed necessary by said Board of Public Works) in a sum not exceeding the following amounts in any one month, to-wit:

For the Mayor's Office, \$5.00 per month;

For the City Clerk's office, \$25.00 per month;

For the Auditor and Assessors' office, \$25.00 per month;

For the Treasurer and Tax Collector's office, \$25.00 per month;

For the Superintendent of Streets department, except for water and street work, or repairs on streets, \$25.00 per month;

For the City Engineer's department, \$25.00 per month;

For the Police department, other than the expense of handling and caring for prisoners, \$25.00 per month;

For the Health department, other than removal and disposal of garbage and dead animals, \$25.00 per month;

For the Sewer department, other than water for flushing sewers, \$25.00 per month;

For the Fire department, other than gas and forage, \$50.00 per month;

For the City Park department, other than water, \$25.00 per month;

For the City Attorney's office, other than stenography or type-writing, \$25.00 per month;

For the department of the Board of Public Works, exclusive of departments or offices heretofore mentioned, \$50.00 per month;

For any office, or board, or department not above specified, \$25.00 per month.

That said Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed and instructed not to purchase or furnish any material or supplies for the use of said City, or any office, board, or department thereof, except to the extent of the amounts and as above stated, without the consent of the Common Council of the said City of San Diego having been

first had and obtained by the passage of a Joint Resolution or ^{an} Ordinance authorizing the same.

Sec. 2. That said Board of Public Works be and it is hereby directed and authorized to immediately advertise for bids and let a contract for one year to the lowest responsible bidder, to furnish fuel to the said city, and to continue so to do each year hereafter;

That said Board of Public Works, at the expiration of the present contract, advertise for bids and let a contract, for one year, to the lowest responsible bidder, to furnish stationery to said city, and hereafter to continue so to do, each year.

Sec. 3. That the Auditing Committee of the said city of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby directed and ordered not to allow any claim for material or supplies furnished to said city, or to any office, board, or department thereof, unless authorized by this ordinance, or by the Common Council of the said city of San Diego; provided, that this ordinance shall not apply to or interfere with any express contract already entered into, or apply to the rent of any building or land for the use of said city, or with any ordinance or resolution heretofore passed and adopted.

Sec. 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Sec. 5. That the city clerk of the said city of San Diego, is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish, or cause to be published, this ordinance once in the city official newspaper of said city of San Diego, to wit: the San Diegoan-Sun.

After giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance repealing Section 5 of Ordinance No. 411, approved February 4th, 1897; also an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to furnish supplies for the various departments of the city.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, February 21st, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

A. Morgan
President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:
Geo. D. Goldman
city clerk.

Adjourned Meetings

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, February 21st, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alnsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

In the absence of President Morgan Delegate Alnsted was elected President pro tem.

The minutes of Regular Meeting February 7th, 1898, were read and approved.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of an Ordinance granting a franchise for a steam railway to U. S. Grant, Jr., et al., was read and adopted, viz:
To the Honorable Common Council,

of the City of San Diego,

We, your Street Committee, hereby recommend the within Ordinance No. ---, granting a railway franchise to U. S. Grant, Jr., et al.

We have made some minor amendments to the Ordinance, as presented January 25th, 1898.

Respectfully submitted:

Henry Sweeney,

A. E. Nutt,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge.

Dated February 14th, 1898.

Thereupon an Ordinance granting a railway franchise to U. S. Grant, Jr., et al., as recommended by the Joint Street Committee, was presented and read, and in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter action thereon was postponed for thirty days.

The Health and Morals Committee having recommended the application of Hayes & Green for a retail liquor license, upon motion of Delegate Williamson the same was granted.

The Joint Finance Committee, to whom was referred the petition of Carson & Hendershot for the payment of a claim for

lowering sewers on Twenty-second street, recommend that said petition be denied.

Delegate Perrin moves that the report be adopted.

Whereupon on motion of delegate James the entire matter is referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

The following Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to revise the City Charter, was read and adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 96.

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

That a Joint Committee, consisting of five, be appointed by the President of the Board of Delegates to act with a like Committee of three, appointed by the President of the Board of Aldermen, for the purpose of revising the City Charter, and preparing the matter of such revision, and presenting the same to the electors of this City at the general election in November of this year.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Treasurer to publish a notice calling in the "Sewer" and "Municipal Refunding" Bonds was read and an motion of delegate Perrin adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes- Delegates Frevert, Barnes, N. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson and James.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 97.

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

That the City Treasurer of said City be and he is hereby directed to publish once a week, for two weeks, in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diego Sun, a Notice to the effect that he is prepared to pay the unpaid portion of those certain outstanding Bonds of said City, known as "Sewer Bonds," issued by said City in the year 1887, under and in conformity with an Ordinance of said City, duly passed by the Board of Trustees on the 14th day of March, 1887, numbered 60 and entitled "An Ordinance providing for creating an indebtedness of four hundred thousand dollars, for the construction of sewers in the City of San Diego, California, and for the issuance of Bonds thereof, and for the levying and collection of taxes for the payment of said Bonds and the interest thereon," approved March 14th, 1887, and that he is prepared to pay the unpaid portion of those certain outstanding Bonds of said City,

issued by the Board of Trustees of said city in the year 1885, under the provisions of Chapter 6, Title 3, Part 4 of the Political Code of the State of California, and in conformity with a Resolution of the Board of Trustees, dated September 18th, 1885, known as "Municipal Refunding Bonds," and that if such bonds are not presented for redemption within thirty days after the first publication of such notice the interest thereon will cease, such Notice shall give the number of each of such bonds.

That said City Treasurer shall also, at the same time of publishing such notice, deposit in the United States Postoffice at the said City of San Diego, a copy of such notice enclosed in a sealed envelope with the postage paid thereon, addressed to the owner, or owners, of such bond, or bonds, at the Postoffice address of such owner, or owners, as shown by the record thereof, kept in the said City Treasurer's office.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the City Assessor to expend \$50.00 for additional assistance was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Albrecht, Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson and James.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 972.

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

That the City Assessor be and he is hereby granted authority to incur an indebtedness, not exceeding fifty dollars in addition to that heretofore granted, for the purpose of enabling him to comply with the provisions of Sec. 3636 of the Political Code, in procuring the names of property owners who have neglected to make a return of their property for assessment purposes for fiscal year 1898.

A Joint Resolution transferring money from various funds of the City to certain other funds was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Albrecht, Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson and James.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 973.

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

That the following transfers of moneys in the several funds of the City Treasury be and the same are hereby made for the purpose of paying the outstanding warrants issued for indebtedness of fiscal year 1897, viz:

From the unapportioned fund to the Street Light fund - - - \$782.79

From the unapportioned fund to the Public Health fund - - - \$ 27.84

From the unapportioned fund to the Salary fund - - - \$130.12

From the Street fund to the Salary fund, - - - \$500.00

From the Public Building fund to the Salary fund - - - \$522.47

From the Sewer & Drainage fund to the Salary fund - - - \$202.66

That the Treasurer and Auditor of the said City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to make whatever entries upon the records of their respective offices as will carry into effect the provisions of this Resolution and such transfers.

The following Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare an Ordinance to prevent fast driving on a portion of "D" street was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 967.

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby instructed to prepare and present to this Common Council an Ordinance or an amendment to one we already have, so as to prohibit any person from riding or driving any horse or team at a rate of speed faster than six miles an hour, on that portion of "D" street, west of the east line of Third street.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners in the matter of a location for an Engine House on Florence Heights and recommending that the same be located in the City Park directly east of Laurel street was read and the request was granted.

An Ordinance heretofore adopted by this Board directing the Board of Public Works to locate an Engine House on a tract in the City Park directly east of Nutmeg street, having been amended by the Board of Aldermen, (in accordance with the recommendation of the Fire Commissioners) to a tract of land in said City Park directly east of Laurel street, on motion of Delegate Williamson said amendment was concurred in by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis,

Williamson and James.

Noes-None

Absent-Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Thereupon said Ordinance as amended was read and on motion of Delegate Perrin adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Truett, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson and James.

Noes-None

Absent-Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 499,

An Ordinance 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.

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 and directed to remove the barn, now on that portion of the City Park known as the "Howard Tract," to another tract of land in the City Park, the westerly boundary of which shall be the easterly line of Sixth street, and to contain about 600 feet by 400 feet of land, and which tract shall be directly east of the intersection of Laurel street with the west line of the City Park, and running south to the north line of Juniper street extended, and east to Park Boulevard; and the said Board is further authorized and instructed, after the removal of said barn, as above directed, to fit the same up for use as an engine house for the chemical fire engine recently purchased by the City, and so place the same that it will face west and be directly in Laurel street were said street extended easterly through the City Park.

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

A Joint Resolution requesting the Joint Finance Committee and City Attorney to investigate the charges that the Southern California Railway Company has made pooling agreements with other transportation companies was read and adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 968.

Whereas the Southern California Railway Company is charged with making certain pooling agreements with other transportation companies in South California, which are especially hostile to the

prosperity and future developement of this city and county;

Now therefore it is hereby Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, that the Joint Finance Committee of this Council and the City Attorney be and they are hereby requested to immediately take such steps as they may deem advisable to investigate said charges and report to this Council.

An Ordinance prohibiting the wearing of large hats in theaters and opera houses was read and delegate Perrin moves that the same be adopted, which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewest, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Doddridge, Perrin and Landis.

Noes-Delegates W. J. Morgan, Olmsted, Lambert, Williamson and James.

Absent Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

At this time delegate Johnson enters and takes his seat in the Board.

The following Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare an Ordinance prohibiting any person or family from keeping more than one cow in certain portions of the City, was read and on motion of delegate Johnson adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. ---

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare and present to this Common Council an Ordinance prohibiting any person or family from keeping more than one cow within that portion of the City of San Diego bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of Upas street with the Bay of San Diego; thence eastward along said Upas street to the City Park; thence south along the west line of the City Park to Date street; thence east to the north-east corner of Learuthers addition to said City; thence south to the south line of the City Park; thence east to Twenty-fifth street; thence in a direct line south to the Bay of San Diego; thence northwesterly along said shore line to the place of beginning.

The petition of Gillmore & Co., as agents for H. B. Ellison, to erect two small one story frame buildings and to remodel one building already erected on lot L, block 35, Horton's addition, was presented and the permission asked for in said petition was denied by the following vote, to-wit, there not being a two-thirds vote in favor of granting said petition:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Landis, Williamson and James.

Noes-Delegates Almsted, Doddridge, Perrin and Johnson.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

President pro tem. Almsted calls Delegate Frevert to the chair and moves to reconsider the vote by which the petition of Billmore & Co., as agents for R. B. Ellison, was denied, which motion was adopted.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Almsted the petition of Billmore & Co., as agents for R. B. Ellison, was granted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson and James.

Noes-Delegates Perrin and Johnson.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

Delegate Almsted now moves that the vote by which the ordinance prohibiting the wearing of large hats in theaters and opera houses was lost, be reconsidered; action on which motion is postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

A Joint Resolution heretofore adopted by this Board providing for the appointment of a committee to revise the City Charter, having been amended by the Board of Aldermen to read "three, be appointed by the President of the Board of Delegates", on motion of Delegate Doddridge said amendment was concurred in.

Thereupon said Joint Resolution as amended was adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 969.

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

That a Joint Committee, consisting of three, be appointed by the President of the Board of Delegates to act with a like Committee of three, appointed by the President of the Board of Aldermen, for the purpose of revising the City Charter, and preparing the matter of such revision, and presenting the same to the electors of this City at the general election in November of this year.

At this time Delegate Johnson is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works construct the new engine house for Florence Heights out of the material in the barn in the "Howard Tract," and directing the City Engineer to make

plans and specifications for said engine house, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frerick, Barnes, N. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Olmsted, Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis,
Williamson and James.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Johnson, Cassidy and A. Morgan.
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending the extension of the sewer system by the construction of a sewer in Brooke's avenue and in the alley in block 8, Brooke's addition, was presented and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of placing a recording water gauge in the office of said Board, was presented and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

President pro tem. Olmsted appoints as a Special Committee in the matter of revising the City Charter, as provided for by Joint Resolution No. 969, delegates Barnes, N. J. Morgan and Woddridge.

Whereupon the Board adjourns until Thursday, February 24th, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

A. Morgan
President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:
Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, February 24th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Elmsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Perrin, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

In the absence of President Morgan Delegate Alden was elected President pro tem.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

On motion of Delegate Elmsted and by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Elmsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson and James.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Perrin, Cassidy and A. Morgan.

The Order of Business was suspended for the balance of this meeting of the Board.

The following report of the Joint Water Committee in the matter of establishing rates to be charged the City and its inhabitants for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, was read and on motion of Delegate Elmsted adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, February 24th, 1898.

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

Gentlemen:—

We, your Joint Water Committee, to whom you referred the matter of investigating and recommending to you the maximum rates that shall be charged or collected by any corporation, company, or person supplying water to the said City and its inhabitants, for the year beginning on the 1st day of July, 1898, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1899, beg leave to report to you as follows:

We find, upon investigation, that, in pursuance of a notice duly given to the San Diego Water Company, by the passage of Ordinance No.

480 of the ordinances of this city, approved December 6th, 1897, requiring each and every corporation, company, or person, supplying water to this city or its inhabitants, to furnish to the common council, in the month of January, 1898, a detailed and verified statement, (showing the name of each water rate payer, his or her place of residence, and the amount paid by each of such water rate payers, during the year ending December 31st, 1897, and also showing all revenue derived from all sources and an itemized statement of such expenditures made for supplying water during said time), has been furnished by the said San Diego Water Company.

That no corporation, company, or person responded to such notice or furnished such statement except the San Diego Water Company, and that the said San Diego Water Company is the only corporation, company, or person supplying water to the city of San Diego or its inhabitants, that would be affected by the rates fixed by such an ordinance.

Said Water Company was present by its attorneys, officers and representatives at each and every meeting of your Joint Committee.

Your Committee commenced its investigations on the 9th day of February, 1898, and adjourned from time to time.

In order to determine the basic element to be used in establishing such rates and the value of the investment of the San Diego Water Company, employed in furnishing and supplying water to the said city and the inhabitants thereof, we called before us a number of witnesses, both on behalf of the city of San Diego and the inhabitants thereof and the San Diego Water Company; and a large amount of testimony (both oral and documentary) touching the above question, was introduced and considered by your Committee at its various meetings.

After hearing and fully considering the said evidence, as well as the statements furnished to the common council by the San Diego Water Company, and hearing the arguments of counsel on behalf of the Water Company and the city of San Diego and the inhabitants thereof, we have formulated, drawn, and herewith present an Ordinance, based upon the evidence taken as above stated, fixing the maximum rates that should be charged and collected by any corporation, company, or person supplying water to this city and the inhabitants thereof, to take effect on the 1st day of July, 1898.

In the judgment of your Committee, based upon the said evidence taken by it at its various meetings, as above stated, the rates fixed by the said ordinance herewith presented will be sufficient to furnish a fair income on the investment of the San Diego Water Company, employed in furnishing water to this city and the inhabitants thereof, over and above the fairly necessary operating expenses of the said San Diego Water Company, in rendering the services required of it.

In our judgment the rates so fixed will yield a fair revenue after the payment of the taxes on the property of the said San Diego Water Company and the cost of furnishing the water and operating its system of water works.

All of the evidence, of every kind and nature, taken and used in making our investigations (both oral and documentary) are herewith submitted with this report, and we herewith submit the same to you for your consideration and recommend the adoption of the said ordinance presented herewith.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

L. A. Blochman,

F. W. Barnes,

H. W. Alden,

A. A. Thorp,

S. H. Almsted,

W. H. Doddridge.

We, members of above Committee, recommend the adoption of the said Ordinance excepting that we recommend that the rate for fire hydrant rental be fixed at \$50⁰⁰ for each hydrant in place of \$60⁰⁰ as provided in said ordinance.

A. E. Nutt,

H. Sweeney.

Upon motion of delegate Almsted the Sergeant-at-Arms was directed to inform the Board of Aldermen that this Board is now ready to go into Committee of the Whole to meet with said Board of Aldermen in Joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering the Ordinance fixing rates to be charged for supplying water to the City of San Diego and its inhabitants for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, and ending June 30th, 1899.

The Sergeant-at-Arms retires and upon his return announces that the Board of Aldermen are ready to meet with this Board in Joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose above mentioned.

Thereupon the Board goes into Committee of the Whole for purpose above mentioned.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,

Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis,

Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan

Absent Delegates Frary and Cassidy.

The following report of the Joint Committee of the Whole in

the matter of fixing water rates to be charged for supplying water to the city and its inhabitants for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, was read and on motion of delegate Alvested adopted, viz:

The Joint Committee of the Whole recommends that the Ordinance fixing the rates to be charged for supplying water to the city of San Diego and its inhabitants for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, as recommended by the Majority of the Joint Water Committee, be amended by fixing the annual rental of each fire hydrant at \$50⁰⁰, and as so amended, be adopted.

Thereupon an Ordinance establishing the water rates in the city of San Diego, California, for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, and ending June 30th, 1899, was read and delegate Barnes moves its adoption.

At this time Lewis H. Works, as Attorney for the San Diego Water Company, protests against the adoption of the proposed Ordinance, on the ground that it will not provide sufficient revenue to pay the operating expenses of the said Water Company and allow a reasonable compensation for the amount of capital invested by said Company.

Delegate Perrin moves as an amendment to said Ordinance that Paragraph 25 of Section 1 be changed by striking out the words "for each and every month in the year" and adding a clause providing that any water rate payer could have the water for irrigation shut off by notifying the Company furnishing water to that effect, which motion was lost by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson and James.

Noes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge and Morgan.

Absent—Delegates Frary and Cassidy.

Thereupon said Ordinance was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, James and Morgan.

Noes—Delegates Lambert, Landis, Johnson and Williamson.

Absent—Delegates Frary and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 500.

An Ordinance Establishing the Water Rates in the City of San Diego, State of California, for the Year Beginning July 1st, 1898, and Ending June 30th, 1899.

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

Section 1. That the rates or compensation to be collected for water by any person, company, or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the said City of San Diego and its inhabitants, for family, private, public, municipal, and all other purposes, for the year commencing July 1st, 1898, and ending June 30th, 1899, are hereby fixed as follows:

BATHS AND CLOSETS.

1. Bath tubs in private residences, 25 cents each per month.
2. Bath tubs, public, \$1.25 each, per month.
3. Water closets in business houses, \$1.00 per month for each water closet and 25 cents per month for each urinal in said business house.
4. Water closets in private residences, 25 cents per month for each water closet.
5. Water closets, public, \$2.00 each per month, and for each urinal, 50 cents per month.

BUSINESS HOUSES, OFFICES, ETC.

6. Barber shops, single chair, 75 cents per month, each additional chair 25 cents per month.
7. Business offices, 75 cents per month.
8. Rooms in second and third stories occupied as offices, for each room, per month, 20 cents.
9. Dental rooms, \$2.00 per month.
10. Drug stores, \$3.00 per month.
11. Photograph galleries, \$5.00 per month.
12. Stores and business houses employing not to exceed 3 persons, \$1.00 per month, and for each additional person, 15 cents per month.
13. Warehouses, \$3.00 per month.
14. Water used for flushing sewers, 20 cents per 1,000 gallons.
15. Rent for each city fire hydrant and for water used through such hydrant, \$50.00 per year, to be paid monthly by said city. The same rate shall apply to new hydrants to be located upon order of the Common Council, providing that the person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall maintain a pressure of at least 36.36 pounds in the office of the Board of Public Works of said city, located on the first floor on "D" Street of that certain building known as "The City Hall," located on the southwest corner of "D" Street and Third Street in said city (said pressure to be ascertained by a gauge placed upon a pipe separate and independent from any other pipe, faucet, or opening, and at an elevation of 4 feet

above the 1000, and also 40 pounds pressure at the hydrants located at the corner of Fifth and F Streets and Fifth and Ivy Streets; and a proportionate pressure at all other hydrants, to entitle the person, company, or corporation, to the hydrant rate provided in this ordinance. The person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall flush the water pipes once every three months, and as much oftener as may be deemed necessary by the Chief of the Fire Department.

16. Water used for street sprinkling purposes, 10 cents per 1,000 gallons.

FAMILIES.

17. Dwellings, tenements, flats, and other apartments, the same being occupied by not more than three persons \$1.00 per month, and for each additional person, 15 cents per month.

HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, &c.

18. Boarding houses, in addition to family rates, 15 cents per month for each person.

19. Coffee houses, open day and night, \$3.50 per month.

20. Hotels, in addition to family rates, 15 cents per month for each bed.

The keepers of hotels, lodging houses, and boarding houses shall furnish to the person, company, or corporation furnishing water (under oath if required) a correct list of the number of persons in his or their families, and the number of boarders.

21. Lodging houses, in addition to family rates, 10 cents per month for each bed.

22. Restaurants and eating houses, \$3.50 per month.

23. Saloons, \$3.50 per month.

IRRIGATION.

24. Water to be used for irrigating one acre and under 2 acres, 6 cents per 1,000 gallons, for 2 acres or more, 4 cents per 1,000 gallons, to be measured by meter, to be placed at the expense of the party furnishing water.

25. Irrigation of lawns, trees, shrubbery, etc., 1 cent per month, for each and every month in the year, for every front foot, including the irrigation of sidewalks in front of the lot, provided that said rate of 1 cent per month for every front foot shall not apply to acre property, or to any property except to town lots.

LIVERIES, &c.

26. Feed yards, \$5.00 per month.

27. Horse and carriage, 35 cents per month and 20 cents per month for each additional horse.

28. Livery stables, including carriage washing, for each horse, 35 cents per month.

29. Horses, mules, and cows, each 20 cents per month.

METER RATES.

30. The rate for water furnished to consumers through meters, except as otherwise herein provided, is fixed as follows: 20 cents per 1,000 gallons.

31. Where water is furnished for steam engines, gas machines or works, wash houses, (Chinese or otherwise), and street sprinkling, or for any other purpose whatever, and no compensation is herein fixed therefor, and satisfactory rates cannot be agreed upon, meter rates shall be charged for the water so furnished, to be measured by meter.

The person, company, or corporation, furnishing water shall be entitled to collect a minimum meter rate of \$1.75 per month where water is furnished at meter rates.

32. Water shall be furnished and delivered by meter measurement to shipping lying alongside any of the wharves on the water front, where water pipes or mains are laid, upon application being made therefor, at the following rates: 75 cents per 100 cubic feet or \$1.00 per 1,000 gallons. Water shall be supplied and delivered to water supply boats at any of the wharves on the water front above mentioned for the purpose of supplying shipping in the bay of San Diego, upon application being made therefor, at the rate of 37½ cents per 100 cubic feet, or 50 cents per 1,000 gallons. No water boat furnishing and supplying water to shipping lying at anchor within the limits of the waters of the City of San Diego shall charge a rate exceeding \$1.00 per 1,000 gallons.

MISCELLANEOUS.

33. Bakeries, for each, 25 barrels of flour, \$2.00 per month.

34. Water for hydraulic elevators and motors in hotels and stores, 6½ cents per 1,000 gallons, to be measured by meter to be placed and connected at the expense of the party furnishing the water.

35. The person, company, or corporation furnishing the water shall make no charge for any pipe or fire apparatus connected with their mains to be used only in case of fire. If any person shall at any time use such fire apparatus for other than fire purposes, the person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall have the right to charge and collect from such person the sum of \$50.00 for said fire apparatus connection for said year.

36. Horse shoeing only, \$1.50 per month.

37. Soda fountains, 50 cents per month each; each jet 50 cents per month; each tumbler washer 50 cents per month.

38. Persons slacking lime, 15 cents per barrel; and cement, 15 cents per barrel. For wetting brick, 15 cents per 1,000.

39. Wagon and blacksmith shops, including horse shoeing, \$2.50 per month.

40. Water troughs on sidewalks to be measured by meter to be put in at the expense of the party furnishing the water.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Sec. 2. Any water rate payer shall have the right to demand a meter and to pay a meter rate upon tendering the person, company, or corporation furnishing water the sum of \$7.00 for placing and connecting the meter with the supply pipe of such water rate payer; upon such demand and payment, or the tender of said sum by any water rate payer it shall be the duty of the said party furnishing the water to furnish, place, and maintain a meter, but no meter shall be placed or maintained, nor shall meter rates be charged any rate payer unless such demand has been made for a meter, and the said sum of \$7.00 has been paid therefor as provided in this section, except as in this ordinance otherwise provided, provided that any rate payer who has heretofore paid the sum of \$7.00 for placing and maintaining a meter shall not be obliged to pay an additional sum of \$7.00.

Upon demand of any consumer, and the payment or tender of payment of the sum of \$3.00, the party furnishing water shall place and maintain on said consumer's supply pipe an air valve, in connection with the meter, of the latest and most improved pattern.

Any consumer having previously had a meter put in at his own request may discontinue or abandon the use thereof during the month of July, 1898, for the balance of the year in which this ordinance shall be in force, by paying to the owner thereof the sum of \$3.00.

Sec. 3. In the event that any rate payer shall waste water by using it in such quantities that it shall run off from the premises occupied by him, either into the street or on the adjoining property, or allow any faucet or valve in any water closet, bath tub, or in any other part or portion of the building or premises occupied by him, to remain open, except for necessary use, any person, company, or corporation, supplying water under this ordinance to the City of San Diego and its inhabitants is hereby authorized to place and maintain (during the balance of the year in which this ordinance shall be in force) a meter at its own expense, and the party furnishing said balance of said year shall charge such consumer only meter rates, provided that before placing such meter or charging such meter rate the party supplying such water shall serve a written notice upon such consumer, notifying such consumer that unless such consumer ceases to so waste water (stating the manner in which such water is wasted) that within two weeks' time from the date of the service of such notice the party supplying the water will place a meter on such consumer's pipe, and thereafter charge meter rates, as above provided, and provided further that this section shall not apply to a waste of water caused by a breakage in any water pipe, valve or faucet.

The use of water through standing irrigation, automatic sprinklers, and the high hose not held in hand, for irrigating lawns, gardens, and ornamental shrubbery, is hereby prohibited during the months of July, August, September, October, and November, 1898, and May and June 1899, except between the hours of six and eight in the morning, and five and eight in the evening; and in case of a violation of this rule, the water may be shut off of the consumer, or consumers, so violating, and not turned on again until a fine of \$1.00 is paid for the first offense, and double this amount for each subsequent offense; the said fine to be collected by the person, company, or corporation furnishing the water.

Sec. 4. All water rates, except meter rates, are due and payable monthly in advance, upon presentation of bill, and if not so paid shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Meter rates are due and payable monthly, on presentation of bill, and if not so paid shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Sec. 5. The person, company, or corporation engaged in the business of supplying or furnishing water, by his or its authorized agents, under this ordinance, shall be allowed free access to make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for or consumer of water for the purpose of designating the rate herein established and for inspection of water pipes and apparatus.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of the said City of San Diego is hereby directed, immediately after the passage and approval of this ordinance, to cause the publication of the same once in the city official newspaper of said City of San Diego, to-wit: The San Diego Sun.

At this time Delegates Barnes and Lambert are excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

After giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to move a barn from the "Howard Tract" to another tract on the City Park and convert said barn into an engine house for the Chemical Engine on Florence Heights; also an Ordinance repealing section 5 of Ordinance No. 411, approved February 4th, 1897.

Action on the motion of Delegate Christed to reconsider the vote by which an Ordinance prohibiting the wearing of large hats in

theaters and opera houses, was lost, having been postponed until this time, was now put and adopted.

Thereupon said Ordinance was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.

Noes—Delegates W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 501,

An Ordinance prohibiting the wearing of large hats in theatres and opera houses within the city of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That no person shall wear, in any theatre or opera house within said city, during the time of an entertainment therein, any hat or other head dress of sufficient size to obstruct the view of the stage of any person attending such entertainment.

Sec. 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said city is directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter of the recommendation of the Board of Public Works that the sewer system be extended in Brookes' addition, was read and adopted, viz:

The Sewer Committee herewith recommend that the within recommendation of the Board of Public Works to extend the sewer system in Brookes' addition be adopted and said sewer constructed.

A. Beard,

W. L. Frevert,

J. M. Williamson,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge.

2/24/98.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the Notice of the passage of a Resolution declaring Intention to close Lewis street between California and Ibis streets in Arnold & Choate's addition to the city of San Diego, California, being presented were ordered filed.

Thereupon a Resolution Ordering the closing up of a portion of

Lewis street in Arnold & Choate's addition was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alusted,
Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson,
James and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution Ordering Work.

Resolution of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, ordering the closing up of that portion of Lewis street between the east line of California street and the west line of Ebia street in Arnold & Choate's addition to the City of San Diego, California, all in said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California.

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

That said Common Council having, on the 17th day of January, 1898, duly passed and adopted a Resolution declaring its Intention to order the closing up of that portion of Lewis street between the east line of California street and the west line of Ebia street in Arnold & Choate's addition to said City of San Diego, which said Resolution declaring Intention was duly approved by the Mayor of said City on the 18th day of January, 1898, and which said Resolution fully described said work and stated that it was deemed unnecessary that any land be taken therefor, and specified the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be affected and benefited by said work or improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, cost, and expenses thereof;

That the Superintendent of Streets of said City having then, on the 22nd day of January, 1898, caused to be conspicuously posted, along the line of said contemplated work, notices of the passage of the said Resolution declaring Intention, in the manner and form required by law, and the said Superintendent of Streets having also caused a Notice, similar in substance to that posted, to be duly published in the manner and form required by law, for a period of ten days, in the San Diegoan Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City, and designated by said Common Council for that purpose, which said publication commenced on the 26th day of January, 1898, and ended on the 5th day of February, 1898, and no person having, within ten days after the expiration of the time of ^{the} said publication of the said Notices, or at all, made any objections to said work, and the said Common Council having acquired jurisdiction in the premises, and the said

work being for the closing up of a portion of a street, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the said Common Council that no assessment to pay the damages, cost, and expenses of said work is or was necessary,

Now, therefore, Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, that the public interest and convenience of said City require the closing up of that portion of Lewis street between the east line of California street and the west line of Ibis street in said Arnold & Lehoate's addition to said City of San Diego, and therefore the said Common Council hereby orders that that portion of said Lewis street between the east line of California street and the west line of Ibis street in said Arnold & Lehoate's addition to said City of San Diego, all in the said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, be and the same is hereby closed and abandoned as a public street.

One proof of the publication and posting of the Notice of the passage of a Resolution declaring Intention to close Jackdaw street between Little street and Broadway in Arnold & Lehoate's addition to the City of San Diego, California, being presented, were ordered filed.

Thereupon a Resolution Ordering the closing up of Jackdaw street between Little street and Broadway in Arnold & Lehoate's addition was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates, Frevert, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Elmsted,
Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson,
James and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Gray, Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution Ordering Work.

Resolution of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, ordering the closing up of that portion of Jackdaw street between the north line of Little street and the south line of Broadway in Arnold & Lehoate's addition to the City of San Diego, California, all in said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California.

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

That said Common Council having, on the 17th day of January, 1898, duly passed and adopted a Resolution declaring its Intention to order the closing up of that portion of Jackdaw street between the north line of Little street and the south line of Broadway in Arnold and Lehoate's addition to said City of San Diego, which said Resolution declaring Intention was duly approved by the Mayor of said City on the 18th day of January, 1898, and which said Resolution fully described

said work and stated that it was deemed unnecessary that any land be taken therefor, and specified the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be affected and benefited by said work or improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, cost, and expenses thereof;

That the Superintendent of Streets of said City having then, on the 22nd day of January, 1898, caused to be conspicuously posted, along the line of said contemplated work, Notices of the passage of said Resolution declaring Intention, in the manner and form required by law, and the said Superintendent of Streets having also caused a Notice, similar in substance to that posted, to be duly published in the manner and form required by law, for a period of ten days, in the San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City, and designated by said Common Council for that purpose, which said publication commenced on the 26th day of January, 1898, and ended on the 5th day of February, 1898, and no person having, within ten days after the expiration of the time of the said publication of the said Notice, or at all, made any objections to said work, and the said Common Council having acquired jurisdiction in the premises, and the said work being for the closing up of a portion of a street, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the said Common Council that no assessment to pay the damages, cost, and expenses of said work is or was necessary,

Now, therefore, Be it Resolved By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, that the public interest and convenience of said City require the closing up of that portion of Jackdaw street between the north line of Ketti street and the south line of Broadway in said Arnold and Choate's addition to said City of San Diego, and therefore the said Common Council hereby orders that that portion of said Jackdaw street between the north line of Ketti street and the south line of Broadway in said Arnold and Choate's addition to said City of San Diego, all in the said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, be and the same is hereby closed up and abandoned as a public street.

A Joint Resolution declaring it to be the sense of the Council that the assessment and collection of taxes for the City should be done by the County officials was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan.

Nays—None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 975.

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

That it is the sense of this Council that it will result to the best interest of this City that the assessment of property and collection of City taxes be done through the County offices.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the suit of Theodore Schroeder against the City, and recommending that the City file a disclaimer in said suit, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to file a disclaimer in the above mentioned suit was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Brewster, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Woodbridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 974.

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

That Whereas, it appears that an action has been commenced by Theodore Schroeder against the City of San Diego to quiet his title to lot 11 in block 288 in Lechate and Seaman's addition to this City, which block 288 is in the northwest quarter of Pueblo Lot 1161, and it further appearing that the City has no interest in said lot, the City Attorney is hereby directed to file a disclaimer in said action.

After first giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign an Ordinance establishing water rates for the year beginning July 1st, 1898, and ending June 30th, 1899; also an Ordinance prohibiting the wearing of large hats in theaters and opera houses.

A communication from the Board of Public Works requesting the Council to have the Auditor's Certificate attached to the order for the replacing of the drinking fountain on the Plaza was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works stating that

they were unable to save but little of the pipe in the sewer purchased from J. S. Johnstone, on Walnut avenue, and in consequence had no sewer pipe on hand, was read and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to purchase 500 feet of sewer pipe was presented and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

A Joint Resolution requesting the Special Committee on Charter Revision to recommend a paid Council of not more than nine members was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Morgan.

Noes-Delegate Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Lambert and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 976.

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

That the Special Committee on Charter Amendments be requested to recommend that the legislative branch of this City be composed of one body of not exceeding nine members. That said members be paid not less than \$50, nor more than \$100 per month. That such body be required to devote their entire time to the duties of their office, and perform all the duties now performed by the Board of Public Works, and other Boards and Commissions.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

A. Morgan.

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

G. D. Galdman

City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, March 7th, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

Present-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted,
Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Gray, Johnson and A. Morgan.

In the absence of President Morgan Delegate Perrin was elected President pro tem.

The minutes of Adjourned Meetings held February 14th and February 21st, 1898, were read and approved.

On motion of Delegate Almsted and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the construction of a road to Mount Hope Cemetery was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, March 4th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Street Committee herewith recommend that the Board of Public Works be authorized and directed to advertise for bids, and build the cemetery road in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor as prepared by the City Engineer.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

M. J. Perrin.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to furnish the Council with a map of the proposed cemetery road was read and on motion of Delegate Almsted adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted,
Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson,
James and Cassidy.

Noes - None

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan.
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No.

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 authorized, instructed, and directed to make and furnish to this Common Council a map for a new road or street eighty feet wide from the junction of 32^d 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.

The following recommendation of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of grading a portion of "E" street was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, March 4th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:—

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" street between 14th and 24th streets, including a wooden bridge across Switzer's Canon Creek.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

M. J. Perrin.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the estimate of the City Engineer as to the cost of a roadway on 32^d street from Main street to the Brewery, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee, to whom was referred the within estimate, herewith recommend that the same be referred to the Ways and Means Committee with instructions to provide, if possible, the necessary funds in the next tax levy.

A. E. Nutt,

3/4/98.

A. Beard,
 W. H. Doddridge,
 H. Sweeney,
 M. J. Perrin.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the application of A. M. McConoughey for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk, redwood curb and cobblestone gutter on Thirteenth street was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend the within petition be granted

H. Sweeney,
 A. Beard
 W. H. Doddridge
 M. J. Perrin.

Thereupon the application of A. M. McConoughey for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk, redwood curb and cobblestone gutter on Thirteenth street in front of lots 8 and 14, block 25, Horton's addition, was granted.

The following report of the Street Committee in the matter of the protection of the Palm trees at Old Town was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee, to whom was referred for further investigation the within report & resolution in re the Palms at Old Town, herewith submit a substitute resolution and recommend its adoption.

A. E. Nutt,
 A. Beard,
 W. H. Doddridge,
 H. Sweeney,
 M. J. Perrin.

3/4/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to have a fence built around the Palm trees at Old Town was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Elmsted,
 Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson,
 James and Cassidy.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan.
 Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 980.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San

San Diego, as follows:

That the Board of Public Works be it is hereby authorized and directed to place a six feet high fence with 1x4" pickets around the Palms at Old Town, and to paint said fence at a cost not to exceed \$2500.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of watering trees in the Park was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the within resolution as amended in committee be adopted.

A. E. Nutt,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

H. Sweeney,

Wm. J. Perrin.

3/4/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Superintendent of Parks to water the trees in the Park was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almeted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 Tract", and also to water such other trees in the City Park as he may deem necessary in order to preserve them, without expense to the City other than for water.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of placing signs on certain street corners was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Feb'y 18th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the estimate of the Board of Public Works of the cost of placing street signs within that portion of the City between A street and the water front and 3^d and 7th streets, herewith recommend that said

Board be authorized to cause said signs to be placed, and we further recommend that said Board be instructed to furnish the Council an additional estimate of the cost of placing street signs on all street intersections traversed by street railways except on the 4th street lines.

Respectfully,

A. E. Nutt,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

H. Sweeney,

M. J. Perrin.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to place signs on certain street corners was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Alden, Thorp, Alrsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

No—Delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 979.

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 street signs to be placed at the northeast and southwest corners of the intersections of all streets within that 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.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter of the claim of Carson & Hendershot for putting in lateral sewers on Twenty-second street, was read and adopted, viz:

The Sewer Committee find the within claim is not a legal claim against the City, inasmuch as this work should have been performed by the persons whose sewers were exposed, and therefore recommend said claim be rejected.

A. Beard

W. L. Frevert,

A. E. Dodson

W. H. Doddridge.

3/4/98.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter of the request of the Board of Public Works for authority to purchase 500 feet of 6 inch sewer pipe was read and adopted, viz:

The Sewer Committee herewith recommend the Board of Public Works be given authority to purchase 500 feet of 6 inch sewer pipe as asked for in the within communication.

A. Beard,

A. E. Dodson,

W. L. Freest

W. H. Doddridge.

3/4/98.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to purchase 500 feet of sewer pipe, and also to make certain extensions to the sewer system of the City was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Freest, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Chusted, Lambest, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan. Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to purchase sewer pipe and make certain extensions of the sewer system of said City.

Whereas, The Board of Public Works of said City has recommended to this Common Council that the sewer system of said City be extended by constructing a sewer from a point in the alley in Block eight (8) of Brook's Addition to said City, one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet north of the north line of Brook's avenue south, to a connection with the main sewer now laid in Brook's avenue, the estimated cost of which extension is \$1400.00.

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 and directed to extend the sewer system of said City, by constructing a sewer in the alley in Block eight (8) in Brook's addition, to said City, which sewer shall commence at a point in said alley one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet north of the north line of Brook's avenue and extend southward to a connection with the main sewer now laid in said Brook's avenue, being a distance of about two hundred and fifteen (215) feet.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works is further

instructed and directed to purchase five hundred (500) feet of six inch (6") stone sewer pipe.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The city clerk of this city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to wit: the San Diego Sun.

The following report of the Special Committee, to whom was referred the Annual Message of the Mayor, was read and adopted, viz:
San Diego, Cal., March 2nd, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:—

The Special Committee, to whom was referred the Annual Message of the Mayor, to report to the Common Council as to the disposition of certain recommendations contained therein, herewith report as follows:

We recommend that that portion of the Mayor's Message regarding the final disposition of garbage, together with the report of the Board of Public Works as to the disposal of tin cans, ashes, etc., be referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

In the matter of leasing buildings for City Hall and Fire Department purposes we recommend the adoption of a Joint Resolution instructing the city clerk to advertise for bids for leasing to the city a building for City Hall purposes; and that the matter of leasing buildings for use of the Fire Department be referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

We find that many of the old papers and records of the city are stored in boxes in various portions of the City Hall for want of better places in which to store them. In many cases the destruction of these papers would occasion great loss. In order that they may be properly preserved and safely kept we recommend that the city clerk be instructed to ascertain if a fire proof vault can be secured for the use of the city in which these records and papers may be stored, and at what cost; we also find that a filing case, with book shelves and cupboards attached, is necessary for the keeping of papers and records in the office of the city clerk, and would therefore recommend that the city clerk be instructed to ascertain the cost of such filing case, and report the result of his investigations to the Common Council.

We recommend that no action be taken in the matter of new headquarters for the Police Department until bids have been received for a building to be used for City Hall purposes.

We recommend that the matter of the construction of a road to

the cemetery be referred to the Joint Street Committee.

We recommend that that portion of the Mayor's Message in regard to the revision of the City Charter be referred to the Special Committee appointed in that matter, and that the Committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce for the same purpose be invited to meet with the Special Committee of the Common Council for consultation and advice. In this matter of Charter revision we heartily endorse the sentiment of the Mayor, that we should formulate and agree upon amendments, simple in form and in keeping with our requirements, have same submitted to the people for their ratification, and if adopted see that our representatives at the next Legislature are men of sufficient ability and energy to push same upon the statute books.

Respectfully,

Simon Levi,

A. E. Dodson,

H. Lucey,

S. H. Alvested,

W. L. Freuer.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to place the old drinking fountain on the Plaza was read and adopted by the following votes, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Freuer, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Nays-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan.
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 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.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for a building for City Hall purposes was presented and action thereon postponed until the next Regular Meeting of the Board.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the Resolution Ordering the Work of curbing and guttering the west side of

Front street between Kalmia and Laurel streets, and of the publication and posting of the Notice Inviting Proposals for doing said work, being presented, were ordered filed.

The clerk reports that in response to said Notice Inviting Proposals he has received the following bids, viz:

The bid of Joseph Kelly offering to do said work at the following prices, to-wit:

Curb at $33\frac{1}{3}$ ¢ per linear foot

Gutter " $33\frac{1}{3}$ ¢ " " "

Said bid was accompanied by a check, certified by the Merchants National Bank, of San Diego, in the sum of \$20.00.

The bid of John Engelbrot offering to do said work at the following prices, viz:

For cobble stone gutter $7\frac{1}{2}$ cents per square foot

Concrete curb 28 cents per linear foot

Said bid was accompanied by a check, certified by the First National Bank of San Diego, in the sum of \$25.00.

On motion said bids were referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to construct a sidewalk around New Town Park was read and on motion of Delegate Lambert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Johnson and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. ---.

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 "E" street, between India and Columbia streets, and on the west side of India street, between "F" and "E" streets, and on the east side of Columbia street, between "F" and "E" streets, 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 15th, 1893.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for the disposal of garbage for six months, also for one year, was

presented and referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$1200.00 in general repairs on streets was presented and referred to the Street Committee.

A communication from Wm. Kilcher offering to receive the City's garbage on Pueblo Lot 1138 and dispose of the same for the sum of \$225.00 per month was presented and referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

An Ordinance prohibiting the placing of garbage in the same receptacle with ashes and rubbish was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

An Ordinance providing for the licensing of all persons, companies or corporations engaged in the business of hauling garbage, rubbish, etc., was presented and referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

At this time Delegate Johnson enters and takes his seat in the Board.

An Ordinance regulating riding and driving upon the streets of the City was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Waddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance regulating riding and driving upon the streets, avenues, and highways in the City of San Diego, California, and fixing a penalty for its violation.

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

Section 1. That every person, who shall ride or drive any horse, mule, or team at a rate of speed faster than six miles per hour, upon any of the streets, avenues, or highways of the City of San Diego, California, or who shall drive any team or horse, attached to any vehicle, and

leading one or more teams, or horses, attached to any vehicle, at a greater rate of speed than a walk, upon any of such streets, avenues, or highways in said city, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the city Jail of said city, not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to that portion of said city lying west of the Bay of San Diego, nor to that portion of said city lying north of Ash street, were such street extended easterly to the eastern boundary line of the city, nor to that portion of the city lying east of Eighth street, were such street extended northerly to the northern boundary line of the city; nor shall the provisions of this section apply to the officers and members of the Fire Department of said city when going forth in response to an alarm of fire.

Section 2. That Ordinance No. 413 of the ordinances of said city, entitled, "An Ordinance regulating riding and driving upon the streets of the city of San Diego, California, and fixing a penalty for its violation," approved February 17th, 1897, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The city clerk of this city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun

An Ordinance repealing Section 4 of Ordinance No. 294 was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested,
Lambert, Oddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance repealing Section 4 of Ordinance No. 294 of the ordinances of the city of San Diego, California, approved February 23rd, 1895.

Be it Ordained, By the common Council of the city of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That Section 4 of Ordinance No. 294 of the ordinances of said city of San Diego, California, entitled, "An Ordinance in relation to dogs and licensing the same," approved February 23rd, 1895, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage and approval.

Section 3. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance designating the number of Policemen and subordinate officers of the Police Department was presented and read and referred to the Police Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to estimate the cost of a sewer, on the alley between 2nd and 3rd streets, from University to Robinson Avenue, thence to a connection with the sewer on the alley between 3rd and 4th streets was presented and read and on motion ordered laid on the table.

The claim of D. B. Northrup, Health Officer, for \$34.⁰⁰, services rendered by Gus Mower guarding the City dump for 17 days during the month of January, 1898, was presented and referred to the Finance Committee.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of February, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$88.⁰⁰, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of February, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that a change be made in the location of the Chemical Engine House in the City Park as fixed by Ordinance No. 499, was presented and referred to a Special Committee of three, to confer with a like committee from the Board of Aldermen, heretofore appointed.

President pro tem Perrin appoints as such committee delegates Johnson, Frevert and Landis.

A communication from Mrs. E. J. Huntley offering to sell the right-of-way across her lots to the City for the cemetery road for \$45.⁰⁰ was presented and referred to the Street Committee.

On motion of Delegate Frevert the City Attorney was instructed to prepare an Ordinance to prevent the discharge of fire arms in the City Park.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that they be authorized to prune and irrigate trees and plow the main avenues in the Howard Tract of the City Park was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the Chamber of Commerce asking for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of their rooms at 1519-1523 D street was read and on motion said request was granted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almstedt, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary and A. Morgan.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of dumping garbage in the City Park was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

On motion of Delegate Almstedt the City Attorney was instructed to prepare an Ordinance to repeal the Ordinance establishing a dump in the City Park, and to prohibit the dumping of garbage in the City Park.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of the City Scavenger Company for \$110⁰⁰, for removing and dumping the City's garbage from February 5th to February 17th, 1898, as directed by the Board of Public Works was presented and on motion and by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almstedt, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary and A. Morgan.

The action of the Board of Public Works was ratified and the Auditing Committee directed to pay the claim.

A communication from Joseph Kelly asking the City to pay him for putting in sidewalks in front of United States property, was presented and referred to the Street Committee and City Attorney.

A communication from the Board of Public Works stating that the Southern California Railway Company had given notice that it

was the intention of said Company to immediately fence their right-of-way, and wherever the City's road encroaches thereon, it will be fenced off, was presented and referred to the Street Committee.

The clerk announces that in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter it is now time for the Board to appoint three members to act as members of the Board of Equalization.

On motion of Delegate Olmsted it is ordered that the President pro tem. appoint the three members of the Board of Equalization from this Board.

Thereupon President pro tem. Perrin appointed delegates James, Doddridge and Olmsted as members of the Board of Equalization.

On motion of Delegate Olmsted a Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for the disposal of the City's garbage, heretofore referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage, was withdrawn from said Committee.

Thereupon said Resolution was adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 977.

Whereas, to build a garbage scow and wharf and make the necessary arrangements for the disposal of garbage by the City by taking the same to sea, will require six months or more of time, therefore,

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

That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to advertise for a period of five days in the City official newspaper for sealed proposals for the disposal of the City's garbage for a period of six months; also for a period of one year, the bidder to give in detail the manner in which he proposes to dispose of said garbage; said bids to be received until 5 o'clock P.M., March 21st, 1898, and the Common Council reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, March 21st, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

A. Morgan
President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:
Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, March 21st, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

In the absence of President Morgan Delegate Almsted was elected President pro tem.

Present delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson, Cassidy and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-delegates Frary, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held February 24th, 1898, and of Regular Meeting held March 7th, 1898, were read and approved.

On motion of Delegate Alden and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting of the Board.

The clerk announces that in response to the advertisement therefor he had received bids for the disposal of the city's garbage, as follows:

The proposal of Jones & Son, offering to repair the old garbage scow, keep the same in repair, allow the city to use their wharf, and tow the scow to sea not less than twice a week, for one year for \$325.00 per month.

The proposal of R. H. Bell, offering to build a scow and tow the same to sea four times a week or oftener, the wharf to be furnished by the city, for one year for \$240.00 per month.

The proposal of Mrs. Gilcher, offering to receive the city's garbage on Pueblo Lot 1138 and remove the garbage from said place every day for the sum of \$225.00 per month.

The proposal of the San Diego Wharf & Storage Co. to lease the Whitney wharf to the city for \$30.00 per month, or to sell the same to the city; the offer to remain good only until March 23, 1898, at 5 o'clock P.M.

The proposal of the California Sanitary Co., offering to collect the garbage and dispose of the same by taking it to sea through False Bay, or by cremating it in a crematory to be erected on Pueblo Lot 256, for one year for \$600.00 per month.

The proposal of the California Sanitary Co., offering to dispose of all the city's garbage (if delivered to them on Pueblo Lot 256) by

taking it to sea through false bay, or by cremating it in a crematory to be erected on Pueblo Lot 256, for one year for \$325⁰⁰ per month.

The proposal of Squire Gentry, offering to remove all swill out of the city limits, bury all dead animals, etc., and dump ashes, etc., for \$12350 per month, for six months or one year.

The proposal of Albie E. Eberhart, offering to cremate all garbage, night soil, dead animals, etc., in a crematory to be located south of D street and east of Thirtieth street, and dump all ashes, etc., for six months or one year, for \$19350 per month.

The proposal of the City Scavenger Co., offering to bury all garbage as at present, and to dump ashes, etc., for six months or one year, for \$267⁵⁰ per month.

Said proposals were referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of Garbage.

The following report of the Ways and Means Committee in the matter of the recommendation of the Board of Public Works for an increase of the salary of Wm. Rumsey was read and adopted, viz:

The Ways & Means Committee recommend that the within recommendation of the Board of Public Works for an increase of salary for Wm. Rumsey be adopted.

A. E. Nutt,

S. H. Alvested,

F. W. Barnes,

J. H. Cassidy

3/18/98.

Thereupon an Ordinance fixing the salary of William Rumsey, an employee in the office of the City Engineer, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson and Cassidy.

Noes-None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of William Rumsey, an employee in the office of the City Engineer of the City of San Diego.

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

Section 1. That the compensation of William Rumsey, an employee in the office of the City Engineer of said City of San Diego, be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of seventy-five dollars per month, payable monthly.

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

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the claim of Joseph Kelly for constructing sidewalks and curbs on "H" street in front of United States property was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the within claim of Joseph Kelly for \$152.²⁶ for constructing sidewalk and curb on "H" street in front of United States property be allowed and ordered paid; we therefore recommend the adoption of the Joint Resolution presented herewith.

H. Sweeney,

A. Beard

S. W. Hackett

W. H. Doddridge

H. W. Alden

M. J. Perrin.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution ordering the payment of the claim of Joseph Kelly for \$152.²⁶ for constructing sidewalk and curb on "H" street in front of United States property was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Lumber, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson and Cassidy.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Frary, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan. Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 sidewalking 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 sidewalking 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.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the bids for curbing and guttering the west side of Front street between Kalmia and Laurel streets was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee, having examined the bids for curbing and guttering the west side of Front street between Kalmia and Laurel streets, find the bid of Joseph Kelly to be the lowest, and therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Resolution of Award of Contract, for doing said work, to Joseph Kelly.

H. Sweeney,
A. Beard,
S. W. Hackett,
W. H. Doddridge,
M. J. Perrin,
H. W. Alden.

March 18th, 1898.

Thereupon a Resolution Awarding the Contract for curbing and guttering the west side of Front street between Kalmia and Laurel streets to Joseph Kelly was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson
and Cassidy.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution Of Award

Of contract for curbing and guttering the west side of Front street.

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, having, in open session, on the 7th day of March, A.D. 1898, opened, examined, and publicly declared all sealed proposals or bids for the following work, to-wit:

That that portion of the west side of said Front street in said City of San Diego, between the north line of Kalmia street and the south line of Laurel street (except where already curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City, approved August 15th, 1893;

And also that that portion of the west side of said Front street, between the north line of Kalmia street and the south line of Laurel

street, be guttered with cobble stones, which gutter shall six (6) feet wide, and the cobble stones shall be not less than six (6) inches in diameter and shall be set on edge and firmly embedded in sand. The cross sections of the gutter shall be concave, and the bottom shall have the following elevations at the south line of Laurel street, above the datum line established as a basis of street grades in said city, by Ordinance No. 3, approved June 30th, 1886;

At the point of curb line, 203.25 feet.

At a point 3 feet from the curb line, 203.00 feet.

At a point 6 feet from the curb line, 203.50 feet.

The bottom of the gutter, at the north line of Kalmia street, shall have the following elevations above said datum line:

At the point of curb line, 196.25 feet.

At a point 3 feet from ^{the} curb line, 196.00 feet.

At a point 6 feet from the curb line, 196.40 feet.

The grade of the bottom of the gutter, between the south line of Laurel and the north line of Kalmia streets, shall be uniform between the elevations and points above specified.

The outer edge of the gutter shall be turned down into the ground at least one foot and thoroughly tamped in.

Hereby rejects all of said bids except that next herein mentioned, and hereby awards the contract for said work to the lowest regular responsible bidder, to-wit: to Joseph Kelly at the following prices, as specified in his proposal on file for said work, to-wit:

curb at $33\frac{1}{3}$ ¢ per linear foot

Gutter .. $33\frac{1}{3}$ ¢ " " "

The clerk of this city is hereby directed to post notice of this award conspicuously for five days on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, and also publish said notice in the San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper, published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated, for two days.

On motion of delegate Perrin a Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to estimate the cost of sewer in the alley from University avenue to Robinson avenue, heretofore laid on the table by this Board, was taken from the table.

Thereupon on motion of delegate Perrin said Resolution was adopted and is as follows, viz:

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 2nd and 3rd streets south to Robinson avenue, thence east to a connection with the sewer recently constructed on the alley between 3rd & 4th streets.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the application of the Board of Public Works for \$12000 for general street repairs, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the Board of Public Works be allowed to expend \$10000 for general repairs of streets. In order to carry this recommendation into effect we recommend the adoption of the Joint Resolution presented herewith.

H. Sweeney
A. Beard
S. W. Hackett
W. H. Doddridge
H. W. Alden
M. J. Perrin

March 18th, 1898.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to expend \$10000 for general repairs of streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson and Cassidy.

Noes—Noes

Absent—Delegates Frary, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 (\$1000.00) for general repairs of the streets within said City.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a communication from the Board of Public Works that they had been notified by the Southern California Railway Company that said company proposed to fence up its right-of-way, which would interfere with some traveled roads, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the City Engineer and City Attorney be instructed to take the necessary steps to procure a right-of-way for a suitable road near near Morena station, which shall not interfere with the right-of-way of the Southern

California Railway Company.

H. Sweeney,
A. Beard
S. W. Hackett
W. H. Doddridge
M. J. Perrin
H. W. Alden

March 18th, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a Joint Resolution directing the Park Superintendent to plant trees alongsides of Old Town dyke, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the within Resolution be placed on file.

H. Sweeney
A. Beard
S. W. Hackett
W. H. Doddridge
M. J. Perrin
H. W. Alden

March 18th, 1898.

Thereupon said Resolution was ordered filed.

The following report of the Health and Morals Committee, to whom was referred an Ordinance prohibiting the placing of garbage in the same receptacle as ashes, tin cans, etc., was read and adopted, viz:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend that the within Ordinance be referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

A. Beard
S. W. Hackett
J. M. Williamson
H. W. Alden
H. J. Morgan

March 18, 1898.

Thereupon said Ordinance was referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

The following report of the Health and Morals Committee in the matter of the dumping of garbage in the City Park was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., March 18th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:—

The Health and Morals Committee, to whom was referred the

communication from the city Attorney transmitting a protest of citizens against the dumping of garbage, rubbish, etc., in the city Park, herewith recommend that the dumping of garbage in the city Park be prohibited and that Ordinance No. 215, being "An Ordinance establishing a public dump in the city Park of the city of San Diego," approved June 27th, 1893, be repealed.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the Ordinance herewith presented, prohibiting the dumping of garbage, rubbish, etc., in the city Park, and repealing said Ordinance No. 215.

Respectfully,

A. Beard

S. W. Hackett

J. M. Williamson

H. Walden

W. J. Morgan

Thereupon an Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage or other refuse material in any public park, and repealing Ordinance No. 215, was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Truett, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson, and Cassidy.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Trary, Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.
Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —

An Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage or other refuse material in any of the public parks of the city of San Diego, California, and repealing Ordinance No. 215.

Be it Ordained, By the Common Council of the city of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That no person shall place or deposit, or cause to be placed or deposited, any garbage, rubbish, tin cans, waste paper, or other refuse material, in any of the parks within the said city of San Diego, California.

Section 2. That any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, and in case any fine imposed under this ordinance be not paid, the person fined may be imprisoned in the city jail of said city of San Diego until such fine be satisfied in the proportion of one day's imprisonment for every dollar of the fine.

Section 3. That Ordinance No. 215 of the ordinances of said city, entitled, "An Ordinance establishing a public dump in the city Park

of the City of San Diego, defining the character of the rubbish to be taken to the public dump, and providing a penalty for the violation of the same," approved June 27th, 1893, and all other ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of this City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

The following report of the Police Committee, to whom was referred an Ordinance fixing the number of regular policemen at 20 men, was read and adopted, viz:

The Police Committee do not think it necessary to increase the Police Force at this time, and therefore recommend that the within Ordinance be not adopted.

Geo. B. Watson

A. Beard

S. W. Hackett

A. A. Thorp

W. J. Morgan

March 18, 1898.

The following report of the Special Committee, to whom was referred the matter of changing the location of the Florence Heights engine house, was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, March 18th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:—

Your Special Committee, to whom was referred a communication from the Board of Public Works asking the Council to amend Ordinance No. 499, changing the location of the proposed Fire Engine House in the City Park, herewith recommend the repeal of said Ordinance and that said engine house be not located in the City Park, and this Committee asks for further time in which to recommend a location for said engine house.

Respectfully,

A. Beard.

W. L. Frevert.

H. M. Landis.

L. A. Blochman voting no.

A Joint Resolution granting permission to the citizens of the City

to erect a band stand near the center of the Plaza was read and adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 991.

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

That permission be and the same is hereby given to the citizens of this City to erect a band stand near the center of "The Plaza", as shown on the plans for the construction of walks on "The Plaza", endorsed "Plan of Grass Plots and Cement Walks on Plaza."

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of an Ordinance to prevent obstruction of sidewalks was read and referred to the Police Committee.

A communication from H. H. Ailland offering to dispose of the City's garbage, etc., by the tankage process for \$225⁰⁰ per month, was read and referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

At this time Delegate Frary enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A petition from R. E. Smith et al. asking the Council to have the alley in blocks 278, 279, 280 and 281, Land & Town Co's addition, officially placed on the map, was read and referred to the Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to grade the intersections of First and Date and First and Elm streets was read and referred to the Street Committee.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct sidewalks on that portion of the Plaza enclosed by sidewalks was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Abusted, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Williamson and Cassidy.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Landis, Johnson, James and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct walks on that portion of "The Plaza" which is enclosed by sidewalks.

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 said City of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to cause walks to be constructed on that portion of "The Plaza" which is enclosed by sidewalks constructed as provided by Ordinance No. 457, approved August 16th, 1897.

Section 2. That said walks shall be constructed of concrete in accordance with the specifications contained in Ordinance No. 226, approved August 15th, 1893, except as to the width thereof, which shall be in accordance with plans therefor on file with the City Clerk endorsed "Plan of Grass Plots and Cement Walks on Plaza."

And the said Board of Public Works is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to advertise for bids for constructing said walks, the estimated cost thereof being \$500.00.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A communication from E. S. Babcock, President of the Southern California Mountain Water Company, asking the Council to release the Company from their contract with the City, to furnish the City with 1000 inches of water and to build a distributing system in the City, was read and referred to the Joint Water Committee and City Attorney.

A petition from citizens asking the Council to urge the Pound Keeper to enforce the ordinance relating to the impounding and destroying of dogs on which the tax has not been paid was read and the Clerk was directed to notify the Pound Keeper to enforce the Ordinance as requested by the petitioners.

At this time delegate Williamson was excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

Applications from the following named persons for permission to construct sidewalks and curbs in front of the property set opposite their respective names were read and granted, viz:

James M^r Nair, concrete sidewalk and curb on Dth street in front of Lots 1 and 2, Block 43, Culverwell & Taggart's addition.

Joseph Kelly, concrete sidewalk and curb on Twenty first and Kth streets in front of lots 1 and 2, Block 45, Sherman's addition.

M. O'Keilly, concrete sidewalk and curb on Dth street in front of lots A and L, Block 178, Horton's additions.

A petition from W. W. Whitney asking the Council to direct the Auditing Committee to allow him \$128.⁰⁰ for the construction of a party wall on the south $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 6, block 35, Horton's addition, was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The petition of Cassidy & Voorhees for a retail liquor license was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

A Joint Resolution requiring all members of the Council to sign any ordinance or resolution introduced by them was read and adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 986.

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

That all Ordinances and Resolutions hereafter introduced into the Common Council for action thereon the member introducing the same shall sign his name thereto.

A Joint Resolution directing the Chief of Police to enforce the provisions of Ordinance No. 230 was read and adopted, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 985.

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

That the attention of the Chief of Police is hereby called to the provisions of Ordinance No. 230, entitled, "An Ordinance prohibiting driving or riding upon or over sidewalks in the City of San Diego, and providing a penalty for the violation of the same," approved September 5th, 1893.

That the said Chief of Police is hereby directed and instructed to see that the provisions of said Ordinance are enforced by the officers of the Police Department.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to put matting on the floor of the corridor of the City Hall was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewst, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Perrin and Cassidy.

Noes-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alvested, Lambert and Doddridge,

Absent-Delegates Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and A. Morgan

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 987.

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 coconut matting laid on said corridor floor, and passage ways, and that the amount of money required to pay for the same is hereby appropriated.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to place in their office the water gauge as provided by Ordinance No. 500 was read and referred to the City Attorney with instructions to prepare the necessary papers to carry into effect the request contained in said communication.

A protest of property owners on India street against the granting of a railroad franchise which will give the right to use India street for railroad purposes was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A petition from Jessie F. Culton asking the City to pay her the sum of \$220.00 for a sewer constructed by her and which the City is now using, was presented and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

The statement of the Auditor showing the condition of the various funds of the City for the month of February, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of appealing the case of Mary T. Dranga et al. vs. the City of San Diego et al., and recommending that the same be appealed, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to appeal the case of Mary T. Dranga et al. vs. the City of San Diego et al., was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Gray, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin and Cassidy.

Noes - Nones

Excused - Delegate Alden

Absent - Delegates Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and
A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 984

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

That good cause appearing therefor, the City Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to appeal to the Supreme Court of the State of California, the case of Mary J. Dranga et al., plaintiffs, vs. Jane L. Rowe - City of San Diego, et al., defendants, Case No. 10362, now pending in the Superior Court of the County of San Diego, State of California, from the decision rendered by the said Superior Court, in sustaining the plaintiffs' demurrer to the amended answer of the said City of San Diego filed therein, and to take what further or other action in connection therewith that he may deem advisable for the best interests of the said City of San Diego.

A communication from the City Engineer transmitting the plans and specifications and estimates of cost of a garbage boat was presented and referred to the Special Committee on the disposal of garbage.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of plowing and doing other work in certain portions of the City Park, was presented and referred to the City Lands Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking that the time for completing the survey for a sewer system in the Eighth ward be extended thirty days was read and on motion the request was granted.

A communication from the Board of Public Works notifying the Council that the contract with the City Scavenger Company for the disposal of garbage expired on the 17th inst. was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to purchase two water barrels for sprinkling wagons was presented and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from Joseph Kelly transmitting his claim for \$232.²² for constructing a concrete sidewalk and curb on "F" street

in front of the New Town Park was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the City Clerk in the matter of procuring a filing case and vault for use of the City was read and ordered filed.

At this time delegate Lambert was excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A communication from E. E. White inviting the Council to visit the Public Library rooms to view designs for Library buildings was read and the invitation accepted.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to purchase tools for the Superintendent of Parks and to have portions of the City Parks plowed was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, and Cassidy.

Noes - None.

Excused - Delegate Alden

Absent - Delegates Lambert, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 \$25.00 in purchasing the necessary hose and tools for use of the Superintendent of Parks, also expend a sum not exceeding \$200.00 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 lowest responsible bidder.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a statement of the expenses of the various departments for the month of February, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

A. Morgan,

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest:

Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, April 4th, 1898.

The regular meeting of the Board of Delegates was held at 11:30 O'clock P. M. this day, with President Morgan presiding:-

Present - Delegates Green, Barnes, Morgan M., Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Terriu, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Morgan and Clerk Spedman.

Absent - Delegate Grary.

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held March 2nd 1898, were read and approved.

After first giving due notice, President Morgan did, in open session, sign Ordinances as follows:-
Authorizing the Board of Public Works to build and extend the Gas Canon Road; Repealing Section 4 of Ordinance No 294; Regulating Riding and Driving on the Streets; Authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase Iron pipe and make extensions to the Sewer System; Directing the Board of Public Works to construct sidewalks on the Plaza; Also Prohibiting the depositing of Garbage Rubbish &c in the Park.

An Ordinance granting a franchise to U. S. Grant Jr. et al. for authority to construct maintain and operate a Steam Railroad in the City of San Diego, California; having been presented to the Council February 21st 1898, and action thereon deferred thirty days in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter; being taken up said Ordinance was read and adopted, upon motion of Delegate Olmsted, by the following vote, to-wit:-

Aye Delegates Green, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Terriu, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

No - Delegate M. J. Morgan.

Absent - Delegate Grary.

Ordinance, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-

Ordinance No. 505.

An ordinance granting a franchise to U. S. Grant, Jr., Matthew Sherman, M. A. Luce, W. N. King, and C. L. Josselyn, authorizing them to construct, maintain and operate a steam railroad in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That U. S. Grant, Jr., Matthew Sherman, M. A. Luce, W. N. King, and C. L. Josselyn, and their assigns, are hereby granted, subject, however, to all the conditions and restrictions provided by law, one continuous right of way 100 feet in width and no more, upon which they may construct, maintain and operate railway tracks for a steam railway and for all purposes necessary and incident to railroad construction, maintenance and operation, within the limits hereinafter described, through, over, across and along, any and all public avenues, streets, alleys, highways and plazas in the City of San Diego, and through, over, across and along any and all the tide, submerged, overflowed and other land belonging to said city, so far as said city has any right, title or interest therein.

Provided, however, that all rights granted herein over lands besides those upon which said persons or their assigns have located their road by the first day of January, A. D. 1899, shall determine and be thenceforth null and void.

Provided further, that all rights granted herein over other lands besides those upon which said persons or their assigns shall have constructed their road, by the first day of January, A. D. 1900, shall determine and be thenceforth null and void.

Provided further, that this right shall not apply to any part of the City of San Diego, nor easterly of a line commencing at the intersection of the northeastern line of Main street with the line of the National ranch; thence following the north and easterly line of said Main street and its extension to the intersection of said extension with said city, thence by a line parallel with the general direction of the line of high water in the bay of San Diego, and distant therefrom 400 feet to the east line of State street in New San Diego; thence along the east line of State street in New San Diego, in a northerly direction to the north line of "E" street; thence west along the north line of "E" street to the east line of India street; thence along the east line of India street in a northerly direction to its intersection with the northeastern boundary of Middletown; thence by a straight line to the intersection of the southwesterly line of San Diego avenue, with the southeast line of Old Town; thence by the southwesterly line of San Diego avenue to its junction with Washington square; thence northerly in a straight line to the intersection of Taylor street with the San Diego river.

Provided further, and this right of way is granted upon the following express conditions, to-wit:

1. The above named persons or their assigns shall, by the first day of July, 1899, construct and thereafter continuously maintain a steam railroad over the right of way, as the same shall have been located by said persons or their assigns, as herein above provided, and afford reasonable facilities for public travel and traffic, thereon until January first, 1900, after which said persons, or their assigns shall fully operate said road over said right of way.

2. The persons above named, or their assigns, shall establish, on or before the first day of January, 1900, and thereafter continuously maintain on said line of road between the northwest line of Twenty-second street in Mannassee & Schiller's addition to said city, and the south line of Ash street, in said Middletown at least one passenger depot, with all the necessary conveniences for the ordinary and usual accommodation of public travel and on or before January 1st, 1900, shall also establish and thereafter continuously maintain on said line, between the foot of Ash street in Middletown, as aforesaid, and the west line of Twenty-sixth street, a freight depot, with all the necessary conveniences for the ordinary and usual accommodation of public traffic.

3. Whenever said road shall cross or pass along any street, highway, sidewalk or alley, in said city, now or hereafter used for travel the persons above named or their assigns, shall put and maintain such street, highway, sidewalk or alley at such crossings in good condition for public convenience and travel.

4. The persons above named or their assigns, shall be liable for all damages, which may be adjudged in favor of owners of property or to other persons because of the adoption of this ordinance.

Sec. 2. The persons above named, or their assigns, may, and they are hereby empowered to lay and use temporary tracks for purposes of construction through, over, across, and along any and all public avenues, streets, alleys, highways and plazas in the said city, with the same exception as set forth in Section one of this ordinance, and through, over, across and along any and all tide, submerged, overflowed and other lands belonging to said city, with a like exception as aforesaid, in which said city has any right, title or interest.

Provided, however, that such tracks shall be laid and the trains on them operated in such manner as to interfere as little as possible with the convenience of public travel and shall not be maintained or operated for a longer time than is reasonably necessary for purposes of construction of their said road, and in no event, beyond January 1st, 1900.

And provided further, that on or before January 1st, 1900, or when said construction shall be completed, if sooner, the persons above named, or their assigns, shall remove said temporary tracks and restore said premises so occupied to the same condition as regards fitness for travel and public use as they were in prior to such occupancy.

Sec. 3. The persons above named or their assigns, shall have no rights, powers or license under and by virtue of this ordinance, or any part thereof, unless they shall, within thirty days after the passage hereof, file with the City Clerk of this city their written notice that the persons above named, or their assigns, accept this ordinance, nor unless on or before January 1st, 1899, the persons above named or their assigns shall locate said line of railroad through this city, as aforesaid, and on or before January 1st, 1899, shall file in the office of the Recorder of San Diego county, California, a true and correct map and profile of said line as located, and file a duplicate thereof with the Clerk of the City of San Diego, California; and thereafter the right granted by this ordinance shall be restricted to the 100 feet in width as designated on said maps for all purposes except temporary construction tracks aforesaid.

A failure of the persons above named or their assigns, to comply with any and all the requirements of this ordinance shall work a forfeiture of all rights, powers and privileges granted hereby, and thereafter the whole of said ordinance shall be null and void.

Sec. 4. The Common Council of said city hereby reserves the right to repeal, amend or modify this ordinance.

Sec. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect, and be in force, from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of the foregoing ordinance, to publish the same

once in the city official newspaper of said city.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, this 4th day of April, 1898, and signed in open session thereof by the President of said Board April 4th, 1898.

A. MORGAN,
President of the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Aldermen of the City of San Diego, California, this 4th day of April, 1898, and signed in open session thereof by the President of said Board April 4th, 1898.

SIMON LEVI,
President of the Board of Aldermen of the City of San Diego, California.

Approved this 5th day of April, 1898.

D. C. REED,
Mayor of the City of San Diego, California.

(CITY CLERK) Attest

GEO. D. GOLDMAN,

City Clerk

A Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for proposals for leasing to the City a building for City Hall purposes, having been postponed until this time was now taken up, read, and adopted.

by the following vote, to-wit:-
Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Almsted,
Lambert, Daddridge, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy, and Morgan.
Noes-Delegates Alden and Appren.

Absent-Delegates Grary.
Said resolution, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-
Joint Resolution N° 99H.

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:-
That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the leasing, to this City, a building suitably fitted up for use as a City Hall, for a period of two years, with the privilege of leasing the same longer; such advertisement to be published for five days and shall state that bids will be received, and filed with the City Clerk up to the hour of 7.30 o'clock A.M. of the 3rd day of May, 1898.
That Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A Resolution Ordering the Work of Sidewalking and Curbing 5th Street, from Ash street to Walnut avenue, having been postponed until this time, was now taken up, read, and adapted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Daddridge, Appren, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.
N° Delegates Lambert.
Absent-Delegates Grary.

Said resolution, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-

Resolution Ordering the Work Of sidewalking and curbing the east side of Fifth street in the City of San Diego, California, from the north line of Ash street, to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the west side of said Fifth street from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue so extended. Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the public interest and convenience of said city require that the street work herein after described be done, and therefore the said Common Council hereby orders the following street work to be done in said city, to-wit:- That the east side of that portion of Fifth street in said City of San Diego, from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth street, from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, if extended eastward across said Fifth street, including all intersections of streets, between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth street and intersections between said points as have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893. The San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution ordering work, and the notice of said work inviting sealed proposals for doing the same, shall be published, in the manner and by the persons required by law. The Clerk of this city is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the chamber door of said Common Council, a notice with specifications inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said Clerk is hereby directed to publish, for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same, and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose. Said Clerk is also hereby directed to publish this resolution ordering work, for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose. And also that the east side of that portion of said Fifth street from the north	line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth street from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, if extended eastward across said Fifth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth street and intersections between said points as have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893. The San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution ordering work, and the notice of said work inviting sealed proposals for doing the same, shall be published, in the manner and by the persons required by law. The Clerk of this city is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the chamber door of said Common Council, a notice with specifications inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said Clerk is hereby directed to publish, for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same, and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose. Said Clerk is also hereby directed to publish this resolution ordering work, for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.
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The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the claims of Joseph Kelly for Sidewalking and Curbing of street, in front of the New Town Park, being read was adopted, viz:-
 The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within claims of Joseph Kelly be paid, amounting to the sum of \$232.22. We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying ordinance.

H. O'Whipkey.

A. Beard.

C. M. Hackett.

March 25th 1898. M. J. Currier.

Whereupon an Ordinance providing for the payment of said claims, was presented, read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Almsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Currier, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes None.

Absent Delegate Gray.

Said Ordinance, as adopted, is as follows, viz:-
Ordinance No 544.

An Ordinance providing for the payment of the sum of Two hundred and thirty-two dollars and twenty-two cents, for sidewalking and curbing a portion of "F" Street in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the claims of Joseph Kelly, for the sum of two hundred and two dollars and eighty-two cents and for the sum of twenty-nine dollars and forty cents, filed with the City Clerk of said City, on the 21st day of March, 1898, for the sidewalking and curbing of certain portions of "F" Street in said City, fronting upon New Town Park, be and the same are hereby allowed as claims against said City of San Diego, and the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego, is hereby directed, instructed and authorized to allow said claims, and the Auditor to issue his warrant therefor to

the said Joseph Kelly.

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

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred the request of the Board of Public Works for authority to purchase two water barrels for sprinkling carts, was read and adopted, viz:-

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the Board of Public Works be instructed to purchase two tanks for sprinkling carts, and therefore recommends the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

Daniel G. Ingle.

Geo. B. Watson.

H. Sweeney.

A. P. Johnson Jr.

March 25, 1898.

Whereupon a Joint Resolution providing for the purchase of said water barrels was read and adopted, by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes - Delegates Alvord, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Curran, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegate Arary.

Said resolution, as adopted, is as follows, viz:-

Joint Resolution No. 996.

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 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. each.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred the

petition for refund to him, of the sum of \$1.38 paid on account of an erroneous assessment was read and adopted, viz:-

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the within petition be denied, in accordance with the opinion of the City Attorney.

Daniel G. Ingle.
Geo. B. Watson.
H. Sweeney.
A. P. Johnson Jr.

Mar. 25, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred the application of F. W. Brown for authority to sell leather belts and suspenders, was read and adopted, viz:-

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the within petition be granted, and that F. W. Brown be allowed to sell suspenders and belts without the payment of any license therefor.

Daniel G. Ingle.
Geo. B. Watson.
H. Sweeney.
A. P. Johnson Jr.

Mar. 25, 1898.

The report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred a communication from the Merchants and Manufacturers Association in re licensing certain trades and callings was read and adopted, and is as follows, viz:-

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the within communication be laid on the table.

Daniel G. Ingle.
Geo. B. Watson.
H. Sweeney.
A. P. Johnson Jr.

Mar. 25, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee, to whom was referred the claim of Geo. Mower for services guarding the City Dump in the City Park, was read and adopted, viz:-

San Diego, Cal., Mar. 25th 1898.
 To the Common Council,
 City of San Diego.

Gentlemen: The Joint Finance Committee, to whom was referred the claim of Geo. Mawer for \$34.00 for guarding the City dump in the park 17 days during the month of January, 1898, herewith recommends that action of the Health Officer in incurring said indebtedness be ratified, and that the Auditing Committee be instructed to allow said claim.

Respectfully,

Geo. B. Watson.

H. Sweeney.

A. P. Johnson Jr.

Daniel G. Ingle, Acting No.

The following report of the Special Committee to whom was referred an Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of Garbage in the same receptacle with ashes, tin cans, etc. was read, and adopted, viz:-

The Special Committee on the Disposal of Garbage recommends that the within Ordinance to prohibit the placing of garbage in the same receptacle as ashes, tin cans, etc., be adapted.

Geo. B. Watson.

H. Sweeney.

J. W. Barnes.

J. A. James.

W. H. Doddridge.

Whereupon said Ordinance, being read, was adopted, by the following vote, to wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Throvert, Barnes, Morgan, Alder, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Arrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

No. Delegate Morgan.

Absent-Delegate Brady.

Said Ordinance, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-
Ordinance No. 506.

An Ordinance to prohibit the placing or

mixing of garbage, night-soil, and kitchen refuse in the same receptacle with ashes, tin cans, wire, iron, waste paper, or other rubbish.

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

Section 1. That no person shall within the City of San Diego, California, deposit or place or cause to be deposited or placed any garbage, night-soil, and kitchen refuse in any vehicle, vessel, or other receptacle with ashes, tin cans, wire, iron, waste paper or other rubbish.

Section 2. Every person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding fifty dollars, and in case such fine be not paid, may be imprisoned in the city jail of said City until such fine be satisfied in the proportion to one day's imprisonment for every two dollars of the fine.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diegoan-Sun.

The Official Committee on the Disposal of Garbage, having recommended the adoption of an Ordinance imposing a license on scavengers, and said Ordinance being read, was on motion of Delegate Amsted laid on the table.

The following report of the Official Committee to whom was referred the proposals for disposing of the City's Garbage, was read and adopted, viz:-
San Diego, Cal. April 4th 1898.

To the Common Council
City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

The Official Committee on the Disposal of Garbage, to whom was referred the bids for the disposal of the City's garbage for the period

of six months or one year. herewith reports as follows:

We recommend, that the bid of Equire Gentry to dispose of the City's garbage for the sum of \$123.50 per month be accepted.

We recommend, that the Board of Public Works be instructed, and directed, to enter into contract with Equire Gentry to dispose of the City's garbage, in the manner set forth in his bid, for six months for the sum of \$123.50 per month.

We recommend, that the Board of Public Works be instructed, and directed to require the said Equire Gentry to give a good and sufficient bond for the faithful performance of his duty.

In order to carry into effect these recommendations we present herewith a Joint Resolution, and recommend its adoption.

Respectfully,

Geo. B. Watson.

H. Durney.

J. A. James.

N. H. Daddridge.

J. W. Barnes.

Whereupon said Joint Resolution being presented, and read, was adopted, by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes. Delegates Greer, Barnes, Morgan, Rhoads, Almonte, Lambert, Berlin, Randie, James and Cassidy.

Noes. Delegates Allen, Daddridge, Johnson, Williamson & Morgan.

Absent. Delegate Gray.

Said resolution, as adopted, is as follows, viz:-

Joint Resolution No 995.

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 enter into an agreement with Equire Gentry, for the disposal of the garbage, night soil, dead animals, rubbish, and other waste matter of the said City, for a period of six months,

for the sum of one hundred and twenty three dollars and fifty cents (\$123.50) 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 21st 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 contract.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase \$100⁰⁰ worth of Stamps for use of the various departments of the City, being read, was amended by reducing the amount to \$25⁰⁰, and as so amended, adopted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
 Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Perrin,
 Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James,
 Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Gray.

Said resolution, as adopted, is as follows, viz:-

Joint Resolution No 993.

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 empowered to purchase twenty-five dollars worth of postage stamps for the various offices and departments of the City.

An Ordinance determining the necessity of acquiring a right-of-way for a roadway or street to Mount Hope Cemetery, and directing the City Attorney to commence an action to acquire the land necessary to open such street, was read and adopted, by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
 Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Perrin,
 Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James,
 Cassidy and Morgan.

New Name.

Abund. Delegate Tracy.

Said Ordinance, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-

Ordinance No. 507.

An ordinance determining and declaring: That the public interest, convenience, and necessity of the City of San Diego, California, and of the inhabitants thereof, require the construction and opening of a public street within said city, commencing at the intersection of Thirty-second street with "M" street in Central Park addition to said city, and extending thence easterly to an intersection with Pascoe street in Wetmore & Sandborn's addition to said city, in pueblo lot 1152 of the pueblo lands of said city; that the taking and acquiring of certain lands by said city are deemed necessary for the construction and opening of such street; and directing the City Attorney to commence an action in the proper court, in the name of the City of San Diego, for the purpose of condemning such lands necessary for the purpose of constructing said street.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows: Section 1. That it be and is hereby determined and declared that the public interest, convenience and necessity of the City of San Diego, California, and of the inhabitants thereof, require the construction and opening of a public street within said City of San Diego, commencing at the intersection of Thirty-second street with "M" street in Central Park addition to said city, and extending thence easterly to an intersection with Pascoe street in Wetmore & Sandborn's addition to said city in pueblo lot 1152 of the pueblo lands of said city; and it is further hereby determined and declared that the public interest, convenience and necessity of said city, and of the inhabitants thereof, require the acquisition, by said city, for the construction and opening of said public street, each and all of the following described pieces or parcels of land situated in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 7 in block 76; thence running south along the east line of said lot 7, 23.97 feet; thence running northwesterly 33.60 feet to a point on the north line of said lot 7; thence running east along the north line of said lot 7, 17.02 feet to the northeast corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 8 in said block 76; thence running south 50 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 8; thence running west along the south line of said lot 8, 17.02 feet; thence running northwesterly 58 feet to a point on the north line of said lot 8; thence running east along the north line of said lot 8, 46.40 feet to the northeast corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 9 in said block 76; thence running south 50 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 9; thence running west along the south line of said lot 9, 46.40 feet; thence running northwesterly 58 feet to a point on the north line of said lot 9; thence running east 75.77 feet along the north line of said lot to the northeast corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 10 in said block 76; thence running east along the north line of said lot 10, 86.59 feet; thence running southeasterly 27.47 feet to the east line of said lot 10; thence running south 27.47 feet along the east line of said lot 10 to the southeast corner of said lot 10; thence running west along the south line of said lot 10, 75.77 feet; thence running northwesterly 47.83 feet to the west line of said lot 10; thence running north along the west line of said lot 10, 8.76 feet to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 11 in said block 76; thence running east along the north line of said lot 11, 57.20 feet; thence running southeasterly 58 feet to a point on the south line of said lot 11; thence running west 86.59 feet along the south line of said lot 11 to the southwest corner thereof; thence running north along the west line of said lot 11 to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 12 in said block 76; thence running east along the north line of said lot 12, 27.64 feet; thence running southeasterly 58 feet to a point on the south line of said lot 12; thence running west along the south line of said lot 12, 57.20 feet to the southwest corner thereof; thence running north along the west line of said lot 12 to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

All of lot 1 in said block 76; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 2 in said block 76; thence running east along the north line of said lot 2, 100 feet to the northeast corner thereof; thence running south along the east line of said lot 2 to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west along the south line of said lot 2, 5.14 feet; thence running northwesterly 23 feet to a point; thence running west 80.17 feet to a point on the west line of said lot 2; thence running north 25 feet along the west line of said lot 2 to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning on the north line of lot 3 in said block 76, 94.86 feet east from the northwest corner of said lot 3; thence running east 5.14 feet to the northeast corner of said lot 3; thence running south along the east line of said lot 3, 8.76 feet; thence running northwesterly to a point on the north line of said lot 3 and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

All of lot 1 in block 77 in said Wetmore and Sandborn's Addition to said city; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

All of lot 12 in said block 77; also the

following described piece or parcel of land:

All of the north half of lot 2 in said block 77; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 12 in block 84 in said Wetmore and Sandborn's Addition to said city; thence running east along the north line of said lot to the northeast corner of said lot 12; thence running south along the east line of said lot, 50 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running northwesterly 103.10 to a point on the west line of said lot 12; thence running north along the west line of said lot 12, 25 feet to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 1 in said block 84; thence running east along the north line of said lot, 100 feet to the northeast corner thereof; thence running south along the east line of said lot 1, 25 feet; thence running northwesterly 103.10 feet to the northwest corner of said lot; and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 1 in block 86 in said Wetmore and Sandborn's Addition to said city; thence running east along the north line of said lot 1, 14.15 feet; thence running southeasterly 68.25 feet to a point on the south line of said lot 1; thence running west along the south line of said lot 1, 60.60 feet to the west line of said lot; thence running north 50 feet along the west line of said lot to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 2 in said block 86; thence running east along the north line of said lot 2, 60.60 feet; thence running southeasterly 57.85 feet to a point on the east line of said lot 2; thence running south along the east line of said lot 2, 7.61 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west along the south line of said lot 2 to the southwest corner thereof; thence running north 50 feet along the west line of said lot 2 to the northwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 3 in said block 86; thence running east 100 feet to the northeast corner thereof; thence running south 50 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 3; thence running west along the south line of said lot 3, 55.64 feet; thence running northwesterly 65.17 feet to a point on the west line of said lot 3; thence running north 2.26 feet to the northwest corner of said lot; and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at a point on the north line of lot 4 in said block 86, 44.36 feet east from the northwest corner thereof; thence running east along the north line of said lot 4, 55.64 feet to the northeast corner thereof; thence running south 50 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 4; thence running west along the south line of said lot 4, 9.18 feet; thence running northwesterly 68.25 feet to the place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at a point on the north line of lot 5 in said block 86, 90.82 feet east from the northwest corner thereof; thence running east along the north line of said lot 5, 9.18 feet to the northeast corner thereof; thence running south along the east line of said lot 5, 9.88 feet; thence running northwesterly to the place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at a point on the south line of lot 11 in said block 86, 92.93 feet west of the southeast corner of said lot; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot 11; thence running north along the west line of said lot 11, 7.61 feet; thence running southeasterly to the place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 10 in said block 86; thence running east along the north line of said lot 10, 7.07 feet; thence running southeasterly 68.25 feet to a point on the south line of said lot 10; thence running west along the south line of said lot 10 to the southwest corner thereof; thence running north to the northwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 9 in said block 86; thence running east along the north line of said lot 9, 53.54 feet; thence running southeasterly to the southeast corner of said lot 9; thence running west 100 feet to the southwest corner of said lot; thence running north 50 feet to the northwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 8 in said block 86; thence running south 50 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west along the south line of said lot 8, 62.72 feet; thence running northwesterly 54.77 feet to a point on the west line of said lot 8; thence running north along the west line of said lot 8, 9.88 feet to the northwest corner thereof; thence running east to the northeast corner of said lot; and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 7 in said block 86; thence running south 50 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 7; thence running west along the south line of said lot 7, 16.26 feet; thence running northwesterly 68.25 feet to a point on the north line of said lot 7; thence running east 62.72 feet to the northeast corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 1 in block 91 in said Wetmore and Sandborn's Addition to said city; thence running east 33.5 feet to the northeast corner of said lot; thence running south 65 feet along the east line of said lot 1; thence running west to the west line of said lot 1; thence running north to the northwest corner of said lot 1 and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at a point on the east line of the southwest quarter of pueblo lot 1152 of the pueblo lands of the said City of San Diego, said point being distant 644 feet north from the southeast corner of said southwest quarter of said pueblo lot 1152; thence running west and parallel to the south line of said pueblo lot 937.50 feet; thence running southwesterly to a point on the division line between the west half of the west half and the east half of the west half of the southwest quarter of said pueblo lot, said point being distant 629.5 feet north from the south line of said pueblo lot 1152; thence running north along said division line 34.5 feet; thence running east and parallel to the south line of said pueblo lot 1152 to a point on the division line between the southwest quarter and the southeast quarter of said pueblo lot; thence running south along said division line 20 feet to the place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at a point on the east line of the southwest quarter of said pueblo lot 1152, said point being distant 724 feet north from the southeast corner of said southwest quarter of said pueblo lot 1152; thence running west parallel to the south line of said pueblo lot 947.5 feet; thence running southwesterly to a point on the division line between the west half of the west half and the east half of the west half of the southwest quarter of said pueblo lot 1152, said point being distant 712 feet north from the south line of said pueblo lot 1152; thence running south along said division line 8 feet; thence running east and parallel to the south line of said pueblo lot 1152 to a point on the di-

vision line between the southwest quarter and the southeast quarter of said pueblo lot 1152; thence running north along said division line 20 feet to the place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 14 in block 133 in Central Park Addition to said city of San Diego; thence running north along the west line of said lot 14, 92.36 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot 14; thence running south 98.57 feet to the southeast corner of said lot; thence running west along the south line of said lot to the place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 15 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 15, 86.02 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south 92.36 feet to the southeast corner of said lot; thence running west along the south line of said lot to the southwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 16 in said block 133; thence running north along the west side of said lot 16, 79.49 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south 86.02 feet to the southeast corner of said lot; thence running west along the south line of said lot to the southwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 17 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 17, 73.11 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south 79.68 feet to the southeast corner of said lot; thence running west along the south line of said lot to the southwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 18 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 18, 66.92 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south 73.34 feet to the southeast corner of said lot; thence running west along the south line of said lot to the southwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 19 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 19, 60.66 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south 66.92 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 19; thence running west along the south line of said lot to the southwest corner thereof and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 20 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 20, 64.32 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south 60.66 feet to the southeast corner of said lot 20; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 21 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 21, 47.98 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south along the east line of said lot 64.32 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 22 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 22, 41.64 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot; thence running south along the east line of said lot 22, 47.98 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 23 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 23, 35.30 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot 23; thence running south along the east line of said lot 41.64 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 24 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 24, 28.96 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot 24; thence running south along the east line of said lot 35.30 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 25 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 25, 22.59 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot 25; thence running south along the east line of said lot 28.96 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning; also the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 26 in said block 133; thence running north along the west line of said lot 26, 16 feet; thence running northwesterly to the east line of said lot 26; thence running south 22.59 feet to the southeast corner thereof; thence running west to the southwest corner of said lot and place of beginning;

That all the above described pieces or parcels of land are situated within the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and the taking and acquiring by said city, of each and all of the above described pieces or parcels of land are deemed necessary in the construction and opening of said public street.

Section 2. That the City Attorney of said city is hereby instructed and directed to commence an action in the proper court in the name of the said City of San Diego, against all owners and claimants of each and all of the above described pieces and parcels of land, for the purpose of condemning each and all of said parcels of land for the use of said city in constructing and opening such public street, and prosecute such action to a final determination.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance fixing the Compensation of the members of the Board of Equalization

for the year 1898, was read and adapted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Pirrie, Landis,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Gray.

Said Ordinance, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-

Ordinance No 513.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of Equalization of the City of San Diego, California, for the fiscal year 1898.

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

Section 1. That the Compensation of the members of the Board of Equalization of the City of San Diego, California, for the fiscal year 1898, be and the same is hereby fixed at \$4.00 per day each, for the time actually engaged in such work, as members of such Board.

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

An Ordinance to prohibit the firing of Fire-crackers on the Streets of the City, was read and referred to the Health & Morals Committee.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to place and maintain a Water Gauge in the office of the Board, being read, was an motion laid on the table.

An Ordinance fixing the salary of Wm Ramsey, an employee in the City Engineer's, was read and adapted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
Olmsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Pirrie, Landis,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Gray.

Said Ordinance, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-

Ordinance No 515.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of William Rumsey, an employee in the office of the City Engineer of the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the compensation of William Rumsey, an employee in the office of the City Engineer of the said City of San Diego, be and the same is hereby fixed for a period of one year from the date of the approval of this ordinance, at the sum of seventy-five dollars per month; and immediately after the expiration of said year the salary of said Rumsey shall be sixty-five dollars per month.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the adoption and approval of the same.

An Ordinance directing the Mayor to lease a Vault for use of the City, in the Consolidated Bank Building, being ready was adapted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Ormetid, Lambert, Daddridge, Curran, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Frary.

Said Ordinance, as adapted, is as follows, viz:-

Ordinance No 511.

An Ordinance directing the Mayor of the City of San Diego, California, to enter into and execute an agreement on behalf of the said City, for the lease of a vault for the use of said City.

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

Section 1. That the Mayor of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute a contract of lease in the name of and on behalf of said City of San Diego, with the proper persons, for a vault in the basement of the Consolidated National Bank Building in

said City, which lease shall be for a term of one year, and the rental to be paid not to exceed five dollars per month, the said vault to be used by said City for storing papers, records, etc.; and the City Clerk of said City is hereby directed to attest the execution of said lease by affixing his signature and the seal of said City thereto.

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

An Ordinance granting the City Engineer additional assistance for a period of thirty days, was read and adopted, by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Grivert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Lambert, Doddridge, Pirrie, Kachis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Grary.

Said Ordinance, as adopted is as follows, viz:-

Ordinance N^o 512.

An Ordinance 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.

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

Section 1. That the City Engineer of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby granted and allowed four additional assistants (one of which shall be an Engineer, and the other three, helpers) for a period of thirty days in addition to the thirty days granted by Ordinance N^o 493, approved the 14th day of February, 1898, to assist him in preparing plans and specifications and estimates of the cost for a complete sewer system of that portion of said City south of "N" Street and west of Chollas valley; the compensation of such assistants shall be the same as provided by said Ordinance N^o 493, provided that the entire aggregate compensation to be paid all of such assistants for the thirty days in this ordinance

granted, shall not exceed two hundred and eighty dollars.

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

At this time Delegate Barnes is excused from further attendance upon this session of the Board.

An Ordinance to prohibit the trespassing of Hawks on the premises of persons in certain portions of the City of San Diego, being read, was referred to the Health & Morals Committee.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Superintendent of Parks to employ assistance, in watering the trees in the City Park, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Aye Delegates Brewster, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almet, Lambert, Daddridge, Currie, Kaudis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Now Delegate Morgan, A.

Absent Delegates Barnes and Gray.

Said resolution, as adopted, is as follows, viz:-

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 empowered to employ assistance in watering the trees in City Park and caring for the same, at an expense not exceeding the sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00)

A petition of citizens and taxpayers asking the Council to increase the Police force to twenty men, together with an Ordinance to that end, were presented, and on motion it is ordered, that said petition and ordinance be referred to a Special Committee of three, to act with a like committee to be appointed by the Board of Aldermen. President Morgan appoints

as such Committee Delegates Aldm. Johnson and Daddridge.

After first giving due notice President Morgan did, in open session, sign the following Ordinances: Fixing the Compensation of William Rumsey; Fixing the Compensation of four additional assistants to the City Engineer; Authorizing the payment of Joseph Kelly's claims for sidewalking and curbing in front of the New Lawn Park; Fixing the Compensation of members of the Board of Equalization; Prohibiting the placing of garbage in the same receptacle with ashes, tin cans, etc.; Declaring the necessity for the acquisition of a right of way for a street to Mount Hope Cemetery; Authorizing the Mayor to lease a vault for use of the City; Also Granting a franchise for a steam railway to U. S. Grant Jr. et. al.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that it be authorized to procure tax receipts for the City Tax Collector being read was granted.

Whereupon a Joint Resolution granting said request, was presented, read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes-Delegates Everett, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, Lambert, Daddridge, Perin, Randis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes and Frary.

Said resolution, as adopted, is as follows viz:-

Joint Resolution No 992.

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

That the Board of Public Works be, and the same is hereby authorized and empowered to procure the necessary tax receipts for the year 1896, to be used by the City Tax Collector in collecting taxes for said year. The cost thereof not to exceed \$80.50.

At this time Delegate Lambert was excused from further attendance upon this session.

of the Board.

A Joint Resolution instructing the Ways and Means Committee to fix the tax levy for the fiscal year 1898, at not to exceed \$1.00, was read, and adopted, by the following vote, to-wit:-

Ayes Delegates Everett, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Almetes,
Daddridge, Currie, Sandie, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Gray and Lambert.

Said Resolution, as adopted, is as follows, viz:-

Joint Resolution No 997.

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

That the Ways and Means Committee of the Council are hereby directed to make the tax levy for 1898, not to exceed one dollar on each one hundred assessed valuation.

Petition of lot owners asking to have certain streets in Garlands Addition, closed, was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Petition of C. A. Lauber for authority to construct a Bay Window in front of No 1405 E Street, lot 5th & 6th was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The report of the Comptroller for the month of March, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

A Communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the Claim of the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company for rent of Crematory for the month of January, 1898, was presented and referred to the City Attorney.

A communication from the City Attorney in re the petition of R. E. Smith et al. to have alleys in Land & Pown Company's addition opened, was read and filed.

Whereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, April 18th 1898, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

attest Geo. D. Galdman City Clerk. President Board of Delegates.
A. Morgan.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, April 18th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held
this day at 7:30 P.M., President Morgan presiding.

Present Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Almsted,
Lambert, Woddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy, Morgan and
Clerk Goldman

Absent Delegates Frary and Alden

The minutes of Regular Meeting held April 4th, 1898, were
read and approved.

The following report of the Joint Water Committee in the matter
of the communication from the Southern California Mountain Water
Company asking to be released from its contract to furnish the
City with water, etc., was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, April 12th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your Joint Water Committee to whom was referred the
communication from the Southern California Mountain Water
Company, asking the Council to release it from its contract with
the City to sell to the City a water right, &c., &c., herewith report and
recommend to your Hon. Body that this matter be held in abeyance
for a time, pending the very probable settlement of the question
by a decision from the Supreme Court on the legality of the
proposed Bond issue, which is expected at any time now.

Respectfully,

H. Sweeney

S. H. Almsted

A. A. Thorp

F. W. Barnes

W. H. Woddridge

H. W. Alden

The Health and Morals Committee having recommended the
application of Cassidy and Vothues for a retail liquor license at
Third and Ist streets on motion the same was granted.

The following report of the Board of Equalization was read and ordered placed on file, viz:

To the Common Council,

Gentlemen:—

We, your duly appointed Board of Equalization for the year 1898, would respectfully report:

We find the desirable and rent producing ^{property} and the better portion of the city assessed rather below its salable values. The best residence portion of the city is also assessed at a fair valuation, but with the exceptions named we find nearly all the real property valued above what it would bring upon the market.

On referring to the records of the Equalization Boards for the past two years we find the same conditions existed then as now, and yet we find property that had been reduced those years again returned by the Assessor at about the old valuations. The improvements are assessed at only 25 per cent. of their real value, and while we believe the principle of favoring those who invest in improving and beautifying our city is proper, we would recommend that the basis be increased in the future.

We find the assessment is about 20 per cent. higher than the same property is assessed by the County.

So far as the Assessor is concerned we find that all property is well graded in values, and no partiality is shown, but it seems to be his intention to assess property at a high valuation for the purpose of securing sufficient revenues to defray city expenses; but we believe the proper move is to assess the realty at its actual cash value, and let the question of revenues take care of itself.

Therefore we recommend that you adopt a Resolution

"That the Assessor be requested to assess the real estate of the city at its actual cash value, and that he assess improvements at not less than 35% of their real value."

We also desire to call your attention to the impossibility of recovering what we believe to be a proper tax from National Banks.

We therefore recommend that the Council memorialize the Legislature to enact suitable remedies.

Respectfully,

L. H. Olmsted,

H. Sweeney,

W. H. Doddridge,

A. E. Rodson,

F. A. James,

A. Beard.

The following report of the Special Committee in the matter of the location of the Chemical Engine House was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, April 18th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of the location of the Chemical Engine herewith recommend that said engine be located on a plot of ground 100x100 feet in size in the City Park, between Kalnia and Nutmeg streets, and 6th street and Park Boulevard.

Respectfully,

L. A. Blochman,

A. Beard,

W. L. Frevert,

H. M. Landis.

The following report of the Health and Morals Committee in the of an Ordinance to prohibit the trespassing of fowls was read adopted, viz:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend that the within Ordinance be adopted.

A. Beard

A. E. Dodson

D. W. Hackett

J. M. Williamson

W. J. Morgan

April 18th, 1898.

Upon motion of Delegate Alvested and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

An Ordinance prohibiting the trespassing of fowls was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

No Delegate A. Morgan.

Absent Delegates Frary and Alden.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —.

An Ordinance to prohibit the trespassing of fowls in certain portions of the City of San Diego, California, imposing a penalty for

its violation, and repealing certain ordinances of said city.

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

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, being the owner of or having the charge, care, custody, or control of any chicken, duck, goose, turkey, pigeon, or any domestic fowl, to allow or permit any such chicken, duck, goose, turkey, pigeon, or other domestic fowl to enter or go upon the occupied or improved premises of any other person in that portion of the said City of San Diego, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly shore line of the Bay of San Diego within said City, where the westerly end of Laurel street intersects the easterly shore line of said Bay; thence running easterly along said Laurel street to its intersection with Union street; thence running northerly along said Union street to its intersection with Upas street; thence running easterly along said Upas street to its intersection with the west line of Pueblo Lot 1123 of the pueblo lands of said City, where said west line of said Pueblo Lot extended south across said Upas street; thence running north along the west line of said Pueblo Lot 1123 so extended to the northwest corner of said lot; thence running easterly along the north line of said Pueblo Lot 1123 to University avenue; thence continuing easterly along said University avenue to the west line of Sixth street where said line extended north across said University avenue; thence south along said west line of Sixth street so extended to the northwest corner of the City Park; thence south along the west line of the City Park to the south line of Date street; thence east along the north line of Carruther's addition to said City to the northwest corner of said addition; thence south along the east line of said addition to the south line of the City Park; thence in a direct line east to the southeast corner of Pueblo Lot 1141 of the pueblo lands of said City; thence south in a direct line along the easterly boundary lines of Pueblo Lots 1150, 1153, 1159, and 1162 to the south line of Bay avenue; thence west along the south line of Bay avenue to its intersection with the shore line of the said Bay of San Diego; thence northwesterly and along the easterly shore line of said Bay to its intersection with Laurel street and place of beginning.

Section 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not exceeding ten dollars.

Section 3. Ordinance No. 454 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 16th, 1897, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

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

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the Resolution Ordering the Work of sidewalking and curbing Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue, and also of the publication and posting of the Notice Inviting Proposals for doing said work being presented were ordered filed.

The Clerk reports that in response to said advertisement he had received the following proposals or bids for doing said work:

The bid of James M. Nair offering to do said work at the following prices, viz:

Curbing per lin ft. $28\frac{3}{4}$ ¢

Sidewalk " Sq. " $8\frac{3}{4}$ ¢

Said bid was accompanied by a bond in the penal sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00).

The bid of John Engelbret offering to do said work at the following prices, viz:

Sidewalk per square foot 10 cts

Curbing per lineal foot 29 cts

Said bid was accompanied by a check certified by the First National Bank of San Diego for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

The bid of Joseph Kelly offering to do said work at the following prices, viz:

Sidewalk at \$.12 per sq foot.

Curb " \$.35 " linl "

Said bid was accompanied by a check certified by the Merchants National Bank of San Diego for the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00), also by forty-five dollars (\$45.00) in cash.

Said bids were referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The Auditor's estimate of the probable necessities for the city for the year 1898 was presented and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$12.00, in addition to that already appropriated, to finish plowing the Ladies Annex Park was read and on motion the authority was granted.

A communication from the Board of Police Commissioners asking the Council to furnish better headquarters for the Police department was presented and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

At this time the Board takes a recess for five minutes.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$12⁰⁰ in plowing the Ladies Annex Park was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows:

Joint Resolution No. 1002.

Be it 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 31st, 1898, said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to expend twelve dollars (\$12⁰⁰) in addition to the allowance of two hundred dollars (\$200⁰⁰) made by Joint Resolution No. 987, adopted by this Common Council on March 22nd, 1898, for the plowing and harrowing of the Howard tract and the Ladies' Annex Park in the City Park.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to repair the road from Sorrento to Old Town was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, 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.

A communication from the City Attorney giving his opinion that the claim of the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company for rent for the month of January, 1898, was illegal and should be rejected was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to reject all claims of the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company for rent was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Voddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

Joint Resolution No. 1003.

That Whereas, the City of San Diego entered into a contract on the 18th day of August, 1897, with the Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company, by the terms of which said City agreed to lease a crematory provided it was constructed in accordance with said contract and the specifications thereto attached, and to pay for the rent thereof five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per month (with the right to purchase the same according to the terms of said agreement), and provided further that when so constructed it would cremate, to odorless ashes, in a complete sanitary manner, free from all offensive smells, stench, or odors, and all obnoxious or otherwise dangerous gases, garbage, night-soil, dead animals, decayed fish, and other waste matter, such as is usually furnished by a city.

And Whereas, the said Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company did not construct, and never has constructed a crematory in accordance with said contract or the specifications and plans thereto attached,

And Whereas, the said Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company never has constructed such a crematory as is specified and described in said contract or that would cremate, to odorless ashes, in a sanitary manner, free from offensive smells, stench, or odors, or obnoxious gases, garbage, or night-soil, or dead animals, or decayed fish, or any other waste matter,

And Whereas, this Common Council has never accepted said crematory or approved of the construction of the same,

And Whereas, the said Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company has presented, to the Auditing Committee of the said City, its claim for the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for the rent of the said Crematory, for the month of January, 1898, which claim has been referred to this common Council,

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

That the said common Council hereby finds, determines, and declares that said Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company has not constructed a crematory in accordance with the said plans and specifications and contract; that said Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company has not complied with the terms of said agreement; that said common Council never has accepted or approved said crematory; that said City did not, in the month of January, 1898, or at all, rent or have the use of said crematory; and that said claim be and it is hereby rejected, and the Auditing Committee of said City of San Diego is hereby instructed, authorized, and directed to refuse and reject any and all claims presented by the said Dixon Sanitary Crematory Company, for the rent of the said crematory, or for the payment of any sum of money claimed to be due by the said Company under said contract, or at all.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claims of the H. S. Crocker Company for lithographing the refunding bonds was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Harris & Cheatham for making record books for the City Clerk's office, and recommending that a Joint Resolution ratifying said claim be adopted, was read.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution ratifying the claim of Harris & Cheatham for \$55.00 for making record books for the City Clerk's office was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Morgan, Thorpe, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 999.

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

That the claim of Harris & Cheatham for fifty-five dollars (\$55.00), for records furnished the City Clerk's office be and the same is

hereby allowed, ratified, and approved, and the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego is hereby directed to allow and order the same to be paid, and the City Auditor of said City is hereby directed and authorized to issue his warrant to the said Harris and Cheatham therefor.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Gus Mawer for \$34.00 for guarding the city dump during the month of January, 1898, and recommending that a Joint Resolution ratifying said claim be adopted, was read.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution ratifying the claim of Gus Mawer for \$55.00 was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landin, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1000.

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

That the claim of Gus Mawer, No. 3833, for the sum of thirty-four dollars (\$34.00), for guarding city dump for the month of January, 1898, be and the same is hereby allowed, ratified, and approved, and the Auditing Committee of said City is hereby authorized and directed to allow and approve the said claim, and the Auditor of said City to issue his warrant to the said Gus Mawer therefor.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Joseph Kelly for \$10.00 for repairing a sidewalk on "F" street, and recommending that the claim be ratified by the Common Council, was read.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution approving the claim of Joseph Kelly for work done on cement sidewalk on "F" street was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Perrin, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Morgan.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Alden and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1001.

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

That the claim of Joseph Kelly numbered 4082 for the sum of \$10⁰⁰ for work done on cement sidewalk on "F" street be and the is hereby allowed and approved and the Auditing Committee of said city be and said Committee is hereby directed to allow said claim and the Auditor of said city to draw his warrant therefor.

Upon motion city clerk Goldman was granted leave of absence for fifteen days.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a bill from Jones & Son for \$25⁰⁰ for taking care of the garbage scow for five months, and also asking the Council what disposition they should make of the garbage scow, was read and on motion of Delegate Perrin the Board was instructed to advertise the scow and sell it to the highest bidder.

A communication from the Board of Public Works giving an estimated cost, for placing street signs on all streets traversed by street cars, of \$180⁰⁰, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to have two tanks made for sprinkling carts, at a cost not to exceed \$65⁰⁰ each, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a statement of the expenditures of the various departments of the city for the month of March, 1898, was presented and filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of March, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$183⁶⁰, was presented and filed.

A communication from the Auditor transmitting a statement of the condition of the various funds of the City for the month of March, 1898, was presented and filed.

A communication from the Fourth of July Celebration Committee asking for authority to use the garbage scow as a float during the water carnival on the night of July 4th, 1898, was read and the authority granted.

A communication from M. Sherman et al., accepting the railroad franchise granted by Ordinance No. 505 was read and ordered filed.

A petition from property owners to have the sewer system extended by constructing a sewer in the alley between Logan and Kearney avenues from the present sewers to Union avenue, thence to the East school, was read and referred to the Board of Public Works and said Board was requested to investigate the feasibility of constructing said sewer, the cost thereof, and report the result of their investigations to the Common Council, together with recommendations as to what should be done in the matter.

A communication from Mrs. A. Watson in the matter of suppressing nickel in-the-slot machines was read and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

The petition of A. E. Winters for permission to construct concrete sidewalk and curb on "D" street in front of lot 1, Block #2, Utts addition, was presented and granted.

A petition of property owners for authority to extend the sewer on Fourth street from the present terminus on Juniper street to the north line of Laurel street, the cost of such extension to be paid by the City at such time as there are funds available therefor, was read and referred to the Sewer Committee.

The application of Butler & Purcell for a retail liquor license was presented and granted.

The application of Mrs. Rosa Jones for a retail liquor license was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

A. Morgan

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest:

Geo. D. Goldsman
City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, May 2nd, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Delegates was held this day
at 7:30 P.M., President Morgan presiding.

Present Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden,
Thorp, Alvested, Lambert, Doddridge, Perrin,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy, A.
Morgan and Clerk Vincent.

Absent Delegate Landis.

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held April 18th, 1898,
were read and approved.

The President announces that the first business before
the Board is the election of a President for the ensuing year.

Delegate Doddridge nominates delegate Perrin for
President of the Board for the year.

No further nominations being made upon motion of
delegate Alvested the clerk is instructed to cast the ballot
of the Board for delegate Perrin for President.

The clerk having cast the ballot of the Board for delegate
Perrin for President, President Morgan declares delegate
Perrin duly as President of the Board for the ensuing
year; and appoints delegates Alvested and Doddridge as a
committee to escort President-elect Perrin to the chair.

Upon the motion of delegate Barnes the following resolution
was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the members of the Board of Delegates of
the City of San Diego, do hereby express our appreciation and
thanks to our retiring presiding officer, A. Morgan, the
promptness of his rulings, business-like manner of conducting
business and courteous treatment of the members of this Body.

On motion of delegate Alvested and by the following
vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden,
Thorp, Alvested, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and
Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

The Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting the appointment of M. T. Killmore as Cemetery Commissioner, vice A. Overbaugh, term expired, was read and ordered filed.

Upon motion of Delegate Alden the appointment of M. T. Killmore was confirmed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting the appointment of C. C. Hakes as Police Commissioner vice Omer C. Smith, term expired, was read and ordered filed.

Upon motion of Delegate Almsted the appointment of C. C. Hakes was confirmed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting the appointment of M. W. Jenkins as Police Commissioner vice Joseph A. Flint, resigned, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon the appointment of M. W. Jenkins was confirmed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Almsted, Morgan, Doddridge, Lambert, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

The following communication from the Auditor transmitting the assessment roll for the fiscal year 1898 was read and ordered filed:

San Diego, California, May 2nd, 1898.

To the Honorable Common Council,

Gentlemen:-

In accordance with provisions of Sec. 9, of Chapter 1, of

Article VI, of the Charter, I herewith deliver to you the assessment roll of the city of San Diego, California, for the fiscal year 1898, which roll shows a total assessed valuation of \$12,739,605.

Respectfully,

Nat H. Titus,

city auditor.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to appoint an inspector over cement walks about to be constructed in the Plaza was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to appoint an Inspector over the work of constructing cement walks in the Plaza was read.

On motion of Delegate A. Morgan the compensation of said inspector was fixed at \$3⁰⁰ per day.

Thereupon said Ordinance was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Gray, Morgan, Alder, Thorp, Alvested, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the city of San Diego, California, to appoint an inspector over the work of constructing the cement sidewalk in the city Plaza.

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 of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint an inspector over the work of constructing the cement sidewalk in the city Plaza (the contract for the construction of which sidewalk has been awarded by the said Board of Public Works to James Mc Nair) at a compensation not to exceed three dollars per day.

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

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking the council to pass an Ordinance authorizing said Board to sell the old garbage scow and accessories thereto was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to sell the old garbage scow was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 518.

An Ordinance providing for the sale of certain personal property of the City of San Diego, California.

Whereas, it is deemed, by this Common Council, that the garbage scow and all anchors, chains, ropes, and other paraphernalia connected therewith, owned and formerly used by this City for conveying garbage out to sea, is wholly unfit and unnecessary for the further use of this City, therefore,

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 of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, after advertising for five days, the said garbage scow, together with all anchors, chains, ropes, and other paraphernalia connected therewith.

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

At this time Delegate Landis enters and takes his seat in the Board.

An Ordinance providing for lighting the Plaza was read and on motion of Delegate Olmsted adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-None.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance --.

An Ordinance providing for lighting the Plaza.

Be it Ordained By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows, to-wit:

Sec. 1. That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby directed, authorized and empowered to provide for lighting and light the "Plaza" with gas; said Plaza to be lighted during the same hours and in accordance with the same schedule as provided for lighting the said City with electricity.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to employ a competent man, either a plumber or gas fitter, to attend to the lamps on the Plaza, was read and on motion of Delegate Brewster referred to the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

A communication from the Board of Public Works dated April 21st, 1898, stating that they were unable to enter into contract with Squire Kentry to dispose of the City's garbage, as Kentry refused to sign any contract; also a communication from said Board of Public Works dated April 28th, 1898, stating that they had been verbally informed by the City Attorney that he would not draw up a contract between the said Board and Squire Kentry for the disposal of the City's garbage, as the proceedings were not in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, were read and ordered filed.

Delegate James moves that the Board of Public Works be authorized and empowered to advertise for bids and let contract for the disposal of the City's garbage, and that the City Attorney be directed to prepare and present the necessary ordinance to carry this motion into effect, which motion was adopted.

At this time a communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the disposal of the City's garbage was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of the garbage of the City was read and on motion of Delegate A. Morgan referred to the Joint Health and Morals Committee.

A petition from citizens asking the Council to reduce the license for the sale of liquors was presented and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 19, approved

August 10th, 1889, by reducing the license for selling liquors in quantities of less than one fifth of a gallon from \$50⁰⁰ per month to \$25⁰⁰ per month was read.

Delegate Doddridge moves that said ordinance be adopted.

Delegate Barnes moves that said ordinance be referred to the Finance Committee, which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alusted, Johnson and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Frary, Alden, Thorp, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Absent-None.

Thereupon said ordinance was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

Noes-Delegates Barnes, Alusted, Johnson and Perrin.

Absent-None.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 19 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, entitled, "An ordinance imposing municipal licenses in the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing the manner of issuing and collecting the same; regulating the manufacture, sale, and giving away of intoxicating liquors in said City, prescribing the duties of certain officers of said City, and fixing a penalty for its violation," approved August 10th, 1898.

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

Section 1. That Section 6 of Ordinance No. 19 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, entitled, "An Ordinance imposing municipal licenses in the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing the manner of issuing and collecting the same; regulating the manufacture, sale and giving away of intoxicating liquors in said City, prescribing the duties of certain officers of said City, and fixing a penalty for its violation," approved August 10th, 1889, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. The rate of license shall be as follows:

"First- For every hotel, restaurant or eating house where spirituous, vinous, malt or other intoxicating liquors are sold, except where a bar is maintained, the sum of \$25⁰⁰ per month.

"Second- For every place of business where said liquors or any of them are sold at wholesale, in quantities of not less than one-fifth of a gallon at a time, the sum of \$25 per month.

"Third- For every distillery, brewery, or place where spirituous, vinous, malt or other intoxicating liquors are manufactured, the sum of twenty-five dollars per month.

"Fourth- For every saloon, bar, bar-room, tippling-house or any other place where any wine, ale or beer, or any other spirituous, vinous, malt or other intoxicating liquors are to be sold in quantities of less than one-fifth of a gallon at a time, or to be drunk on the premises where sold, except the place mentioned in subdivision one of this section, the sum of twenty-five dollars per month or five dollars per day."

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

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the passage and approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegoan-Sun.

A communication from the City Attorney asking to have certain money collected as costs apportioned to the "Legal fund" was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance providing for the apportionment of certain moneys to the Legal fund was read and on motion of Delegate Doddridge adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes- Delegates Everett, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Ahnsted, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes- None

Absent- None

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 517.

An Ordinance providing for the apportionment of certain moneys to the Legal fund of said City.

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

Section 1. That all moneys received by the said City of San Diego, as costs in the trial of cases, be and the same are hereby apportioned to the Legal fund of the said City of San Diego; that the City Auditor of the said City of San Diego and the City Treasurer of the said City of San Diego be and they are hereby directed, instructed,

and authorized to make such entries as are necessary, upon the records of their respective offices, to carry this ordinance into effect.

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

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of April, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The applications of C. E. Winder for permission to construct concrete sidewalk and curb on "D" street in front of Block 18, Gardner's addition; also in front of Block 2, Culverwell's addition; also in front of lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 45, Culverwell & Taggart's addition, were read and granted.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the Bids for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue was read and on motion of delegate Alvested adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee herewith recommend that the within bid of James M. Nair for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue, be accepted.

H. Sweeney,

S. H. Hackett,

A. Beard,

W. H. Woddridge,

M. J. Perrin.

April 29th, 1898.

Thereupon a Resolution of Award of Contract for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street was read and on motion of delegate Alvested adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Freest, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Alvested, Morgan, Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Award

Of contract for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street.

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, having, in open session, on the 18th day of April, A.D., 1898, opened, examined, and publicly declared all sealed proposals or bids offered for the following work, to-wit:

That the east side of that portion of Fifth street in said City of

San Diego, from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth street, from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, if extended east across said Fifth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth street and intersections between said points as have already been sidewalked with concrete laid to the official grade and accepted) be sidewalked with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Article 2 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893;

And also that the east side of that portion of said Fifth street from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended east across said Fifth street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth street from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, if extended east across said Fifth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth street and intersections between said points as have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893.

Hereby rejects all of said bids except that next herein mentioned, and hereby awards the contract for said work to the lowest regular responsible bidder, to-wit: to James Mc Nair at the following prices, as specified in his proposal on file for said work, to-wit:

Curbing per lin ft 28³/₄ ¢

Sidewalk " sq " 8³/₄ ¢

The Clerk of this City is hereby directed to post notice of this award conspicuously for five days on or near the Council Chamber door of this City, and also publish said notice in the San Diegoan Sun, a daily newspaper, published and circulated in this City, therefor and hereby designated, for two days.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners to have the sewer on Fourth street extended from Juniper to Laurel streets was read and on motion of delegate Woddridge adopted, viz:

The Joint Sewer Committee recommends that the within petition be granted, and presents herewith a Resolution directing the City Engineer to make the necessary estimates and surveys, which we recommend be adopted.

A. Beard,
S. W. Hackett,
W. L. Frevert,
W. H. Doddridge,

April 29, 1898.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to establish the grade and make estimates for extending the sewer on Fourth street from Juniper to Laurel was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
Almsted, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and
Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-None.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1011.

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 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.

The report of the Joint Ways and Means Committee, to whom was referred the estimates of the probable necessities for the various departments of the City for the year 1898, upon which to base a rate for taxes for said year, which report recommended an apportionment (as shown by "Exhibit A" therein) if the rate was made ~~at~~ \$1⁰⁰ upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation; and a different apportionment (as shown by "Exhibit B" therein) if the rate was made \$1⁰⁰ upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation, was read.

Delegate Johnson moves that the action of the Board of Aldermen in adopting the apportionment based upon a rate of \$1⁰⁰ upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation, be concurred in.

Delegate A. Morgan moves that the apportionment to the Library fund be increased from .045 to .05, which motion was adopted.

Delegate Barnes moves that the .005 added to the Library fund be taken from the General fund, which motion was adopted.

Delegate Doddridge moves as a substitute for the motion of Delegate Johnson that the report of the Ways and Means Committee

as shown by "Exhibit B," based upon a rate of \$1.27 upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation, including the amendments to the Library and General funds, be adopted, which motion was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James and Cassidy.

Noes—delegates Olmsted, Johnson and Perrin.

Absent—None.

Said report as adopted is as follows, viz:

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the City of San Diego,
California,

Gentlemen:—

We, your Joint Ways and Means Committee, to whom was referred the estimates of the probable necessities for the various departments of the City for the fiscal year 1898, upon which to base the rate for municipal taxes for said year, respectfully report and recommend as follows:

That upon the total assessment roll for fiscal year 1898, viz: \$12,738,180, we estimate there will be 95% collected by the City, and have therefore based our estimates upon \$12,100,000 net valuation.

That under the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 997, adopted by your Honorable Body April 4th, 1898, recommending this committee to endeavor to keep the tax levy within one dollar limit, we have made an apportionment as shown by "Exhibit A," attached hereto and made a part hereof, which apportionment we recommend be adopted should your Honorable Body consider it for the best interest of the City to make the rate \$1.27 upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation.

Your Committee also considered the urgent necessities of certain public improvements, and have made an apportionment including such improvements therein as shown by "Exhibit B," attached hereto and made a part hereof, which apportionment will require a rate of \$1.27 upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation, and which apportionment we recommend be adopted should your Honorable Body consider it for the best interest of the City to make the rate in excess of \$1.27 upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation.

The apportionment shown upon said "Exhibit A," will provide the following amounts for the following purposes, viz:

Fire Department Fund.

Rate of fourteen cents and five mills (.145) upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation will raise \$17,545.00, which amount will pay for the chemical engine already contracted for; and the necessary

horses, harness and applications therefor, and provide for maintaining the fire department during the fiscal year.

Salary Fund.

Rate of thirteen cents and nine mills (.139) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$16,819.⁰⁰, which amount, together with the estimated apportionments from other sources, will provide for the salaries of the officers and employes as now fixed.

Police Department Fund.

The revenues derived from the Police Court and the City Justice Court are estimated to be sufficient to provide for the necessary expenses of the Police department, other than salaries which are paid from the Salary fund, therefore no levy is recommended for the Police department fund.

Street Fund.

Rate of fourteen cents and five mills (.145) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation, will raise \$17,545.⁰⁰, which will provide \$650⁰⁰ for completing the Rose Canyon road, as now contracted for, \$3,100⁰⁰ for constructing the Mt. Hope road, \$5,000⁰⁰ for sweeping paved streets, \$4,000⁰⁰ for sprinkling streets, and \$4,795.⁰⁰ for material and labor required for general street repairs.

Sewer and Drainage Fund.

Rate of four cents and five mills (.045) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$5,445.⁰⁰, which will provide \$3,134⁰⁰ for sewer construction, already completed or contracted for, \$800⁰⁰ for water for flushing sewers, \$300⁰⁰ for 7th ward sewer survey, \$720⁰⁰ for services of assistant to Superintendent of Sewers, as provided by Ordinance No. 354, and \$491⁰⁰ for material and labor for general repairs to the sewer system.

Street Light Fund.

Rate of thirteen cents (.13) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$15,730.⁰⁰, the amount required for payment of lighting the streets and public places under provisions of the contract with San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company.

Park Improvement Fund.

Rate of one cent and five mills (.015) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$1,815.⁰⁰, and provide \$300⁰⁰ for plumbing labor and material for Plaza lights, \$440⁰⁰ for constructing sidewalks in Plaza, and \$212⁰⁰ for plowing in Parks, all of which have been contracted for, also \$863.⁰⁰ for labor, water and material to care for Parks and Plazas during the fiscal year.

Public Health Fund.

Rate of three cents (.03) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$3,630.⁰⁰, and provide for disposing of the city garbage, removing dead animals from the streets, and for the necessary drugs, disinfectants, etc.

required by the Health department.

Library Fund.

Rate of five cents (.05) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$6,050.⁰⁰, which will provide for the necessary expense of the Public Library during the fiscal year.

Public Building Fund.

The revenues derived from licenses are estimated to provide \$1,200.⁰⁰ for rent of City Hall, \$1,110.⁰⁰ for rent of fire engine houses, \$720.⁰⁰ for rent of Jail and Jail attendance, \$1,200.⁰⁰ for payments upon Plaza purchase, \$800.⁰⁰ for engine house for chemical engine, and \$500.⁰⁰ for gas used by the city.

Office Fund.

Rate of two cents (.02) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$2,420.⁰⁰, and provide for the stationery, books, postage, printing, fuels and water for various departments.

General Fund.

Rate of one cent and one mill (.011) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$1,331.⁰⁰ for miscellaneous general expenses of the city, of which amount \$1,287.⁰⁰ was expended during first three months of the year.

Fire Hydrant Fund.

Rate of ten cents (.10) upon the \$100.⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$12,100.⁰⁰, and will pay for rental of 194 fire hydrants as provided for in Ordinance No. 427 and No. 500.

School Bond Fund.

Rate of five cents and one mill (.051) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$6,171.⁰⁰, and provide for the redemption of bonds and payment of interest required.

Municipal Bond Fund.

Rate of five cents and one mill (.051) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$6,171.⁰⁰, and provide for the redemption of bonds and payment of interest required.

Sewer Bond Fund.

Rate of six cents and eight mills (.068) upon the \$100⁰⁰ assessed valuation will raise \$8,228.⁰⁰, and provide for the payment of interest required.

The apportionment shown upon "Exhibit B" will provide the same amounts for all the funds as hereinbefore set out, with the following additions, viz:

For the Street fund it will provide an additional \$1,500.⁰⁰ for the purpose of constructing the Old Town road, and add \$315.⁰⁰ for street sprinkling purposes.

For the Sewer and Drainage it will provide an additional \$3,025.⁰⁰

for the purpose of constructing a sewer in the 8th ward.

And for the General fund it will add \$3,630.⁰⁰ for general expenses of the City, or for purpose of transferring to other funds where most required.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. Nutt, Chmn.

Geo. B. Watson,

S. H. Alvested,

F. W. Barnes.

Joint Ways and Means Committee
of the Common Council.

Dated May 2nd, 1898.

"Exhibit B." Rate \$1.07.

Fire Department fund	.145	\$ 17,545.00
Salary fund	.139	16,819.00
Street fund	.16	19,360.00
Sewer and Drainage fund	.07	8,470.00
Street Light fund	.13	15,730.00
Park Improvement fund	.015	1,815.00
Public Health fund	.03	3,630.00
Library fund	.05	6,050.00
Office fund	.02	2,420.00
General fund	.041	4,961.00
Fire Hydrant fund	.10	12,100.00
Municipal Bond fund	.051	6,171.00
Sewer Bond fund	.068	8,228.00
School Bond fund	.051	6,171.00
	1.07	\$ 129,470.00

Thereupon an Ordinance fixing the rate of taxes to be levied for the fiscal year at \$1.07 upon the \$100.⁰⁰ assessed valuation, in accordance with the above report, was read and on motion of delegate Barnes adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Alvested, Morgan, Faubert, Doddridge, Johnson,
Williamson, James and Cassidy.

No-Delegate Perrin.

Absent None.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance fixing the rate of taxes to be levied and levying the taxes upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, necessary to raise sufficient revenue to carry on the different departments of the municipal government of said City, and to pay the interest on and

provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of said city, for the fiscal year 1898, and providing for the repayment of taxes collected on personal property in excess of the rate established by this ordinance.

Be it Ordained, By the common council of the city of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the rate of taxes to be levied upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the said city of San Diego, county of San Diego, State of California, necessary to raise sufficient revenue to carry on the different departments of the municipal government of said city, for the fiscal year 1898, and to pay the interest on and to provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of said city for said fiscal year, is hereby fixed at one hundred and seven cents for each one hundred dollars' valuation of taxable property, both real and personal, upon the assessment roll of the said city of San Diego, for the fiscal year 1898, and there is hereby levied, for the said fiscal year 1898, upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the said city of San Diego, the following taxes, to wit: one hundred and seven cents for each one hundred dollars' valuation upon the assessment roll of said city, for the said fiscal year 1898; and the whole amount of said levy is hereby apportioned as follows, to the several funds of said city, to wit:

1. To the Fire Department fund	\$1.45
2. To the Salary fund	\$1.39
3. To the Street fund	\$.16
4. To the Sewer and Drainage fund	\$.07
5. To the Street Light fund	\$.13
6. To the Park Improvement fund	\$.015
7. To the Public Health fund	\$.03
8. To the Library fund	\$.05
9. To the Office fund	\$.02
10. To the General fund	\$.041
11. To the Fire Hydrant fund	\$.10
12. To the Municipal Bond, Interest and Sinking fund	\$.051
13. To the Sewer Bond, Interest and Sinking fund	\$.068
14. To the School Bond, Interest and Sinking fund	\$.051

Section 2. It appearing that a sum in excess of the rate fixed by this ordinance has been collected on personal property, taxed for the fiscal year 1898, by the city assessor of the said city of San Diego, and paid into the treasury of the said city by the said city assessor, it is hereby ordered that that portion of said tax, so collected in excess of the rate hereby fixed, be repaid by the said

city Treasurer of the said city of San Diego, to the person from whom said collection was made or to his assignee, on demand therefor.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The city clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of the foregoing ordinance, to publish the same once in the official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego-Sun.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Saturday, May 7th, 1898, at 7:30 P. M.

M. J. Perin

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest,

Geo. D. Galdman

city clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, May 7th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Vincent.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden, Olmsted and Johnson.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 19, approved August 10th, 1889, by reducing the rate of license for every saloon from \$50⁰⁰ per month to \$25⁰⁰ per month; also an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to sell the old garbage scow, anchor, chains, ropes and other paraphernalia connected therewith; also an Ordinance providing for the apportionment of certain moneys to the Legal Fund.

Upon motion of Delegate James and by unanimous consent the Order of Business is suspended for this meeting.

At this time Delegate Alden enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting a communication from the Board of Public Works giving an estimate of the amount required for sprinkling streets for the present fiscal year; also transmitting two Ordinances to govern the sprinkling of streets, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works estimating the cost of sprinkling the streets of the City from May 1st, 1898, to November 1st, 1898, to be \$6,244⁰⁰, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance regulating street sprinkling was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,

Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Now - None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Olmsted and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 520.

An Ordinance regulating street sprinkling in the City of San Diego, California.

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 said City of San Diego and the Superintendent of Streets of the said City be and said Board of Public Works and said Superintendent of Streets are hereby directed, instructed, and authorized to so conduct and carry on the sprinkling of streets in the said City of San Diego that any sum of money which has been, or may hereafter be provided by the Common Council of said City, for the sprinkling of streets, for any one month, shall be distributed uniformly throughout said entire month.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval.

At this time Delegate Frary enters and takes his seat in the Board.

An Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Clerk in employing eight men for one day in extending the assessment rolls for the year 1898, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barner, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent-Delegates Olmsted and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 521.

An Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Clerk of the City of San Diego, in employing eight men for one day, at a compensation of two dollars and a half each, in extending the assessment rolls of said City, for the year 1898.

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

Section 1. That the acts of the City Clerk of said City of San Diego, in employing eight men for one day, at a compensation of two dollars and a half each, in extending the assessment rolls of the

said city, for the year 1898, as equalized by the Board of Equalization, be and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed; and the Auditing Committee is hereby authorized and directed to allow the claims of each of the said eight men, for the sum of two dollars and a half, in accordance with the terms of such employment, and the City Auditor is authorized and directed to draw his warrants therefor, and the Treasurer to pay the same.

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

At this time delegate Johnson enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Joint Resolution urging the citizens to economize in the use of water during the summer was read and ordered filed.

A Joint Resolution rescinding the former action of the Council in directing the Board of Public Works to move the barn on the Howard tract for use as an engine house was read and on motion of Delegate A. Morgan adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrine.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegate Olmsted.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 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.

A Joint Resolution granting leave of absence to any employee of the City belonging to any military organization in case they are called into the service of the United States was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Alnsted.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1010.

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

That any employe of this City, who is a member of any military organization, is hereby granted a leave of absence without pay in case such military organization be called into active service during the present war between the United States and Spain, for such period as he may be absent from the City in the performance of his duties as a member of any such military organization.

A Joint Resolution directing the Auditor to investigate the matter of leasing the Power House, used by the Citizens Traction Company, for use as an engine house, and report to the Council was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorpe,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Alnsted.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1005.

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

That the City Auditor of said City be and he is hereby directed to communicate with the proper parties for the leasing to the City, of that certain building formerly used as a Power House by the Citizens Traction Company, situated on Fourth street between Redwood street and Spruce street, and determine for what rental the said City could lease the said building, for the remainder of the present fiscal year, with the privilege of a longer term, for use as an engine house for the chemical engine recently purchased by this City for Florence Heights, and report to this Common Council at its next meeting.

due proof of the publication and posting of the Resolution of Intention to sidewalk and curb "D" street from the east line of Thirteenth street to the west line of Twenty-fourth street, and of the publication and posting of the Notice of the passage of said

Resolution of Intention being presented, were ordered filed.

Thereupon a Resolution Ordering the Work of sidewalking and curbing "d" street from 13th to 24th streets was presented and read.

Upon motion of Delegate A. Morgan action on said Resolution Ordering Work was postponed for 90 days.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of the claim of the H. S. Crocker Co. for lithographing the refunding bonds was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, April 21st, 1898

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Your Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred, for investigation, the claim of the H. S. Crocker Co. for \$150. and \$40. for lithographing Refunding Bonds for this city, herewith report and recommend that said claim be paid, less the demurrage, or penalty of \$5⁰⁰ per day, for each day's delay, after the expiration of the time for the completion of their contract for furnishing said bonds.

Respectfully,

Samuel B. Lingle,

A. P. Johnson, Jr.,

M. J. Perrin,

F. A. James.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to allow the claim of the H. S. Crocker Co. was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Alden, Thorp,

A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson,

Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

No delegate M. J. Morgan,

Absent delegate Almsted.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1009.

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

That the two claims of H. S. Crocker Company, of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.⁰⁰) and forty dollars (\$40.⁰⁰), respectively, for lithographing and furnishing this city with Refunding Bonds, be allowed and paid, less the penalty, as prescribed by the contract, of five dollars (\$5.⁰⁰) per day for each and every day which elapsed after, by the terms of said contract, said bonds were to be delivered to the city and prior to the date of the delivery thereof, and it appearing to this

Common Council that, by the terms of said contract, such bonds were to be delivered on the 9th day of March, 1898, and that the delivery of said bonds to the city was not made until the 16th day of March, 1898, therefore, it is hereby ordered that said claims be allowed in the aggregate sum of one hundred and sixty dollars (\$160.00), and the Auditing Committee of said city is hereby directed to allow said claims for said amount of one hundred and sixty dollars (\$160.00), and the Auditor to draw his warrant therefor, and the Treasurer of said city to pay the same.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to purchase a metallic filing case for the office of the city clerk was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Finance Committee recommend that the within Ordinance be placed on file.

S. L. Luge,
A. P. Johnson, Jr.,
M. J. Perrin,
H. A. James.

4/21/98.

Thereupon said Ordinance was ^{ordered} placed on file.

The report of the Special Committee appointed to revise and propose new names for some of the streets of the city was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Majority and Minority reports of the Special Committee appointed under the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 969, to prepare amendments to the city charter, were read.

Delegate A. Morgan moves that the minority report be adopted.

Upon motion of Delegate Alden action on the reports was postponed until the next Regular Meeting of the Board.

At this time Alderman Dodson appears and informs the Board that the Board of Aldermen is now ready to go into Committee of the Whole to meet with this Board in Joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering the rate of taxes to be levied during the fiscal year 1898.

Upon motion of Delegate Alden the Board goes into Committee of the Whole to meet with the Board of Aldermen in Joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose above mentioned.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alhusted and Landis.

The following report of the Joint Committee of the Whole was read and on motion of delegate Johnson adopted, viz:

The Joint Committee of the Whole recommend that the report of the Minority of the Ways and Means Committee be amended by taking five mills from the General fund and adding it to the Library fund and as so amended be adopted;

Also that the Ordinance fixing the Tax Levy be amended in accordance therewith and adopted;

Also that an Ordinance licensing certain trades, callings and occupations (introduced in Joint Committee of the Whole) be laid on the table.

The Minority report of the Ways and Means Committee, as amended by the Joint Committee of the Whole, was read and ordered placed on file.

An Ordinance licensing certain trades, callings and occupations was laid on the table.

An Ordinance fixing the tax levy for the year 1898, as amended by the Joint Committee of the Whole was read and on motion of delegate Johnson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Frevert, A. Morgan and Cassidy.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alhusted and Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 519.

An Ordinance fixing the rate of taxes to be levied and levying the taxes upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, necessary to raise sufficient revenue to carry on the different departments of the Municipal Government of said City, and to pay the interest on and provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of said City, for the fiscal year 1898, and providing

for the repayment of taxes collected on personal property in excess of the rate established by this ordinance.

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

Section 1. That the rate of taxes to be levied upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, necessary to raise sufficient revenue to carry on the different departments of the Municipal Government of said City, for the fiscal year 1898, and to pay the interest on and to provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of said City for said fiscal year, is hereby fixed at one hundred cents for each one hundred dollars' valuation of taxable property, both real and personal, upon the assessment roll of the said City of San Diego, for the fiscal year 1898, and there is hereby levied, for the said fiscal year 1898, upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the said City of San Diego, the following taxes, to-wit: one hundred cents for each one hundred dollars' valuation upon the assessment roll of said City, for the said fiscal year 1898; and the whole amount of said levy is hereby apportioned as follows, to the several funds of said City, to-wit:

1. To the Fire Department fund	\$,145
2. To the Salary fund	\$,139
3. To the Street fund	\$,145
4. To the Sewer and Drainage fund	\$,045
5. To the Street Light fund	\$,13
6. To the Park Improvement fund	\$,015
7. To the Public Health fund	\$,03
8. To the Library fund	\$,05
9. To the Office fund	\$,02
10. To the General fund	\$,011
11. To the Fire Hydrant fund	\$,10
12. To the Municipal Bond, Interest and Sinking fund	\$,051
13. To the Sewer Bond, Interest and Sinking fund	\$,068
14. To the School Bond, Interest and Sinking fund	\$,051

Section 2. It appearing that a sum in excess of the rate fixed by this ordinance has been collected on personal property, taxed for the fiscal year 1898, by the City Assessor of the said City of San Diego, and paid into the treasury of the said City by the said City Assessor, it is hereby ordered that that portion of said tax, so collected in excess of the rate hereby fixed, be repaid by the said City Treasurer of the said City of San Diego, to the person from whom said collection was made or to his assignee, on demand therefor.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage and approval.

The city clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of the foregoing ordinance, to publish the same once in the official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 509, approved April 5th, 1898, was read and failed of adoption by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - None

Noes - Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Soddridge, Johnson,
Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Absent delegates Barnes, Alvested and Landis.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance fixing the rate of taxes to be levied for the fiscal year 1898; also an Ordinance to regulate the sprinkling of streets.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, May 9th, 1898, at 7:30 P. M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of delegates.

Attest:

Geor. D. Galdman
City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, May 9th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Morgan, Lambert, Johnson, Williamson, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Landis and James.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Upon motion and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting.

A Message from the Mayor recommending that additional assistants be granted to the Tax Collector was read and filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance granting additional assistants to the Tax Collector was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Morgan, Lambert, Johnson, Williamson, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Alvested, Doddridge, Landis, and James.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 522.

An Ordinance authorizing the City Tax Collector of the City of San Diego, California, to appoint temporary deputies to assist him to prepare for the collection of and collect the City taxes for the current fiscal year, and fixing their compensation.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

Section 1. That the City Tax Collector of the City of San Diego, be and he is hereby authorized to appoint four additional deputies to assist him in preparing for the collection of and to assist him in collecting the City taxes of said City for the current fiscal year, to serve from the 23^d day of May, 1898, to the 30th day of June, 1898, and one additional deputy to serve from July 1st, 1898, to August 5th, 1898.

Section 2. That the compensation of said additional deputies be and it is hereby fixed at the rate of \$2.50 per day, each, for each day actually employed.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$50.00 in cultivating and watering a portion of the "Howard Tract" of the City Park was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending a sewer be laid from "N" street to the East school was read and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

At this time delegate Landis enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A communication from the City Treasurer stating that he had redeemed certain sewer bonds of the City and had issued therefor certain refunding bonds, the amount thereof being \$120,000.00, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds and issuing Refunding Bonds therefor was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, A. Morgan, Lambert, Landis, Williamson, Cassidy and Perrin.

No. - delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent - Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Alvested, Woddridge and James.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 523.

An Ordinance providing for the ratification and approval of an act of the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds of said City, issuing and delivering in exchange therefor, certain Refunding Bonds, and providing for the cancellation and destruction of the same.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows, to-wit:

Whereas, the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, California, has reported to this Common Council that the following bonds known

as Sewer Bonds of the City of San Diego, dated April 1st, 1887, and numbered 181 to 200 both numbers inclusive, 205 to 208 both numbers inclusive, 213 to 217 both numbers inclusive, 230 to 272 both numbers inclusive, 301 to 312 both numbers inclusive, 313 to 339 both numbers inclusive, and 226, 227, 273, 274, 275, 278, 290, 291, 292, have been presented to him for redemption, in accordance with a notice calling in said bonds for redemption, heretofore published, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that in exchange for said bonds so presented for redemption, he has issued the following Refunding Bonds, to-wit: Numbers 112 to 133 both numbers inclusive, numbers 230 to 257 both numbers inclusive, numbers 259 to 280 both numbers inclusive, numbers 141 to 148 both numbers inclusive, and numbers 1 to 50 both numbers inclusive. Said Refunding Bonds being issued in accordance with Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, passed on the 20th day of December, 1897, said bonds being dated January 3rd, 1898, The total amount of said Sewer Bonds so presented for redemption is \$120,000.00 and the total amount of Refunding Bonds so issued in exchange therefor is \$120,000.00, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that he has cancelled said bonds by indorsing on the face thereof the amount for which they are received, the word 'cancelled', and the date of cancellation,

Therefore, Be it further Ordained:

Section 1. That the said acts of the Treasurer of said City, in exchanging said Refunding Bonds for said outstanding Sewer Bonds, heretofore mentioned, and in cancelling said Sewer Bonds, he and the same are hereby ratified and approved; and be it further ordained that this Common Council has examined said Sewer Bonds, so redeemed, and finds that they have been cancelled, as above mentioned; and be it further ordained that the Auditing Committee of said City be and it is hereby authorized and directed, when it shall next count the cash in the Treasury of said City, to then destroy said bonds by burning the same.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 3. The City Clerk of the City of San Diego is hereby instructed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: "The San Diego Sun."

The Health and Morals Committee having recommended the application of Victor Jones, Manager, for a retail liquor license, on motion the same was granted.

At this time delegate James enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A communication from the Board of Supervisors of San Diego County asking the Common Council to have an electric light established at the corner of "E" and Front streets was read and referred to the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

A communication from the Auditing Committee in the matter of the claim of the City Scavenger Company for removing garbage for month of April, and recommending that no contract be entered into for the removal of garbage, was read and ordered tabled.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of April, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$62.00, was presented and ordered filed.

A Joint Resolution granting leave of absence to employees of the City who engage in military service, heretofore adopted by this Board, having been amended by the Board of Aldermen by inserting the words "without pay" was read and adopted as amended by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Lambert, Landis, Johnson, and Williamson.

Noes-Delegates A. Morgan, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Olmsted and Doddridge.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1010.

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

That any employee of this City, who is a member of any military organization, is hereby granted a leave of absence without pay in case such military organization be called into active service during the present war between the United States and Spain, for such period as he may be absent from the City in the performance of his duties as a member of any such military organization.

A Joint Resolution urging citizens to economize in the use of water was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Alden, Morgan, Lambert, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Now - None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Alvested and Woddridge.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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.

And further that the Street Superintendent should use salt water ^{on all streets} for sprinkling streets, where the same can be used at not too great a cost.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of an action brought by B. K. Arnold to enjoin the City from erecting an engine house in the City Park was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to use his own judgment in the matter of the above action was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Lambert, Landis and Perrin.

Noes - Delegates A. Morgan, Johnson, Williamson, James and Leassidy.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Alvested and Woddridge.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1007.

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby empowered and directed to take such action as he deems advisable in the matter of the injunction suit brought by B. K. Arnold et al., on the 29th day of April of this year, to enjoin the City from placing any buildings for use of the Fire Department of the City, upon that portion of the City Park, between Kalmia and Laurel streets.

Upon motion of Delegate Alden it is declared to be the sense of this Board that the Engine House for Florence Heights be located upon the City Park, if possible.

An Ordinance providing for the sprinkling of streets was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Message from the Mayor appointing Dr. H. P. Woodward as a member of the Board of Health, vice Dr. J. L. Magee, resigned, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon said appointment was confirmed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Lambert, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates A. Morgan, Landis and Cassidy.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Alvested and Doddridge.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Clerk in employing eight men for one day in extending the assessment rolls for the fiscal year 1898; also an Ordinance authorizing the City Tax Collector to appoint temporary deputies to assist in collecting the taxes for the current fiscal year; also an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain certain sewer bonds and issuing refunding bonds therefor, the amount thereof being \$120,000.⁰⁰.

At this time President Perrin announces the standing committees for the ensuing year as follows, to-wit:

Ways and Means- S. H. Alvested, F. W. Barnes, J. H. Cassidy.

Streets, Highways and Parks- W. H. Doddridge, A. Morgan, H. W. Alden.

Sewers- W. L. Brewster, W. H. Doddridge, J. M. Williamson.

Health and Morals- J. M. Williamson, H. W. Alden, W. J. Morgan.

Fire- H. M. Landis, F. P. Frary, W. L. Brewster.

Water- F. W. Barnes, S. H. Alvested, W. H. Doddridge, A. A. Thorp, H. W. Alden.

Finance- A. P. Johnson, Jr., A. Morgan, F. A. James.

City Lands- W. J. Morgan, J. W. Lambert, F. P. Frary.

Public Buildings- J. H. Cassidy, H. M. Landis, W. L. Brewster.

Harbor and Wharves- F. P. Frary, J. W. Lambert, J. H. Cassidy.

Schools and Library- J. W. Lambert, A. P. Johnson, Jr., F. W. Barnes.

Police- A. A. Thorp, W. J. Morgan, F. A. James.

Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones- A. Morgan, S. H. Alvested, J. M. Williamson.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, May 16th, 1898, at 7:30 P. M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. P. Goldswain

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, May 16th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held
this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson,
James, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Thorp, Alvested and Landis.

The reading of the Minutes was dispensed with.

The following Message from the Mayor, returning without his
approval an Ordinance amending section 6 of Ordinance No. 19 of the
ordinances of the City of San Diego approved August 10th, 1889, was
read and ordered filed, viz:

Office of the Mayor.

San Diego, California, May 16th, 1898.

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of San Diego, California,
Gentlemen:—

I herewith return to your Hon. Board of Delegates Ordinance No. —
entitled 'An Ordinance amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 19 of the
ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, entitled, 'An Ordinance imposing
Municipal Licenses in the City of San Diego, State of California, and
providing the manner of issuing and collecting the same; regulating
the manufacture, sale, and giving away of intoxicating liquors in said
City, and fixing a penalty for its violation' approved August 10th, 1889,'
passed by your Hon. Body May 2nd, and signed May 7th, 1898.

In connection therewith I desire to call your attention to the
following provision of our charter, viz:

Article 6, Chapter 1, sections 1 and 2:—

Sec. 1. On or before the first Monday of April in each year the
Auditor shall prepare and transmit to the Common Council, accom-
panied with the estimates and reports of each department which he
shall require to be delivered to him from the heads of each department on
or before the twentieth of March in each year, an estimate of the probable
necessities of the City for the current fiscal year, giving the amount required
to meet the interest and sinking fund for any and all outstanding
bonded debts, together with the amount needed for salaries and probable
wants of all the departments of the Municipal Government in detail, and
showing the necessities of each of the several funds to be provided for in the

treasury, The estimate shall also show, as nearly as may be, what amount of income and revenue is likely to accrue to the treasury, and be collected from fines, licenses, and all other sources of revenue, exclusive of tax upon property, and shall give an estimate of what amount will be required to be levied and raised by tax upon all property in the city in order to meet the necessities of such fiscal year, said estimate to be based upon, where practical, the resources and expenditures of the preceding fiscal year; and, at the same time, the Auditor shall report to the Common Council the balance on hand in each fund.

Sec. 2. The Common Council shall, on or before the second Monday of May in each year, by ordinance, fix the rate of taxes to be levied, and levy the taxes upon all taxable property, both real and personal, in the city, necessary to raise sufficient revenue to carry on the different departments of the Municipal Government for the current fiscal year; provided that rate of taxes so levied shall not exceed in any year ninety cents for each one hundred dollars upon the assessment roll, except for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonded debt of the city."

Under the provisions of Section 1, above set out, the City Auditor transmitted to your Hon. Body an estimate showing the amounts required by each department of the city for the fiscal year 1898, and showing amount of income likely to accrue to the treasury from licenses, and from other sources exclusive of tax upon property. This estimate was duly considered by your Hon. Body, through your Joint Ways and Means Committee, and after careful consideration of the amount likely to accrue to the treasury from licenses as fixed at the time, you adopted and levied a rate of tax at $\$1.00$ upon the $\$100.00$ assessed valuation of the city to raise sufficient revenue to provide for charges already absolutely fixed and required by the city in addition to the revenue from other sources.

By Section 2, above cited, it was your duty to "fix the rate of taxes to be levied necessary to raise sufficient revenue to carry on the different departments of the city" under the estimate furnished you by the Auditor, and it must be presumed that you performed this duty in making the rate $\$1.00$ in addition to the income to be derived from other sources, and levied a sufficient tax and no more. Therefore, in reducing the income of the city from license receipts it became necessary for you to provide the same income from other sources to take its place, which you have not done.

Where the law so plainly shows us our duty, as does this law relating to raising sufficient revenue, we must perform it or suffer the consequences. This question has been passed upon by our courts so often that I need but call your attention to the fact that a breach of official duty, as flagrant as would be the failure to provide sufficient revenue for the city, means nothing more nor less than malfeasance in office, and as such all who

participate therein are subject to removal.

Upon the adoption of our present charter, nine years ago the tax limit for general purposes of the City, was therein fixed at ninety cents upon the \$100. assessed valuation, instead of \$1.00 as provided by general law, and immediately thereafter Ordinance No. 19 was adopted fixing the liquor license at \$50.00 per month. Ever since that time the license revenue has been considered as part and parcel of the fixed income of the City, and as such cannot be changed without provision being made to replace by other than direct taxation.

I cannot think you duly considered the far reaching effect of this ordinance, in voting for its adoption, in fact you never before have passed so important a bill (one affecting \$15,000 revenue of the City) without at least carefully considering the same in Committee. I am led to this conclusion by the fact that several of your members voting in favor of it have since expressed to me their desire of having an opportunity to reconsider their action.

In connection herewith I also desire to call your attention to the fact that had you adopted a tax rate of \$1.27 upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation, as suggested by a minority of your members, the same condition of affairs would still prevail; for the reason that the additional seven cents which they insisted upon levying was recommended and voted upon by your Hon. Body to be levied and set aside for certain specified purposes, and I claim you cannot impose a tax upon the people of this City for certain specified purposes and after they have paid in their money therefor divert it to replace a revenue you have cut off by this ordinance. Therefore, even with a rate of \$1.27 upon the \$100.00 assessed valuation you would still be directly violating the law, as above cited, should this ordinance become a law with nothing provided to take its place.

I also desire to call your attention to the petition herewith marked "Exhibit A," which contains the names of more than one thousand electors and taxpayers of this City, protesting against this ordinance becoming a law.

I deem it my duty, under the law and the condition of affairs, to disapprove said Ordinance, and I do hereby disapprove of the same, returning it to the Board in which it originated with the foregoing statement of facts as my objections thereto.

Yours truly,

W. L. Reed,

Mayor of the City of San Diego, California.

Upon motion and by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Morgan, Alden, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Frevert and Barnes.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Thorp, Alvested and Landis.

The clerk was directed to read the petition transmitted by the Mayor to the Council in the foregoing message and marked "Exhibit A".

The clerk having read said petition except the names therein contained, on motion and by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

No-delegates W. J. Morgan and Cassidy.

Absent-delegates Frary, Thorp, Almsted and Landis.

It is ordered that the reading of said names be dispensed with.

A communication from the City Treasurer stating that he redeemed certain Sewer Bonds of the City and issued Refunding Bonds therefor, the amount thereof being \$57,000.00, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds and issuing Refunding Bonds therefor was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

No-delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent-delegates Frary, Thorp, Almsted and Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 524

An Ordinance providing for the ratification and approval of an act of the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds of said City, issuing and delivering in exchange therefor, certain Refunding Bonds, and providing for the cancellation and destruction of the same.

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

Whereas, the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, California, has reported to this Common Council that the following Bonds known as Sewer Bonds of the City of San Diego, dated April 1st, 1887, and numbered 204, and 209 to 212, both numbers inclusive, 218 to 225, both numbers inclusive, 228, 229, 276, 293, 294, and 296 to 300, both numbers inclusive, 340 to 360, both numbers inclusive, 386 to 391, both numbers inclusive, 393, 394, and 396 to 400, both numbers inclusive, have been presented to him for redemption, in accordance with a Notice calling in said bonds for redemption, heretofore published, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that in exchange for said Bonds so presented for redemption, he has issued the following Refunding Bonds, to-wit: Numbers 51 to 81, both numbers inclusive, and numbers 200 to 229, both numbers inclusive. Said Refunding Bonds being issued in accordance with Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, passed on the 20th day of December, 1897, said Bonds being dated January 3rd, 1898. The total amount of said Sewer Bonds so presented for redemption is \$57,000.⁰⁰ and the total amount of Refunding Bonds so issued in exchange therefor is \$57,000.⁰⁰, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that he has cancelled said Sewer Bonds, so presented to him for redemption, by endorsing on the face thereof the amount for which they are received, the word "cancelled," and the date of cancellation.

Therefore, Be it further Ordained:

Section 1. That the said acts of the Treasurer of said City, in exchanging said Refunding Bonds for said outstanding Sewer Bonds, hereinbefore mentioned, and in cancelling said Sewer Bonds, be and the same are hereby ratified and approved; and be it further ordained that this Common Council has examined said Sewer Bonds, so redeemed, and finds that they have been cancelled, as above mentioned; and be it further ordained that the Auditing Committee of said City be and it is hereby authorized and directed, when it shall next count the cash in the Treasury of said City, to then destroy said Bonds by burning the same.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 3. The City Clerk of the City of San Diego is hereby instructed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: "The San Diego Sun."

A Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to allow the claim of the City Scavenger Company for \$275.⁰⁰ for removing garbage for the month of April was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Morgan, Alden, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, Jones, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Thorp, Alvested and Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1012.

Be it Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the Auditing Committee of said City be and the same is hereby authorized and directed to audit and allow paid the

claim of the City Scavenger Company for disposing of the City garbage during month of April, 1898, for the sum and amount of \$275.00.

At this time Delegate Alden is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of garbage, rubbish, and other refuse matter of the City, designating a City dump, and requiring certain rubbish and other refuse matter to be removed to the City dump, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Thorp, Elmsted, Alden and Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 525

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, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other refuse matter of the City, and providing for the removal of such refuse matter to the City Dump, and requiring certain rubbish and other refuse matter to be removed to the City dump.

Be it ordained by the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

Section 1. That the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, be, and said Board is hereby, authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of all garbage, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other refuse matter of the City, for a period of ten days, and to require a good and sufficient bond for performance thereof, and to let a contract to provide for the removal of such refuse matter, including night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other refuse matter, in the following manner:

a. All garbage, night-soil, and other refuse matter that can be used for any purpose, to be removed in suitable wagons to a distance of one or more miles from the intersection of Fifth and D streets in said city, and used for such purposes, or otherwise disposed of.

b. All dead animals, night-soil, and other refuse matter that can be used for any purpose, to be removed in suitable wagons to a distance of one or more miles from the intersection of Fifth and D streets in said city, and used for such purposes, or otherwise disposed of.

c. All ashes, and other non-odorless solid matter that can be used for filling streets, shall be removed to and deposited in such place or places as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Public Works.

d. All other waste matter, except that heretofore specifically mentioned, to be removed, and buried in trenches at least six feet deep and covered with not less than two feet of soil. The place of burial thereof to be selected by the bidder, subject to the approval of the Board of Health of the said city, which place shall not be located within 1 and 1/2 miles off the intersection of Fifth and D streets of said city.

Section 2. That the place selected for burial of waste matter, as in subdivision d. of Section 1 provided, shall be known and designated as the City Dump, and all such waste matter collected in the city shall be removed to the City Dump.

Section 3. That the removal of all such garbage, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other waste matter from private premises shall be subject to such ordinances and health regulations as are now in force, or may hereafter be adopted by the city.

The time of removal and the kind of wagons to be used for the removal of all such garbage, night-soil, dead animals, and other waste matter, to be as directed by the Board of Health of said city.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval and one publication in the city official paper, to-wit: the San Diegan-Sun.

Section 5. That the City Clerk be, and he is hereby directed to cause this ordinance to be published in the city official paper, to-wit: the San Diegan-Sun, for ten days from and after its passage and approval.

The report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter of the communication of the Board of Public Works recommending the construction of a sewer from "N" street to the East school was read and ordered filed.

Said communication was also ordered filed.

The petition of D. W. Hirschler asking to have his auctioneer's license transferred to H. Lynorell was read and on motion the same was denied.

The petition of James M. Nair asking to be released from his contract to sidewalk and curb Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue was read and on motion the same was granted.

The report of the Auditor for the month of April, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

Delegate Barnes was granted leave of absence for thirty days.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, May 23^d, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

M. J. Parnum

President of the Board of delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Gachman

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, May 23^d, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frewert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, A. Morgan, Lambert, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

The Minutes of Regular Meeting held May 2nd, 1898, were read and approved.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of garbage, rubbish, and other waste matter for the period of one year; also an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds and issuing Refunding Bonds therefor, the amount thereof being \$57,000⁰⁰.

On motion of Delegate Williamson and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for the balance of this meeting.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of garbage, rubbish and other waste matter for the period of one year was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Almsted, A. Morgan, Lambert, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

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.

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 is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of all garbage, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other waste matter of the said City, for a period of one year, and require a good and sufficient bond for the performance thereof; such contract to provide for the disposing of all such garbage, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other waste matter, in the following manner, viz:

a. All garbage, swill, and other matter that can be fed to hogs, to be removed in suitable wagons to a distance of at least two miles from the intersection of Fifth and D streets in said City, and used for that purpose, or otherwise disposed of.

b. All dead animals, night-soil, and other waste matter that can be used for fertilizing purposes, to be removed in suitable wagons to a distance of at least two miles from the intersection of Fifth and D streets in said City, and used for such purpose or otherwise disposed of.

c. All ashes and other non-odorless solid matter shall be removed to and deposited in such place or places within said City as may be designated from time to time, by the said Board of Public Works; provided that no place shall be designated by such Board which will require the hauling of such ashes and other non-odorless solid matter more than two miles from the place or places where gathered.

d. All other waste matter, except that hereinbefore specifically mentioned, to be removed and buried in trenches at least six feet deep and covered with not less than two feet of soil. The place of burial thereof to be selected by the bidder, subject to the approval of the Board of Health of the said City, which place shall not be located within one and a half miles of the intersection of Fifth and D streets in said City.

Section 2. That the place selected for the burial of waste matter, as in subdivision d of Section 1 hereof provided, shall be known and designated as the city dump, and all such waste matter, specified in said subdivision d of said Section 1, collected in the City, shall be removed to such city dump.

Section 3. That the removal of all such garbage, night-soil, dead animals, ashes, rubbish, and other waste matter shall be subject to such ordinances and health regulations as are now in force, or may hereafter be adopted by the City.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit: the San Diegoan Sun.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of an Ordinance providing for the sprinkling of streets was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the amount of money to be used for sprinkling streets during May and June, 1898, be limited to \$4000 for each month, and therefore recommend the adoption of the within Ordinance to that effect.

S. W. Hackett,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan.

May 13, 1898.

Thereupon an Ordinance providing for the sprinkling of the streets of the City was read and on motion of Delegate A. Morgan adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Fuwerk, Frary, Thorp, Alvested, A. Morgan, Landis, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Alden, Lambert and Williamson.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —

An Ordinance making provisions and appropriations for the sprinkling of streets in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the Board of Public Works and the Superintendent of Streets of the said City of San Diego, be and said Board of Public Works and said Superintendent of Streets are hereby authorized to expend, monthly, for the months of May and June, 1898, the following sums of money, to be used in the sprinkling of streets in the said City of San Diego, viz: In the month of May, 1898, the sum of four hundred dollars, and no more; in the month of June, 1898, the sum of four hundred dollars, and no more. Said sums to be used and distributed uniformly throughout each of the said months, respectively.

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

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after

the passage and approval of this ordinance to publish the same once in the official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

At this time delegate Olmsted asks for and is granted a leave of absence for thirty days.

A communication from the City Treasurer stating that he had redeemed certain outstanding "Sewer Bonds," to the amount of \$35,000.⁰⁰; and certain outstanding "Municipal Refunding Bonds," to the amount of \$36,000.⁰⁰, and issued "Refunding Bonds" therefor to the amount of \$71,000.⁰⁰, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain outstanding "Sewer Bonds" and certain outstanding "Municipal Refunding Bonds" and issuing "Refunding Bonds" therefor, the total amount thereof being \$71,000.⁰⁰, was read and on motion of delegate Frewert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frewert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Olmsted, A. Morgan, Lambert, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —

An Ordinance providing for the ratification and approval of an act of the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, in redeeming certain "Sewer Bonds" and certain "Municipal Refunding Bonds" of said City, issuing and delivering in exchange therefor certain Refunding Bonds, and providing for the cancellation and destruction of the bonds so redeemed.

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

Whereas, the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, California, has reported to this Common Council that the following bonds, known as "Sewer Bonds" of the City of San Diego, dated April 1st, 1887, and numbered 277, 278, and 280 to 289, both numbers inclusive, 295, and 366 to 385, both numbers inclusive, 392 and 395, have been presented to him for redemption, in accordance with a Notice calling in said bonds for redemption, heretofore published; and also that the following bonds, known as "Municipal Refunding Bonds" of the City of San Diego, California, and dated September 15th, 1885, and numbered 29 to 64, both numbers inclusive, have been presented to him for redemption, in accordance with a Notice calling in said last

mentioned bonds for redemption, heretofore published; and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that in exchange for all of said bonds so presented for redemption he has issued the following Refunding Bonds, to-wit: Numbers 94 to 111, both numbers inclusive, and 134 to 140, both numbers inclusive, and 149 to 199, both numbers inclusive. Said Refunding Bonds being issued in accordance with Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of the city of San Diego, passed on the 20th day of December, 1897, and said bonds being dated January 3rd, 1898; that the total amount of said "Sewer Bonds," so presented for redemption, is \$35,000.00; that the total amount of said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," so presented for redemption, is \$36,000.00; that the total amount of all bonds, so presented for redemption, is \$71,000.00, and the total amount of Refunding Bonds, so issued in exchange therefor, is \$71,000.00; and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that he has cancelled said "Sewer Bonds" and said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," so presented to him for redemption, by endorsing on the face thereof the amount for which they are received, the word "cancelled," and the date of cancellation.

Therefore, Be it Further Ordained,

Section 1. That the said acts of the Treasurer of said city, in exchanging said Refunding Bonds for said outstanding "Sewer Bonds" and said outstanding "Municipal Refunding Bonds," heretofore mentioned, and in cancelling said "Sewer Bonds" and said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," be and the same are hereby ratified and approved; and be it further ordained, that this Common Council has examined said "Sewer Bonds" and said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," so redeemed as aforesaid, and find that they have been cancelled as above mentioned; and be it further ordained that the Auditing Committee of said city be and it is hereby authorized and directed, when it shall next count the cash in the Treasury of said city, to then destroy said bonds, so redeemed, by burning the same.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

A petition from Little & Niles for permission to erect an improved veneered building on lot 6, block 17, Horton's addition, was read and on motion of Delegate Frevert referred to the Joint Fire Committee.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, June 6th, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Landis,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin
and clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan, Lambert
and Doddridge.

On motion of Delegate James the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

On motion of Delegate Frevert the Order of Business was dispensed with for the balance of this meeting, upon the unanimous consent of the Board.

At this time Delegate Doddridge enters and takes his seat in the Board.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the City Attorney to commence an action for the purpose of condemning such lands as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of opening and constructing a street to Mount Hope Cemetery; also an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract for the disposal of the City's garbage; also an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain "Sewer Bonds" and certain "Municipal Refunding Bonds" and issuing Refunding Bonds therefor, the total amount thereof being \$710000; also an Ordinance providing for the sprinkling of streets during the months of May and June, 1898.

A Message from the Mayor asking the Council to direct the Board of Public Works to expend \$5000 for labor in watering trees in the Howard tract was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to expend \$7500 for labor in watering trees in the Howard tract and in the Ladies' Annex Park was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1017.

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 empowered and directed to expend the sum of seventy-five dollars for labor in watering trees on the Howard Tract in the City Park, and in the Ladies' Annex Park.

A communication from the City Treasurer stating that he had redeemed certain "Sewer Bonds" and issued therefor Refunding Bonds, the total amount thereof being \$8000⁰⁰, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the Treasurer in redeeming certain outstanding "Sewer Bonds" and issuing "Refunding Bonds" therefor was read and on motion of Delegate Frevert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

No-Delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan and Lambert.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 530.

An Ordinance providing for the ratification and approval of an act of the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, State of California, in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds of said City, issuing and delivering in exchange therefor certain Refunding Bonds of said City, and providing for the cancellation and destruction of the Bonds so redeemed.

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

Whereas, The City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, California, has reported to this Common Council that the following Bonds known as Sewer Bonds of the City of San Diego, dated April 1st, 1887, and numbered 201 to 203, both numbers inclusive, and 361 to 365, both

numbers inclusive, have been presented to him for redemption, in accordance with a notice calling in said bonds for redemption, heretofore published, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that in exchange for said bonds so presented for redemption, he has issued the following Refunding Bonds, to-wit: Numbers 82 to 89, both numbers inclusive, and 91. Said Refunding Bonds being issued in accordance with Ordinance No. 483 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, passed on the 20th day of December, 1897, and bearing date January 3rd, 1898.

That the total amount of said Sewer Bonds so presented for redemption is \$8,000.00, and the total amount of Refunding Bonds so issued in exchange therefor is \$8,000.00, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that he has cancelled said Sewer Bonds, so presented to him for redemption, by indorsing on the face thereof the amount for which they are received, the word "cancelled," and the date of cancellation.

Therefore, Be it Further Ordained:

Section 1. That the said acts of the Treasurer of said City, in exchanging said Refunding Bonds for said outstanding Sewer Bonds, herinbefore mentioned, and in cancelling said Sewer Bonds, be and the same are hereby ratified and approved; and be it further ordained that this Common Council has examined said Sewer Bonds, so redeemed, and finds that they have been cancelled, as above mentioned; and be it further ordained that the Auditing Committee of said City be and it is hereby authorized and directed, when it shall next count the cash in the Treasury of said City, to then destroy said bonds, so redeemed, by burning the same.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 3. The City Clerk of the City of San Diego is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit, "The San Diego Sun"

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain Sewer Bonds and issuing Refunding Bonds therefor, the total amount thereof being \$8000.00.

The following report of the Health and Morals Committee in the matter of an Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage, rubbish, etc., in certain portions of the City, was read and adopted, viz:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend that the

within Ordinance be adopted.

A. Beard,

A. E. Dodson,

W. J. Morgan.

6/3/98.

Thereupon an Ordinance to prohibit depositing garbage, rubbish, etc., in certain portions of the City was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Gray, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, ~~Sanborn~~,
Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Alden, Olmsted, A. Morgan and
Lambert.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage, waste paper, or other refuse matter in certain portions of the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That no person shall place or deposit, or cause to be placed or deposited any garbage, rubbish, tin cans, waste paper, night soil, or other waste or refuse matter, into or upon any street, alley, lot, or other place within that portion of the said City of San Diego, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the intersection of Twenty-third street with the northerly shore line of the Bay of San Diego, and running thence northwesterly along said shore line to its intersection with Tenth street; thence running north along said Tenth street to its intersection with "L" street; thence east along "L" street to its intersection with Fifteenth street; thence south along Fifteenth street to its intersection with Milton avenue; thence east along Milton avenue to its intersection with Twenty-third street; thence south along Twenty-third to its intersection with the northerly shore line of the San Diego and place of beginning.

Section 2. That any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars or by imprisonment in the City Jail of said City for a period not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diego Sun.

At this time Delegate Alden enters and takes his seat in the Board.

The following report of the Health and Morals Committee in the matter of nickel-in-the slot machines was read and adopted, viz:
San Diego, California, June 3^d, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your Health and Morals Committee, to whom was referred a communication in re. nickel-in-the slot machines, find that the same have been closed by orders of the Chief of Police, and this Committee have, therefore, no recommendation to make.

Respectfully,

A. Beard

A. E. Dodson,

W. J. Morgan.

The following report of the City Lands Committee in the matter of the application of W. D. Bludworth to lease certain City lands was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, May 27th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your City Lands Committee herewith recommend that a lease of all City land, wanted by W. D. Bludworth, be advertised and sold to the highest bidder, upon the same terms granted to Mr. H. Carlson in his lease of City lands for prospecting purposes.

That such advertisement be made upon the filing with the City Clerk, by Mr. Bludworth, of a description of the lands wanted.

Respectfully,

L. A. Blochman,

A. E. Nutt,

S. W. Hackett,

W. J. Morgan,

J. W. Lambert,

F. P. Frary.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to estimate the cost of grading that portion of Third street between Laurel and Olive streets was read and on motion of Delegate Landis adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Almsted, A. Morgan and Lambert. Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1013.

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.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to purchase certain supplies for the City Auditor was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Almsted, A. Morgan and Lambert. Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1014.

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's and Assessor's department of said City the following articles and supplies, viz:

One Warrant Register,

Four Lot Books,

2400 Blank warrants.

Provided, the indebtedness incurred hereunder shall not exceed seventy dollars.

At this time Delegate Alden is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to place a water gauge in their office, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 500, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Excused-Delegate Frevert.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Elmsted, A. Morgan and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1015.

Whereas, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 500 of the City of San Diego, fixing water rates to take effect July 1st, 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.

An Ordinance to amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 19, approved August 10th, 1889, was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney asking to have the \$525⁰⁰ paid to the City as premium on the Refunding Bonds apportioned to the Legal Fund was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public ^{Works}, asking for authority to expend \$500⁰⁰ in general repairs of streets was read and

referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the City Engineer giving an estimate of the cost of extending the sewer on Fourth street from its present terminus near Juniper street to Laurel street was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$25⁰⁰ in cleaning up "D" street was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$100⁰⁰ for stamps for use of the various departments was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to sell the sewer outlet box in the bay was read and on motion the same was granted.

On motion of Delegate James Delegate A. Morgan was granted leave of absence for thirty days.

At this time President Perrin appoints Delegate James to act on the Street Committee during the absence of Delegate A. Morgan, and Delegate Frevert to act on the Finance Committee during the absence of Delegate A. Morgan.

Majority and Minority reports of the Committee appointed under the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 969 to prepare amendments to the City Charter, having been presented to this Board at the meeting held May 7th, 1898, and action thereon postponed until this time, were now taken up.

Delegate W. J. Morgan moves that the Majority report be adopted, which motion was defeated by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge, James and Cassidy.

Noes—Delegates Frevert, Thorp, Landis, Johnson, Williamson and Perrin.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alrusted, A. Morgan and Lambert.

Delegate Johnson moves that the Minority report be adopted, which motion was defeated by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Thorp, Landis, Johnson and Williamson.

Noes-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan and Lambert.

A communication from the Auditor notifying the Council that the levy for the General fund is exhausted and recommending that \$500.00 be transferred from the Public Building fund to the General fund was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution transferring \$500.00 from the Public Building fund to the General fund was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Excused-Delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan and Lambert.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1016.

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

That there be and hereby is transferred from the Public Building fund of said city to the General fund thereof the sum of \$500.00.

The application of S. M. Good for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on Thirteenth street in front of lots C and D, block 104, Horton's addition, was read and granted.

A petition from the San Diego Electric Railway Company for authority to use "T" rails on Fifth street was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A petition from citizens for a low arm electric light at the corner of Second and "A" streets was read and referred to the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

A communication from the "Manufacturers' & Producers' Association of California" in the matter of a Legislative enactment requiring preference to be given to California products in

purchasing supplies for State institutions, etc., was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Los Angeles Fourth of July Executive Committee asking the Council to participate in the Fourth of July celebration to be held in Los Angeles this year was read and ordered filed.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of May, 1898, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of the City Scavenger Company for \$275.⁰⁰ for disposing of the City's garbage for the month of May, 1898, was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting the claim of Jones & Son for taking care of the garbage scow was referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the Auditor in the matter of leasing the Citizens' Traction Company's power house for use as an engine house for the chemical engine was read and referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

A communication from the Auditor transmitting a communication from the H. B. Crocker Company in the matter of the payment of their claim for lithographing the Refunding Bonds of the City was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

On motion of Delegate Brewster the Fire Committee was instructed to investigate the advisability of leasing the building at the corner of Fifth and Quince streets for an engine house for the new chemical engine.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, June 13th, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Goldmann
City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, June 13th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Olmsted, Morgan and Landis.

The minutes of Adjourned Meetings held May 7th and May 9th, 1898, were read and approved.

At this time Delegate Landis enters and takes his seat in the Board.

The minutes of Adjourned Meetings held May 16th and May 23rd, 1898, were read and approved.

On motion of Delegate Johnson and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for the balance of this meeting.

The report of the Fire Committee in the matter of the petition of Little & Niles to erect a veneered building within the fire limits was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Olmsted and Morgan.

Said report as adopted is as follows, viz:

The Fire Committee recommend that the within petition be granted.

Simon Levi,
L. A. Blochman,
A. E. Mutt,
H. M. Landis,
F. P. Frary,
W. L. Frevert.

5/27/98.

Thereupon a Resolution granting permission to Little & Niles to erect a veneered building within the fire limits was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

No-delegate Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Alvested and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1026.

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

That Little and Niles be and they are hereby permitted to erect a one story improved veneered building, about 30x80 feet in size, on lot "E" in Block seventeen (17) in Horton's addition in the said City of San Diego, as requested in the petition of said Little and Niles to this Common Council, bearing date May 23^d, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the request of the Board of Public Works for authority to expend \$500⁰⁰ for general street repairs was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend the within petition be granted.

A. Beard,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

F. A. James,

H. W. Alden.

6/13/98.

Thereupon a Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$500⁰⁰ in general street repairs was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Alvested and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1021.

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.

The action of the Board taken in instructing the Fire Committee to investigate the advisability of leasing a building at the corner of Fifth and Quince streets, for use as an engine house for the new chemical engine, was rescinded.

Thereupon a Resolution directing the Committee on Public Buildings to investigate the location for a chemical engine house was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1018.

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

That the Joint Council Committee on Public Buildings be and they are hereby requested to ascertain and report to this Council a proper location on Florence Heights for the new chemical engine and the terms at which same can be secured.

A Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to allow the claim of N.W. Whitney for \$128.50 for a party wall on lot "e" in Block 35, Horton's addition was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Everett, Erary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson and Perrin.

Noes—Delegates James and Cassidy.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Olmsted and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1019.

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

That whereas this Common Council, by Joint Resolution No. 743, adopted March 23^d, 1896, authorized N.W. Whitney to extend the party wall between the south half of lot "e" in Block 35 in Horton's addition, owned by this City, and lot "d" in said block, owned by said N.W. Whitney, and

Whereas it appears that such wall has been extended in pursuance of said authority granted by said Council, at a total expense of \$300.00, and

Whereas, by the provisions of said Joint Resolution, this Council determined to pay one-half of the cost of constructing the wall at such time as the City might afterwards determine, and as it was, at the time of the adoption of said Joint Resolution, estimated that one-half of the cost of the construction of said wall would not exceed the sum of \$128.50, and the said N.W. Whitney having filed, with the Auditing Committee of this City, a claim for said last mentioned sum, which

claim has not yet been acted upon by said Committee.

It is, therefore, hereby ordered and directed that such Auditing Committee be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed to audit and allow said claim of said Whitney, for the said sum of \$125.23, and the City Treasurer of said City is hereby directed to pay the same.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to sell the lumber in the sewer outlet box was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Almsted and Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 531.

An Ordinance providing for the sale of certain personal property of the City of San Diego, California.

Whereas, It is deemed by this Common Council that the old lumber that is contained in the old sewer receptacle in the San Diego Bay, at the end of the sewer outlet, is unfit and unnecessary for the further use of this City,

Therefore, 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 of San Diego be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, after advertising for five days, the said old lumber that is contained in the old sewer receptacle in the Bay of San Diego at the end of the sewer outlet, except that portion thereof constituting the wall on the north-west side of said receptacle, leading to the gatehouse of the sewer system.

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

An Ordinance providing for the leasing of certain real estate owned by the City was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Almsted and Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 532,

An Ordinance to provide for the leasing of certain real estate owned by the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed and required to sell, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, after publication of notice thereof, for at least three weeks in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegan Sun, a lease for a period of five years, for the following described lands owned by said City and situated within the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Pueblo lots 1332 and 1337, the west half of Pueblo lots 1340, 1331, 1325, 1324, 1298, and 1297, and the west six hundred and sixty (660) feet of Pueblo lot 1333.

The said lands to be leased for mining purposes only and any lease executed in pursuance hereof and of such sale shall give the lessee, his executors, administrators, and assigns, exclusive right to prospect, develop, work, or mine coal, petroleum, or bitumen upon the said lands, and to extract the same therefrom, with the right to use such surface ground only of the said lands as may be necessary for conveniently prospecting and mining any such coal, petroleum, or bitumen as may be found upon said lands and taking the same therefrom, and for necessary buildings for machinery, ware-houses, and employees engaged in any such mining; and the said lease shall also require that the lessee therein, in addition to any sum which may be bid at such sale, shall pay to the said City of San Diego the sum of fifteen cents per ton for each ton of coal, and ten cents per ton for each ton of bitumen extracted from said land, and the sum of five cents per barrel for each barrel of petroleum taken from said lands, which payments shall be made monthly on the first day of each and every month.

The said lease shall be for a period of five years and shall contain a provision that in case the lessee shall fail to discover coal, petroleum, or bitumen upon the said lands, in paying quantities, within one year from the date of such lease, or in case of the discovery of any such coal, petroleum, or bitumen, if the lessee shall fail to work the same to their fullest capacity, for a period of three consecutive months, that such lease shall immediately terminate and the said City may re-enter and take possession of the premises.

Section 2. That the said sale of the lease of such lands shall

take place in front of the main entrance to the City Hall of said City, situated on the southwest corner of Third and D streets in said City of San Diego, and at a day and time of day specified in the notice of such sale, which day shall not be later than thirty days subsequent to the approval of this ordinance; and the said lease shall be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash, and the amount bid shall be due and payable immediately upon the execution and delivery of said lease, as provided for in this ordinance.

Any lease which may be purchased under the provisions of this ordinance shall be executed by the Mayor of said City in the name of and as the act and deed of said City and shall be attested by the City Clerk who shall affix the official seal of the City thereto.

Section 3. That the notice of such sale, given by the said City Clerk, shall give the time and place of such sale, fixing the hour and the day at which such sale shall take place, which hour shall be between ten o'clock A.M. and three o'clock P.M. of the day upon which such sale is had, and shall also fix the terms and conditions of such sale, as herein provided.

Any lease which may be executed hereunder shall not be assigned by the lessee without the consent of the City first obtained by Resolution, duly passed by this Common Council.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The application of E. Jepsen for a retail liquor license was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

On motion of Delegate James a communication from the Southern California Mountain Water Company and the San Diego Electric Railway Company was taken from the files and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works giving the statement of expenses of the various departments of the City for the month of May, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of May, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$120.00, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Auditor for the month of May, 1898, showing the condition of the various funds of the Treasury, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Engineer, transmitting the plans and specifications for constructing a sewer in that portion of the City south of "N" street and west of the Schollar, was presented and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

The application of Joseph Kelly for permission to construct concrete sidewalk and curb on Front street in front of lots A, B and C, Block 277, Horton's addition, was presented and granted.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners asking for authority to employ substitutes for the men as they take their vacation was read and the authority granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to employ additional men in the Fire Department was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Clusted and Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 533.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of San Diego, California, to employ additional men in the Fire Department of said City.

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

Section 1. That in order that each member of the paid Fire Department of said City of San Diego may be granted, by the Board of Fire Commissioners, a leave of absence from active duty for a period ten days, without loss of pay, the said Board of Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to employ two additional engineers in the Fire Department, for ten days, at a compensation of not to exceed three dollars per day each, and seven additional drivers in said department, for a period of ten days, at a compensation of not to exceed two dollars and a half per day each; and the said Board of Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized to incur the indebtedness necessary for the purpose of employing such additional men in said department, provided that such indebtedness be paid out of the moneys in the Fire Department fund of the treasury of said City.

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

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to take down and repair the flag pole in New Town park was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to take down and repair the flag pole in New Town park was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Olmsted and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, 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 50/100 dollars (\$37.50) in making said repairs and re-setting said flag pole.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the request of the Board of Public Works to be authorized to clean up "D" street was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the within petition be granted.

A. Beard,
A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Woddridge,
F. A. James,
H. W. Alden.

6/13/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$25.00 in cleaning up "D" street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Cassidy.

No-Delegate Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Olmsted and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, 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 cleaning up "D" street.

A Joint Resolution providing for the apportionment to the Legal fund of \$525.00 received by the City as premium upon the Refunding Bonds recently issued, having been referred to the Finance Committee at the last meeting of the Board, was upon motion of Delegate Johnson withdrawn from said Committee.

Thereupon said Resolution was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Almsted and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1020.

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

That the \$525.00, received by the City, from the Lauprecht Brothers Company, as premium upon the Refunding Bonds recently issued by the City, and not yet apportioned, be apportioned to the Legal fund in the treasury of said City; and that the City Auditor and the City Treasurer of said City be and they are hereby respectively instructed and directed to make such apportionment.

A Joint Resolution granting permission to Adam Buck et al. to extend the sewer on Fourth street from its present terminus to the north line of Laurel street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Almsted, Morgan and Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1022.

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

That Adam Buck, G. B. Grow, Mary C. Rhine, Harry Thomas and Geo. W. 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.

The petition of property owners to change the grade of Cedar street between Seventh and Eighth streets was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee and City Attorney.

At this time Delegate Johnson is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works and Auditing Committee to allow the claim of Jones & Son for taking care of the old garbage scow was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Alvested, Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, 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 & Son, for taking care of the garbage scow and for storage on pumps, ropes, lines, etc., (equipments of said scow), from the 19th day of November, 1897, at the rate of five dollars

per month, amounting in all to the sum of \$30.⁰⁰ 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.

A communication from the City Attorney, and a Joint Resolution heretofore adopted by the Board of Aldermen offering to pay the City Scavenger Company \$125.⁰⁰ for removing the City's garbage for the month of May, 1898, was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance providing for the leasing of certain real estate owned by the City for mining purposes only; also an Ordinance providing for the employment of men in the Fire Department to act as substitutes for the regular men while they are absent on their vacation; also an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to sell the lumber in the old sewer outlet box.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Aldermen.

Attest:

Geo. D. Galdman

City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California; July 5th, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Trevert, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

The minutes of Regular Meeting held June 6th, 1898, and of Adjourned Meeting held June 13th, 1898, were read and approved.

During the reading of the minutes delegates Frary and Alden enter and take their seats in the Board.

A Message from the Mayor in the matter of the death of ex-Mayor Sherman was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution that the Council attend the funeral of ex Mayor Sherman in a body was read and on motion of delegate James adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1027.

Whereas, Matthew Sherman died on the 5th day of July, 1898, and

Whereas, The said Matthew Sherman was one of San Diego's leading citizens and filled the office of Mayor of this city, for two years, in a manner highly creditable to himself and to the entire satisfaction of the citizens of San Diego, and

Whereas, We, the members of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, desire to pay our respects to the said late Matthew Sherman and to his bereaved family, by attending his funeral in a body, therefore,

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

That the said Common Council of the City of San Diego attend the funeral of the late Matthew Sherman, in a body, on Thursday, July 7th, at two thirty (2:30) o'clock P.M.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting a communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$100⁰⁰ in watering trees in the Howard Tract of the City Park was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to expend \$100.00 in watering trees in the Howard Park tract was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Everett, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Oddridge, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Noes-Delegates James and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Almsted, A. Morgan, and Johnson

Said Resolution as adapted is as follows, viz:

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.)

The report of the Joint Water Committee, to whom was referred the proposition of the Southern California Mountain Water Company and the San Diego Electric Railway Company to sprinkle certain streets with salt water was referred back to said Committee for further investigation.

The Health and Morals Committee having recommended the application of C. Jepson for a retail liquor license on motion the same was granted.

Delegate Almsted was granted leave of absence for 30 days.

A Joint Resolution directing the Joint Committee on Public Buildings to negotiate for the purchase of the Consolidated National Bank property for a City Hall was read and referred to the Joint Committee on Public Buildings.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$100.00 in repairing certain bridges in the city was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Delegate Barnes was granted leave of absence for 30 days.

A communication from the Auditing Committee in the matter of improving the Plaza and asking the Council to repeal Ordinance No. 509, providing for the construction of concrete walks and grass plats, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to stop all work under the provisions of Ordinance No. 509 was read and on motion of delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - delegates Everett, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - delegates Barnes, Almsted, A. Morgan and Johnson. Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, 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.

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 is hereby directed to stop all proceedings in constructing sidewalks and grass plots in the Plaza, under provisions of Ordinance No. 509, and in accordance with plans therefor, on file with the City Clerk, endorsed "Plan of Grass Plots and Cement Walks on Plaza," and that said Board of Public Works refrain from incurring any further expense in improving the Plaza until further orders from the Common Council; and said Board of Public Works is hereby directed to reject any and all bids which said Board may have received under the provisions of said Ordinance numbered 509.

Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption and approval.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to make an estimate of the cost of covering the Plaza with gravel was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1031.

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 prepare plans and specifications, and an estimate of the cost, for improving the Plaza by covering the surface thereof with gravel, and report to this Council at the next meeting thereof.

That the City Attorney of said City be and he is hereby directed to prepare and present to the next meeting of this Council an ordinance providing for the improvement of the Plaza by covering the surface thereof with gravel, in accordance with the plans of the City Engineer therefor.

An Ordinance creating a "Refunding Bond, Interest and Sinking Fund" was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Excused-Delegate Brewster.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 536.
An ordinance creating a "Refunding Bond, Interest, and Sinking Fund," and directing, instructing, and authorizing the Auditor of the City of San Diego, California, to apportion all moneys collected from the levy of taxes for the "Municipal Bond Fund" and "Sewer Bond Fund," to the "Refunding Bond, Interest and Sinking Fund" of the said City. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That there be and is hereby created a fund of the City of San Diego, known as the "Refunding Bond, Interest, and Sinking Fund," out of which shall be paid the two hundred and sixty thousand dollars in Refunding Bonds, the issuance of which is provided for by Ordinance No. 493 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, entitled: "An ordinance providing for the issuance of bonds of the City of San Diego, California, to the amount of two hundred and sixty thousand dollars, for the purpose of refunding certain bonded indebtedness of said city, due and payable at any time at the pleasure of said city, and providing an annual tax to pay one-fortieth part of the principal of said bonds each year and the interest due on all such bonds unpaid," passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, on the 20th day of December, 1897, and approved by the Mayor thereof, on the 21st day of December, 1897.
Section 2. That the Auditor of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, instructed, and authorized to apportion all moneys collected from the levy of taxes for the fiscal year 1898, for the "Municipal, Interest, and Sinking Bond Fund" and "Sewer, Interest and Sinking Bond Fund," to the "Refunding Bond, Interest and Sinking Fund" of the said City of San Diego.
Section 3. That the City Treasurer of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed and authorized to pay all moneys, due as interest or principal, as they become due, on the "Refunding Bonds" of the said City of San Diego, out of the "Refunding Bond, Interest and Sinking Fund" of the said City of San Diego.
Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption and approval.
The City Clerk of the said City of San Diego is hereby instructed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

Delegate Alden moves that the clerk be instructed to procure carriages for the Council to attend the funeral of ex Mayor Sherman which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Alden, Doddridge, Landis and Williamson.

Noes-Delegates Brewster, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

After further consideration the above action was reconsidered and the clerk instructed to procure carriages for the Council to attend the funeral of ex Mayor Sherman, on Thursday, July 7th, 1898, at 2:30 P.M.

A petition from residents of Old Town asking the Council to prohibit the further dumping of garbage on Old Town flats was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of June, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to have the trees on Upper Fifth street irrigated was read and on motion of delegate Frevert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Woddrige, Landis, Williamson, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—delegates N. J. Morgan and James.

Absent delegates Barnes, Olmsted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 (\$20.00), the same to be paid out of the Park Improvement fund.

A Joint Resolution to rescind all proceedings to sidewalk and curb Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue, taken under Resolution of Intention No. 584, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—delegates Frevert, Frary, N. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Woddrige, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent delegates Barnes, Olmsted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1028.

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

That all proceedings, taken under and in pursuance of Resolution of Intention No. 584, adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, November 22nd, 1897, for sidewalking and curbing the east side of Fifth street in the City of San Diego, California, from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the

west side of said Fifth street, from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, so extended, be and the same are hereby abandoned and rescinded.

Thereupon a Resolution of Intention to sidewalk and curb Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Leassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Elmsted, A. Morgan and Johnson.
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Intention

To sidewalk and curb the east side of Fifth street in the City of San Diego, California, from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the west side of said Fifth street from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, so extended.

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to order the following street work to be done in said City, to-wit:

That the east side of that portion of Fifth street in said City of San Diego, from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended eastward across said Fifth street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth street, from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, if extended east across said Fifth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth street and intersections between said points as have already been sidewalked with concrete, laid to the official grade and accepted) be sidewalked with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Article 2 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 472, approved November 17th, 1897;

And also that the east side of that portion of said Fifth street, from the north line of Ash street to the south line of Walnut avenue, were such avenue extended east across said Fifth street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth street, from the north line of Beech street to the south line of said Walnut avenue, if extended east across said Fifth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth street and intersections between said points as have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone, laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete, in accordance with specifi-

cations therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893.

The San Diegoan-Sun, a daily newspaper printed and circulated in said City of San Diego, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice of the passage thereof for six days in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The Clerk of said City of San Diego is hereby directed to post this Resolution of Intention conspicuously for two days at or near the chamber door of said Common Council, and to publish the same by two insertions in said daily newspaper in the manner required by law.

The following report of the Public Buildings Committee in the matter of the location of an Engine House for the new chemical engine was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, July 5th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Public Buildings Committee herewith recommend the City Attorney be directed to prepare the necessary papers to lease block 280, Horton's Addition, for the use of the Fire Department, on which to locate the new Chemical Engine.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

Respectfully,

L. A. Blochman,

A. E. Nutt,

B. W. Hackett,

J. H. Cassidy,

H. M. Landis,

W. L. Frewest.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare the necessary papers for leasing block 280, Horton's addition, for use of the Fire Department, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewest, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Almeted, A. Morgan, and Johnson.
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1032.

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby instructed and directed to prepare an Ordinance and all necessary papers for the leasing, by the said City of San Diego, of block two hundred and eighty (280) in Horton's Addition in said City, for a period of three (3) years, at a rental of thirteen dollars (\$13.00) per month; such lease to contain a provision that the City be authorized, at the end of the said term of three years, to remove any and all buildings placed on said premises by the City. The said premises to be leased and used by said City for the Fire Department, and upon which the chemical engine, recently purchased by said City, shall be located.

An Ordinance directing the Auditing Committee to destroy all bonds heretofore redeemed by the City was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Almeted, A. Morgan and Johnson.
Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 535

An ordinance instructing, directing, and authorizing the Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego, California, to destroy any and all bonds heretofore redeemed by the said City of San Diego, and now in the possession of the said City of San Diego, or any of its officers, and to make and furnish to the Common Council of the said City of San Diego a record of the bonds so destroyed.

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

Section 1. That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby directed, instructed, and authorized to destroy, by burning, any and all bonds heretofore redeemed by the said City of San Diego, or any of its officers, and now in the possession of the said City of San Diego or any of its officers, and to make a record of the bonds so destroyed and to furnish and deliver the same to this Common Council.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego is hereby instructed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance to impose a license on all persons engaged in the business of hauling garbage was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

An Ordinance to prohibit the dumping of garbage within certain limits of the City was presented and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of June, 1898, showing fines collected to the amount of \$119.00 was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the Russ Lumber and Mill Company by Oscar A. Trippett, its attorney, demanding from the City the sum of \$67.36, account material furnished S. Hammond, was read and referred to the City Attorney.

Petitions of the following named persons to construct concrete sidewalks and curbs in front of the property set opposite their respective names, were read and granted, viz:

W. S. Krant, Jr., 20" street in front of lot 1 block 1, Culverwell's addition.

E. L. Jenks, 5" street in front of lot 6, block 28, Culverwell and Taggart's additions.

J. P. Christensen, 5th street in front of lot E, block 202, Hoston's addition.

A petition from Wm. Lehnert for permission to change the location of his retail liquor store from 2141 8th street to the southeast corner of Thirteenth and 8th streets was presented and on motion the permission was granted.

A petition from M. V. Carroll for authority to grade a portion of Robinson avenue in front of lot 12, block 6, Nutt's addition, to the center line of said street, was presented and granted.

A communication from the City Engineer stating that it would be impossible to extend the sewer system in the alley between Second and Third streets, from Robinson avenue to University avenue, on account of the slope of the ground, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Engineer giving his estimate of the cost of grading Third street between Olive and Laurel streets was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to stop all work under the provisions of Ordinance No. 509; also an Ordinance directing the Auditing Committee to burn all redeemed bonds; also an Ordinance creating a Refunding Bond, Interest and Sinking fund.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, July 11th, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

Attest: *W. D. Galdjian*

City Clerk

President of the Board of Delegates.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, July 11th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held
this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding,

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert,
Landis, Williamson, James, Perrin and Clerk
Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alusted, A. Morgan, Doddridge,
Johnson and Cassidy.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of
a communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to
expend \$100⁰⁰ in repairing certain bridges in the City was read and
adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend the within request be
granted.

S. W. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James

7/8/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public
Works to expend \$100⁰⁰ in repairing certain bridges in the City was read
and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert,
Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alusted, A. Morgan, Doddridge,
Johnson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

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 (\$100⁰⁰) for
repairs on bridges on the following named streets, viz: "F," "H," "I," "J" and "K"
streets, as requested in a communication of said Board to this Common
Council, under date of July 2nd, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners to have the grade of Cedar street between 7th and 8th streets changed was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the within petition be granted.

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

F. A. James.

7/8/98.

Thereupon a Resolution of Intention to change the grade of Cedar street between Seventh and Eighth streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Everett, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes—None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alunsted, A. Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows:

Resolution of Intention

To change the grade of that portion of Cedar street in the City of San Diego, California, between the east line of Seventh street and the west line of Eighth street.

Whereas the owners of a majority of the property affected by the herein proposed change of the grade of that portion of Cedar street in said City of San Diego, between the east line of Seventh street and the west line of Eighth street, have petitioned the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to change the grade of that portion of said Cedar street between said points; and

Whereas, it appears to the Common Council of said city, and said Common Council finds that the said petition contains the names of the owners of a majority of the property affected by the said proposed change of grade, now therefore:

Be it resolved, that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego to change and establish the grade of that portion of Cedar street in said City of San Diego, between the east line of Seventh street and the west line of Eighth street, as follows:

At the southeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh streets the grade shall be 162 feet; at the northeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh streets the grade shall be 161 feet; at a point on the north line of said Cedar street, one hundred feet east of the northeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh streets the grade shall be 161.75 feet; at a point on the south line of said Cedar street, one hundred feet east of the southeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh streets the grade shall be 161.50 feet; at the southwest corner of said Cedar and Eighth streets the grade shall be 160 feet; at the northwest corner of said Cedar and Eighth streets the grade shall be 160 feet; the grade of said Cedar street between the points fixed by this resolution shall be of uniform ascent and descent. The center line of said portion of said Cedar street shall have an average elevation of the opposite curb grades.

The numbers used above, where their meaning is not shown to be otherwise by their immediate context, mean the number of feet which the points, design-

ated, in the proposed new grade, shall be above the city datum line of levels, as fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of said city, entitled: "An ordinance establishing the datum line for the grading of streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing for the manner of establishing grades by ordinance," approved June 30th, 1888.

The district to be benefited by the said proposed change of grade and to be assessed to pay the cost of the same is hereby designated and established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot four (4) in block nine (9) of Carruther's addition, in said City of San Diego; thence running east along the north line of lots four (4) and nine (9) in said block nine (9) to the northeast corner of said lot nine (9); thence running south along the west line of Eighth street, to the southeast corner of lot ten (10) in block ten (10) in said Carruther's addition; thence running west along the south line of lots ten (10) and three (3) in said block ten (10) to the southwest corner of said lot three (3); thence running north along the east line of Seventh street to the northwest corner of lot four (4) in said block nine (9) and place of beginning.

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed to cause this resolution of intention to be published for ten days in the newspaper in which the official notices of the Common Council of this city are usually printed and published, to-wit: the San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, in every regular issue of said newspaper during said period of ten days, which newspaper is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The Superintendent of Streets of said City is hereby ordered and directed, within five days after the first publication of this resolution, to cause to be conspicuously posted, in the manner and form required by law, within the district hereinafore designated, as the district to be benefited by the said proposed change of grade, notices of the passage of this resolution.

At this time Delegate Doddridge enters and takes his seat in the Board.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a communication from the City Engineer giving an estimate of the cost of grading Third street between Laurel and Olive streets was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the within estimate be placed on file and street (3rd street between Laurel and Olive) be graded.

S. W. Hackett,
 W. H. Doddridge,
 F. A. James.

7/8/98.

A. E. Dodson voting no.

Thereupon a Resolution of Intention to grade Third street between Laurel and Olive streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan, Johnson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Intention

To grade Third street in the City of San Diego, California, from the north line of Laurel street to the south line of Olive street.

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to order the following street work to be done in said City, to wit:

That Third street in said City of San Diego, from the north line of Laurel street to the south line of Olive street, and the sidewalks thereof, including all intersections of streets between said points, be graded to the official grade thereof, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Ordinance numbered 349 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved February 11th, 1876, and the contractor shall be bound by the provisions of said ordinance.

The San Diegoan Sun, a daily newspaper printed and circulated in said City of San Diego, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice of the passage thereof for six days in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The Clerk of said City of San Diego is hereby directed to post this Resolution of Intention conspicuously for two days at or near the chamber door of said Common Council, and to publish the same by two insertions in said daily newspaper in the manner required by law.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the request of the San Diego Electric Railway Company for authority to use "T" rail on Fifth street was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within petition be granted.

S. W. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James.

7/8/98.

Thereupon an Ordinance permitting the San Diego Electric Railway Company to use a modern "T" street car rail on Fifth street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan, Johnson and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:



The following report of the Health and Morals Committee in the matter of a petition of residents of Old Town asking the Council to have the dumping of garbage near Old Town stopped, was read and adopted, viz:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend that the within petition protesting against the dumping of garbage in the vicinity of Old Town be granted.

A. E. Dodson,
S. W. Hackett,
J. M. Williamson,
W. J. Morgan.

7/8/98.

An Ordinance providing for the licensing of all persons engaged in the business of hauling garbage, etc., as recommended by the Health and Morals Committee was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

No-Delegate Frary.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan, Johnson

and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 538.

An ordinance to provide for the licensing of all persons, companies, or corporations engaged in the business of hauling garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter within the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, company, corporation, or co-operative association to conduct, carry on, engage in, or pursue, within the corporate limits of the City of San Diego, California, the occupation of hauling garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter, without first procuring a license so to do, as in this ordinance required; and if any person, company, corporation, or co-operative association, either as principal, or agent or employee, shall conduct, carry on, engage in, or pursue the said occupation of hauling garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter, within the corporate limits of said City of San Diego, without having first procured a license so to do, as in this ordinance required, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars; and in case the fine imposed is not paid then the person, or persons, so fined, may be imprisoned in the city jail of the said City of San Diego, until such fine be satisfied in the proportion of one day's imprisonment for every two dollars of the fine imposed; and the amount of such license shall be deemed a debt due to the said City of San Diego, and all persons, companies, corporations, or co-operative associations, and their agents, or any or either of them, shall, for each and every violation of this ordinance, be liable to an action in the name of the said City of San Diego, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for the amount of the license required for said occupation, with costs of suit; and the conviction and punishment of any person, company, corporation or co-operative association in a criminal action, for the violation of this ordinance, shall not exempt or excuse such person from a payment of any license due or unpaid at the time of conviction.

Provided, however, that the provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to that portion of said city lying west of the Bay of San Diego, nor to that portion of said city lying north of San Diego river; nor shall the provisions of this ordinance apply to any person, or persons, hauling stable manure only.

Section 2. That each wagon, cart, or other vehicle, so used in hauling any such garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter, shall be designated by a number to be furnished by the City Auditor, which number shall be placed by the person, company, or corporation, procuring a license, upon any such wagon, cart, or other vehicle used for hauling any such garbage or other waste matter, in such a manner that such number may be plainly distinguished.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding fifty dollars.

Section 3. All licenses provided for in this ordinance shall be due and payable on the 1st day of the month next ensuing after the taking effect of this ordinance, and all such licenses shall run for three calendar months subsequent to their date.

Section 4. That the following rate of license, for the occupation of hauling garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter, is hereby established for and within the City of San Diego, California:

That is to say, every person, company, corporation, or co-operative association engaged in the said occupation within the corporate limits of the said City of San Diego, shall pay the sum of two dollars and a half (\$2.50) per quarter for each wagon, cart, or vehicle used in hauling any such garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter.

Section 5. The City Auditor of said city shall issue all licenses provided for by this ordinance, but no license shall be issued or delivered until the amount required to be paid therefor be paid to the City Tax Collector of said city, and his receipt therefor endorsed upon such license.

Section 6. That all licenses issued hereunder shall be paid for quarterly in advance, and no license shall be issued for a shorter period than one quarter, nor for a longer period than one year.

Section 7. That any person desiring to procure a license under this ordinance shall make application for the same to the Tax Collector of said city and pay to said Tax Collector the amount required for such license, taking his receipt therefor; and upon presentation of such receipt to the City Auditor a license shall be issued as provided by Section 4 of this ordinance.

Section 8. That the terms "quarter," "quarterly," or "one quarter of a year," whenever used in this ordinance with reference to time, shall be construed and is hereby declared to mean three calendar months.

Section 9. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the 1st day of the first month after its approval.

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage in certain portions of the city, as recommended by the Health and Morals Committee, was read and Delegate James moves that the same be adopted.

Delegate Freest moves that the northern boundary be extended to the San Diego river, which motion was adopted.

Thereupon said ordinance was referred to the City Attorney with instructions to amend said ordinance in accordance with the motion just adopted and present the same at the next meeting of the Board.

An Ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 19, approved August 10th, 1889, as amended by Ordinance No. 443, approved June 24th, 1897, was read and Delegate Williamson moves that said ordinance be adopted, which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Williamson and Perrin.

Noes - Delegates Frary, Landis and James.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Alhusted, A. Morgan, Johnson, Alden, and Cassidy.

A Joint Resolution instructing the Board of Public Works to construct a sidewalk on "G", India and Columbia streets in front of the New Town Park, having been amended by the Board of Aldermen to have the sidewalk constructed only on "G" street, was read and said Resolution as amended was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alhusted, A. Morgan, Johnson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is 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 the 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 15th, 1893.

A communication from the Chamber of Commerce transmitting a recommendation from their Horticulture and Agriculture Committee in the matter of conducting an experimental station to assist in bringing about a more diversified culture of economic plants was read and

referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the City Engineer transmitting specifications for paving the Plaza with red gravel, together with an ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to pave the Plaza with gravel, were presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The report of the Auditor showing the condition of the various funds of the treasury for the month of June, 1897, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting a communication from the City Guard Band asking the City to pay for lighting the Band stand on the Plaza during nights of Band concerts was read and on motion the Auditing Committee was directed to allow said bills for One dollar per night by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alsted, A. Morgan, Johnson and Cassidy.

The petition of Arthur Longrove for permission to shoot pigeons at the Kuhn Building, corner "D" and Fourth streets, was read and granted.

The petition of Mrs. Seifert to have transferred to him the liquor license of Anderson & Wilson, 1434 and 1436 "F" street, was read and granted.

The petition of John W. Seifert to change his retail liquor saloon from 842 Fifth street to 942 Fifth street was read and granted.

A communication from Geo. W. Peck et al, notifying the Council that garbage, dead animals, etc., was being dumped near Thirtieth street and requesting that it be removed at once, was read and referred to the Chief of Police with instructions to investigate and report at the next meeting of the Council.

On motion of Delegate Morgan a communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to purchase \$100.00 worth

of postage stamps, heretofore referred to the Finance Committee, was withdrawn from said Committee.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase \$100⁰⁰ worth of postage stamps was read.

Delegate Morgan moves that the amount be fixed at \$25⁰⁰, which motion was adopted.

The Joint Resolution was then adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Gray, M. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Goddridge, Landis, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Alden, Alnsted, A. Morgan, Johnson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. —.

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 empowered to purchase \$25⁰⁰ dollars' worth of postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City government.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance permitting the San Diego Electric Railway Company to use "T" rails on Fifth street; also an Ordinance to provide for licensing all persons, companies or corporations engaged in the business of hauling garbage, rubbish, etc.

Thereupon the Board adjourns until Monday, July 18th, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

L. P. Goldman

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting,

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, July 18th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Landis,
Johnson, Williamson, James, Perrin and
Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden, Olmsted, A. Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge and Cassidy.

The minutes of Regular Meeting held July 5th, and of Adjourned Meeting held July 11th, 1898, were read and approved.

At this time Delegate Lambert enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Message from the Mayor recommending that the City purchase certain lots in Block 133, Central Park addition, at a price not exceeding \$15⁰⁰ per lot, for right-of-way for Mount Hope Cemetery road, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Mayor and City Attorney to purchase the above mentioned property for the City was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of an Ordinance to pave the Plaza with red gravel was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee herewith recommends that the within Ordinance to provide for the paving the Plaza with red gravel, be adopted.

L. W. Hackett,

W. H. Doddridge,

F. A. James.

7/18/98.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to pave the Plaza with red gravel was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert,
Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and
Perrin.

Noes-None

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden, Almeted, A. Morgan, Doddridge
and Cassidy,

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 540.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to make certain improvements upon the Plaza.

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 and directed to improve the Plaza by paving the surface of the same within the enclosure, with a layer of red gravel, of not less than 2.5 inches in thickness after compression, providing the cost of such improvements shall not exceed the sum of \$295.00.

Section 2. That the said work of improving said Plaza shall be done in accordance with the specifications therefor, prepared by the City Engineer, bearing date July 11th, 1898, and entitled, "Specifications for covering the Plaza with a layer of red gravel," on file with the City Clerk of said City of San Diego.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The following report of the Joint Water Committee in the matter of the offer of the San Diego Electric Railway Company to sprinkle certain streets with salt water, and communications from the Southern California Mountain Water Company for a franchise for laying pipes to supply the City and its inhabitants with water was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., July 13th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:—

The Joint Water Committee, to whom was referred a communication from the San Diego Electric Railway Company offering to sprinkle certain streets with salt water, and communications from the Southern California Mountain Water Company in the matter of a franchise for laying pipes to supply the City and its inhabitants with water, herewith report and recommend as follows:

We recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to draw up a contract with the San Diego Electric Railway Company for the period of one year to sprinkle the City with salt water along its car lines, the cost to be paid by the City to be ten cents per thousand gallons for

water and two-thirds of the present price paid for labor for spreading the same. The Company also agreeing to put in hydrants along the course where pipes are to be laid at cost price for street sprinkling purposes, the City to have the right to use such hydrants for fire purposes by paying the annual hydrant rental of \$40.00.

We further recommend that the Southern California Mountain Water Company be granted permission to furnish water to the City and its inhabitants, as asked for, and that the City Attorney be instructed to prepare the necessary papers to allow said Company to lay pipes in the streets of the City, in accordance with the communications.

Respectfully,

Simon Levi,
L. A. Blochman,
A. E. Mutt,
F. W. Barnes,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. A. Thorp,
H. W. Alden.

A communication from E. S. Babcock asking for a franchise to lay pipes in the streets of the City to convey salt water was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance granting the privilege to E. S. Babcock of laying and maintaining a system of pipes for conveying salt water was presented and read and in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter action thereon was postponed for thirty days.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for sprinkling certain streets of the City with salt water was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevort, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert,
Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and
Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alden, Alusted, A. Morgan, Doddridge,
and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 111.

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 sprinkling of certain of the streets of said City with salt water and to furnish the City with salt water for the purpose of sprinkling.

any of the streets of said city.

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 and directed to advertise for bids or proposals and let a contract for one year, for the sprinkling of the following streets of said city, with salt water, viz: "D" street between California street and Twenty-fifth street; Fifth street between "L" street and University avenue; "H" street between Atlantic street and Sixteenth street; Sixteenth street between "H" street and Logan avenue; Logan avenue between Sixteenth street and Twenty-sixth street; Twenty-sixth street between Logan avenue and National avenue; National avenue between Twenty-sixth street and Thirty-first street; First street between "D" street and Laurel street; "K" street between Sixteenth street and Twenty-second street; Twenty-second street between "K" street and "H" street; Arctic street between "H" street and "D" street; and Fir street between Third street and Fifth street.

Such advertisement for bids or proposals shall give notice that all bids or proposals made in pursuance thereof shall state the price per thousand gallons at which salt water will be placed and sprinkled upon said streets, and that all sprinkling shall be done only such of said streets, or portions of the same, and at the times and in the amount as may be directed by said Board of Public Works, and that all such sprinkling will be done under the supervision of said Board.

Such advertisement shall also call for bids or proposals for the furnishing, selling, and delivering to said City of San Diego, of salt water, for one year, for the use of said City, in the sprinkling of any of the streets thereof, or for other purposes, and shall require all bids or proposals to state the price per thousand gallons at which such salt water will be furnished, sold, and delivered to said City.

And shall also state that the salt water, so furnished, and sold to said City, must be delivered to said City through pipes and hydrants laid and constructed by the bidder, and that none of such pipes and hydrants shall be less than four inches in diameter inside measure, and that the salt water so furnished shall be supplied in such manner and under such pressure that a tank containing five gallons, upon a water cart such as is now in use by said City in sprinkling streets, may be filled in not exceeding four minutes, and that the hydrants from which said salt water is to be taken by the City shall be located at such points as may be designated by the said Board of Public Works, along "D" street from its intersection with Arctic

street to its intersection with Seventh street, and along Fifth street from its intersection with "H" street to its intersection with "B" street, and along "H" street west of Fifth street.

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

The following report of the Committee on Public Buildings in the matter of securing the Consolidated National Bank Building for a City Hall was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, July 18, 1898.

To the Honorable Common Council,

Gentlemen; -

We, the members of your Building Committee, to whom was referred the proposition to purchase the Consolidated Bank Building at the corner of 5th and "G" sts. in this City beg to report as follows:

We inspected the aforementioned building from top to bottom, examined its condition thoroughly, made examination of the vaults, elevator and machinery, made measurements and investigated its feasibility and adaptability to the wants of the City.

We find said building admirably adapted to the needs of the City. With the basement, the first floor, less the part occupied by the Merchants National Bank, which part the Bank would retain, and the second floor the City would have room enough for all present requirements.

This would leave the City the third and fourth floors to rent or to be occupied by the public library, the City Board of Education and the balance could be reserved or rented.

The necessary alterations, painting and repairs would cost between \$2500⁰⁰ and \$3000⁰⁰. If the elevator be run we would advise that the same be changed to an electric elevator which change could be made at a very little if any cost, as the fine engine at present in the building is in an excellent state of preservation and could be sold for enough to buy a dynamo.

We would advise that the City purchase the property if suitable arrangements can be made.

Respectfully submitted

L. A. Blochman,

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Nutt,

H. M. Landis,

W. L. Frevert,

On motion the matter of the purchase of the Consolidated Bank Building for use as a City Hall was referred to the Joint Ways

and Means Committee to provide the means for said purchase.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a statement of the expenditures of the various departments of the city for the month of June, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the San Diego Brewing Company tendering to the city a strip of land for a public street to be known as Brewery street, was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the City Guard Band asking for authority to lease the Band stand on the Plaza to parties desiring to use the same, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the City Clerk notifying the Council that in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 532, he had sold a lease of Pueblo Lands for mining purposes only to W. D. Bludworth for the sum of \$100 was read and ordered filed.

A communication was received from W. D. Bludworth, the lessee of Pueblo Lands for mining purposes, asking for authority to assign an interest in said lease to J. H. Kincaid and C. E. M. Howard, and was ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution granting said request was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1036.

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

That the petition of W. D. Bludworth, requesting the consent of this Common Council to allow him to join with him J. H. Kincaid and C. E. M. Howard, to carry out the proposition of prospecting for mining purposes on the Pueblo Lots described in the lease heretofore sold to him, be and the same is hereby granted.

The report of the Chief of Police, to whom was referred a communication from residents on Upper Golden Hill near Thirtieth street, protesting against the dumping of garbage in that vicinity, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works calling the attention of the Council to the condition of the Street fund and asking to have Joint Resolution No. 1033, directing the Board to have a sidewalk

constructed on the north of G street in front of New Town Plaza, rescinded, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the City Treasurer stating that he has cancelled four "Municipal Refunding Bonds" and issued four "Refunding Bonds" in payment thereof, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain "Municipal Refunding Bonds" and issuing "Refunding Bonds" therefor was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorp, Lambert, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes—Delegates W. J. Morgan.

Absent Delegates Frary, Alden, Alvested, A. Morgan, Doddridge and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 539.

An Ordinance providing for the ratification and approval of an act of the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, California, in redeeming certain "Municipal Refunding Bonds" of said City, issuing and delivering in exchange therefor certain Refunding Bonds of said City, and providing for the cancellation and destruction of the bonds so redeemed.

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

Whereas, the City Treasurer of the City of San Diego, California, has reported to this Common Council that the following bonds, known as "Municipal Refunding Bonds" of the City of San Diego, dated November 16th, 1885, and numbered 65 to 68, both numbers inclusive, have been presented to him for redemption, in accordance with a Notice calling in said bonds for redemption, heretofore published, and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that in exchange for said bonds, so presented for redemption, he has issued and delivered the following Refunding Bonds, to-wit: numbers 90, 92, 93 and 258. Said Refunding Bonds being issued in accordance with No. 483 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, passed on the 20th day of December, 1897, and said bonds being dated January 3rd, 1898. The total amount of said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," so presented for redemption, is four thousand dollars, and the total amount of Refunding Bonds, so issued in exchange therefor, is four thousand dollars; and

Whereas, said Treasurer has reported that he has cancelled said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," so presented to him for redemption, by endorsing on the face thereof the amount for which they are received,

the word "cancelled" and the date of cancellation.

Therefore, Be it further Ordained:

Section 1. That the said acts of the Treasurer of said City, in exchanging said "Refunding Bonds" for said outstanding "Municipal Refunding Bonds," hereinbefore mentioned, and in cancelling said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," be and the same are hereby ratified and approved; and be it further ordained that this Common Council has examined said "Municipal Refunding Bonds," so redeemed, and finds that they have been cancelled, as above mentioned; and be it further ordained that the Auditing Committee of said City be and it is hereby authorized and directed, when it shall next count the cash in the Treasury of said City, to destroy said bonds, so redeemed, as aforesaid, by burning the same.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby instructed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance to publish the same once in the City Official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegoan Sun.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of the claims of the City Scavenger Company for services rendered was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., July 13th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Finance Committee herewith recommend that the claims of the City Scavenger Company of \$275⁰⁰ and \$201⁶⁵ for disposing of the City garbage for the months of May and from June 1st to June 23rd, 1898, be allowed and ordered paid.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution

Respectfully,

Simon Levi,

A. P. Johnson, Jr.,

W. L. Frevort.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to allow the claims of the City Scavenger Company was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevort, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Lambert, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent Delegates Frary, Alden, Alhusted, A. Morgan, Doddridge and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1037.

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

That the claim of the City Scavenger Company for disposing of the garbage of the City for the month of May, 1898, be and the same is hereby allowed at and for the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$275.00); and that the claim of the said Scavenger Company for disposing of the garbage of the City from the 1st day of June, 1898, to and including the 23rd day of June, 1898, be and the same is hereby allowed at and for the sum of two hundred and one dollars and sixty-five cents (\$201.65); and the Auditing Committee of this City is hereby authorized and directed to allow said claims for said sums, and the Auditor to draw his warrants therefor, and the City Treasurer of said City to pay the same.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance ratifying the acts of the City Treasurer in redeeming certain "Municipal Refunding Bonds" and issuing in exchange therefor Refunding Bonds, the total amount of bonds so exchanged being \$4,000.00; also an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to pave the Plaza with red gravel.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, July 25th, 1898, at 7:30 P. M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Gadsden
City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, July 25th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk
Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Alusted, A. Morgan
and Johnson.

The reading of the Minutes was dispensed with.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of an Ordinance directing the Mayor and Attorney to purchase certain lots in Central Homestead for a right-of-way for a road to Mt. Hope Cemetery, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend the within Ordinance be adopted.

A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
H. W. Alden

7/25/98.

Thereupon said Ordinance was presented and read, and on motion of Delegate Cassidy action on the same was postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

At this time Delegate Frary enters and takes his seat in the Board.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of an Ordinance authorizing the City Guard Band to collect rental for use of the Plaza was read and on motion of delegate Alden adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend the within Ordinance be adopted.

A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James
H. W. Alden

7/25/98.

Thereupon said Ordinance was presented and referred to the City Attorney.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a Resolution of Intention to grade Third street was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the within Resolution read from Kalumia to Olive and said Third street be graded between said points.

A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
H. W. Alden.

7/25/98.

Thereupon said Resolution of Intention was read and on motion of delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James,
Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - delegates Barnes, Alusted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Intention

To grade Third street in the city of San Diego, California, from the north line of Kalumia street to the south line of Olive street.

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Common Council of the city of San Diego, California, to order the following street work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That Third street in said city of San Diego, from the north line of Kalumia street to the south line of Olive street, and the sidewalks thereof, including all intersections of streets between said points, be graded to the official grade thereof, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Ordinance numbered 349 of the ordinances of said city of San Diego, approved February 11th, 1896, and the contractor shall be bound by the provisions of said Ordinance.

The San Diegoan Sun, a daily newspaper printed and circulated in said city of San Diego, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice of the passage thereof for six days in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The clerk of said city of San Diego is hereby directed to post this Resolution of Intention conspicuously for two days at or near the chamber door of said Common Council, and to publish

the same by two insertions in said daily newspaper in the manner required by law.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the tender of the San Diego Brewing Company to dedicate land for a public street was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommend that the within offer of the San Diego Brewing Company to dedicate land for a street, be accepted.

A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
H. W. Alden.

7/25/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution accepting the tender of the San Diego Brewing Company to dedicate land for a public street was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thop,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Clusted, A. Morgan and
Johnson

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1040.

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

That Whereas, the San Diego Brewing Company (a corporation) has offered to dedicate to said City of San Diego, for street purposes, a strip of land, beginning 144.30 feet south of the point of intersection of the north line of lot 13 of the sub-division of Pueblo Lot No. 1166 of the Pueblo of San Diego, with the west line of Thirty-second street in the City of San Diego, and on the west line of said Thirty-second street, and running thence west 121.105 feet, thence south 40 feet, thence east 121.105 feet, to the west line of said Thirty-second street, and including, in said lines, a strip of land 40 feet in middle; said street to be designated as Brewery street.

Now, therefore, Be it Resolved, that the said City of San Diego hereby accepts such offer to dedicate and hereby declares that the said street be and is an open public street of said City.

A communication from the City Engineer in the matter of the right-of-way for the Pacific Beach road was read and ordered filed.

On motion of Delegate Lambert, a communication from the Board of Public Works giving a statement of the condition of the Street fund, and asking to have Joint Resolution No. 1033, providing for the construction of a sidewalk on "G" street in front of the New Town Park, rescinded, heretofore referred to the Street Committee, was withdrawn from said Committee.

Thereupon delegate James moves the adoption of a Joint Resolution to rescind Joint Resolution No. 1033, which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-None.

Noes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and James.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

An Ordinance to prevent the depositing of garbage or other waste matter within certain portions of the city was read and on motion of delegate W. J. Morgan adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 546.

An ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage or other refuse matter upon any of the streets, alleys, parks, lots or other places within the City of San Diego, California, and providing a penalty for its violation.

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

Section 1. That no person shall place or deposit, or cause to be placed or deposited, any garbage, dead animals, rubbish, tin cans, waste paper, night soil or any vegetable or animal matter, or other waste or refuse matter into or upon any street, alley, park, lot or other place within the said City of San Diego.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the city jail of said city for not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to that portion of said city lying west of the dividing line between pueblo lots 1225 and 1226 of the pueblo lands, or the said City of San Diego, were such dividing line extended north to the northern boundary line of said city, and as far as the southern boundary line of any portion of said city, not to that portion of said city lying north of the San Diego River, nor to that portion of said city lying east of Thirteenth street, were such street extended north to the city boundary line and south to the Bay of San Diego.

Section 2. That no person shall place or deposit, or cause to be placed or deposited, any garbage, dead animals, or any animal or vegetable matter, or any rubbish or decayed matter, or any kind of refuse, within the corporate limits of the said City of San Diego, without burying the same in trenches at least six feet deep and covering the same with not less than two feet of soil.

Section 3. That any person violating any of the provisions of Section 2 of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the city jail of said city for not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diegan Sun.

A Joint Resolution granting permission to Arthur Cosgrove to shoot pigeons at the corner of Fourth and D streets was read and on motion of delegate James adopted by a two-thirds vote of the Board, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson. Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1037.

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

That Arthur Cosgrove be and he is hereby permitted to shoot the pigeons that are annoying him at the Kuhn building, situated on the southeast corner of D and Fourth streets, in this city, provided that the said Arthur Cosgrove shall be liable for any damage or injury which may arise by reason of such shooting.

At this time delegate Johnson enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the suit of B. K. Arnold vs. the City was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to take no further action in the suit of B. K. Arnold vs. the City was read and on motion of delegate Frevert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1038.

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby instructed to take no further action, by way of defending the suit of B. K. Arnold et al brought against the City, for the purpose of enjoining the construction of any building or buildings upon the City Park, for fire engine purposes.

A communication from W. L. Stephens offering to sell to the City the building used as a City Hall for the sum of \$15,000⁰⁰, was read and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to allow claims for lighting the Plaza on Band Concert nights was read and on motion of delegate Alden adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Alusted and A. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1041.

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

That the Auditing Committee of the said City be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed to allow and order paid one dollar per night for each week until further ordered by this Common Council, in payment for electric lights in lighting the Band Stand upon the Plaza; and the City Auditor is hereby directed to draw his warrant therefor, and the Treasurer of the City to pay the same; provided that no bills shall be allowed or paid except for lights furnished on nights when band concerts are held.

An Ordinance authorizing the execution of a lease on behalf of the City for block 280 in Horton's addition was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Alusted and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 542.

An Ordinance authorizing the execution of a lease on behalf of the City of San Diego, California, for block 280 in Horton's addition in the said City of San Diego.

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that the said City of San Diego acquire a lease for a term of three years, for block 280 in Horton's addition in said City of San Diego, which block the said City desires to use for constructing a building upon for the

Chemical Engine recently purchased by the City, and

Whereas, such lease can be secured for a monthly rental of thirteen dollars (\$13.00), therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Mayor of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute a lease in the name of and as the act and deed of said City, for a term of three years, for said block, which lease has already been executed by the owner of said block, to-wit, Mrs. E. H. Arnold, on the 15th day of July, 1898, and which lease is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, That the execution of said lease be attested by the City Clerk by affixing his signature and the official seal of said City thereto.

Section 2. That in consideration of the execution and delivery of said lease by said Mrs. E. H. Arnold, to said City of San Diego, the said City hereby agrees, in addition to the covenants and agreements in the said lease contained, to take proper precautions so as to avoid injuring or destroying the sidewalks along the streets in front of said block, and in case said walks, or either of them, are injured or destroyed, the said City hereby agrees to repair and replace the same in as good condition as before injured.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance prescribing general regulations for laying down pipes and conduits in, through, along, and under the public streets, thoroughfares, and public ways of the City by the Southern California Mountain Water Company for supplying the City and its inhabitants with fresh water, was read and on motion of Delegate Frevert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Johnson, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

No-Delegate W. J. Morgan

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Alvested and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 541.
An ordinance prescribing general regulations for laying down pipes and conduits in, through, along, and under the public streets, thoroughfares, and public ways of the City of San Diego, California, and connections therewith, by the Southern California Mountain Water Company, for introducing into and supplying the City of San Diego, California and its inhabitants with fresh water for domestic and all other purposes. Whereas, the Southern California Mountain Water Company, in a communication to this Common Council, has declared its intention of laying down pipes

and conduits in, through, along, and under the public streets, thoroughfares, and public ways of the said City of San Diego, and connections therewith; for introducing into and supplying said city and its inhabitants with fresh water for domestic and all other purposes, and

Whereas, said Water company is duly incorporated for such purpose, under and by authority of the laws of this state, therefore,

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

Section 1. That all such pipes, conduits, and connections therewith, as may be laid in, through, along, or under any of the public streets, thoroughfares, or public ways of said city, by said Southern California Mountain Water Company, shall be laid upon the easterly side of the center of all streets running northerly and southerly, and adjoining the water pipes of the San Diego Water Company, now laid in the streets of said city, and on the southerly side of the center of all streets running easterly and westerly and adjoining the water pipes of the said San Diego Water Company.

Section 2. That all pipes laid by the said Southern California Mountain Water Company shall be so laid that the top of the same shall be at least two feet below the surface of the street.

Section 3. That all trenches dug for the purpose of laying any such pipes shall be filled back and thoroughly tamped in so as to leave the street in as good condition as before the pipes were laid; and all bituminous pavements or other pavements taken up for the purpose of laying such pipes, or connections therewith, shall be repaired and replaced to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Streets of said city.

Section 4. That wherever it is necessary in laying such pipes to cross any of the pipes or connections therewith, of the San Diego Water Company, or of any other person or company now laid through the streets of said city, all injury or damage done to any such pipes or connections therewith shall be repaired by or at the expense of the said Southern California Mountain Water Company.

Section 5. That all such pipes, so laid by the said Southern California Mountain Water Company, shall be laid under the direction of the said Superintendent of Streets of said city, and the said Southern California Mountain Water Company shall hold the City of San Diego harmless against any damages which may accrue to any persons or property by reason of the laying of such pipes through the streets of said city.

Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

A petition from Geo. W. Dickinson & Co. for authority to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on Fifth street in front of lots I and J, block 354, Norton's addition, was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. P. P. P.

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Goodman

City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, August 1st, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Delegates was held this
day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden,
Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin and
Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

On motion of Delegate Alden the reading of the minutes
was dispensed with.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open
session, sign an Ordinance prescribing general regulations for
laying down pipes and conduits in, through, along, and under the
public streets, thoroughfares, and public ways of the City, by the
Southern California Mountain Water Company, for supplying the City
with fresh water; also an Ordinance authorizing the execution of a
lease on behalf of the City for block 280 in Horton's addition; also
an Ordinance to prohibit the depositing of garbage or other waste
or refuse matter upon the streets, alleys, parks, lots or other places
within certain portions of the City,

Action on the Resolution Ordering the Work of sidewalking and
curbing "D" street from 13th to 24th street having been postponed
until this time was now taken up, and on motion of Delegate Frevert
action on the Resolution was postponed for thirty days.

An Ordinance providing for the purchase of certain
property needed by the City of San Diego for public use was read and
on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 548.

An Ordinance providing for the purchase of certain

property needed by the City of San Diego, California, for public use.

Whereas, the Common Council of said City, by Ordinance No. 528, duly passed and adopted on the 24th day of May, 1898, determined that it was necessary to construct and open a public street from the intersection of Thirty-second and "M" streets in Central Park addition to said City, to an intersection with Pascoe street in the "San Diego Homestead Union," also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition to said City; and

Whereas, It is necessary, in the construction and opening of such street over the route surveyed by the City Engineer, that this City acquire, by condemnation or purchase, the right-of-way over and through the south half of Block 133 in Central Park addition to said City,

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

Section 1. That the City purchase all of the lots comprising the south half of said block 133, provided the same can be purchased for not exceeding fifteen dollars per lot; and the Mayor of said City and the City Attorney be and they are hereby authorized and directed to purchase said lots at a price not to exceed fifteen dollars per lot, and to accept deeds for the same on behalf of said City; that said lots are to be clear from all incumbrances unless it be for taxes due the City of San Diego.

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

The following report of the Ways and Means Committee in the matter of a communication from S. B. Stephens offering to sell to the City the building now used as a City Hall for \$15,000.00, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Ways and Means Committee recommend that the within communication be referred to the Joint Public Buildings Committee.

A. E. Nutt,
Sam'l G. Ingle,
Geo. B. Watson,
J. H. Cassidy.

Thereupon said communication was referred to the Joint Public Buildings Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to comply with the terms of Joint Resolution No. 1033 was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Trary, Alusted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 No. 1033, providing for construction of sidewalks and curbs on the north side of "G" street between Columbia and India streets.

A Joint Resolution directing the Public Buildings Committee to recommend a building for Florence Heights engine house was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegates Trary, Alusted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1042.

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

That the Joint Committee on Public Buildings be and they are hereby instructed to recommend to this Council what necessary steps this Council shall take to secure proper building for the Florence Heights Chemical Engine.

A communication from the City Attorney giving it as his opinion that the City could not legally authorize the City Guard Band to collect rental for the Band stand on the Plaza was read and ordered filed.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of July, 1878, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Health in the matter of the blowing of the curfew whistle was read and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of paving the Plaza with Red Gravel asking to have the specifications for such work changed, and transmitting a copy of said specifications in which the desired changes have been made, was presented and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to improve the Plaza by paving the same with Red Gravel in accordance with the above mentioned specifications was read and on motion of delegate James adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Brewster, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Alvested, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 543.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to make certain improvements on the Plaza of said City.

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 and directed to improve the Plaza of this City, by paving the surface of the same, within that part of said Plaza now enclosed, with a layer of red earth of not less than two and five tenths (2.5) inches in thickness after compression; providing the cost of such paving shall not exceed the sum of two hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$295.00).

That the paving of said Plaza shall be done in accordance with the specifications therefor, prepared for that purpose by the City Engineer of said City, bearing date July 29th, 1898, and entitled "Specifications for covering the Plaza with a layer of red gravel or earth," which specifications are on file with the Board of Public Works of said City and a duplicate copy of said specifications is on file with the City Clerk of said City of San Diego, having been filed with said City Clerk on the 29th day of July, 1898, to which specifications reference is hereby made for further particulars.

Section 2. That Ordinance No. 540 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved July 19th, 1898, be and the same is hereby repealed and all proceedings taken under and in pursuance of said Ordinance No. 540, by any department of this City be and the same are hereby rescinded and abandoned.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to construct two water barrels for sprinkling wagons was read and the authority granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to have two water barrels made, to be used for sprinkling the streets was read and on motion of James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Olmsted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 544.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to have two water barrels made, to be used for sprinkling the streets of said City.

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 have constructed two water barrels to be used on the sprinkling carts of the City for street sprinkling purposes, at a cost not to exceed sixty-five dollars each.

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

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to purchase a second-hand typewriter for the City Clerk's was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to provide the City Clerk's office with a Senemore typewriter was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

No - Delegate W. J. Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Olmsted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 545.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to provide the City Clerk's office with a "Densmore" typewriter.

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

Section 1. That in pursuance of a communication from the Board of Public Works to this Common Council, under date of July 28th, 1898, the said Board is hereby authorized and directed to provide the office of the City Clerk with a "Densmore" typewriter, in accordance with the terms mentioned in said communication; provided that this can be done by an expenditure of not to exceed fifty dollars in addition to the old machine now in use in said office.

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

On motion of Delegate James and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for the balance of this meeting of the Board.

After giving due notice, President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to purchase a "Densmore" typewriter for the City Clerk's office; also an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to purchase two water barrels to be used on the street sprinkling carts; also an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to improve the Plaza by paving the same with Red gravel.

A communication from residents and property owners of the higher levels of the City asking the Council to adopt some measure by which they might have a reasonable supply of water; also a communication from J. M. Howells, president of the San Diego Water Company asking that the City be divided in districts for irrigation purposes, were read and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare amendments to the City Charter and submit the same to the Common Council was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Brewster, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Noes-Delegates James and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Almeted, A. Morgan and Johnson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1044.

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

That the City Attorney be instructed to prepare and submit to this Common Council amendments to the City Charter which said amendments will authorize that the Legislative branch of the City of San Diego shall consist of one body of nine members, five of which shall be elected from Wards, to be hereafter designated and four to be elected from the City at large; said members to serve without salary. Also a Board of Education of five members to be elected at large, and serve without salary.

Be it further Resolved that said City Attorney shall also incorporate in said amendments the substance of Ordinance No. 447, known as the Barnes ordinance, and Ordinance No. 497, known as the Sweeney ordinance.

Resolved further that the said Attorney also frame necessary amendments to consolidate the tax offices of the City with those of the County of San Diego, and such other provisions as he may deem necessary.

Whereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, August 1st, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Saccuman

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, August 8th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held
this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorp, Lambert,
Doddridge, Johnson, James, Cassidy,
Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Morgan, Alden, Alvested, Morgan,
Landis and Williamson.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

A Message from the Mayor appointing Dr. D. F. Rupp as
a member of the Board of Health, vice Dr. J. M. Steade, term
expired, was read and ordered filed.

Upon motion of Delegate Frevert the appointment of Dr.
D. F. Rupp as a member of the Board of Health vice Dr. J. M. Steade,
term expired, was confirmed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorp, Lambert,
Doddridge, Johnson, James, Cassidy
and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, Morgan, Alden, Alvested, Morgan,
Landis and Williamson.

At this time Delegate Frary enters and takes his seat
in the Board.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open
session, sign an Ordinance providing for the purchase of
certain property needed for building a road to Mount Hope
Cemetery, and authorizing the Mayor and City Attorney to purchase
the same.

An Ordinance dividing the City into three irrigation
districts, as recommended by the Joint Water Committee, was read
and on motion of Delegate Barnes adopted by the following vote,
to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Thorp, Lambert,
Doddridge, Johnson, Cassidy and Perrin.

No delegate James.

Absent delegates Morgan, Alden, Almsted, Morgan, Landis
and Williamson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 547.
An ordinance dividing the City of San Diego, California, into three districts and authorizing any person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the said city and its inhabitants, to make and enforce certain rules and regulations in regard to water supplied for irrigating purposes. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That for the purpose of enabling any person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the said City of San Diego, and its inhabitants, to regulate the use of water so supplied for irrigating purposes, the said City of San Diego, is hereby divided into three districts, described as follows:
The first district shall include all that portion of said city contained within the following boundary lines: Commencing at the intersection of "A" street with the easterly shore line of the Bay of San Diego, thence running easterly along said "A" street to its intersection with 22nd street, thence running south along 22nd street to its intersection with "K" street, thence east along "K" street to the eastern boundary line of the city, were said "K" street extended to said eastern boundary line, thence running in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary line of the Bay of San Diego, thence running northwesterly along said shore line to its intersection with "A" street and place of beginning.
The second district shall contain all that portion of said city included within the following boundary lines: Commencing at the intersection of "A" street with the easterly shore line of the Bay of San Diego, thence running easterly along said "A" street to 22nd street, thence running southerly along 22nd street to "K" street, thence running easterly along "K" street to the easterly boundary line of the city, were said "K" street extended east to such boundary line, thence running northerly along said easterly boundary line to an intersection with Palm street, were said Palm street extended easterly to the eastern boundary line of the city, thence running in a direct line westerly to an intersection with the easterly shore line of the Bay of San Diego, thence running southeasterly along said shore line to its intersection with "A" street and place of beginning.
The third district shall consist of all that portion of the City of San Diego not included within the limits of the second district hereinabove described.
Section 2. That any person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the City of San Diego, and its inhabitants, is hereby authorized and directed, with further order by the Common Council of said city to make and enforce a rule and regulation to the effect that within the said first district above described, no water shall be used for irrigating purposes except on Mondays and Thursdays of each week; that within said second district above described, no water shall be used for irrigating purposes except on Tuesdays and Fridays of each week; and that within said third district above described, no water shall be used for irrigating purposes except upon Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week.
Section 3. That in order to enforce any such rule or regulation as that above mentioned, which any such company, person or corporation may adopt, any person, company or corporation, supplying water to said city and its inhabitants, as aforesaid, is hereby authorized and empowered to turn the water off from the premises of any water-taker or water consumer, who violates any such rule or regulation, and not turn it on again except upon the payment of two dollars.
Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
The City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An motion of delegate James delegate Almsted was granted thirty days additional leave of absence.

At this time delegate Woddridge is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

President Perrin appoints delegate Lambert to serve on the Ways and Means Committee during the temporary absence of delegate Almsted.

The following report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee in the matter of an Engine House for Florence Heights was read and on motion of delegate Frevert adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 5th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:—

In accordance with the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 1042 the Joint Public Buildings Committee have investigated the matter of a building for Fire Department purposes on Florence Heights.

In order that we may determine what will be the best thing for the Council to do in the matter a sub-committee has been appointed to ascertain the cost of moving the barn in the Howard tract to the block recently leased by the city and fit it up for use as an Engine House; we also recommend that the Board of Public Works be instructed to advertise for plans and estimates of cost for the construction of an Engine House, all plans and estimates to be made under the supervision of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Ordinance.

Respectfully,

L. A. Blochman,

A. E. Nutt,

S. W. Hackett,

J. H. Cassidy,

H. M. Landis,

W. L. Frewert,

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to procure plans and estimates for the construction of an Engine House for a chemical Fire Engine was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Thorp, Lambert, Johnson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Morgan, Alden, Alvested, Morgan, Doddridge, Landis and Williamson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 549.

An Ordinance 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 this city.

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 of San Diego be, and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have plans and estimates of the cost made of the construction of a suitable building for the chemical fire engine recently purchased by the City to be located on Block 280 in Horton's addition in said City. And said Board is further authorized and directed to require that the party employed to make such plans and estimates, act in conjunction with the Chief of the Fire Department in making the same. That as soon as said plans and estimates are completed said Board is directed to return the same to the Common Council.

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

At this time Delegate Alden enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Joint Resolution directing the Street Superintendent to make a weekly report as to the cost of sprinkling the streets with salt water was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Johnson, James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Excused-Delegate. Grevert.

Absent delegates Morgan, Alvested, Morgan, Doddridge, Landis and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1046.

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, 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; and 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 13th, 1898.

The following report of the Auditing Committee in the matter of the destruction of cancelled bonds was read and adopted, viz:

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of San Diego, California,

Gentlemen:—

Pursuant to instructions received from your Honorable Body, contained in Ordinances No. 523, 524, 529, 530, 535 and 539, directing and instructing the City Auditing Committee to destroy, by burning, any and all bonds heretofore redeemed or refunded by said City; and make a record thereof, this Committee burned and totally destroyed the following bonds of said City on the second day of August, 1898, and the interest coupons thereto pertaining, viz:

Nos. 46, 47, 48, 50 value of \$500 each, and Nos. 94, 95, 96, value \$1,000 each, dated January 1, 1873, issued under provisions of charter ordinance No. 22, of said City, approved February 3, 1873.

Nos. 5 to 10 inclusive, dated September 15, 1885, Nos. 65 to 70 inclusive, dated November 16, 1885, and No. 74, dated January 1, 1887, value \$1,000 each, and Nos. 100 to 105 dated February 2, 1886, value \$500 each, issued under provisions of Chapter VI, Title 3, Part IV, of the Political Code.

Nos. 1, 2, and 3, and Nos. 6 to 400 inclusive, dated April 1, 1887, value \$1,000 each, issued under provisions of Statutes of 1885, p. 162.

Yours truly,

Auditing Committee of the City of San Diego, Calif.

Dated Aug. 8, 1898.

J. E. Reed,

Attest: Nat R. Titus, Sec'y.

Chairman

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance dividing the City into three irrigation districts.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of procuring from A. Mc. Caughey a deed for a right-of-way for the Cemetery Road was read and referred to the Street Committee.

A communication from the City Auditor recommending that there be some transfers made to the Sewer and Drainage, and General funds was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution transferring \$3000 to the Sewer and Drainage fund and \$3000 to the General fund was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Johnson, James and Perrin.

No-delegate Cassidy.

Absent-Delegates Morgan, Alvested, Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1045.

Be it Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that there be and hereby is transferred from the

delinquent Tax fund to the Sewer and Drainage fund the sum of \$300 and from the delinquent Tax fund to the General fund the sum of \$300.

That the City Auditor and the City Treasurer be and they are hereby 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.

The report of the Auditor showing the condition of the various funds of the City for the month of July, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of July, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$150.00, was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works, transmitting the record of the pressure of the water gauge, in the office of said Board, for the month of July, 1898, was presented and referred to the Water Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to answer certain questions was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - delegates Brewster, Barnes, Frary, Alden, Thorp, Lambert, Johnson, James, Leassidy and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Morgan, Alvested, Morgan, Doddridge, Landis and Williamson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1047.

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

That the City Attorney be, and he is hereby directed to return to the Common Council at as early a day as practicable, answers to the following questions:

1st, Can the City of San Diego begin condemnation proceedings against the San Diego Water Co., to acquire the plant known as the San Diego Water Co.'s system, until the said City has sufficient money in hand ready to pay the amount awarded by such condemnation proceedings.

2nd Can the Common Council by ordinance accept the

withdrawal of the contract made between the city of San Diego and the Southern California Mountain Water Co., and if so will the city be by such proceedings released from the bonded indebtedness voted by the voters of the said city on June 29th, 1896. In other words will the cancellation of the said contract, place the city of San Diego in the same position as prior to the vote authorizing such indebtedness, or will it be necessary for the voters to authorize the rescinding of the authority to incur the said indebtedness?

The petition of Peter Becker for permission to change his retail liquor saloon from 959 Fifth street between "D" and "E" streets to 1327 "D" street between Fourth and Fifth streets was read and on motion the same was granted.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to procure plans and estimates of cost for building an Engine House for the new chemical Engine on Florence Heights.

The application of C. A. Nagle for permission to construct concrete sidewalk and curb on "D" street in front of lots 1 and 7, block 44, and lot 7, block 45, Culverwell & Taggart's addition, and the application of L. H. Mc Bride for permission to construct concrete sidewalk and curb on "D" street in front of lot 1, block 1, Culverwell's addition, were presented and granted.

The petition of M. E. Willis for authority to grade a portion of Seventeenth street in front of lot 11, block 52, Sherman's addition, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the city Engineer in the matter of the increased cost for grading a portion of Third street by adding the block between Kalmia and Laurel streets was read and ordered filed.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. J. Anderson

city clerk.

Regular Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board

of Delegates of the City of

San Diego, Sept 6th 1898

A Regular meeting of the Board of Delegates was held this day at 7.30 Am. President Perrin presiding

Present Delegates. Frevert. Frary. Morgan W. J. Thorpe Lambert
Doddridge. Landis. Johnson. Williamson. James
Casidy. Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent Delegates. Barnes. Alden. Olmsted. Morgan A.

Reading of Minutes. Dispensed with.

On Motion of Williamson. H. W. Alden's Resignation accepted.

Delegate Thorpe places the name of C. C. Hakes in nomination to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of H. W. Alden. no other nomination the clerk was directed to cast the ballot for C. C. Hakes as delegate from the Third Ward. carried.

C. C. Hakes was sworn in as delegate from the Third Ward. President Perrin appoints him on committees heretofore assigned to Alden.

Message received from the Mayor appointing J. C. Hearne M.D. as a member of the Board of Health vice H. A. Edwards M.D. resigned.

Motion made by Frevert that appointment be confirmed by Delegates.

Ayes delegates. Frevert. Frary. Morgan W. J.
Thorpe Lambert. Doddridge. Landis.
Johnson. Williamson. James.
Casidy. Perrin.

Absent Delegates. Barnes. Olmsted. + A Morgan.

A communication from Mayor and City Attorney saying they had purchased for the city. Lots 17 to 26. both inclusive in the South Half of BLK 133 in Central Park Add. at \$15.00 (Fifteen Dollars each) was ordered read and filed.

Action on the Resolution ordering the work of sidewalking and curbing D St from 13th to 24th streets. postponed for 30 days. came up and was again postponed. for thirty days.

Ordinance allowing E. S. Babcock to maintain a system of salt water pipes as presented July 18th 1898, and action postponed 30 days as required by charter was this day taken up and approved by the following vote. Ayes Delegates. Frevert, Mary Morgan W. J. Hakes. Thorp. Lambert, Doddridge Landis. Johnson, Williamson. James. Cassidy. Perrie.

Noes None

Absent Barnes. Olmsted, and A. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows to wit.

Ordinance No. 552

An Ordinance authorizing and permitting E. S. Babcock to lay and maintain a system of pipes in and along the streets and public ways of the City of San Diego, California, for conveying salt water.

Be it ordained. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows.

Section 1.

That E. S. Babcock be and he is hereby authorized, permitted, and granted the privilege of laying and maintaining a system of pipes in, under, and along the streets and public ways of the said City of San Diego, for conveying salt water to be used in sprinkling the streets of said city, and also by the Fire Department for extinguishing fires.

Section 2.

Such pipes shall be laid so that the upper portion of the same, shall be not less than eighteen inches under the surface grade of the streets and public ways, and the laying of such pipes shall be filed under the supervision of the City Engineer. All trenches dug for the purpose of laying such pipes shall be filled back in such a manner as to leave the street in as good condition as before the pipes were laid or the trenches dug.

Section 3.

That the Common Council of said City hereby reserves the right to repeal, amend, or modify this Ordinance at any time.

Section 4

That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval. The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed immediately after the approval of the foregoing

Ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

At this time Delegate Johnson was excused from further attendance of this board.

The Petition of M. C. Willis referred to Joint Street committee was granted & signed by

S. W. Hackett
A. E. Dodson
W. H. Doddridge
A. A. James

Report of Committee adopted and
Petition granted by Council

Report Joint Street Committee on offer A. McCoughey to sell land was adopted viz.

The Joint Street committee recommend that the proposition of A. McCoughey to sell the City a strip of land 20 feet in width for widening the Cemetery Road for the sum of \$100. the City to take up and replace the fences upon the new property line, be accepted

Respectfully

S. W. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

J. G. Ingle

W. H. Doddridge

A. A. James

The following report of the Joint Health and Moral Committee in the matter of the blowing of the Curfew Whistle was adopted viz.

To the Common Council, City of San Diego,

Gentlemen

We the members of the Health and Moral Committee to whom was referred the communication from the Board of Health regarding the suspension of the Curfew Ordinance, would respectfully report: From a point of Health we do not attempt to question the wisdom of the Board of Health, but from a moral stand point we are constrained to the opinion that the enforcement of the Curfew Ordinance, is of far more importance to the welfare of our city than the nerves of a few nervous people who are unfortunately within the hearing of the Curfew Whistle. If the Board of Health will visit the streets of our

city after the hour of 9 o'clock. when the ordinance is in force and compare it with the same hour when the ordinance is not in force. we believe they will concur with us that it is the most useful and beneficial ordinance upon our books. In this connection we would suggest to you gentlemen that if the ordinance is now in force upon our statutes why has its operation been suspended for weeks past. As we understand the case only the common council has the right to suspend an ordinance.

Respectfully. A. E. Dodson
W. J. Morgan
Saml. G. Ingle
J. M. Williamson

Clerk presents the Affidavit of the publication of the resolution of intention to change the grade of Cedar St. Bet 7th & 8th Streets also the affidavits of the publication and the posting of the notice of passage of said resolution of intention of which affidavits were ordered filed.

Whereupon motion of delegate
Prevent, and ordinance changing the grade of Cedar St. Bet 7th & 8th Streets was read and adopted by the following vote to wit

Ayes Delegates. Prevent. Mary. Morgan W. J. Hakes
Thorp. Lambert. Doddridge. Landis.
Williamson. James. Cassidy. Perrin

Noes Delegate None

Absent

Barnes. Amstad. Morgan A. Johnson ad.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows viz -

Ordinance No 551

An ordinance declaring the grade of that portion of Cedar Street in the City of San Diego, California, to be changed between the east line of Seventh Street, and the west line of Eighth Street, and establishing the grade of the same.

The Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, having on the 11th day of July 1898, duly passed a resolution of intention numbered 598, to change and establish that portion of Cedar Street in the said City of San Diego between the East line of Seventh Street and the West line of Eighth Street, which said Resolution described the proposed change of grade and the said Common Council in and by said Resolution, having designated and established the district to be benefited by such change of grade and to be assessed to pay the cost of the same, and said Resolution of Intention having been published for ten days in the newspaper of

said City in which the official notices of the Common Council of said City are usually printed and published, to-wit, the San Diegoan Law, in every regular issue of said newspaper during the said period of ten days, as directed by said Resolution of Intention, and in the manner and by the persons required by law; and the Superintendent of Streets of said City having, within five days after the first publication of said Resolution of Intention, duly caused notices of the passage of said Resolution of Intention to be conspicuously posted within said district in the manner and form required by law; and more than thirty days having elapsed from the day of the first publication of the said Resolution of Intention in said newspaper, as aforesaid; and no objection to said proposed change of grade having been filed with the Clerk of the said Common Council; and no objection having been made to said proposed change of grade; and the petition of the owners of a majority of the property affected by said proposed change of grade having been filed with the said Clerk and presented to this Common Council, as required by law; therefore,

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

Section 1st That the grade of that portion of Cedar Street in said City of San Diego, between the East line of Seventh Street and the West line of Eighth Street, be and the same is hereby changed and established and declared to be in conformity with said Resolution of Intention, as follows

at the Southeast

corner of said Cedar and Seventh Streets the grade shall be 162.5 feet; at the Northeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh Streets the grade shall be 161 feet; at a point on the North line of said Cedar Street one hundred feet East of the Northeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh Streets, the grade shall be 161.75 feet; at a point on the South line of said Cedar Street, one hundred feet East of the Southeast corner of said Cedar and Seventh Streets, the grade shall be 161.50 feet; at the Southwest corner of said Cedar and Eighth Streets the grade shall be 160 feet; at the Northwest corner of said Cedar and Eighth Streets the grade shall be 160 feet, the grade of said Cedar Street between the points fixed by this Ordinance, shall be of uniform ascent and descent. The center line of said portion of said Cedar Street shall have an average elevation of the opposite curb grades.

The numbers used above, where their meaning

is not shown to be otherwise by their immediate context, mean the number of feet which the points designated in the proposed new grade, shall be above the city datum line of levels as fixed by Ordinance No 3 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing the Datum Line for the Grading of Streets in the City of San Diego, State of California and Providing for the Manner of Establishing Grades by Ordinance approved June 30th 1886.

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

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit the San Diegoian Sun.

The Petition of Theosophical Society for permission to alter building on C Street Bet Fourth and Fifth Streets was read and Referred to Joint Public Buildings Committee of the Council

Ordinance directing Board of Public Works to construct Road to Mt Hope Cemetery was then read & approved by the following vote

Ayes Delegates Thewert. Mary. Morgan W. J. Hakes.
Thorp. Lambert. Doddridge. Landis.
Williamson. James. Cassidy. Perrin

Noes. None

Absent.

Barnes. Almeta. Morgan A. Johnson

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows - viz.

Ordinance No 553.

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 said board to construct the same.

Be It Ordained. By the Common Council of the City of San Diego. as follows:

Section 1. That the following public work is hereby authorized. by the Common Council of said City. to be done under the supervision of the Board of Public Works. to-wit: The construction and grading of a public roadway for a wagon road. thirty feet in width. to commence at a point on "N" Street in said City. one hundred and twenty five feet West of the West line of Thirty second Street and extending thence Northeastery and Easterly to the East line of Hoffman Street. the said roadway to be constructed over the route

surveyed and platted by the City Engineer of said City and as indicated on the "Plat of Cemetery Road" prepared by said City Engineer and on file in his office. excepting from such grading of that portion of the said roadway which passes over North-Chollas Creek, which portion is to be bridged; and also the construction of a "Howe Truss Bridge" over North Chollas Creek, on the route of the said above mentioned roadway, which bridge is to be constructed according to plans and Specifications therefor, provided for that purpose by the City Engineer of the said City and now on file in his office.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to advertise for bids for the performance of the above named public works and to cause the said work to be performed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance to Repeal Ordinance No 547 dividing the City into three Irrigation Districts was then presented & read and by the following vote was adopted.

Ayes Delegates. Everett, Mary, Morgan H. J.
Hakes, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge
Landis, Williamson, Cassidy
Cerrin.

Noes. Delegates. James.

Absent.

Barnes, Olmsted, Morgan A, Johnson

Said Ordinance as adopted was referred to Joint Water Committee
Ordinance No

An Ordinance. Directing the Board of Public Works to procure a Water Pressure Gauge that will plainly indicate the pressure of water in the pipes of the San Diego Water Company. was then read and referred to Joint Water Committee.

An Ordinance. Providing for the payment of the unpaid portion of the Alamo Band Stand. was then read and referred to Joint City Lands Committee.

A Communication from the Mayor saying he had appointed N. H. Conklin as a member of the Police Commission in place of C. C. Hakes who had resigned. was then read and ordered. filed.

Thereupon Motion of Delegate Prevert, and by the unanimous vote of the Board said appointment was conferred.

A Communication from City Attorney in re Condemnation of Water Gas Plant was then read and referred to Water Committee.

A Communication from City Attorney in re Rose Canal Road was read and ordered filed, and that enclosed Deed be recorded by Clerk.

A Communication from Auditing Committee in re Contract for Storage for Fire Dept was read and filed, and Board of Public Works directed to advertise for bids.

A Communication from Auditing Committee in re Water Co's bill for Hydrant Rental and in re Water Gauge, Referred back to Auditing Committee.

A Communication from Board of Public Works in re-repairs to Sprinkling Carts, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon and Ordinance Authorizing the Board of Public Works to make all necessary repairs to the Street Sprinklers was adopted by the following vote - viz:

Ayes Delegates Prevert Mary, Morgan W. J. Hakes, Thorp., Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson.

Noes Delegates James, Cassidy, Perrin
Absent " Barnes, Almsted Morgan A. Johnson

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows: viz.
Ordinance No 550

An Ordinance 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.

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 said

City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to make, or cause to be made all necessary repairs upon any street sprinkler, street sweeper or upon any other machine, implement or tool owned by the said City of San Diego, including the purchase of bamboo for the brushes of the street sweepers the same to be paid for out of the proper Fund of said City.

Section 2. That the action of the Board of Public Works in repairing and having repaired street sprinklers in the month of August, 1898, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved. and the claims of K. L. Carrott for the sum of \$93⁷/₁₀₀ so incurred in the month of August, 1898, be and the same are hereby allowed and approved. and the Auditing committee of the said City of San Diego is hereby directed to allow and approve such claims and the Auditor to issue his warrant therefor.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of the foregoing ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

A Communication from Board of Public Works in re- \$500 for Street repairs. referred to Joint Street Committee.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the request of the Board of Public Works for \$500 for Street repairs was read and adopted, viz.

The Street Committee recommends the within petition be granted

J. M. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

H. H. Doddridge

F. A. James

A Communication from Board of Public Works in the matter of the fencing up of right of way by Southern California Railway Company. referred to Joint Street Committee

A Communication from Street Superintendent in the matter of the cost of sprinkling the Streets with salt water from June 1st to August 18th 1898, both included was then read & ordered filed

Whereupon a Joint Resolution was then read as follows.
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 and let a contract to the lowest responsible bidder for the furnishing of forage to the City of San Diego for the period of six months.

Said Resolution was adopted by the following vote, viz:

Ayes Delegates Mary, Morgan W. J. Hakes, Thorp
Lambert, Roddridge, Landis, ~~John~~
Williamson, James, Cassidy, Perrin

Noes None

Absent

Excused

Barnes, Almitted, Morgan A. Johnson A. O.

Present

A Communication from Board of Fire Commissioners and Board of Public Works transmitting plans for Engine House for Chemical Engine, was then read & Referred to Joint Fire Committee.

A Statement from the Board of Public Works was then read showing the expenses of the various Departments of the City for the month of July 1898. ordered filed.

A Report of the Pound Keeper for Month of August was read and ordered filed.

A Report of the Police Judge for Month of August was read and ordered filed.

A Communication from So Calif Mtn Water Co in re Water supply was read & referred to Joint Water Committee.

Petition A. L. Harrison for Establishment of grades of Front St from Maple to Nutmeg, also Maple from Front to Albatross Streets. Referred to Joint Street Committee.

A Petition from J. P. Christensen asking permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and concrete curb on D St in front of Lot 12, Block 1 - Culverwells Addition to the City of San Diego. same was granted.

A Petition from O. E. Winder to construct a Concrete sidewalk, and Concrete curb on D St. in front of Lot 7. BEK 42, Uth's Addition to the City of San Diego. Petition granted

A Petition from Mrs Mary Gregory Campbell (By A.C. Warner aty) asking permission to construct a Concrete sidewalk, and concrete curb, on D St in front of Lots 1 and 12. BEK 3. Culverwells add. Petition Granted.

A Petition from B. L. Muir asking Council to Cancel Certificate of sale of Lots 8 & 9 BEK 22, Coronado Beach, was presented and referred to City Attorney _____

Protest of Property owners against the proposed grading of Third Street between Kalnia and Olive Streets was presented and referred to Joint Street Committee _____

After giving due notice President Perrin did in open session sign an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to make all necessary repairs upon any Street Sprinkler, Street Sweeper, or upon any other machine. Implement a Code owned by the City also an Ordinance, directing the Board of Public Works to construct a road to Mt Hope Cemetery, also an Ordinance to allow E. S. Babcock to maintain a system of Salt Water pipes, Also an Ordinance to change the grade of Cedar Street bet. Seventh and Eight Streets.

Thereupon on Motion of Delegate Everett said board adjourn for one week which will be Tuesday Sept 13th 1898, at 7:30 PM

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. R. Latham

City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board
of Delegates of the City of San
Diego California Sept 13th 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7.30 P.M. President Perrin presiding.

Present Delegates Frevert, Mary, Morgan W. J. Lambert,
James, Landis, Johnson, Williamson
Cassidy, Perrin, and Clerk Goldman

Absent Delegates. Barnes, Haker, Thorp, Almsted, Morgan A.
Doddridge.

Minutes of meeting held July 25th and Aug 1st were read and approved.

At this time Delegate Haker enters and takes his seat in the Board.

On Motion of Delegate Lambert and by the following vote, further reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Ayes Delegates Morgan W. J. Haker, Lambert, Landis,
Johnson, Williamson

Noes Delegates Frevert, Mary, James, Cassidy, Perrin,

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Almsted, Morgan A. Doddridge

At this time Delegate Doddridge enters and takes his seat in the Board

Clerk announces that the proposed amendments to the City Charter prepared by the City Attorney under instructions from the Council are now ready.

Upon motion of Delegate Williamson, and by unanimous consent the matter was taken up and the clerk proceeds to read the amendments.

Delegate Frevert moved that the amendments be adopted whereupon on motion of Delegates W. J. Morgan and by the following vote to wit.

Ayes Delegates Mary, Morgan W. J. Haker, Lambert, Doddridge,
Johnson, James, Cassidy.

Noes Delegates. Frevert, Landis, Williamson, Perrin,

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Almsted, A. Morgan,

Action was

postponed.

At this time Delegate Lambert asked to be excused. granted.

Joint Street Committee herewith recommends that the within petition be granted and the accompanying Ordinance be adopted.

J. M. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

W. H. Doddridge

A. A. James.

Thereupon an Ordinance Authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend Five Hundred Dollars for general Street repairs as read was adopted by the following vote: viz.

Ayes Delegates. Frevert, Mary, Morgan W. J. Hakes.

Doddridge Landis, Johnson, Williamson

James, Cassidy, Perrin.

Ayes None.

Absent

Barnes, Chap. Olmsted Morgan A. Lambert.

Ordinance Adopted as follows

Ordinance No 554

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego to expend Five Hundred Dollars for General Street repairs.

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 expend the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for general repairs of streets within the City of San Diego.

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

Joint Fire Committee recommends that the plans for an Engine House as prepared by C. A. Logan be adopted and the Board of Public Works instructed to advertise for bids and let a contract for building said Engine House, providing the cost of the same shall not exceed the sum of \$900⁰⁰

Simon Levi

A. E. Nutt

H. M. Landis

W. L. Frevert

Plans were adopted as read

Delegate A. Johnson Jr. was excused from further attendance at this meeting

Petition of B. L. Muir to repair frame Building on Block 19 Hortons Addition, together with ~~Protect~~ ~~from~~ ~~Property~~ owners, was referred to Joint Fire Committee

Petition of Ed Hayes asking to have Liquor License of Hayes and Green. of Regal Tender Saloon changed to the name of Ed Hayes.
Petition granted.

Petition of J. W. Hickey asking to have the Retail Liquor License of S. H. Craigue & Co 1430, N St to be transferred to J. W. Hickey at same place. Granted

Application of Golden Hill Land Co for permit to construct Concrete Sidewalk and Concrete Curbing on D St in front of a strip of land 26 1/2 feet wide, on east side of Block D, Daggarts Addition to the City of San Diego California, also on D St in front of strip of land 23 1/2 feet wide on east side of Block E, Utts Addition, in accordance with specifications for such work. Granted.

Petition of J. H. Davis, Townmaster for permission to appoint Deputies. Referred to Health and Morals Committee.

Statement of the Auditor showing conditions of City Finances for the month of August 1898, read and ordered filed

Joint Street Committee recommends that the City Engineer be instructed to make the necessary surveys and negotiate for the right of way in re of the fencing up of right of way by Southern California Ry Co

J. W. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

W. H. Doddridge

F. A. James

A. Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to survey Sarreito road. was read and adopted as per vote

Ayes Delegates Prevost, Mary, Morgan H. J. Hakes.
Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James,
Cassidy, Perrin

Noes None

Absent -

Barner Thorp, Morgan A. Lambert, Johnson,

Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1049.

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

That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary surveys, and negotiate for the right of way for the opening of a public road in Colodad Valley near Torrey, where the California Southern Ry Co has fenced up its right of way, and by so doing closes the road there

~~Joint Public Building Committee recommended the granting of the Petition of Theosophical Society to alter building on E St Bet Fourth and Fifth Streets as asked.~~

~~L. A. Blockman~~

~~A. E. Nutt~~

~~J. W. Hackett~~

~~J. H. Cassidy~~

~~H. M. Landis~~

~~H. L. Prevert~~

~~Alone Petition was granted by two thirds vote of Aldermen~~

Statement of Board of Public Works showing the expenses of the various Departments for the month of August 1898 read, and ordered filed.

After giving due notice, President Perrin did in open session sign an Ordinance authorizing Board of Public Works to expend \$500 in General Repairs to Streets.

Whereupon the Board Adjourned

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. D. Goodman

City Clerk.

Regular Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board
of Delegates of the City of
San Diego Calif October, 3, 1898,

A regular session of the Board of Delegates was held
this day at 7³⁰ o'clock P.M. President Perrin presiding.
Present Delegates Frevort Barnes, Foery, Morgan ^{H. H. Hakes}
Thorp, Lambert Landis, Williamson
James Cassidy, Perrin and Clerk Vincent.
Absent Delegates Olmsted, A Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson,

The minutes of the adjourned meeting held August 8th
The regular meeting held September 6th and of the adjourned
meeting of September 13th 1898 were read and approved,

Delegate James now moves That The rules be suspended
which action was taken by unanimous consent.

The resignation of S. A. Olmsted as a member of the
Board of Delegates from the Fourth Ward was presented
and read and on motion of Delegate Frevort the same
was accepted.

Thereupon Delegate Barnes nominates E. A. Wright to fill
the vacancy caused by the resignation of S. A. Olmsted and on
motion of Delegate Frevort the clerk was instructed to cast
the vote of the Board of Delegates for E. A. Wright to fill such
vacancy. The clerk having cast the vote as instructed President
Perrin declared E. A. Wright duly elected as a member of the
Board of Delegates from the Fourth Ward.

Delegate Wright having been first duly qualified enters
and takes his seat in the Board.

At this time President Perrin appointed Delegate Wright
on the following standing committees. Ways and Means, Water
and Gas Electric Lights and Telephones

The report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee to
whom was referred the petition of The Theosophical Society
for permission to make alterations in building on C Street

between 4th & 5th streets on Lot - "F" Block 17 Horton's addition was read and on motion of Delegate James was referred to the Joint Fire Committee by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates	Frevert, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Landis, Williamson
	James and Cassidy and H. J. Morgan
Noes Delegates	Barnes, Frary, Lambert and Perrin
Absent Delegates	James A. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

The following report of the Joint Fire Committee to whom was referred the petition of B. L. Muir for permission to repair the frame building on Lot K Block 19 Horton's Addition was read and on motion of Delegates Hakes was adopted, viz:

The Joint Fire Committee recommend that B. L. Muir be granted permission to repair and alter a frame house which he has moved on to the south half of Lot K Block 19 Horton's Addition, and to build a frame house on the north half of said Lot K, and to build a small barn on the rear of said Lot. We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

Simon Levi

L. A. Blochman

H. M. Landis

H. L. Foever.

Sept 20, 1898

Thereupon said Joint Resolution was read and on motion of Delegate James was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates	Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
	Lambert, Landis, Williamson, James,
	Cassidy & Perrin

Noes Delegates H. J. Morgan.

Absent Delegates A. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No. —

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. Muir 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 in 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.

The following report of the Joint City Lands Committee in the matter of the Ordinance providing for the

payment of the unpaid portion of the cost of the Plaza Band Stand was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes was adopted and is as follows, to wit:

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 30th, 1898.

To the Common Council

City of San Diego.

Gentlemen:-

The Joint City Lands Committee, to whom was referred an Ordinance providing for the payment of the unpaid portion of the cost of construction of the Plaza Band Stand, herewith report and recommend as follows:

We recommend that the sum of \$383.00 be appropriated to pay off said indebtedness, provided the city receives from all parties interested a deed for all their right, title and interest in said Band Stand.

We therefore recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to prepare the necessary papers to carry this recommendation into effect.

Respectfully

L. A. Blochman.

S. W. Hackett.

W. J. Morgan.

J. W. Lambert.

H. P. Frary.

The report of the Health and Morals Committee to whom was referred the petition of J. A. Davis Poundkeeper for authority to appoint two deputies was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted and is as follows, viz:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend that the within petition be granted

J. M. Williamson

W. J. Morgan.

A. E. Dodson.

C. C. Hakes.

Oct. 3, 1898

A Joint Resolution recommending the Board of Fire Commissioners to reinstate the two extra men recently dismissed from the Fire Department for participation in Politics was read and on motion of Delegate James was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes
Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Landis, Williamson

James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No 1052

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

Whereas, the Honorable Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of San Diego, did, on the 28th day of September, 1898, request the resignation and dismissal from the fire department, two members of said department employed as extra men, at a salary of fifteen dollars per month, as a penalty for participating in the Republican County Convention in violation of a certain resolution adopted by a resolution adopted by a previous Board of Fire Commissioners, which resolution should only apply to the permanent employees of the fire department, and not relate to the extra men, now therefore,

Be it Resolved That we recommend to the Honorable Board of Fire Commissioners that said Resolution previously adopted be amended in accordance herewith, and that we request the Honorable Board of Fire Commissioners to reinstate the said two members as extra men in the said fire department.

A Joint Resolution in the matter of the claim of the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company, for lighting the Plaza Band Stand prior to July 26th 1898, was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Yeas Delegates Everett, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, W. J. Stokes
Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Landis, Williamson
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows viz:

Joint Resolution No 1051

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, as follows:

That the claim of the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company, for lighting Plaza Band Stand prior to July 26th, 1898, amounting to the sum of \$8.00, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved, and the city auditing committee be and is hereby authorized and directed to allow and pay the same.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the Resolution of Intention to sidewalk and curb the east side of Fifth Street from the North line of Oak Street to the south line of Walnut Avenue were such Avenue extended eastward across Fifth Street and the west side of said Fifth Street from the north line of Beech Street to the south line of said Walnut Avenue, so extended, and of the publication and posting of the notice of the passage of said Resolution of Intention having been presented were ordered filed.

Thereupon a Resolution ordering the work of sidewalking and curbing Fifth Street from Oak Street to Walnut Avenue was read and adopted by the

following vote, to-wit:

Deputy Delegates	Frederic Barnes, Henry, W. J. Morgan, Thos. Wright, Lambert Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Ed Perrin,
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Does None

Absent Delegates	A. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson,
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Said Resolution ordering work as adopted is as follows:

Resolution ordering the Work,

of sidewalking and curbing the east side of Fifth Street in the City of San Diego, California, from the North line of Oak Street to the south line of Walnut Avenue, were such Avenue extended eastward across said Fifth Street and the west side of said Fifth Street from the North line of Beech Street to the South line of said Walnut Avenue so extended.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the public interest and convenience of said city require that the street work hereinafter described be done. And therefore the said Common Council hereby orders the following street work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That the East side of that portion of Fifth Street in said City of San Diego, from the North line of Oak Street to the South line of Walnut Avenue, were such Avenue extended Eastward across said Fifth Street, and the west side of that portion of said Fifth Street, from the North line of Beech Street to the South line of said Walnut Avenue, if extended East across said Fifth Street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth Street and intersections between said points as have already been sidewalked with concrete,

laid to the official grade and accepted) be sidewalks with concrete in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Article 2 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 472, approved November 17th 1897;

And also that the East side of that portion of said Fifth Street, from the North line of Ash Street to the South line of Walnut Avenue, where such Avenue extended East across said Fifth Street, and the West side of that portion of said Fifth Street, from the North line of Beech Street to the South line of said Walnut Avenue, if extended East across said Fifth Street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said Fifth Street and intersections between said points as have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone, laid to the official grade and accepted) be curbed with concrete in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893,

The San Diegoan-Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution ordering work, and the notice of said work inviting sealed proposals for doing the same, shall be published, in the manner and form, and by the persons required by law.

The clerk of this city is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the chamber door of said Common Council, a notice with specifications inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said clerk is hereby directed to publish, for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same, and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

Said clerk is also hereby directed to publish this resolution ordering work, for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to make an estimate of the cost of grading "K" street from the west line of 21st street to the west line of 24th Street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert Barnes, Frary, W J Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Wright, Lambert, Landis Williamson, James
Cassidy and James

Does None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.
Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows. To wit:
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.

An Ordinance establishing the grade of "B" street from and including the west line of Twenty-first Street to and including the east line of Twenty-fourth Street was read and adopted by the following vote. To wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W J Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Wright, Lambert, Landis Williamson
James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge, and Johnson.
Said ordinance as adopted is as follows. To wit:
Ordinance No. —

An ordinance establishing the Grade of "B" street from and including the west line of Twenty-first street to and including the East line of Twenty-fourth street in the City of San Diego, State of California,

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

Section. 1. That the grade of "B" street, from and including the West line of Twenty-first Street, ~~from and including the West line of Twenty-first street~~ to and including the East line of Twenty-fourth Street in said City of San Diego, be and the same is hereby established as follows;

The elevation of the points herein named, above the datum line of levels, fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, entitled, An Ordinance establishing "a datum line for the grading of streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing for the manner

of establishing grades by Ordinance," approved June 30th 1886, shall be and are hereby fixed as follows:

At the Southwest corner of "B" and Twenty-first Streets, 118.00 feet;
 At the Southeast corner of "B" and Twenty-first Streets, 120.00 feet;
 At the Northwest corner of "B" and Twenty-first Streets, 117.00 feet;
 At the Northeast corner of "B" and Twenty-first Streets, 119.00 feet;
 At the Southwest corner of "B" and Twenty-second Streets, 145.50 feet;
 At the Southeast corner of "B" and Twenty-second Streets, 146.50 feet;
 At the Northwest corner of "B" and Twenty-second Streets, 145.00 feet;
 At the Northeast corner of "B" and Twenty-third Streets, 146.00 feet;
 At the Southwest corner of "B" and Twenty-third Streets, 164.00 feet;
 At the Southeast corner of "B" and Twenty-third Streets, 165.00 feet;
 At the Northwest corner of "B" and Twenty-third Streets, 163.50 feet;
 At the Northeast corner of "B" and Twenty-third Streets, 164.50 feet;
 At the Southwest corner of "B" and Twenty-fourth Streets 180.00 feet;
 At the Southeast corner of "B" and Twenty-fourth Streets 181.00 feet;
 At the Northwest corner of "B" and Twenty-fourth Streets 180.00 feet;
 At the Northeast corner of "B" and Twenty-fourth Streets 181.00 feet;

And the grade of said "B" Street, between the points fixed by this Ordinance shall be of uniform ascent and descent.

The center of said "B" street between said points shall be an average elevation of the opposite curb grades.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegoan-Sun.

An ordinance providing for the purchase of certain property required by the City of San Diego, for public use, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes. Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, H. J. Morgan, Stokes,
 Thopf, Wright, Lambert, Landis, Williamson
 James, Cassidy and Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates H. Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

Ordinance No. —

An Ordinance providing for the purchase of certain property required by the City of San Diego, California, for public use,

Whereas, the Common Council of said City, by Ordinance No. 528, duly passed and adopted on the 24th day of May, 1898, determining that it was necessary to construct and open a public street from the intersection of Thirty-Second and "M" Streets in Central Park Addition to said City to an intersection with Pascoe Street in the San Diego Homestead Union, also known as Helmon and Sanborn's Addition to said City, and

Whereas, it is necessary in the construction and opening of such street over the route surveyed by the City Engineer of said City, that this City acquire, by condemnation or purchase, the right of way over and through certain lands situated in the City of San Diego, California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the division line between the South west and Southeast quarters of Pueblo Lot numbered 1152, said point being North 704 feet from the South line of said Pueblo Lot; Thence running North along said division line for a distance of 20 feet; Thence running West and parallel to the South line of Pueblo Lot 1152, to a point on the division line between the West half and the East half of the West half of the South West quarter of Pueblo Lot 1152; Thence running South along the last mentioned division line for a distance of 20 feet; Thence running East and parallel to the South line of Pueblo Lot 1152 to the place of beginning.

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

Section 1. That the City purchase the said described property for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and that the Mayor of said City and the City Attorney be and they are hereby authorized and directed to purchase said land at a price not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00), and to accept deeds for the same on behalf of the said City.

That the said lands are to be free from all encumbrances. That the Auditing Committee of said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of the owner of said lands when the same shall have been conveyed to the City of San Diego and upon approval of the deed therefor by the City Attorney of said City.

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

A Communication from E. B. Stuart Agent of the Southern

California Railway Company in the matter of the public road near Morena station was read referred to the Joint Street Committee.

At this time Delegate Barnes moves that the Joint Resolution providing for the Charter Amendments be taken from the table, which motion was adopted.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Barnes said Joint Resolution was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Stokes Thorp Wright, Williamson, James W. Cassidy,

Noes Delegates W. J. Morgan Lambert, Landis Ed Perrin,

Absent Delegates A. Morgan, Doddridge, and Johnson,

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows

Joint Resolution No. 1053

Proposing Amendments to the Charter of the City of San Diego, California.

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

Whereas, in accordance with the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, the City of San Diego, State of California, did frame a charter which was duly ratified by the vote of the people of said city and was duly approved by the legislature of the said state in the year 1899; and

Whereas, the said charter of the said City of San Diego, so ratified and approved as aforesaid, has now been in force for more than two years since its adoption and approval without being amended, it is hereby proposed, by the legislative authority of said city, to-wit, the Common Council, in accordance with the further provisions of said Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, to amend the said charter;

Be it therefore resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego:

That the following amendments to the City Charter of said city are hereby proposed to be submitted, as a whole, to the qualified electors of said city for their ratification or rejection, at a special election to be hereafter duly called and held within said city.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA.

Prepared and proposed by the legislative authority of said city, to-wit, the Common Council, to be submitted to the vote of the people of said city, at a special election to be hereafter duly called and held within said city, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, which proposed amendments are as follows, to-wit:

That Section 1 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The legislative power of the City of San Diego shall be vested in one house of legislation which shall be designated the "Common Council."

That Section 2 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. The Common Council shall consist of nine members, whose terms of office shall be four years, five of whom shall be elected from districts, as hereinafter provided, and four shall be elected from the city at large.

That Section 3 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. Immediately after the approval of these amendments by the legislature of the State of California, the Common Council, then in office, shall, by ordinance, divide the said City of San Diego into five districts, to be known as "Councilman Districts" and numbered consecutively from one to five, making the population in each district as nearly equal as convenience will permit; provided, however, that in prescribing the boundary lines of such districts no election precinct shall be divided.

At the general municipal election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in April, in 1899, and every four years thereafter, one member of the Common Council shall be elected from each of such districts. The four members of the present Board of Aldermen, whose terms of office do not expire until the first Monday in May, 1901, shall continue in office, during the terms for which they were severally elected and shall constitute the four members of the said Common Council from the city at large, provided, however, that if any vacancies shall occur in the office of any one of the said four Aldermen before the next general municipal election, such vacancies shall be filled at said election. In the year 1901, and every four years thereafter, four members of said Common Council shall be elected from the city at large.

That at any time after January 1st, 1903, the Common Council may, by ordinance, change the boundary lines of said "Councilman Districts," provided that no such change be made within sixty days before any general municipal election, and more frequently than once in four years.

That Section 4 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4. Each member of the Common Council must have been an elector of the

city and an actual resident thereof at least one year next preceding his election.

That Section 5 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5. No person shall be eligible as a member of the Common Council

who shall have been convicted of malfeasance in office, bribery, or any other infamous crime by the judgment of a court; any such conviction during his term of office shall cause the forfeiture of his seat in said Common Council.

That Section 6 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 6. A majority of the members of the Common Council shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a less number may adjourn from day to day and compel the attendance of absent members in such manner and under such penalties as the Common Council may prescribe.

That Section 7 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 7. The Common Council shall: 1. Choose a president annually from its own members who may be removed by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the members of such Common Council.

2. Establish rules for its proceedings. 3. Keep a journal of its proceedings and allow the same to be published; the ayes and noes on any question shall, on a demand of any two members, be taken and entered therein.

4. Have authority to punish its members for disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence; and to expel any member by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of its members, specifying in the order of expulsion the cause thereof.

5. Have power to compel the attendance of witnesses and production of papers pertinent to any business before such Common Council or any of its committees.

That Section 8 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. The Common Council shall meet upon the first Monday of each month, or if that day be a legal holiday, then upon the next day; and may adjourn from time to time. The meetings of the Common Council shall be public.

That Section 9 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 9. No member of the Common Council shall hold any other office, federal, state, county, or municipal, except in the National Guard or as a Notary Public, or be an employee of said city, or of said Common Council, or be directly or indirectly interested in any contract with said city or with or for any department or institution thereof; or advance money or furnish material or supplies for the performance of any such contract; or furnish or become surety for the performance of any such contract; or directly or indirectly recommend, solicit, advise, request, or in any manner use his influence to obtain the appointment of any person to any office, position, place, or employment under the city government, or under any department, board, or officer thereof; but nothing in this section shall impair the right of a member to nominate and recommend any person for any office or position to be filled by appointment or election by the Common Council. Upon taking office, each member shall make and file in the office of the Clerk an affidavit that he will faithfully comply with and abide by all the requirements of this section. A violation of any of the provisions of this section shall cause a forfeiture of his office.

That Section 10 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. Every legislative act of said city shall be by ordinance. The enacting clause of every ordinance shall be "Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows":

That Section 11 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 11. No bill shall become an ordinance unless, on its final passage in the Common Council, at least a majority of all the members elected to the Common Council, vote in its favor and the vote be taken by ayes and noes, and the names of the members voting for and against the same be entered in the journal.

That Section 12 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be and the same is hereby repeated.

That Section 14 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 14. When a bill is put upon its final passage in the Common Council and fails to pass and a motion is made to reconsider, the vote upon such motion shall not be acted on before the next meeting of said Common Council. No bill for the grant of any franchise shall be finally passed within thirty days after its introduction.

That Section 16 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 16. Every bill, after it has passed the Common Council, shall be signed by the president thereof in open session in authentication of its passage. In signing such bill the president shall call the attention of the Common Council to the bill and that he is about to sign it; and if any member so request, the bill shall be read at length for information as to its correctness as enrolled. If any member objects that the bill is not the same as when considered and passed, such objection shall be passed upon, and if sustained the president shall withhold his signature, and the bill shall be corrected and signed before the Common Council proceeds to any other business.

That Section 17 of Chapter I of Article II of said charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 17. Every bill which shall have passed the Common Council and been authenticated, as provided in the last section, shall be presented to the Mayor for his approval. The Mayor shall return such bill to the Common Council within ten days after receiving it. If he approve it he shall sign it, and it shall then become an ordinance. If he disapprove it, he shall specify such objections thereto in writing. If he do not return it with his disapproval within the time above specified, it shall take effect as if he had approved it. The objections, if any, of the Mayor, shall be entered at large on the journal of the Common Council. Said Council shall, after five and within thirty days after such bill shall been so returned, reconsider and vote upon the same; and if the same shall, upon a reconsideration, be again passed by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of all the members of said Council, the President thereof shall certify that fact on the bill, and when so certified the bill shall become an ordinance with like effect as if it had received the approval of the Mayor; but if the bill shall fail to receive, upon the first vote thereon in the Common Council, an affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members, it shall be deemed finally lost. The vote on such reconsideration shall be taken by ayes and noes, and the names of the members voting for or against the same shall be entered in the journal of the Common Council.

That Subdivision 50 of Section 1 of Chapter II of Article II of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

50. To provide for the sale and conveyance, or lease, of all lands now or hereafter owned by said City, not dedicated or reserved for public use; but all leases and sales shall be made at public auction, after publication of notice thereof for at least three weeks. No sale shall be authorized or any lease made for a longer term than two years, except by ordinance passed by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members of the Common Council.

That Subdivision 53 of Section 1 of Chapter II of Article II of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

53. To incur an indebtedness exceeding the revenue for any fiscal year in case of great public calamity or danger, such as earthquakes, conflagrations, pestilence, invasion, or any other great or unforeseen emergency. The ordinance for such purpose must be passed by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Common Council and be approved by the Mayor. Before or at the time of incurring such indebtedness provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof within forty years from the time of contracting the same. No such indebtedness shall be incurred without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors of said City, voting at an election held for that purpose.

That Section 2 of Chapter II of Article II of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. A Committee of five members from the Common Council, to be appointed by the President, shall constitute a Board of Equalization of said City, and shall meet at the time prescribed by this Charter and organized by

the election of one of their number as Chairman, and shall have the powers and perform the duties concerning the equalization of taxes given to County Boards of Equalization by the general revenue laws of the State. The City Clerk shall act as Clerk of the Board of Equalization and the Common Council shall provide for the compensation of the members of the Board of Equalization for the time that they are actually engaged in the equalization of taxes.

That Section 4 of Chapter II of Article II of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4. The Common Council shall have power to appoint a committee from its members consisting of three, to be designated "Finance Committee," and to fill all vacancies in said Committee. Said Committee shall have power to investigate the transactions and accounts of all officers having the collection, custody, or disbursement of public money, or having the power to approve, allow or audit demands on the treasury; shall have free access to any records, books, and papers in all public offices; shall have power to administer oaths or affirmations, and to examine witnesses, and compel their attendance before them by subpoena. Said Committee may visit any of the public offices when and as often as they think proper, and make their examinations and investigations therein, without hindrance. It shall be the duty of such Committee, as often as once in every six months, to examine the official bonds of all city officers and depositories of the city funds, and inquire into and investigate the sufficiency and solvency of the sureties thereon, and report the facts to the Mayor. Such report shall specify each bond, with the sureties and the amount for which each surety is bound, and state whether or not they are deemed sufficient and solvent. Upon such report the Mayor shall act so as to protect the City, and may require new bonds when necessary, and he may suspend the officer until a sufficient bond is filed and approved. In the exercise of its functions a concurrence of two members of the Committee shall be deemed sufficient. Said Committee shall keep a record of its proceedings, with the names of the witnesses examined, and a substantial statement of the evidence taken. If, from the examination made by such committee, it shall appear that a misdemeanor in office, or a defalcation, has been committed by any officer, said Committee shall immediately report to the Mayor, who, if he approve said report, shall forthwith suspend or remove such officer. Any police officer shall execute the process and orders of said committee.

That Section 5 of Chapter II of Article II of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5. The Common Council shall not grant any franchise for the construction of any wharf into the Bay of San Diego, except in the manner following, viz.: In addition to the requirements under the general laws, each and every ordinance granting such franchise must receive the vote of at least two-thirds of the members of the Common Council and shall provide that work shall commence within six months and be prosecuted continuously and shall be completed within one year thereafter. Said time shall not be extended for any cause, and unless so completed the franchise shall be forfeited.

That Section 14 of Chapter II of Article II of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 14. All ordinance or resolutions, appropriating money or for the incurring of indebtedness or liability against the treasury, introduced in the Common Council, or other department or authority, must, before being passed, be presented to the Auditor, and until he certifies in writing upon such ordinance or resolution that such appropriation can be made or indebtedness incurred without the violation of any of the provisions of this Charter no further action shall be had upon the same.

That Section 8 of Chapter I of Article III of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. The Mayor may call special sessions of the Common Council and shall communicate to it in writing, when assembled, the objects for which it has been convened; and its action at such sessions shall be confined to such objects.

That Section 9 of Chapter I of Article III of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 9. When and so long as the Mayor is temporarily unable to perform his official duties, the President of the Common Council shall act as Mayor pro tempore. When a vacancy occurs in the office of Mayor it shall be filled for the unexpired term, by the Common Council, and any person possessing the necessary

Qualifications may be chosen Mayor at such election. A member of the Common Council, during the term for which he shall have been elected or appointed, shall be ineligible to fill such vacancy.

That Section 1 of Chapter II of Article III of the said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Common Council shall elect a City Clerk, who shall hold office for two years from the date of his election, unless sooner removed by resolution. His duties shall be to keep the corporate seal and all books, papers, records, and other documents, belonging to the City, the custody of which is not in this Charter otherwise provided, for; to attend all meetings of the Common Council and to keep a journal of its proceedings, all its by-laws, ordinances, and resolutions, and perform such other duties relating to his office as the Common Council and this Charter shall direct. He shall have power to take affidavits and administer oaths in all matters relating to the business of the city, and shall make no charge therefor. The City Clerk shall have power to appoint a deputy, who shall, under his direction, have the same powers, and perform the same duties as the City Clerk. The compensation of the City Clerk and his deputy shall be fixed by ordinance by the Common Council.

That Section 1 of Chapter III of Article III of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Auditor shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Common Council. He shall be ex-officio Assessor. As Assessor he shall perform all the duties prescribed by this Charter, or by law, for assessing property in the City for purposes of taxation.

That Section 6 of Chapter III of Article III of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 6. Whenever, in the judgment of the Common Council, it shall be for the best interests of the City, the offices of Auditor and Assessor may be made separate and the salary of each of said officers shall be fixed by the Common Council; and where separated the Assessor shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Common Council, and hold his office for the term of four years from the time of such appointment.

That Section 1 of Chapter V of Article III of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Common Council shall elect a City Attorney, who shall hold office for two years from the date of his election, unless sooner removed by resolution of said Common Council.

That Section 1 of Chapter I of Article V of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. There shall be a Department of Public Works, under the management of three Commissioners, who shall constitute a "Board of Public Works." The Commissioners shall be appointed by the Mayor from among the qualified electors of the City, subject to the approval of the Common Council. Their term of office shall be four years, and not more than two shall belong to the same political party. The Commissioners first appointed shall, at their first meeting, so classify themselves by lot that one of them shall go out of office in two years, one in three years, and one in four years.

That Section 14 of Chapter I of Article V of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 14. All public work authorized by the Common Council to be done under the supervision of the board, and all work for which the Board of Education shall make requisition upon the Board of Public Works, and all contracts for materials and supplies in an amount exceeding three hundred dollars, required by the Common Council, or any of the Departments of the City, not otherwise provided for in this Charter, shall be done under written contract, except in cases of urgent necessity, as hereinafter provided. Before awarding any contract authorized by this Chapter, the Board shall cause notice inviting sealed proposals therefor, to be posted conspicuously in its office and published for not less than five days; and in case the estimated cost thereof exceeds two thousand dollars (\$2,000), to be so posted and published for not less than ten days; except that when any repair or improvement, not exceeding the estimated cost of two hundred dollars (\$200), shall be deemed an urgent necessity by the Board, such repair or improvement may be made by the Board, under written contract or otherwise, without advertising for sealed proposals.

That neither the Board of Public Works nor any other department, Board or any officer or employee of said City shall purchase or cause to be purchased any material or supplies of any kind whatsoever, or hire or cause to be hired any labor or services to be performed for said City, without express authority so to do being first given by ordinance duly passed and adopted by the Common Council of said City.

That neither the Board of Public Works nor the Superintendent of Streets of said City shall do or perform, or cause to be done or performed, any work or improvement upon any of the public streets or sidewalks of said City, without express authority so to do being first given by ordinance duly passed and adopted by the Common Council of said City.

That Section 9 of Chapter V of Article V of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 9. The Common Council may, upon the recommendation of said Board, by ordinance passed by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members of said Council, authorize the purchase of any personal property or the acquisition by purchase or condemnation, of any real estate which may be necessary for the construction of any sewer or the making of any improvement provided for in this Charter. The title to all real estate purchased shall be taken in the name of said City.

That Section 1 of Chapter VI of Article IV of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. If at any time the City shall become the owner of any water supply, the Mayor shall appoint three citizens of the City to be Water Commissioners, no more than two of whom shall belong to the same political party, subject to confirmation by the Common Council. And they shall hold their office for the term of three years; provided, that when first appointed they shall be appointed for one, two, and three years, to be designated in the notice of appointment by the Mayor. Their compensation or salary shall be fixed by ordinance by the Common Council. One of said Commissioners shall be a duly qualified engineer, whose compensation shall be made accordingly.

That Section 2 of Chapter VI of Article V of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. The Water Commissioners shall have full control and management of the water system of the City, and the collection of the revenue therefor under such regulations by ordinance as the Common Council may, from time to time, enact. But the fixing of water rates shall remain in the Common Council.

That Section 1 of Chapter IX of Article V of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. There shall be a Cemetery Commission, consisting of three members, to be appointed by the Mayor, with the approval of the Common Council, from among the qualified electors of the City, and they shall hold office for four years.

That Section 1 of Chapter II of Article VI of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. There is hereby created an Auditing Committee, which shall consist of the Mayor, President of the Common Council, City Attorney, Auditor, and the Chairman of the Finance Committee of said Common Council. The Mayor shall be Chairman of this Committee, the Auditor shall be Secretary of the same, but in the absence of either at meetings of the Committee, a temporary Chairman and Secretary can be chosen by the Committee. The Auditing Committee shall hold stated meetings once in each month and can adjourn from time to time. It shall be the duty of this Committee to examine, allow, and order paid, or reject and disallow, all claims, demands, and bills of whatever nature (except monthly salaries of the City officers as fixed by this Charter), including any and all claims, demands, and bills incurred by the Board of Trustees of the Public Library, which may be presented against the City, and the Auditor shall not draw a warrant for any bill unless the same has been approved by a majority of the whole Auditing Committee. Three members of this Committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a less number can meet and adjourn from time to time.

That Section 13 of Chapter II of Article VI of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 13. Whenever the public interest or necessity demands it, the Common Council may contract bonded indebtedness under the provisions of the general laws of this State.

That Section 15 of Chapter II of Article VI of said Charter be and the same is hereby repealed.

That Section 1 of Article VII of said Charter be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The government of the school department of the City of San Diego shall be vested in a Board of Education composed of five members, to be elected from the City at large, each of whom shall have been, at the time of his election, for two years, a resident of this City, who shall be styled "Members of the Board of Education." They shall serve without salary. They shall hold office for four years or until their successors shall be elected. Such Board of Education, consisting of five members, shall be elected at the next general municipal election after the approval of these

amendments by the Legislature of this State.

That Section 2 of Article VII of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. The Board of Education shall choose, by ballot, one of their Board, President; they shall hold stated meetings at least monthly and special meetings as they may decide. The Superintendent of Schools shall be ex-officio Clerk of the Board and shall keep a faithful record of all their proceedings. Three members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a less number may adjourn from time to time. No action can be taken without the concurrence of at least three members. All sessions shall be public and all records of their official acts open to public inspection at all proper times. Any vacancy in the body shall be filled by the Board from the electors of the City, until the next general municipal election.

That Section 1 of Chapter I of Article IX of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Police Department shall be under the management of a Board of five Commissioners, four of whom shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Common Council, from among the qualified electors of the City, who shall serve without compensation, and no more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party. The Mayor shall be ex-officio President and a member of said Board.

That Section 1 of Chapter II of Article IX of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Fire Department shall be under the management of a Board of three Commissioners, to be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Common Council, from among the qualified electors of the City, who shall serve without compensation, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party.

That Section 1 of Chapter III of Article IX of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. There shall be a Board of Health, which shall consist of five physicians, graduates of some accredited medical college; three of whom must be physicians in active practice, to be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Common Council, who shall have supervision of all matters pertaining to the sanitary condition of the city, and its public institutions.

That Section 3 of Article X of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. No member of the Common Council, nor 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, work, or business 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 be deemed to have forfeited his office, and shall be forever after barred 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.

That Section 7 of Article X of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 7. When a vacancy occurs in any office, and provision is not otherwise made in this Charter or by law for filling the same, the Mayor shall appoint a suitable person to fill said vacancy, who shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term; provided, that in case of a vacancy in the Common Council it shall be filled by such Council until the next general city election.

That Section 14 of Article X of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 14. When any officer, Board, or Department provided for in this Charter shall require additional deputies, clerks, or employees, application shall be made to the Mayor therefor, and upon such application it shall be the duty of the Mayor to make investigation as to the necessity for such additional assistance, and if he find the same necessary he may recommend the appointment of such additional assistance; and thereupon the Common Council, by affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members thereof, may authorize such appointment and provide for the compensation for such appointee, subject to the limitations of this Charter.

That Section 15 of Article X of said Charter be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 15. No privilege shall be granted that suspends or violates any ordinance, except by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Common Council.

That a new section be and is hereby added to Chapter I of Article VI of said Charter, to be numbered and designated as Section 32, to read as follows:

Section 32. That the Common Council is hereby authorized and empowered, by ordinance duly passed, to elect to avail itself, and to avail itself of the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Levy and Collection of Taxes by and for the Use of Municipal Corporations and Cities Incorporated Under the Laws of the State of California, except Municipal Corporations of the First Class, and to Provide for the Consolidation and Abolition of Certain Municipal Offices, and to Provide that their Duties may be Performed by Certain Officers of the County, and Fixing the Compensation to be Allowed for such County Officers for the Services so Rendered to such Municipal Corporations," approved March 27th, 1895, or of Acts amendatory thereof, or supplementary thereto, now or hereafter made, or any other Act or Acts of the Legislature of this State now or hereafter made, similar to said above mentioned Act, and in the event that the Common Council shall pass an ordinance, as above authorized, electing to avail itself of the provisions of the said Act of the Legislature of the State of California, or of Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, now or hereafter made, or any other Act or Acts of the Legislature of this State now or hereafter made, similar to said above mentioned Act, then all the provisions of Chapter I of Article VI of this Charter and all of the provisions of Chapter III of Article III of this Charter, so far as they pertain to the office or duties of Assessor, and all the provisions of Chapter IV of Article III of this Charter shall be and become null and void, provided, however, that the rate of taxes levied by the Common Council shall not exceed in any year ninety cents for each one hundred dollars on the assessed value of all the property of said City, except for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonded debt of the City.

In the event that the Common Council does elect to avail itself of the provisions of the above named Acts, or any of them, then and in that event the said Common Council may, by ordinance, adopted by a majority of all its members, change the fiscal year to begin at any other time than that fixed by this Charter and may provide sufficient revenue to carry on the business of the fiscal year from the end of the fiscal year as fixed by this Charter to the commencement of the fiscal year so fixed by ordinance, by adding to the tax levy a sufficient amount in addition to the ninety-cent limit herein provided for, to raise money enough to carry on the business of the city between the end of the previous fiscal year and the commencement of the new fiscal year so fixed, provided such additional amount shall not exceed fifty cents for each one hundred dollars on the assessed value of all the property of said City, except for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonded debts of the City; and should the fiscal year be so changed the Common Council may also provide, by ordinance, the time for making the annual tax levy, and the time at which the lien thereof shall attach, and may change the time, or times, designated in this Charter for making the assessment, demanding statements of property, preparing the assessment roll, equalizing the assessment, and may provide, by ordinance, a general system for the assessment and collection of municipal taxes and for the sale and redemption of property sold for non-payment of taxes levied thereon, which general system shall conform as nearly as possible to the system now provided, or that may hereafter be provided for the assessing of property and collecting of taxes for State and County purposes.

That Article IV of said Charter be and the same is hereby repealed.

That Chapter II of Article V of said Charter be and the same is hereby repealed.

That Chapter III of Article V of said Charter be and the same is hereby repealed.

That Chapter IV of Article V of said Charter be and the same is hereby repealed.

That Article VIII of said Charter be and the same is hereby repealed.

For the sole purpose of the election of the Common Council as directed by the foregoing Amendments, the said Amendments shall take effect immediately after their approval by the Legislature of this State. For all other purposes the said Amendments shall take effect on the first Monday in May, 1899.

That the above and foregoing Amendments be published for twenty days in the "San Diego Sun," a daily newspaper of general circulation in this City, and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause the said above and foregoing Amendments to be published in the said San Diego Sun for such period of twenty days.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting the record of the Water pressure Gauge for the month of September 1898 was read and filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to move a lateral sewer on Third Street between Ivy and Hawthorne Sts was read and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works

asking authority to expend \$100. for watering trees in the Howard Park Tract. On motion the Board was granted authority to expend \$50. for such purpose.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to purchase \$50. worth of Postage Stamps was read and filed.

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase Postage and Revenue Stamps was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Landis, Williamson, James, Cassidy, Ed Perrin

Noes None

Absent Delegates L. Morgan, Doddridge, Ed Johnson,
Said ordinance as adopted is as follows. To wit:

Ordinance No. 556.

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to purchase Postage 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.

After having first given due notice President Perrin did, in open session sign an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase Postage and Revenue stamps.

A communication from the City Engineer transmitting map of the road in Solidad valley was read and on motion of Delegate James was referred to the Joint Street Committee

At this time Delegate W. J. Morgan moves that when the Board adjourns. That it adjourn until Monday Oct 10th 1898. which

motion was adopted, T

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of September 1898 was read and filed.

A communication from the Board of Supervisors in the matter of the apportionment of the assessment of the Southern California Railway Company as made by the State Board of Equalization for the year 1898 was read and on motion of Delegate James was ordered spread on the minutes of the Board and is as follows viz

"In this matter of the apportionment of the assessment of the Southern California Railway Company as made by the State Board of Equalization for the year 1898.

In this matter it is ordered on motion and declared that the length of main track of the Southern California Railway Company in San Diego County as assessed by the State Board of Equalization is 86.99 miles.

That the assessed value per mile of said Railway as fixed by a prorata distribution per mile of the assessed value of the franchise, road way, road bed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of said company within this County is \$6398.16.

That the apportionment of the assessment of the apportionment of the franchise, road bed, roadway, rails and rolling stock for and to San Diego City is Length of track 21.04 miles, Assessed value per mile \$6398.16, Making a total of \$134,617.

That the apportionment of the assessment of the of the Pullman Palace Car Company for the rolling stock in the State of California with the Southern California Railway Company as made by the State Board of Equalization for and to San Diego County is \$3679.

That the Railway operated with said described stock is the Railway of the Southern California Railway Company and the length of the main track of such railway so operated in this County is 65.69 miles.

That the assessed value per mile of said described rolling stock fixed by a prorata distribution per mile of the assessed value of the rolling stock of said company within this County is \$56.

Length of track in the City of San Diego 21.04 miles, Assessed value per mile \$56.

Making a total of \$1178.

The petition of property owners for the regrading of F street between the west line of 12th street and the west line of 25th street was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The following petitions for permission to construct concrete sidewalks and curbs in front of the property set opposite the respective names were read and granted

J. P. Christensen on D st. Lot 12 Block 31 Gardens Addition
 H. M. Stanton & J. D. st " 5 Thos. Gul Block 27 Hortons Addition
 Albert Roberts " " D " Lot 4 & 6 " " " 27 " " "
 J. B. Boyd Admr " " " Block 30 Culverwell & Suggs Addition
 Otto Malmgren " " " Lots 9 to 12 " 9 Kimballs "

The report of the Joint-City-Lands Committee in the matter of the application of G. A. Gilbert to lease certain city lands was read and adopted and is as follows. To wit:
 Sandusky, Cal. Sept. 30th, 1898.

To the Common Council,
 City of Sandusky,

Gentlemen:-

Your Joint-City-Lands Committee has examined the application of G. A. Gilbert for the use of certain city land during this season, and would recommend that his offer of \$100.00 for land in Pueblo Lots 1278, 1293, 1294, 1311 and 1314 be accepted. The committee believes that the city can realize more than \$200.00 for the use of the land north of the tier of Pueblo Lots 1249, 1250, 1251, etc

Respectfully

L. A. Blochman,
 S. H. Hackett
 W. J. Morgan,
 J. H. Lambert,
 F. P. Frary,

The petition of H. J. Barnes for the sale of certain lands belonging to the city was read and filed

An ordinance authorizing and directing the City Clerk to sell at public auction Tract 109 and 115 in Pueblo Lot 1168, was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hake,
 Thoop, Wright, Lambert, Landis, Williamson

James, Cassidy and Perrin,
 Does Stone
 Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge and Johnson,
 Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:
 Ordinance No. 555.

An ordinance to provide for the sale and conveyance of certain real estate owned by the City of San Diego, California,

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

Section 1. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized, directed, and required to sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, after publication of notice thereof for at least three weeks, in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diegoan-Sun, The following described real estate situated in said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and owned by said City, and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Fractional Block One Hundred and Nine (109) and fractional Block One Hundred and Fifteen (115) all in Pueblo Lot 1168, according to the official map of the partition of said Pueblo Lot, by Charles J. Fox, filed in the Office of the Recorder of said County, on the 8th day of May, 1882.

Section 2. The said sale shall take place in front of the main entrance to the City Hall of said City, situated on the Southwest corner of "D" and Third Streets in said City of San Diego, at the day and hour of the day specified in said notice of such sale, which date shall be fixed by the said City Clerk in said notice and shall not be later than thirty days subsequent to the approval of this ordinance; said property shall be sold at such sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, subject to the approval of this Common Council, in the manner hereinafter stated.

Section 3. The said City Clerk, after making such sale, shall immediately report the same, in writing, to the said Common Council, giving the name of purchaser, amount of highest and best bid, and such other facts as may be necessary to fully inform said Council of the proceedings had touching such sale, and said Common Council shall thereupon, by ordinance, approve and confirm such sale, or disapprove and reject the same.

Section 4. The notice of such sale given by said City Clerk, as provided in Section 1 of this ordinance, shall give

the time and place of such sale, fixing the hour of the day at which such sale shall take place which hour shall be between ten o'clock A.M. and three o'clock P.M. of the day upon which such sale is had, and shall also fix the terms and conditions of such sale as herein provided, and that the right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Section 5. If such sale be approved by said Common Council, as provided in Section 3 hereof, the purchaser shall be entitled to a deed for the said real estate, and upon presenting to the Mayor of said City a receipt from the City Treasurer of said City, showing that the entire purchase price of said real estate has been paid to the said City Treasurer, the Mayor of said City of San Diego, shall, for and on behalf of, and in the name of said City, execute, acknowledge, and deliver to such purchaser a deed of conveyance for the said real estate, and the said City Clerk of said City shall attest the execution of said deed by affixing his signature thereto and the official seal of said City.

Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct an engine house for the chemical engine recently purchased by the City was read and on motion of Delegate W. J. Morgan was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Stokes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Landis Williamson, James Cassidy and Perrin.

Noes None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge, and Johnson.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:

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:

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 fire engine recently purchased by this City.

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 (\$900.00).

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

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign the following described ordinances, viz, "An ordinance to provide for the sale and conveyance of certain real estate owned by the city of San Diego, California" and "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,

Whereupon the Board adjourned. +

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. D. Gaddman

city clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego
California October 10th 1898.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Delegates was held this day at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

Present Delegates Frevert, ~~Barnes~~ Frary, W. J. Morgan, Stakes,
~~St. John~~ Wright, Lambert, Landis, Williamson,
and Cassidy, and Clerk Vincent

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Doddridge,
Johnson, James and Perrin

In the absence of President Perrin, Delegate Frevert was elected President Pro Tem.

On motion of Delegate Williamson and by unanimous consent the order of business was suspended.

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the communication from R. C. Harrison asking for the establishing of the grade of Front Street from Maple to Albatross and of Maple Street from Front to Albatross was read and on motion of Delegate Landis was adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within petition be granted

B. H. Hackett,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
C. C. Stakes

Oct 7th 1898.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the communication from E. B. Stuart in the matter of grading public road near Morena, was read and on motion of Delegate Cassidy was adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the City Engineer be instructed to make an estimate of the cost of constructing the road near Morena

B. H. Hackett
W. H. Doddridge,

Oct 7th 1898.F. A. James
C. C. Hakes,

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the protest of property owners against the proposed grading of Third street between Kalmia and Olive streets was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes was adopted and is as follows to wit;

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within protest be granted.

S. H. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
C. C. Hakes,

Oct. 7. 1898.

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the petition of Geo H Hitchcock and C. W. Garland to close certain streets and alleys in Porters and Garlands Additions was read and on motion of Delegate Landis was adopted, and is as follows, viz;

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within petition be denied

S. H. Hackett,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
C. C. Hakes,Oct 7th 1898.

The report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the road in the Solidad valley was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes was adopted and is as follows, to wit;

The Joint Street Committee that the city sell to Mr Lockyer the five acres described in the within map for the right-of-way for a road over his land.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Ordinance

S. H. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
W. H. Doddridge,
F. A. James,
C. C. Hakes,Oct. 7th 1898.

At this time Delegate Doddridge enters and takes his seat in the Board.

An ordinance providing for the sale and conveyance of certain real estate owned by the City of San Diego, was adopted on motion of Delegate Leassidy by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Stokes, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson and Leassidy.

Noes None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, A. Morgan Johnson James Ed. Perrin

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows

Ordinance No.

An ordinance providing for the sale and conveyance of certain real estate owned by the City of San Diego, California. Be it ordained: By the common council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized, directed and required to sell at public auction, after publication of notice thereof, for at least three weeks, in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun, the following described real estate, situated in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and owned by said City, and particularly described as follows. To-wit:

Beginning at the most westerly corner of Pueblo Lot numbered 1353 of the Pueblo lands of the City of San Diego; thence running Northeast and along the Northeastly line of said Pueblo Lot 1353, for a distance of 450 feet; Thence running Southeastly and parallel to the Northeastly line of Lot numbered 5 of the Townsite of Sorrento (as shown upon the map of the same, on file in the County Records Office of the County of San Diego, State of California, filed September 30th, 1887, for a distance of 280 feet; Thence running Southwestly for a distance of 370 feet to a point on the said Northeastly line of the said Lot 5; Thence running Northwestly along the Southwestly line of said Pueblo Lot numbered 1353, 540 feet to the place of beginning, and containing three and fifty-one hundredths (3.51) acres.

Also that certain piece and parcel of land situated

in the said city of San Diego, State of California, and described as follows;

Beginning at the most Northerly corner of Acre Tract No. 6 of the Townsite of Sorrento (as shown upon the map of the same, on file in the County Records Office of the County of San Diego, State of California, filed September 30th 1887); Thence running Southeasterly and parallel to the Northeasterly line of Acre Tract No. 5 of the said Sorrento Townsite, to a point on the Southeasterly line of the Pueblo Lot numbered 1355; Thence running Southwestly 300 feet and along the Southeasterly line of said Pueblo Lot numbered 1355 to the South corner thereof; Thence running Northwesterly along the Southwestly line of said Pueblo Lot numbered 1355 for a distance of 430 feet to the place of beginning, and containing one and forty nine hundredth (.49) acres.

Section 2, That the said sale shall take place in front of the main entrance to the City Hall of the said City of San Diego, situated on the Southwest corner of "N" and Third Streets in the said City of San Diego, at the date specified in the Notice of such sale, which notice shall be signed by the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego, and which date shall be fixed by the said City Clerk, in said Notice, and shall not be later than sixty (60) days subsequent to the approval of this Ordinance.

Said described pieces of land shall be sold at such sale to the highest and best bidder, for cash, subject to the approval and confirmation of the Common Council of the said City of San Diego, in the manner hereinafter stated.

Section 3, The City Clerk of said City, after making such sale, shall immediately report the same in writing, to the said Common Council, giving the name of the purchaser, the amount of the highest and best bid, the time and place sold, and such other facts as may be necessary to fully inform such Common Council of the proceedings had touching such sale; and said Common Council shall thereupon, by Ordinance, accept such bid and approve and confirm such sale, or reject such bid and disapprove such sale.

Section 4, That the Notice of such sale to be given by said City Clerk, as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance, shall give the time and place for such sale, fixing the day and the hour of the day when such sale shall take place, which hour shall be between ten o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. of the day upon

which such sale is to be made, and shall also fix the terms and conditions of such sale as herein provided, and shall be signed by the city clerk of the said city of San Diego, for and on behalf of the city of San Diego; and said notice shall also provide that the common council of said city reserves the right to reject any and all bids offered.

Section 5. If such sale be approved and confirmed by said common council, as provided in Section 3 hereof, the purchaser shall be entitled to a deed of the said real estate, and upon presenting to the Mayor of said city a receipt from the city Treasurer of said city, showing that the entire purchase price of the said real estate has been paid to the said city Treasurer, the Mayor of said city shall, and he is hereby authorized and directed to for and on behalf, and in the name, and as the act and deed of said city, execute, acknowledge, and deliver to such purchaser a deed of conveyance for the said real estate; and the said city clerk of said city shall attest the execution of said deed by affixing his signature thereto and the official seal of said city.

Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The city clerk of said city is hereby directed immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to wit, the San Diegan Sun.

The report of the Joint Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones, to whom were referred various petitions for establishing electric lights in the city was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes was adopted, and is as follows, to wit:

San Diego, Cal. Oct. 7th, 1898

To the common council

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones, to whom has been referred petition asking the common council to establish electric lights in various parts of the city herewith report as follows:

We recommend that low arm lights be established at street intersections, as follows:

One at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street and Logan Avenue, and one at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street and National Avenue. Low lights are very much needed at these two corners, owing to the heavy traffic on the avenues and the fact that the curves of the Street Railway at these crossings make them very dangerous.

One at the intersection of Twenty-fifth street and Julian Avenue. This part of the city is so situated that it is not possible to give it proper police protection, and the residents in that vicinity are entitled to all the benefits which may be derived from an electric light at this point.

One at the intersection of Thirty-first and "R" Streets. This light will be of great benefit to the people living just on the other side of the valley, and will light up a very dangerous rail-road crossing.

One at the intersection of Tenth and "H" streets. This light should have been established long ago, on account of the dense foliage in the immediate vicinity, which makes this a very dark corner, and bad for the Hook and Ladder Company, whenever it is called out on a dark night.

In order that these lights may be established without increasing the total number, we recommend that two lights be taken from the mast at the corner of Twenty-Eighth street and National Avenue; two lights from the mast at the corner of Twenty-Sixth street and Franklin Avenue, and one light from the mast at the corner of Thirteenth and "H" streets.

Respectfully

Samuel G. Ingle

F. N. James,

E. A. Wright,

J. M. Williamson

An Ordinance providing for certain changes in the various electric light now in use in the city was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegate Everett, ~~Tracy~~, Tracy, W. J. Morgan
Hakes, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge
Laudis, Williamson, and Cassidy,

Noes None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, A Morgan, Johnson James Ed Perrin,
 Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:
 Ordinance No. —

An ordinance providing for certain changes and adjustments in the various electric lights now in use in lighting the public streets, alleys, and Parks in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the following changes and adjustments be immediately made in the various electric lights now in use for lighting the public streets, alleys, and parks of said City, and that new lights be located as hereinafter directed

That two lights be taken from the mast located at the intersection of Twenty-Eighth Street and National Avenue in said City; That two lights be taken from the mast located at the intersection of South Twenty-Sixth Street and Franklin Avenue in said City; That one light be taken from the mast located at the intersection of Thirteenth Street and "H" Street in said City; That one low-arm light be placed at each of the following street intersections, viz;

One low-arm light at the intersection of Twenty-sixth Street and Logan Avenue; one low-arm light at the intersection of Twenty-Sixth Street and National Avenue; one low-arm light at the intersection of Thirtyfirst Street and "R" Street; one low-arm light at the intersection of Twenty-fifth Street and Julian Avenue; one low-arm light at the intersection of Ninth Street and "H" Street.

Section 2. That the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company be and said Company is hereby requested, instructed, and directed to make the foregoing changes and adjustments in the above named electric lights and place and establish new lights as above indicated.

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the City of San Diego, California, immediately after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, be and he is hereby directed to serve the same upon the said San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company, by delivering a certified copy thereof, to the President of the said Company.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval. The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately

after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to wit the San Diegoan - Sun.

At this time Alderman Ingle appears and notifies the Board that the Board of Aldermen desires to meet with this Board in joint committee of the whole for the purpose of considering a petition signed by Henry Ormrod and others purporting to be a majority of the qualified electors of the City of San Diego, asking the Council to submit to the qualified electors the question whether or not this City shall abandon its existing Charter and Reorganize under the general laws of the State which petition had been filed with the Board of Aldermen.

On motion of Delegate Williamson the Board goes into Committee of the Whole to meet with the Board of Aldermen in joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering the petition above mentioned.

Upon re-assembling there were -
 Present. Delegate Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Stakes,
 Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson
 and Cassidy,
 Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Johnson,
 James and Perrin,

The Chairman of the Joint Committee of the Whole presents the following as the Report of the Joint Committee of the Whole which was adopted, viz:

The Joint Committee of the Whole recommends the petition of Henry Ormrod et al asking the Council to submit to the qualified electors of this City whether or not the City shall abandon its Charter, be referred to a special Committee consisting of Alderman Ingle, and Delegates Stakes and Williamson to examine said petition and ascertain if it contains the names of one-half the qualified electors of the City. The Committee further recommends that when the Council adjourns, it adjourn until Friday October 14th 1898 at 7.30 o'clock P.M. and that said Special Committee report to the Council at that time.

A Joint Resolution authorizing M. C. Willis to grade that portion of 17th Street in front of Lot 11 Block 52 Sherman's Addition was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:
 Ayes Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Stakes

Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson
and Cassidy

Does Stone

Absent Aldermen

Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A Morgan, Johnson
James and Perrin.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is, as follows:

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 Eleven (11) 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.

An ordinance authorizing J H Davis to appoint two deputy pound keepers was read and failed of adoption and was lost by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, H J Morgan, Stakes, Lambert, Doddridge
Landis Williamson and Cassidy.

Does Delegate
Absent Delegates

Frery.

Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A Morgan,
Johnson, James, and Perrin.

An ordinance authorizing The Board of Public Works to expend \$50.00 for labor in watering trees in the "Howard Tract" was read and on motion of Delegate H J Morgan was adopted, by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Frery, H J Morgan, Stakes, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Does Stone

Absent Delegates

Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A Morgan, Johnson,
James and Perrin.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Ordinance No. —

An ordinance 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 Tract"

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 expend fifty dollars for labor in watering the trees in the Howard Tract.

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

At this time Delegate Williamson gives notice that at the next meeting of the Board, he will call up the continued absence of various members of the Council and ask that the same be declared vacant.

A communication from the City Attorney asking for the transfer of \$300, from the Delinquent Tax Fund to the "Legal Fund" was read and filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution transferring \$300, from the "Delinquent Tax Fund" to the "Legal Fund" was read ~~and~~ ~~on~~ motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Forevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge, Laddis, Williamson and Cassidy,

Noes None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Wright & Morgan, Johnson
James and Perrin.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:
Joint Resolution No 1054.

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

That there be and is hereby transferred from the "Delinquent Tax Fund" of the City Treasury of the City of San Diego, to the "Legal Fund" thereof, the sum of Three hundred Dollars (\$300.00);

That the City Auditor and the City Treasurer of said City of San Diego be and they are hereby directed and authorized to make whatever entries that are necessary in their respective offices to carry into effect this Resolution.

A communication from the City Engineer in the matter of the ordinance closing all streets between 19th and 24th streets and North of "C" street was read and referred to the City Attorney.

A communication from the City Engineer in the matter of the title to a portion of Pueblo Lot 1355 was read and referred to the City Attorney.

The statement of the Board of Public Works of the expenses of the various departments of the City Government, was

read and filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of September 1898 was read and filed.

The report of the City Auditor for the month of September 1898 was read and filed.

A communication from The Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Joseph Kelly for constructing a sidewalk on A Street in front of Block 808 New Sandiego was read and a motion of Delegate Morgan was referred to the City Attorney.

A communication from C M Fern in the matter of the right of way for the Cemetery Road was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Friday October 14th 1898 at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

M. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. D. Goodman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California October 14th 1898.

An adjourned meeting of the Board was held this day
at 7:30 o'clock P^m

Present Delegates	Frevert, Foary, W J Morgan, Hakes, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Lundis, Cassidy, Ed Clark, Vincent
Absent Delegates	Barnes, Thorp, A Morgan, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin

In the absence of President Perrin Delegate Frevert
was elected President, - Pro Tem.

The minutes of the regular meeting held October 3^d
1898 were read and approved.

A message from the Mayor transmitting a commu-
nication from J W Sheppard representing the Mississippi
Glass Co was read and filed, and the communication was
on motion of Delegate Cassidy referred to the Joint
Fire Committee.

An ordinance amending section 25 of Ordinance
No 102 an ordinance regulating the construction, alteration
and repairs of buildings was read and referred to the
Joint Fire Committee

A petition from Hallaces show for a reduction of the
license was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney in the
matter of the petition of B L Muir for the cancellation of
certain tax sale certificates, advising that said petition be
denied was read and filed. Thereupon on motion of
Delegate Hakes said petition was denied.

A communication from The Board of Public Works
asking for authority to repair barn in Howard Tract and

fit up for a residence for the Superintendent of Parks was read referred to the Joint-Public Buildings Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a communication from the City Engineer in the matter of inspection of the pipes now being laid in the streets by the Southern California Water Company, was read and on motion of Delegate Stokes, was referred to the Joint Water Committee and City Attorney.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of the damage to the Palms on the Plaza and asking for authority to expend \$25.00 for the purpose of protecting them was read and on motion of Delegate Landis such authority was denied.

At this time on motion of Delegate Stokes. Delegate Johnson was granted 30 days leave of absence.

The petition of Beth Abbott asking the Council to establish the grade of South 25th street was read and on motion of Delegate Landis the City Engineer was instructed to establish such grade and set the grade stakes for Mrs Abbott at once.

The following petitions for permission to construct sidewalks and curbs in front of the property set opposite the respective names.

Frank Over Bitumen sidewalk on University Avenue in front of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 Block B Estudillo and Capouns Addition.

Lot Blochman concrete sidewalk and curb on Front Street in front of Lots J & K Block 196th Hortons Addition.

Beth Abbott concrete sidewalk and curb on Logan Ave & 25th St in front of Lots 23 and 24 Block 176 Sandiego Land & Town Lots Addition.

A communication from M C Turner asking to have the roadway across lot 10 & 11 Pueblo lot 1783 changed was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners in the matter of the Joint-Resolution 1052 requesting the reinstatement of two extra men resigned or discharged for violating one of the rules of the Board was read and filed.

A communication from The Chamber of Commerce asking the Council ~~to~~ have a census of the city taken was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from Arnold Schneider offering to pay the sum of \$28⁵⁰ in settlement of the back taxes on lots J & K Block 94 Norton's Addition was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee and City Attorney.

At this time Delegate Cassidy moves that when the Board adjourns, that it adjourn until Monday October 17th 1898 at 7.30 o'clock P.M. which motion was adopted.

A communication from the Health Officer in the matter of the broken sewer on Third and Hawthorne Streets was read and referred to the Sewer Committee with instructions to report on Monday Oct 17th 1898.

The petition of R Quartermass for permission to construct an awning over the sidewalk on H Street between 7th and 8th streets was read and referred to the street committee.

The petition of property owners to have the grade of B Street changed between 24th and 25th street was read and referred to the Street Committee.

The report of the special committee appointed to examine the names in the petition of Henry Conrad et al asking the Council to submit to the qualified electors of the city the question, whether or not, this city shall abandon its Charter and reorganize under the laws of the State was read. Delegate Hakes moves that the report be adopted.

Delegate Morgan now moves that the matter be submitted to the qualified electors, which last motion was lost by the following vote, to wit;

Ayes Delegates H. J. Morgan, Wright and Landis
Noes Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Lambert, Doddridge and Cassidy.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Thoff, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Thereupon the motion of Delegate Hakes adopting said report was carried and said report is as follows, viz:
San Diego California October 14th 1898.

To the Honorable Common Council of the
City of San Diego, California
Gentlemen:-

We, the members of your special Committee, appointed for the purpose of examining a petition presented to you, requesting you to submit to the qualified electors of this city, at the next general election to be held on Tuesday, November 8th, 1898, the question of whether this city shall abandon its Freeholders Charter, under which it is now acting, and re-organize under the general laws of this state, providing for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations, respectfully report as follows:

We have carefully examined said petition and from such examination, and from the examination of the Great Register, of record in the County Clerk's Office of the County of San Diego, State of California, and upon investigating the number of votes cast in this city, at the Presidential Election held herein, in November, 1896, and from other evidence presented to us, we find that said petition does not contain the names of and is not signed by one half of the qualified electors of this city, as required by law.

We would, therefore, recommend that the petition be denied, all of which is respectfully submitted.

C. C. Stakes,
J. M. Williamson,

Committee

A Joint Resolution in the matter of the petition of Henry Comerford et al asking the Council to submit to the qualified electors of the city, the question of whether or not, the city shall abandon its present charter and re-organize under the State law, was read and adopted by the following vote, To wit:

Ayes	Delegates	Frevert, Hays, Stakes, Lambert, Doddridge and Cassidy,
Noes	Delegates	H. J. Morgan, Wright and Landis,
Absent	Delegate	Barnes, Thorpe, A. Morgan, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. —

Whereas, a petition has been presented to this Common Council, for the purpose of requiring this

Common Council to submit to the qualified electors of the City of San Diego, at the next general election to be held on Tuesday, November 8.th 1898. The question of whether such City should abandon the present Freeholders Charter, under which the City is now acting, and re-organize under the general laws of the State of California, providing for the organization, incorporation, and government of municipal corporations; and

Whereas, this Common Council has carefully examined said petition and finds that the same does not contain the names of and is not signed by one-half of the qualified electors of said City, as required by law,

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

That after making a thorough and careful investigation and examination of the said petition this Common Council finds that the said petition does not contain the names of and is not signed by one-half of the qualified electors of said City, as required by law, and that said petition be and the same is hereby denied,

Whereupon the Board adjourned until Monday October 17th 1898.

M. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest-

G. D. Laddman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California October 17th 1898.

An adjourned meeting of the Board was held this day
at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

Present Delegates	Frevert, H. J. Morgan, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis Williamson, James and Cassidy and Clerk Vincent,
Absent Delegates	Barnes, Frary, Stokes, A. Morgan, Johnson, and Perrin

President Perrin being absent Delegate Doddridge was
elected President Pro, Tem.

The minutes of the adjourned meetings held October
10th and 14th 1898, were read and approved,

During the reading of the minutes Delegate Stokes entered
and takes his seat in the Board,

A communication from the Board of Public Works
asking for authority to expend \$25⁰⁰ in protecting the
Palms on the Plaza. having on the 14th day of October 1898
been granted by the Alderman and denied by the Board of
Delegates was now called up and Delegate Cassidy moved
that a conference committee of three be appointed to meet
with a like Committee from the Board of Aldermen, which
motion was adopted. Thereupon the President appointed Delegates
Cassidy, James and Stokes as such committee

The report of the Joint Finance Committee
to whom was referred the petition of The Wallace Shows
asking for a reduction of License was read and adopted
and is as follows, to wit:

The Finance Committee recommends that the within
petition be denied

Simon Levi
Geo. B. Watson
H. E. Dodson,

Oct. 17th, 1898,E. H. Wright,
F. A. James.

The report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred the communication from the Chamber of Commerce asking the Council to have a census of the City taken was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegate Frevert, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge,
Landis, James and Cassidy,

Noes Delegates W. J. Morgan, Hakes, and Williamson,

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, A Morgan, Johnson and Perrin

Said report as adopted is as follows viz;

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the within petition be granted.

Simon Levi
Geo. B. Watson,
A. E. Dodson,
E. H. Wright,
F. A. James.

Oct. 17th, 1898.

The report of the Joint Sewer Committee to whom was referred the communication from the Health Officer in the matter of the broken Sewer on Third and Hawthorn streets, was read and adopted and is as follows viz;

The Joint Sewer Committee recommends that the Board of Public Works be directed to re-lay the sewer in Block 247. Wortons Addition, and therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Ordinance.

A. E. Dodson,
H. L. Frevert,
J. M. Williamson,

Oct. 17th, 1898.

On motion of Delegate Frevert the Board took a recess of Ten minutes

Upon re-assembling there were,

Present Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson,
James and Cassidy,

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, A Morgan, Johnson
and Perrin.

Due proof of the publication and posting of the

Resolution ordering the work of sidewalking and curbing the east side of Fifth Street from the North line of Ash Street to the South line of Walnut Avenue, where said Avenue extended Eastward across said Fifth Street, and the West side of Fifth Street, from the North line of Beech Street to the South line of Walnut Avenue, so extend, and of the publication and posting of the notice inviting sealed bids or proposals for doing said work, was presented and filed.

The clerk announces that in response to such advertisement he has received the following bids, viz:

The bid of John Engelbret offering to do said work at the following prices, viz:

Sidewalk per square foot 15 cts.

Curb per lineal foot 45 cts.

Said bid was accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$50.⁰⁰. The bid of Joseph Kelly offering to do said work at the following prices, viz:

Curbing at Twenty Seven cents (27¢) per lineal foot.

Sidewalking (@ 10 1/4¢) per surface foot. (Ten and a quarter cents)

Said bid was accompanied by a certified check for \$90.⁰⁰

On motion the Bid of Joseph Kelly was accepted for doing said work.

The report of the Conference Committee in the matter of the communication from the Board of Public Works for authority to expend \$25.00 in protecting the Palm trees on the Plaza was read and adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Conference Committee recommend that the Board of Public Works be allowed to expend the sum of \$12.⁵⁰ in altering the "protecting guards" around the Palm trees on the Plaza

A. E. Dodson,
Samuel G. Ingle,
Geo. B. Hutson,
J. A. Cassidy,
F. A. James,
C. C. Stakes,

Oct. 17th 1898.

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to repair the sewer on Third and Hawthorn Streets was read and adopted by the following vote. To wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, H. J. Morgan, Stakes, Thorp, Wright,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson
James Ed Cassidy,

Ayes Stone

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, A Morgan, Johnson^{2d} & Perrin,
Said ordinance as adopted is as follows. To wit:

Ordinance No. —

An ordinance providing for the repair of the wooden
Prestle and the sewer on Third, and Hawthorn Streets in
the City of San Diego, California.

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 be and said Board is hereby instructed, author-
ized, and directed to let and execute a contract for the
furnishing of labor and material necessary to relay the
public sewer in Block 247 Hortons Addition near Third
and Hawthorn Streets in 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.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately
after the approval of this ordinance to publish the same
once in the City Official newspaper of said City. To wit,
the San Diegan-Sun.

An ordinance authorizing the Pound-keeper to appoint
two deputies was read and adopted by the following vote, viz,

Ayes Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, ^{2d} Williamson.

Ayes Delegates James ^{2d} Cassidy.

Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary, A Morgan, Johnson^{2d} & Perrin,
Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows. To wit:

Ordinance No. —

An ordinance authorizing the Pound-keeper of the City
of San Diego, California, to appoint two Deputy Poundkeepers.

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

Section 1. That the pound-keeper of said City be and he
is hereby authorized to appoint two deputy pound-keepers, sub-
ject to the approval of the Board of Delegates of the said
City of San Diego.

That said pound-keeper shall submit the names of such
deputies to the said Board of Delegates, and if such Board
of Delegates approve and ratify such appointments the same
shall be in force and effect.

Section 2. That said pound-keeper be and he is hereby

instructed and directed to wear, during all the times in which he is on duty or acting as such pound-keeper, upon the outside of his coat, in plain view, a metal star, at least two inches (2") in diameter, with the inscription "Pound-keeper" thereon.

That each of the said deputies be and they are hereby required to wear, during all the times in which they are on duty or acting as such deputy pound-keepers, upon the outside of their coats, in plain view, a metal star, at least two inches (2") in diameter, with the inscription Deputy Pound-keeper thereon.

Section 3, That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diegoan-Sun.

A petition from A Stegeman for authority to construct a sewer in the alley in Block 9 Kimball's Addition was read and granted.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution giving such authority was read and adopted by the following vote. to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, H. J. Morgan, Stakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert.
Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Ed Cassidy,
Does Stone

Absent Delegates, Barnes Frary, A. Morgan Johnson, Ed Perrin.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows. to wit:

Joint Resolution No 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.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

W. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. R. Laddman

City Clerk

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, November 7th, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M.,
President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, James, Cassidy, Perrin and
Clerk Vincent.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Landis, Johnson and
Williamson.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session,
sign an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Attorney to
purchase certain land needed for the Mt. Hope Cemetery road; also
an Ordinance establishing the grade of "B" street between 21st and 24th
streets; also an Ordinance directing the City Clerk to sell certain real
estate in the townsite of Sorrento; also an Ordinance providing for
certain changes and adjustments in the various electric lights now in
use in lighting the City; also an Ordinance directing the Board of
Public Works to expend \$50⁰⁰ for labor in watering trees in the "Howard
Tract" of the City Park; also an Ordinance directing the Board of Public
Works to repair the sewer and trestle at Third and Hawthorne streets;
also an Ordinance authorizing the Poundkeeper to appoint two deputies.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, November
14th, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

M. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Geo. R. Laddiman
City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, November 14th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Woddridge, James, Perrin, and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Wright, Lambert, Landis, Johnson, Williamson and Cassidy.

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held October 17th, 1898, and of Regular Meeting held November 7th, 1898, were read and approved.

At this time delegates Wright and Johnson enter and take their seats in the Board.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting the request of the Tax Collector for an additional assistant from November 28th to December 14th, 1898, and recommending that the same be granted was read and ordered filed; and said request was granted.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Tax Collector to appoint an additional deputy was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Woddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1062.

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

That the City Tax Collector be and he is hereby authorized to appoint an additional deputy to assist in preparing the delinquent list for the fiscal year 1898, to serve for fifteen days, from November 28th to December 14th at the salary of \$2.50 per day employed.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting a communication from Geo. P. Hall, Horticultural Commissioner, in the matter of Ward Parks, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon said communication was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Action on the Resolution Ordering the Work of sidewalking and curbing "D" street from 13th to 24th street, having been postponed until this time, was now taken up, and on motion of Delegate Hakes action was postponed for thirty days.

A communication was received from delegate Cassidy tendering his resignation as a member of this Board.

Action on the resignation of delegate Cassidy was postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the petition of R. Quatermass for authority to construct an awning over the sidewalk on "H" street between Seventh and Eighth streets, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommends that the within petition be granted.

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan,

C. C. Hakes.

Nov. 4th, 1898.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution granting permission to R. Quatermass to erect said awning was read adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorpe, Wright, Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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. Quatermass to erect a wooden awning in front of his stores on H street between Seventh and Eighth streets in said city, said awning to be supported by iron posts and to extend across and over the sidewalk to curb from building.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the offer of Dr. C. M. Fenn to sell to the city a right-of-way through the west half of the southwest quarter of Pueblo Lot 1153 was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 4th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:—

The Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred a communication from L. M. Linn, offering to sell to the City a right-of-way through the west half of the southwest quarter of Pueblo Lot 1153 for the sum of \$300⁰⁰ per acre, herewith report as follows:

The above communication was referred to the City Attorney for his opinion in the matter, which opinion is herewith transmitted to your Honorable Body. In accordance with the said opinion of the City Attorney we recommend that the City do not accept the offer of Dr. Linn.

Respectfully,

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan,

L. L. Hakes.

A Resolution of Award of Contract for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Award

Of contract for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street from Ash street to Walnut avenue.

The following report of the Street Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners to have the grade of "B" street changed between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommends that the within petition be granted.

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan,

L. L. Hakes.

Nov. 4th, 1898.

Thereupon a Resolution of Intention to change the grade of

"B" street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Intention

To change the grade of that portion of "B" street in the City of San Diego, California, from and including the east line of Twenty-fourth street, to and including the west line of Twenty-fifth street.

Whereas, the owners of a majority of the property affected by the herein proposed change of the grade of that portion of "B" street in said City of San Diego, from and including the east line of Twenty-fourth street, to and including the west line of Twenty-fifth street, have petitioned the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to change the grade of that portion of said "B" street between said points, and

Whereas, it appears to the Common Council and said Common Council finds that the said petition contains the names of the owners of a majority of the property affected by said proposed change of grades,

Now, therefore, Be it Resolved, that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego to change and establish the grade of that portion of "B" street in said City of San Diego, from and including the east line of Twenty-fourth street, to and including the west line of Twenty-fifth street, as follows:

At the northeast corner of said Twenty-fourth and "B" streets the grade shall be 181 feet; at the southeast corner of said Twenty-fourth and "B" streets, the grade shall be 181 feet; at a point on the north line of said "B" street 275 feet east of the east line of said Twenty-fourth street the grade shall be 199.25 feet; at a point on the south line of said "B" street 275 feet east of the east line of said Twenty-fourth street the grade shall be 198.25 feet; at the northwest corner of said "B" and Twenty-fifth streets the grade shall be 197 feet; at the southwest corner of said "B" and Twenty-fifth streets the grade shall be 196 feet; the grade of said "B" street, between the points fixed by this Resolution, shall be of uniform ascent and descent. The center line of said portion of said "B" street shall have an average elevation of the opposite curb grades.

The numbers used above, where their meaning is not shown to be otherwise by their immediate context, mean the number of feet which the points designated in the proposed new grade shall be above the City datum line of levels as fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, entitled "An Ordinance establishing a datum line for the grading of streets in

the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing for the manner of establishing grades by Ordinance," approved June 30th, 1886.

The district to be benefitted by the said proposed change of grade and to be assessed to pay the cost of the same is hereby designated and established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the south half of Block two (2) in H. M. Higgins' addition to said City of San Diego; thence running south along the west line of said Twenty-fifth street, to the southeast corner of the north half of Block three (3) in said addition; thence running west parallel to the south line of "E" street, to the east line of Twenty-fourth street; thence running north along the east line of Twenty-fourth street to the northwest corner of the south half of said Block two (2); thence running east along the south line of the alley in said Block two (2), to the place of beginning.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed to cause this Resolution of Intention to be published for ten days in the newspaper in which the official notices of the Common Council of this City are usually printed and published, to-wit, the San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City in every regular issue of said newspaper during said period of ten days, which newspaper is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The Superintendent of Streets of said City is hereby ordered and directed, within five days after the first publication of this Resolution, to cause to be conspicuously posted in the manner and form required by law, within the district hereinabove designated as the district to be benefitted by the said proposed change of grade notices of the passage of this Resolution.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to procure the necessary assessment books and supplies for the Assessor was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates. Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Soddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to increase the height of the protecting guards around the palm trees on the Plaza was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to furnish the Council the status of the Cemetery road was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 \$3000⁰⁰ was appropriated for the construction of the same last April.

A petition of citizens for a low arm electric light at the corner of Union and Beech streets; also a petition for a low arm electric light at the corner of State and "E" streets, were presented and referred to the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

An Ordinance providing for the taking of the census of the City and appropriating \$175⁰⁰ for the same was read.

Delegate Frevert moves that the blank space to be filled by the name of the party to take the census be filled by inserting the name of E. C. Hickman.

At this time a communication from Ed. B. Spencer and E. C. Denton was read, in which they offered to take the census of the City for the sum of \$150⁰⁰.

Whereupon on motion of Delegate Johnson said Ordinance and communication were referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 547, entitled "An Ordinance dividing the City of San Diego, California, into three districts and authorizing any person, company or corporation, engaged in the business of supplying water to the said City and its inhabitants, to make and enforce certain rules and regulations in regard to water supplied for irrigating purposes," was read and a motion that said Ordinance be adopted was duly made and seconded.

Upon said motion be put to the Board it failed of adoption by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Wright, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Morgan and Doddridge.

Absent-Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

An Ordinance providing for the sale of the lumber in the trestle supporting the sewer at Third and Hawthorne streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —.

An Ordinance providing for the sale of the lumber in the trestle supporting the sewer at Third and Hawthorne streets in the City of San Diego, California.

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 is hereby instructed, authorized, and directed, after advertising for five days, to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the lumber and material forming any part or portion of the trestle now supporting the sewer on Third and Hawthorne streets in the City of San Diego, California, which is unfit or unnecessary for the use of the City.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to publish, or cause to be published, this Ordinance once, in the city official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance establishing the grade of South Twenty-fifth street was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of leasing quarters for the various Engine Houses was read and referred to the Joint Public Building Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting

the claim of C. A. Logan as architect for the Engine House for the new Chemical Engine, was read and referred to the Joint Fire Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting the record of the Water Pressure Gauge for the month of October, 1898, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from Poundmaster Davis appointing J. Martinez and A. Ossuna as deputy Poundmasters, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 564, was read and on motion action on the confirmation of the same was postponed.

A communication from the City Clerk transmitting the result of the sale of fractional block 109 and fractional block 115, in Pueblo Lot 1168, was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

The petition of H. J. Haack for authority to construct a redwood curb and cobble stone gutter on Thirteenth street between "B" and "C" streets was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The petition of Dr. W. W. McKay, U. S. Quarantine Officer, asking for permission for the United States Government to lay a water pipe across Pueblo Lot 106, was read and granted.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution granting authority to the United States Government to lay a water pipe across Pueblo Lot 106 was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Oddridge, Johnson, James, and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegates Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 therefor, under date of November 12th, 1898, and on file in the office of the City Clerk.

On motion of Delegate Barnes it is ordered that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Monday, November 21st, 1898, at 7:30 P. M.

At this time Delegate Hakes is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of October, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Auditor, showing the condition of the various funds of the City for the month of October, 1898, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Police Commissioners asking the Council to change the location of Police Headquarters, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of Ordinance No. 16, approved March 30th, 1871, purporting to vacate all streets between 19th and 24th streets and north of "E" street, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 16 of the ordinances of said City, approved March 30th, 1871, and accepting dedications and offers of dedications of land for streets, alleys, etc., was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Trevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson, James, and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Hakes, Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Leasidy.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. —.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 16 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, approved March 30th, 1871, and accepting all the dedications and offers of dedication of land for the use of public streets, alleys, parks, and plazas for public use, in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That Section 1 of Ordinance No. 16 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, approved on the 30th day of March, 1871, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

That the map of Culverwell and Taggart's addition to San Diego, dated November 15th, 1869, and made by James Pascoe, County Surveyor, and now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Diego, State of California, be and the same is hereby declared to be the City official survey of Pueblo Lot No. 1148, as laid down on E. H. Poole's map of the pueblo lands of San Diego, and that the streets on said map, first aforesaid, are hereby declared public streets for the use of the public, and the offer of dedication and the dedication by the owners thereof, for the use of the public are hereby accepted and the same are hereby determined and declared to be public streets of the City of San Diego, California.

Section 2. That all streets, alleys, parks, and plazas within the corporate limits of the City of San Diego, California, which have been dedicated by the owners thereof, or of which there has been an offer of dedication by such owners, for the use of the public, be and the same are hereby accepted as and declared to be public streets, alleys, parks, and plazas of the City of San Diego, California.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish or cause to be published this Ordinance once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegoan-Sun.

A communication from the Auditing Committee recommending that the sum of \$725⁰⁰ be transferred to the Legal fund for the purpose of paying the City's portion of the costs in the case of Meyer vs. the City of San Diego and San Diego Water Company vs. the City of San Diego, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution transferring \$725⁰⁰ from the Public Health fund to the Legal fund was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Doddridge, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None

Absent - Delegates Hakes, Lambert, Landis, Williamson and Cassidy.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1063.

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

That the sum of seven hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$725⁰⁰) be and the same is hereby transferred from the "Public Health fund" of the said City, to the "Legal fund" of said City, and that the Auditor and Treasurer of said City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to make the proper entries upon the records in their respective offices, for the payment of the same.

Upon motion of Delegate Johnson and by unanimous consent Rule 15 was suspended.

Upon motion of Delegate Johnson the action of the Board in adopting a Resolution of Award of Contract for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street to Joseph Kelly was reconsidered.

Thereupon ~~the~~ bids for doing said work were referred back to the Joint Street Committee

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the title to Pueblo Lot 1355 was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney transmitting the proposition of Hanford Worthing to sell to the City a right-of-way through his property for the Cemetery Road for the sum of \$250⁰⁰ was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend the sum of \$28⁰⁰ in repairing the bitumen on "D" street between 3^d and 4th streets was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

W. J. Purvis

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest:

Geo. D. Yacubian

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, November 21st, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Landis and Cassidy.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 16, approved March 30th, 1871, and accepting all dedications and offers of dedication of land for use as public streets, etc.; also an Ordinance providing for the sale of the lumber in the trestle supporting the sewer at Third and Hawthorne streets.

Action on the resignation of Delegate J. H. Cassidy having been postponed until this time was now taken up, and on motion of Delegate James the resignation was accepted.

Delegate James nominates C. J. Wellington to fill the vacancy.
Delegate Hakes nominates C. F. Francisco to fill the vacancy.

President Perrin appoints Delegates Frevert and A. Morgan as tellers and orders a ballot taken, with the following result:

C. F. Francisco receives - - - - - 8 votes

C. J. Wellington receives - - - - - 6 votes

C. F. Francisco having received a majority of all the votes cast, President Perrin declares him to be elected as a member of the Board of Delegates from the Eighth ward, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. H. Cassidy.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the request of the Board of Public Works to be allowed to expend \$28⁰⁰ in repairing the Bitumen on Dth street between Third and Fourth streets, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the request of the Board of Public Works for authority to expend \$28⁰⁰ in repairing the Bitumen on Dth street between 3^d and 4th streets be granted, and therefore recommends the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

S. W. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge.

Nov. 18th, 1898.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works of bituminize about 280 square feet of 5th street between 3^d and 4th streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegate Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 5th 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 therefor to this Common Council, by said Board of Public Works, bearing date November 10th, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of an Ordinance establishing the grade of South Twenty-fifth street was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within Ordinance establishing the grade of South Twenty-fifth street be adopted.

S. W. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge.

Nov. 18th, 1898.

Thereupon an Ordinance establishing the grade of South Twenty-fifth street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegate Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 567.

An ordinance establishing the grade of South Twenty-fifth street in the City of San Diego, California, from and including the southwesterly line of Everett avenue, to and including the southwesterly line of Pierce avenue, in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the grade of South Twenty-fifth street from and including the southwesterly line of Everett avenue, to and including the southwesterly line of Pierce avenue, in the said City of San Diego, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

The elevation of the points herein named, above the datum line of levels, fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of said City of San Diego, entitled, "An ordinance establishing a datum line for the grading of streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing for the manner of establishing grades by ordinance," approved June 30th, 1886, shall be and is hereby fixed as follows:

At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Everett avenue, 67.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Everett avenue, 66.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Franklin avenue, 70.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Franklin avenue, 72.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Franklin avenue, 71.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Franklin avenue, 71.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Grant avenue, 95.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Grant avenue, 95.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Grant avenue, 95.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Grant avenue, 95.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Harrison avenue, 85.50 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Harrison avenue, 86.50 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Harrison avenue, 86.50 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Harrison avenue, 85.50 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Irving avenue, 83.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Irving avenue, 84.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Irving avenue, 84.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Irving avenue, 83.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Julian avenue, 82.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Julian avenue, 83.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Julian avenue, 83.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Julian avenue, 82.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Kearney avenue, 72.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Kearney avenue, 71.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Kearney avenue, 72.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Kearney avenue, 71.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Logan avenue, 63.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Logan avenue, 62.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Logan avenue, 63.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Logan avenue, 62.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Milton avenue, 52.00 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Milton avenue, 51.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Milton avenue, 52.00 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Grant avenue, 95.00 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Newton avenue, 38.50 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Newton avenue, 37.50 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Newton avenue, 38.50 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Newton avenue, 37.50 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Main street, 27.50 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Main street, 26.50 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Main street, 27.50 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Main street, 26.50 feet.
At the north corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Pierce avenue, 19.50 feet.
At the south corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Milton avenue, 51.00 feet.
At the east corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Pierce avenue, 18.50 feet.
At the west corner of South Twenty-fifth street and Pierce avenue, 19.50 feet.

Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

At this time the Board takes a recess for five minutes.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

Delegate elect C. F. Francisco having taken the oath of office, now takes his seat in the.

President Perrin appoints delegate Francisco to take the place of J. H. Cassidy on all committees of this Board.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to increase the height of the guards around the palms on the Plaza was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within Joint Resolution be laid over for ninety days.

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

A. Beard,

Nov. 18th, 1898.

W. H. Doddridge.

Thereupon action on said Joint Resolution was postponed for ninety days.

On motion of delegate Everett it is ordered that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Monday, November 28th, 1898, at 7:30 P.M.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of H. J. Haack for permission to put in a redwood curb and cobblestone gutter in front of his property on Thirteenth street was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within application be granted.

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

A. Beard,

Nov. 18th, 1898.

W. H. Doddridge.

Thereupon the application of H. J. Haack for authority to construct a redwood curb and cobble stone gutter on Thirteenth street, in front of the south 10 feet of lot B, lot C and north 12 of lot D, block 26, Horton's addition, was read and granted.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a communication from Geo. P. Hall recommending Parks in various parts of the city, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within communication in the matter of Parks in various parts of the city

be placed on file, as there are no funds available for that purpose at present.

S. W. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge.

Nov. 18th, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of an Ordinance providing for the taking of the census of the City was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the census be taken by E. C. Hickman, to be finished by December 21st, 1898, at a compensation not to exceed \$175⁰⁰, the offer of Spencer & Denton having been withdrawn. We therefore recommend the adoption of the within Ordinance.

Simon Levi,
Geo. B. Watson,
A. E. Dodson,
A. P. Johnson, Jr.,
A. Morgan,
F. A. James.

Nov. 21st, 1898.

Thereupon an Ordinance providing for the taking of the census of the City was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegate Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 568.
An ordinance declaring the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to take the census of said city and providing the manner in, and the regulations under which said census shall be taken.
Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That it be and is hereby determined that the public interest and necessity of the said City of San Diego, demand that the census of the said City of San Diego be taken, and an enumeration of the inhabitants of said city be made, and that it be and is hereby declared to be the intention of the Common Council of said City of San Diego to have said census taken and an enumeration of the inhabitants of said City of San Diego made.
Section 2. That said census shall be taken, and said enumeration of the said inhabitants of said city be made in the manner and under the regulations following, to-wit:
That said census shall be taken and said enumeration of the inhabitants of said City of San Diego be made between the 21st day of November, 1898, and the 21st day of December, 1898; that E. C. Hickman, a resident and elector of the said City of San Diego, be and he is hereby appointed, employed, and authorized to take a census and an enumeration of the inhabitants of said city, under the direct supervision of a committee of the said Common Council, composed of A. P. Morgan, A. P. Johnson, Jr., and A. E. Dodson; that in taking such census and in making such enumeration of the inhabitants of said city the full name of each inhabitant shall be plainly written, together with said inhabitant's address, and the names of such inhabitants alphabetically arranged and regularly prepared in one complete series, and when completed shall be verified by the party taking such census and the enumeration of such inhabitants, before some officer authorized to administer oaths, and thereafter be filed with the City Clerk of said City of San Diego; that the person

taking such census and making the enumeration of the inhabitants of said city, as hereinbefore mentioned, shall receive for his services the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175.00) and no more, said compensation to be paid out of the treasury of said City of San Diego.
Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 4. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish or cause to be published, this ordinance once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

On motion of delegate Frevert and by unanimous consent the rules of the Board were suspended during this meeting.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the bids for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Nov. 18th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:—

The Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the bids for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street between Ash street and Walnut avenue, herewith recommend that all bids be rejected and the city clerk instructed to re-advertise for bids for doing said work.

Respectfully,

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution rejecting all bids for sidewalking and curbing Fifth street and instructing the clerk to re-advertise for bids for doing said work was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrom.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegate Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1066.

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

That said Common Council deems it for the public good that all of the bids or proposals received by this Common Council, for the sidewalking and curbing of Fifth street, in pursuance of a notice inviting proposals for doing said work, published by the city clerk of this city and bearing date October 5th, 1898, be and each and every of such bids is hereby rejected;

That the city clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed to re-advertise for bids for doing said work and to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the chamber door of said Common Council, a notice with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing

said work; and said clerk is hereby directed to publish for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the newspaper designated for that purpose, in the Resolution ordering the said work, which said Resolution is number 600 and was adopted by the Common Council October 3rd, 1898.

A communication from the Board of Police Commissioners asking for authority to procure suitable headquarters for the Police Department at a monthly rental not to exceed \$10⁰⁰ was read and ordered filed.

On motion of delegate Barnes action on the confirmation of J. Martinez and A. Asuna, appointed by Poundmaster Davis as deputies, which had been postponed at the previous meeting of the Board, was now taken up.

Delegate Barnes moves that said appointments be confirmed, providing the appointees are citizens of the United States and can speak the English language, which motion was adopted and said appointments confirmed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Wright, Lambert, Woddridge, Williamson and Francisco.

Noes-Delegates Morgan, Thorp, Morgan, Johnson, James and Perrin.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

A communication from Dr. C. M. Ferrin in the matter of a right-of-way for the cemetery road over his land was referred back to the Joint Street Committee for further investigation.

A communication from the Auditing Committee, referring the claims of J. A. Jacobson and Peter Tradeau for \$5⁰⁰ each as Special Policemen November 2^o and 3^o, 1898, to the Council for ratification, was read.

On motion and by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Woddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

Said claims were ratified and the Auditing Committee

was directed to allow the same.

A communication from the Board of Public Works for authority to purchase \$50.⁰⁰ worth of postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City was read and the request granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase \$50.⁰⁰ worth of postage stamps was read and adopted by the following votes, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Soddridge, Johnson, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 569.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to purchase fifty dollars worth of postage stamps for the use of the various departments of the City government.

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 expend fifty dollars for postage 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.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$1000.⁰⁰ in general street repairs was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance providing for the taking of the census of the City; also an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$50.⁰⁰ for postage stamps.

A communication from the City Engineer giving an estimate of the cost of grading "B" street between 21st and 25th streets was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Board of Public Works giving the status of the Cemetery road fund was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes referred back to the Board for further information.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of the acts of the Southern California Mountain Water Company laying pipes in the streets of the city was read and ordered filed.

An Ordinance calling a Special Election for voting on the proposed amendments to the City Charter was presented and referred to the Special Committee heretofore appointed on Charter amendments, consisting of delegates

A Resolution of Intention to grade First Street from 12th to 25th street was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A petition from M. Tsepi for authority to construct an awning in front a building on Lot G, Block 115, Horton's addition, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from A. P. Meeker asking the Council to change the limits of the City irrigation district No. 3 from Palm street to either Maple or Laurel street was read and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

Attest

Geo. D. Gadsman
City Clerk.

M. J. Provis
President of the Board of Delegates.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, November 28th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Williamson, Francisco, Perrin and Clerk
Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Delegate Frevert moves that the Board go into Committee of the Whole, and request the Board of Aldermen to meet with them in Joint Committee of the Whole, which motion was adopted.

President Perrin appoints delegates Frevert and Lambert as a Committee to wait on the Board of Aldermen and inform them that this Board is now ready to meet with them in Joint Committee of the Whole.

Delegates Frevert and Lambert now retire.

Upon their return they state to the Board that the Board of Aldermen are now ready to meet with this Board in Joint Committee of the Whole.

Whereupon the Board goes in Committee of the Whole to meet with the Board of Aldermen in Joint Committee of the Whole.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Williamson, Francisco and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

The following report of the Joint Committee of the Whole was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Committee of the Whole recommends that the petition of the Southern California Railway Company for franchise to lay and maintain three additional switches on Atlantic street between

"B" and "H" streets be granted; and that the Southern California Railway Company be granted the temporary right to lay its switches and tracks on said Atlantic street between "B" and "H" streets.

Thereupon on motion of delegate Frevert the petition of the Southern California Railway Company for a franchise to lay and maintain three additional switches on Atlantic street between "B" and "H" streets, was granted.

A Joint Resolution granting the Southern California Railway Company the temporary right to lay and maintain three additional switches on Atlantic street was read and on motion of delegate Frevert adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - Delegates Morgan and Morgan.

Absent - Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, 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.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance establishing the grade of South Twenty-fifth street between Everett and Pierce avenues.

A communication from delegate Johnson resigning his position as a member of this Board from the Seventh ward was read and action on said resignation was postponed.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a right-of-way for and the construction of the Cemetery road was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Nov. 26th, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the matter of the acquisition of land for and the construction of the Cemetery Road, herewith recommend that work on the east end of said road be stopped upon the completion of the present contract; also

That the City Engineer report as to the advisability of using "K" street as far east as 30th street and 30th street from "K" to "M", as the western end of said Cemetery Road.

Respectfully,

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

A. Morgan,

Chas. Hakes.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of the offer of Arnold Schneider to pay \$28.50 in settlement of back taxes on Lots J and K, Block 94, Horton's addition, was read and adopted, viz:

The Finance Committee recommends that the within proposition of Arnold Schneider be accepted and the accompanying Joint Resolution be adopted.

Simon Levi,

Geo. B. Watson,

A. E. Dodson,

A. Morgan.

11/28/98.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Tax Collector to accept \$28.50 in full for back taxes on lots J and K, block 94, Horton's addition, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Woddridge, Landis,
Williamson, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1069.

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

That the City Tax Collector of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby directed and authorized to receive the sum of twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents (\$28.50), in full payment for the delinquent taxes due on lots "J" and "K" in Block ninety-four (94) in Horton's addition to the City of San Diego, California, levied by the City of San

Diego, for the fiscal year 1888.

The following report of the Joint Fire Committee in the matter of the claim of C. A. Logan for plans and specifications for an Engine House, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Fire Committee recommends that the within bill of C. A. Logan, architect, be allowed and paid.

Simon Levi,
L. A. Blochman,
F. P. Frary,
W. L. Frevest.

11/28/98.

A communication from the City Attorney, transmitting a deed from Owen M^r. Caughey, for a right-of-way for the Cemetery Road, and recommending that the same be recorded, was read and ordered filed.

A Joint Resolution directing the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company to put a low arm electric light at the corner of Ninth and "D" streets and one at the corner of Eleventh and "D" streets was read and referred to the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

A Joint Resolution recommending Harvey C. Stiles as Superintendent of Parks was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevest, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Williamson, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson,

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1067.

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

That whereas, Harvey C. Stiles, formerly Superintendent of Parks of this City, tendered his resignation as such Superintendent to the Board of Public Works, which said resignation was reluctantly accepted by said Board,

Now, therefore, Be it Resolved:

That it is the sense of this Common Council that the parks of this City have been well cared for under the efficient management of Mr. Stiles, and that this Council deems it fit and proper to extend and does hereby extend to Mr. Stiles a recommendation as a Park Superintendent, based upon the efficient manner in which he has

performed the duties of Superintendent of Parks of this city, and that he has the best wishes of this Common Council in his new field of labors.

A Joint Resolution directing the Auditing Committee to allow the claim of C. A. Logan, architect, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Excused-Delegate Frevert.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1070.

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

That the claim of C. A. Logan, for preparing plans and specifications for the fire engine house to be constructed on block two hundred and eighty (280) of Horton's addition to the City of San Diego, California, be and the same is hereby allowed for the sum of Fifty dollars; and the Auditing Committee is hereby directed and instructed to allow said claim for said amount.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to have certain deeds recorded was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, Francisco, and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1068.

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

That the City Clerk of the City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to file for record in the County Recorder's office of the County of San Diego, State of California, the deed of Owen M. Caughey, to the City of San Diego, conveying a right-of-way for the Cemetery road, over land therein described; and any other deeds to said City which he has in his possession unrecorded.

An Ordinance granting the Southern California Railway Company a franchise to lay and maintain three additional

railroad switches and tracks on Atlantic street between "B" and "H" streets was presented and read, and in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter action thereon was postponed for thirty days.

An Ordinance calling a special election and submitting to the qualified electors certain proposed amendments to the City Charter was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—delegates Frewest, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—delegates W. J. Morgan and Williamson.

Absent—delegates Barnes, Wright, Johnson and James.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows viz:

Ordinance No. 570.

An ordinance calling a special election in the City of San Diego, State of California, and submitting to the qualified voters of said city, at such special election, certain proposed amendments to the charter of the said City of San Diego, to be voted upon at the said special election.

Whereas, in accordance with the provisions of Section 8 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of California, the City of San Diego, State of California, did frame a charter which was duly ratified by the vote of the people of said city and was duly approved by the legislature of the said state, in the year 1889, and,

Whereas, the said charter of the said City of San Diego, so ratified and approved as aforesaid, has now been in force for more than two years since its adoption and approval, without being amended, and

Whereas, the legislative authority of the said City of San Diego, to-wit, the Common Council of said city, did, by Joint Resolution No. 1053, passed and adopted on the 3rd day of October, 1898, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said Section 8 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of California, prepare, propose, and adopt, by an affirmative vote of all of the members of each branch of the said Common Council, consisting of a Board of Aldermen and a Board of Delegates, certain proposed amendments to the said charter of the said City of San Diego, and

Whereas, the said Common Council did, in and by the passage and adoption of said Joint Resolution and said proposed amendments to said charter, provide that said proposed amendments shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, as a whole, for their ratification or rejection at the special election, to be hereafter duly called and held within said city; and

Whereas, the said Common Council caused said proposed amendments to be published at least twenty days in the San Diegan-Sun, a daily newspaper of general circulation in the said City of San Diego, said publication commencing on the 12th day of October, 1898, and ending on the 3rd day of November, 1898, both days inclusive;

Now therefore, be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That a special election shall be held in said City of San Diego, on the 3rd day of January, 1899, and the said Common Council does hereby call said election for said day, for the purpose of submitting and does hereby submit to the qualified electors of the said City of San Diego, for their ratification or rejection, the said amendments to the charter of said city, so proposed and submitted by the Common Council of said city, by said Joint Resolution No. 1053, adopted on the 3rd day of October, 1898, and published for twenty days in said daily newspaper, the San Diegan-Sun, as above stated.

Section 2. That said special election will be held in accordance with and under the provisions of this ordinance, and the laws of this state, providing for the conducting and holding of such elections.

Section 3. That it is hereby ordered and directed by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, State of California, that at said special election to be held in said City of San Diego, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, 1899, the said amendments to the said charter, so proposed by the Common Council of said city, will be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, as a whole, for ratification or rejection.

Section 4. That the manner of voting for or against said charter amendments shall be as follows, viz:

A sufficient number of ballots shall be and is hereby directed to be prepared and caused to be printed upon the proper kind of paper, by the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego, and shall be furnished and provided for the use of voters at said special election, at the expense of said City of San Diego, with the following matter printed thereon, viz: "CHARTER AMENDMENTS." And at the right of said words, in separate lines, the words "Yes" and "No."

Any voter who desires to vote for and in favor of said charter amendments may do so by stamping a cross (X) on the right hand margin of his ballot, after and opposite the word "Yes." And any voter who desires to vote against said charter amendments may do so by stamping a cross (X) on the right hand margin of his ballot, after and opposite the word "No."

Section 5. The polls at said election shall be open at sunrise of the morning of the day on which the election is held and shall be kept open until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day when the polls shall be closed.

Section 6. That for the purpose for holding said special election, the said City of San Diego is hereby subdivided into the following "Special Election Precincts" numbered consecutively from one upwards, to-wit:

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 1.

"Special Election Precinct No. 1" shall consist of all that portion of the second ward of said city, lying west of the center line of First street, and all that portion of the First ward of said city, lying northerly and westerly of the following described line, viz:

Beginning at a point on the eastern boundary line of said City of San Diego, where the line between Pueblo lots 1200 and 1201 intersects said eastern boundary line; thence running westerly along the south lines of pueblo lots 1201, 1202, 1203 and 1204, to the northwest corner of pueblo lot 1197; thence running south along the west lines of pueblo lots 1197, 1189, 1180, and 1175, to the southwest corner of said lot 1175; thence running northeasterly to the northeast corner of pueblo lot 1104; thence running southeasterly to the southwest corner of pueblo lot 1105; thence running northeasterly along the southerly line of said pueblo lot 1105 to the northwest corner of pueblo lot 1118; thence running south along the west lines of pueblo lots 1118, pueblo lot "C", pueblo lots 1123, and 1132, to the center line of Upas street in Horton's addition in said city; thence running westerly and south westerly along the center line of said Upas street to the shore line of San Diego bay; thence running in a direct line in a southwesterly direction to the old light house on Point Loma.

The polling place of said "Special Election Precinct No. 1" shall be at stable near the southeast corner of Cedar and Union streets, and the election officers for said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—Geo. H. Crippen and Geo. B. Chapman.
Clerks—Collins Gillmore and E. C. Thorpe.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 2.

"Special Election Precinct No. 2" shall consist of all that portion of the second ward of said city, lying east of the center line of First street and all that portion of the first ward of said city, described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of pueblo lot 1197; thence running east to the east line of the pueblo of San Diego; thence southeasterly on said pueblo line to the north line of pueblo lot 1150; thence westerly along the Southern boundary of the first ward, to the line between pueblo lots 1132 and 1133; thence north to the south line of pueblo lot 1115; thence westerly to the southwest corner of said lot 1105; thence northerly to the northeast corner of pueblo lot 1104; thence westerly to the southeast corner of pueblo lot 1176; thence north to the point of beginning.

The polling place of said "Special Election Precinct No. 2" shall be at the Old Power House of the Citizen's Traction Company, situated on the west side of Fourth street, between Redwood and Spruce streets, and the election officers for said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—J. L. Bennett and W. P. Stone.
Clerks—Nat. Kennedy and J. F. Brooks.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 3.

"Special Election Precinct No. 3" shall consist of the entire third ward of said city, as said third ward is described in Section 4 of Chapter II of Article I of the charter of the said City of San Diego.

The polling place of said "Special Election Precinct No. 3" shall be the old Police court room, No. 1007 "D" street, and the election officers of said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—J. S. Clark and E. A. Stevens.
Clerks—W. F. McKee and Ben F. Downs.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 4.

"Special Election Precinct No. 4" shall consist of the fourth ward of said city.

The polling place of said "Special Election Precinct No. 4" shall be at No. 1231 Fifth street, and the election officers of said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—S. W. Kroff and O. C. Reed.
Clerks—C. Q. Stanton and Henry Cook.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 5.

"Special Election Precinct No. 5" shall consist of the fifth ward of the said city, as said fifth ward is described in Section 6 of Chapter II of Article I of the charter of said city.

The polling place for said "Special Election Precinct No. 5" shall be at No. 1033 "F" street, and the election officers of said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—R. Schiller and R. W. Taylor.
Clerks—Wm. R. Spohn and Geo. McNeil.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 6.

"Special Election Precinct No. 6" shall consist of the sixth ward of said city, as said sixth ward is described in Section 7 of Chapter II of Article I of the charter of said city.

The polling place of said "Special Election Precinct No. 6" shall be at the Brooklyn, No. 1027 "E" street, and the election officers of said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—E. L. Matot and E. D. Ingalls.
Clerks—E. E. Denton and B. C. Williams.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 7.

"Special Election Precinct No. 7" shall consist of the seventh ward of said city, as the same is described in Section 8 of Chapter II of Article I of the charter of said City of San Diego.

The polling place for said "Special Election Precinct No. 7" shall be at Northrup building on "K" street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, and the election officers of said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—C. W. Ellsworth and W. A. Besole.
Clerks—Paul Reuther and R. M. Watson.

SPECIAL ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 8.

"Special Election Precinct No. 8" shall consist of the eighth ward of said city, as the same is described in Section 9 of Chapter II of Article I of the charter of said City of San Diego.

The polling place of said "Special Election Precinct No. 8" shall be at No. 649 Logan avenue, and the election officers of said precinct shall be as follows:

Judges—W. S. Regal and A. J. Knapp.
Clerks—W. T. Baltimore and J. S. Pollock.

Section 7. That this ordinance shall constitute a notice of said "Special Election" and shall be published as such notice, in the San Diegan-Sun, a daily newspaper printed and published in said city, for a period of ten days prior to the date of said election; and the City Clerk of said city is hereby directed to publish and cause to be published, this ordinance as a notice of such election, for said period of ten days prior to the date of such election, in said San Diegan-Sun; and the said City Clerk of said city is further hereby directed to post and cause to be posted a copy of this Ordinance as a notice of such election, at each of the above named polling places of said election at least ten days prior to the date of such election.

Section 8. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish, or cause to be published, this ordinance once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit the San Diegan-Sun.

On motion and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting of the Board.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance calling a Special Election to be held on the 3^d day of January, 1899, in the City of San Diego, California, and submitting to the qualified voters of said City certain proposed amendments to the Charter of said City.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Gadsman

City Clerk.

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, December 5th, 1898.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegate Johnson.

On motion of Delegate Frevert the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Action on the resignation of Delegate Johnson having been postponed until this time was now taken up, and on motion the same was accepted.

Delegate Williamson nominates Geo. A. L. Urban to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Delegate Johnson.

Delegate A. Morgan nominates C. D. Wolfe to fill said vacancy.

President Perrin appoints Delegates Frevert and Lambert as tellers and orders a ballot taken; which results as follows:

C. D. Wolfe receives _____ 6 votes.

Geo. A. L. Urban receives _____ 9 votes.

Geo. A. L. Urban having received a majority of all the votes cast President Perrin declares him duly elected to the office of Delegate from the Seventh ward to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Delegate Johnson.

At this time Delegate Frary is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

Delegate-elect Geo. A. L. Urban having taken the oath of office as member of the Board of Delegates from the Seventh ward now appears and takes his seat in the Board.

President Perrin appoints Delegate Urban on all committees of which Delegate Johnson had been a member.

On motion and by unanimous consent the Order of

Business was suspended for the balance of this meeting of the Board.

A Message from the Mayor, transmitting an application of the City Assessor for extra deputies to assist in making the assessment and assessment for 1899, and recommending that the same be granted, was read and ordered filed; and said request granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the City Auditor and Assessor to appoint temporary deputies to assist in making the assessment and assessment roll for 1899 was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes- Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Frary.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 571.

An Ordinance authorizing the City Auditor and Assessor to appoint temporary deputies to assist in making the assessment and assessment roll of the City for fiscal year 1899, and fixing their compensation.

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

Section 1. That the City Auditor and Assessor be and he is hereby authorized to appoint temporary deputies, not exceeding eight in number to be employed at any one time, to assist in making the assessment and assessment roll of the City for the fiscal year 1899, provided, that whenever the services of any of such deputies can be dispensed with, without jeopardizing the interests of the City, they shall be discharged by the Auditor and Assessor; and that they shall all be discharged when such assessment and assessment roll is completed.

Section 2. That the compensation of such temporary deputies shall be two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) per day, for each day actually worked, except, that during the time that any such deputies are engaged in outside work, assessing property, they shall be paid three dollars (\$3.00) per day.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the 1st day of January, 1899.

A Message from the Mayor transmitting an invitation to the Common Council from E. S. Babcock, president of the Southern California Mountain Water Company, to visit and examine the Otay

reservoir, was read and ordered filed.

On motion of Delegate Barnes the invitation was accepted.

A Message from the Mayor appointing P. M. Johnson as Police Commissioner, vice J. C. Stockton, resigned, was read and ordered filed.

Delegate Hakes moves that action on the confirmation of said appointment be postponed for one week, which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Doddridge and Williamson.

Noes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Landis, Urban, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Absent-Delegate Frary.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Frevert and by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-Nones

Absent-Delegate Frary.

The appointment of P. M. Johnson as a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Police Department was confirmed.

A Joint Resolution accepting the invitation of E. S. Babcock to visit and examine Otay Reservoir was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1073.

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

That the invitation of E. S. Babcock, president of the Southern California Mountain Water Company, to visit and inspect the Lower Otay Dam and Reservoir be and the same is hereby accepted.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of M. Tripti for permission to construct a wooden awning in front of the building on lot 9, block 115, Horton's addition, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within petition be denied.

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

C. C. Hakes,

A. Morgan

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The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the Cemetery Road was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Dec. 2^d, 1898.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:-

In the matter of the Cemetery Road, your Joint Street Committee herewith presents a profile of said road using "K" street west of 31st street, and recommends that the City Engineer be instructed to present an estimate of the cost of construction of said road on K street to 31st and thence on 31st to M street; also an estimate of the cost of constructing on K street from 31st to 33^d street, thence on 33^d st to S st thence on S street eastward to a connection with the El Cajon road;

We also recommend that the City Engineer investigate and report upon the advisability of using Hamilton street from Hoffman street to the Cemetery gate as the eastern extension of the Cemetery Road.

Respectfully,

L. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

C. C. Hakes,

A. Morgan.

A communication from the City Engineer giving an estimate of the cost of grading a road from Morena to the Eureka Lemon tract, having been returned by the Joint Street Committee without recommendation, on motion the same was ordered filed.

The following report of the Joint City Lands Committee in the matter of a communication from the City Attorney as to the title to pueblo lot 1355 was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 2nd, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:-

The Joint City Lands Committee, to whom was referred a communication from the City Attorney as to the title to pueblo lot 1355, herewith reports as follows:

The City Attorney is of the opinion that the parties occupying the land in said pueblo lot may possibly have acquired title to said land by adverse possession.

The Committee believes that the necessary steps should be taken at once to protect the City's interest in this matter, and in order that the

Common Council may be properly informed we recommend that the Superintendent of Parks be instructed to investigate and report to the Common Council as soon as possible the names of all parties occupying portions of the City Parks; and that the City Engineer be instructed to investigate and report the names of all parties occupying City Land outside of the Parks, and also what land is being occupied.

Respectfully,

L. A. Blochman,

A. G. Mason,

S. W. Hackett,

J. W. Lambert.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Superintendent of Parks and City Engineer to investigate and report the names of all parties occupying City land was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson adopted; and it follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1074.

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 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 so occupied.

The following report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee in the matter of leasing quarters for the various engine houses was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Public Buildings Committee recommends that the necessary steps be taken to lease the buildings needed by the Fire Department.

L. A. Blochman,

A. G. Mason,

S. W. Hackett,

Le. F. Francisco,

H. M. Landis.

Dec. 2^d, 1898.

The following report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee in the matter of repairing the barn in the "Howard Tract" so that the same could be used as a residence for the Superintendent of Parks was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 2nd, 1898.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen: -

The Joint Committee on Public Buildings, to whom was referred a communication from the Board of Public Works, recommending that the barn in the "Howard Tract" of the City Park be repaired and used as a residence for the Superintendent of Parks, herewith report as follows:

We recommend that the Board of Public Works be instructed to have the windows in said barn securely boarded up and fastened, so that the building may be protected from injury.

Respectfully,

L. A. Blochman,

A. G. Nason,

S. W. Hackett,

Le. F. Francisco

H. M. Landis.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to have the windows in the barn in the "Howard Tract" securely fastened up was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Frary.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have the windows in the barn on the "Howard Tract" in the City Park, securely boarded up and fastened so that said building may be protected from injury.

A Joint Resolution transferring \$250⁰⁰ from the Delinquent Tax fund to the Legal fund was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Frary.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1076,

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

That there be and is hereby transferred from the delinquent Tax fund to the Legal fund of the City of San Diego, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars;

That the Auditor and Treasurer of the said City of San Diego be and they are hereby directed and instructed to make the proper entries upon the records in their respective offices to carry this Resolution into effect.

A Joint Resolution providing for the sale of the pueblo lands belonging to the City was presented and on motion of Delegate Barnes referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

An Ordinance to amend Section 2 of Ordinance No. 538, approved July 12th, 1898, was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes- Delegates Everett, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes- None.

Absent- Delegate Frary.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 572.
An ordinance amending section 2 of ordinance No. 538 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, entitled "An ordinance to provide for the licensing of all persons, companies, or corporations engaged in the business of hauling garbage, rubbish, or other waste and refuse matter within the City of San Diego, California," approved July 12th, 1898.
Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That section 2 of ordinance No. 538 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, entitled, "An ordinance to provide for the licensing of all persons, companies or corporations engaged in the business of hauling garbage, rubbish, or other waste and refuse matter within the City of San Diego, California, approved July 12th, 1898, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:
That each wagon, cart, or other vehicle, so used in hauling any such garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter, shall be designated by a number to be determined by the City Auditor, which number shall be placed by the person, company or corporation procuring the license upon any such wagon, cart, or other vehicle used for hauling any such garbage, rubbish, or other waste or refuse matter, in numbers not less than three inches (3") in height, in what is known as "Arabic Numerals", to be either painted in white paint, upon both sides of said wagon, cart, or other vehicle, or said numbers to be made of metal and painted white, and firmly fixed and fastened upon both sides of said wagon, cart, or other vehicle; and when any such wagon, cart, or other vehicle is used at night for hauling any such garbage, rubbish, or other waste and refuse matter, each such wagon, cart, or other vehicle so used shall have attached thereto a lighted lantern or lamp with such number painted thereon in numbers not less than two inches (2") in height.
Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars.
Section 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.
Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 4. That the City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish or cause to be published, this ordinance three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diegoan-Sun.

An Ordinance requiring each company furnishing water to the city to file during the month of January, 1899, a statement showing their receipts and expenditures during the preceding year was read and on motion of delegate A. Morgan adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Iscevert, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegate Gray.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 573.
An ordinance requiring each and every corporation, company, or person, supplying water to the City of San Diego, California, or to the inhabitants thereof, to furnish to the Common Council of said city, in the month of January, 1899, a detailed and verified statement showing the name of each water rate payer, his or her place of residence, and the amount paid for water by each for such water rate payers, during the year preceding the date of such statement, and also showing all revenue derived from all sources, and an itemized statement of expenditures made for supplying water during said time, in pursuance of an act of the legislature of the State of California, approved March 7th, 1881.
Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That the San Diego Water Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, and each and every other corporation, company, or person, supplying water to the City of San Diego, California, or to the inhabitants thereof, be, and each of them is hereby required to furnish to the Common Council of the said City of San Diego, in the month of January, 1899, a detailed statement verified by the oath of the president and secretary of such corporation, or company, or of such person, as the case may be, showing the name of each water rate payer, his or her place of residence, and the amount paid for water by each of such water rate payers during the year preceding the date of such statement, and also showing all revenue derived from all sources, and an itemized statement of expenditures made for supplying water during said time, said statement to be made and furnished in accordance with and in pursuance of the provisions of an act of the legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act to enable the board of supervisors, town council, board of aldermen, or other legislative body of any city and county, city or town, to obtain data and information from any corporation, company, or person, supplying water to such city and county, city or town, requiring such boards, town council, or other legislative body, to perform the duties prescribed by Section 1 of Article XIV of the Constitution, and prescribing penalties for the non-performance of such duties," approved March 7th, 1881.
Section 2. That accompanying the said statement described and specified in Section 1, hereof, every such corporation, company, or person shall furnish a detailed statement in the said month of January, 1899, verified in like manner as the said statement mentioned in Section 1, hereof, showing the amount of money actually expended annually since the said corporation, company or person, so furnishing water, commenced business, in the purchase, construction, and maintenance, respectively, of the property necessary to carrying on of its business, and also the gross cash receipts annually, for the same period, from all sources, such statement to be made and furnished in accordance with and in pursuance of the provisions of the said act of the legislature of the State of California, above described.
Section 3. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the passage, approval, and publication of this ordinance, to serve a copy of the same upon each and every corporation, company, or person, supplying water to the said City of San Diego, or to the inhabitants thereof.
Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 5. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the passage and approval of this ordinance, to publish and cause to be published the same once in the official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of November, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of October, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$94⁰⁰, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Attorney giving his opinion that the claim of Joseph Kelly for \$191.25 against the City for constructing sidewalks and curbs on "H" street was not a legal claim against the City, was read and ordered filed.

In accordance with said opinion the claim of Joseph Kelly was rejected.

A petition of property owners to have "B" street graded between Fourth and Eighteenth streets was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The application of E. A. Taylor for a retail liquor license was presented and on motion the same was granted.

A petition of the Southern California Railway Company for a franchise to lay switches and sidetracks on Atlantic street between "B" and "H" streets and on California street between "H" and Grape streets; together with an Ordinance granting said franchise were presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A petition of Mary J. Hinkel asking the Council to cancel the tax sale of Block 8, Middletown addition, was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee and City Attorney.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for lighting the City for one year beginning April 1st, 1899, was presented and referred to the Joint Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of defending Police Officer Harris in a damage suit brought against him by Michael Rose was read and ordered filed and the Attorney directed to defend Officer Harris.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to defend Officer Harris in the above mentioned suit for damages brought by Michael Rose was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevest, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Morgan, Lambert, Waddridge, Landos, Urban,
Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegate Frary

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1072.

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

That the City Attorney of the City of San Diego, California be and he is hereby authorized and directed to defend, in his official capacity, the action for damages brought by Michael Rose against J. E. Harris, and to and perform whatever is necessary to fully and properly defend said action either in the Justice Court or by appealing the same to the Superior Court of the County of San Diego, California.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to grade the lot on which the new Engine House on Third and Laurel streets is being built, at an estimated cost of \$2000, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

On motion of Delegate Brewster it is ordered that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Monday, December 12th, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of a building having been moved on the City Park by Geo. Journey was read and ordered filed.

On motion of Delegate Hakes a communication from the Board of Police Commissioners asking for new quarters for the Department was withdrawn from the files and referred to the Joint Police Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare and have published in each of the daily newspapers of the City a synopsis of the proposed Charter amendments was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Brewster, Barnes, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Nays - None.

Absent - Delegate Frary.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1077.

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

That the City Attorney be requested to furnish to each of the daily newspapers of this City a synopsis of the proposed amendments

to the City Charter, and that the same be published three times in each of said daily papers, provided that the amount paid for such publication should exceed Ten dollars for each paper.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance authorizing the City Auditor and Assessor to appoint temporary deputies to assist in making the assessment and assessment roll for the year 1899; also an Ordinance amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 538 approved July 12th, 1898, providing for the licensing of persons and companies engaged in the business of hauling garbage, rubbish and other waste matter.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest:

Geo. D. Galdman

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, December 12th, 1898.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Brewster, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson,
James, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and
Francisco.

On motion of delegate Brewster the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Delegate Brewster moves that a committee be appointed to wait on the Board of Aldermen and inform them that this Board is now ready to meet with them in Joint Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering an application of the Southern California Railway Company for a franchise to lay switches and sidetracks on certain streets of the City, which motion was adopted.

President Perrin appoints delegates Brewster and Hakes as such committee, who now retire to wait on the Board of Aldermen.

Upon their return they announce that the Board of Aldermen are now ready to meet with this Board in Joint Committee of the Whole.

Thereupon the Board goes into Committee of the Whole to meet with the Board of Aldermen in Joint Committee of the Whole.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present-Delegates Brewster, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson,
James and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and
Francisco.

The following report of the Joint Committee of the Whole was read and adopted, viz:

That the report of the Joint Street Committee recommending granting the petition of the Southern California Railway Company be adopted;

That said petition of the Southern California Railway Company

be granted;

That the City Attorney prepare and present a Joint Resolution granting the Southern California Railway Company the temporary right to lay sidetracks and switches on Atlantic and California streets;

That the Ordinance granting a franchise to said Railway Company for sidetracks and switches be amended by striking out the last paragraph of Section 3 thereof and as amended said Ordinance be presented to the Council and postponed thirty days in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter.

That the sum of five hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated for general street repairing.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of the Southern California Railway Company for franchise for sidetracks and switches was read and adopted, viz;

The Street Committee recommends the within petition be granted.

A. Beard,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan.

12/12/98.

Thereupon said petition was granted.

On motion and by unanimous consent the Order of Business for this session of the Board.

An Ordinance granting a franchise to the Southern California Railway Company for sidetracks and switches on Atlantic and California streets, as recommended by the Joint Committee of the Whole, was presented and action thereon postponed for thirty days in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the request of the Board of Public Works for \$1000.00 for general street repairs was read and adopted, viz;

The Street Committee recommend the within petition be granted for \$550.00.

A. Beard,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan.

Thereupon an Ordinance granting the Board of Public Works

authority to expend \$550.00 in general repairs of streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, ~~Lambert~~,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and
Perrin

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and
Francisco,

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz;

Ordinance No. 574.

An Ordinance 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.

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 is hereby authorized and permitted to expend the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty dollars in repairing the streets of said City of San Diego.

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

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of purchasing property for right-of-way for the Cemetery Road was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Attorney to purchase certain property needed by City for a sum not to exceed \$4500 was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Doddridge,
Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz;

Ordinance No. 575.

An ordinance providing for the purchase of certain property required by the City of San Diego, California, for public use. Whereas the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, by Ordinance No. 523, duly passed and adopted on the 24th day of May, 1908, determined that it was necessary to construct and open a public street from the intersection of Thirty-second and M Street in Central Park addition to said City to an intersection with Pascoe Street in San Diego Homestead Union, in said City, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition to said City, and
Whereas it is necessary in the construction and opening of said street over the route surveyed by the City Engineer of said City that this City acquire by condemnation or purchase the right of way over and through certain lands situated in the City of San Diego, California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:
Commencing at a point where the west line of Pardee Street intersects the south line of Hamilton Street in said San Diego Homestead Union, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition to said City, thence running west along the said south line of said Hamilton Street for a distance of one hundred feet, thence at right angles south for a distance of seventy-five feet, thence at right angles east for a distance of one hundred feet to the said west line of said Pardee Street, thence north along the west line of said Pardee Street seventy-five feet to the point of beginning. Said property being lot twelve and the north half of lot eleven

of Block seventy-seven of the said San Diego Homestead Union, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition to said City.
Therefore be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That the City of San Diego, California, purchase the said described property for a sum not exceeding the sum of forty-five dollars; and that the Mayor of the said City of San Diego, and the City Attorney of the said City of San Diego be and they are hereby authorized and directed to purchase said land at a price not to exceed the sum of forty-five dollars, and to accept deeds for the same on behalf of said City, provided the said lands be free from all encumbrances.
Section 2. That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of the owner of the said lands when the same shall have been conveyed to the said City of San Diego, upon the approval of the deed therefor by the City Attorney of said City.
Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 4. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish, or cause to be published, this ordinance once in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit: the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Attorney to purchase certain property needed by the city for a sum not to exceed \$220⁰⁰ was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Thorp, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Hakes and A. Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and
Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 576.

An ordinance providing for the purchase of certain property required by the City of San Diego, California, for public use. Whereas the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, by Ordinance No. 528, duly passed and adopted on the 24th day of May, 1898, determined that it was necessary to construct and open a public street from the intersection of Thirty-second street and M street in Central Park addition to said city, to an intersection with Pasco street in San Diego Homestead Union, said city, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition to said city, and

Whereas it is necessary in the construction and opening of said street over the route surveyed by the City Engineer of said city, that this city acquire by condemnation or purchase the right of way over and through certain lands situated in the City of San Diego, California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of block seventy-six (76) in San Diego Homestead Union, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition; Course No. 1—thence south on the west line of said block seventy-five (75) feet; Course No. 2—thence east 80.17 feet; Course No. 3—thence southeasterly 236.00 feet to a point on the east line of said block 21.03 feet from the southeast corner of said block; Course No. 4—thence north along the east side of said block 150.14 feet; Course No. 5—thence northwesterly and parallel to course No. 3, 142.47 feet to a point on the north line of said block; Course No. 6—thence west 127.64 feet to the point of beginning.

Also a certain piece and parcel of land described as follows: Commencing at a point where the west line of Hoffman street intersects the south line of Tompkins street in the said San Diego Homestead Union, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition; thence at right angles west along the said south line of Tompkins street 35.5 feet; thence at right angles south for a distance of 63 feet; thence at right angles east to the said west line of Hoffman street, 33.5 feet; thence north along the said west line of Hoffman street 63 feet to the point of beginning, being the north 63 feet of lot 3 in block 91 of the San Diego Homestead Union, also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition to said city.

Therefore, be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the City of San Diego, California, purchase the said described property for a sum not exceeding the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars; and that the Mayor of the said City of San Diego, and the City Attorney of the said City of San Diego be and they are hereby authorized and directed to purchase said land, at a price not to exceed the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars, and to accept deeds for the same on behalf of said city, provided the said lands be free from all encumbrances.

Section 2. That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said committee is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of the owner of the said lands when the same shall have been conveyed to the said City of San Diego, upon the approval of the deed thereon by the City Attorney of said city.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby authorized and directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish or cause to be published, this ordinance once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

A Joint Resolution granting the Southern California Railway Company temporary right to lay switches on California street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James
and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and
Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1081.

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

That whereas the Southern California Railway Company has petitioned this Common Council for a franchise to lay and maintain its railroad switches and sidetracks upon California street from the north line of H street to the north line of Grape street in the said City of San Diego, California;

Therefore Be it Resolved that the said Southern California Railway Company be and it is hereby granted the temporary right to lay its switches and sidetracks on said California street, from the said north line of H street to the north line of Grape street in the said City of San Diego, California.

A Joint Resolution directing the Tax Collector to execute deeds to the City for all property sold to the City for delinquent taxes, provided, the time for redemption has passed, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Brewster, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1078.

Whereas, at the various delinquent tax sales held in this City, for the sale of real property for the delinquent taxes of this City, for the various fiscal years subsequent to the fiscal year 1892, a large amount of property has been, by virtue and authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Section 20 of Chapter 1 of Article VI of the Charter of this City, "struck off to the City of San Diego as the purchaser," and duplicate certificates of sale have been duly issued thereon, and

Whereas, the said City, by virtue and authority of, and in accordance with the provisions of Section 27 of Chapter 1 of Article VI of said Charter, is now entitled to deeds for all of such property so sold, whenever called for by the Common Council of said City, provided that the time for the redemption of the same has expired and the same has not been redeemed.

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

That the said Common Council, by virtue and authority of, and in accordance with the provisions of said Section 27 of said Chapter 1 of

Article VI of said Charter, now calls upon the Tax Collector of said City to execute deeds to said City, for all of such property so sold and struck off to the said City, as aforesaid, which has not been redeemed, provided that the time for such redemption has expired, and the said Tax Collector is hereby directed and required to issue and execute in his official capacity, tax deeds to the City of San Diego, for all of the property so sold and struck off to said City, as aforesaid, which has not been redeemed, in all cases where the time for redemption has expired, and to deliver said deeds properly executed and acknowledged, to the City Clerk of said City, for the use and benefit of said City.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to file certain tax deeds to property in San Diego Homestead Union for record in the County Recorder's office was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Woodbridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, H. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1080.

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

That the City Clerk of the City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, authorized, and instructed to file for record in the County Recorder's office of the County of San Diego, State of California, tax deeds to lots one, four, eight, nine, ten and eleven in Block eighty-six in "San Diego Homestead Union," and lot one in Block seventy-seven in "San Diego Homestead Union," which he now has in his possession, and also tax deeds to lots two and three in the said Block eighty-six when the same shall have been executed by the Tax Collector of said City and delivered to him.

The report of the Auditor, showing the conditions of the various funds of the City for the month of November, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of November, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$34⁰⁰, was presented and ordered filed.

The application of Joseph Kelly for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on Fourth street in front of lot 9, Block 8,

Brooks' addition, was read and granted.

A communication from the Board of Health recommending that the salary of the Plumbing Inspector be fixed at \$90⁰⁰ per month was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance fixing the salary of the Plumbing Inspector at \$90⁰⁰ per month was read and failed of adoption by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, A. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-Delegates Frary, Hakes, Thorp and Urban.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and Francisco.

An motion of delegate Frewert it is ordered that when the Board adjourns it adjourn until Monday, December 19th, 1898.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of repairing the Rose Canyon Road, and estimating the cost of the same to be \$400⁰⁰, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution to have a low arm electric light placed at the corner of 18th and K streets was read and referred to the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones.

An Ordinance directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for leasing to the City lots and buildings for Fire Department purposes was read and referred to the Joint Public Buildings Committee.

A petition from property owners asking to have the grade of "F" street between 14th and 18th streets changed; also a communication from some of the signers to said petition asking to have their names withdrawn were read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners to have "B" street graded between 4th and 18th streets, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend the within petition be denied.

A. Beard, W. H. Doddridge,

12/12/98.

A. E. Dodson, A. Morgan

Thereupon said petition was denied.

The following report of the Joint Police Committee in the matter of new headquarters for the Police Department was read and adopted, viz:

The Police Committee recommend that the Police Department be authorized to lease new quarters temporarily, at a monthly rental not to exceed \$7⁰⁰ and that it be allowed not to exceed \$25⁰⁰ for fixing up said quarters.

Geo. B. Watson,

A. Beard,

L. A. Blochman

A. A. Thorp,

J. A. James.

12/12/98.

A petition of property owners to have "B" street graded between 21st and 25th streets was read and on motion the same was granted.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Attorney to purchase land for right-of-way for Cemetery Road, being lot 12 and the north half of lot 11, block 77, "San Diego Homestead Union," also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition, at a cost not to exceed \$45.⁰⁰; also an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Attorney to purchase land for right-of-way for Cemetery Road in block 76 and in lot 1, block 91, "San Diego Homestead Union," also known as Wetmore and Sanborn's addition, at a cost not to exceed \$220.⁰⁰; also an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$550.⁰⁰ in general repairs of streets.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to make an estimate of the cost of constructing dams across the canyons in the City Park was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent Delegates Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Wright, Lambert and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1079.

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 authorized and directed to make the necessary surveys and estimates of cost for the construction of dams across the canyons in the City Park,

the surplus water of which flows down through the "B" street flume and Switzer Canyon, so that the water in such canyons may be held and allowed to run off gradually during the summer season, so as to avoid a surplus of water at any one time.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. Purni

President of the Board of delegates.

Attest:

Geo. D. Saldman

city clerk.

Adjourned Meeting
Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego
California December 19th 1898

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7.30 o'clock. P. M. President Perrin presiding

Present Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Stakes Thoop, Wright, Morgan
Lambert, Williamson and Perrin

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban
James and Francisco,

The minutes of adjourned meetings held on the 14th, 21st and 28th days of November 1898, of the Regular meeting held on the 5th day of December 1898, and of the adjourned meeting held on the 12th day of December 1898 were read and approved,

At this time on motion of Delegate Barnes the Order of Business was suspended,

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of acquiring title to a portion of the right of way for the Cemetery road was read and placed on file

An Ordinance providing for the purchase of certain property required by the City of San Diego was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert Barnes, Stakes, Thoop, Wright, H. Morgan,
Lambert, Williamson and Perrin,

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis Urban
James and Francisco,

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows. viz:

Ordinance No. 577.	No. 5—thence northeasterly and parallel to Course No. 3, 142.47 feet to a point on the north line of said block. Course No. 6—thence west 127.64 feet to the point of beginning.
An ordinance providing for the purchase of certain property required by the City of San Diego, California, for public use. Whereas, the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, by ordinance No. 527, duly passed and adopted on the 24th day of May, 1898, determined that it was necessary to construct and open a public street from the intersection of "Thirty-second street" and "M" street in Central Park addition to said city, to an intersection with Pascoe street in "San Diego Homestead Union", in said city, also known as Wetmore & Sanborn's addition to said city, and Whereas it is necessary in the construction and opening of said street over the route surveyed by the City Engineer of said city, that this city acquire by condemnation or purchase the right-of-way over and through certain lands situated in the City of San Diego, California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the northwest corner of block seventy-six (76) in "San Diego Homestead Union", also known as Wetmore & Sanborn's addition; Course No. 1—thence south on the west line of said block, seventy-five (75) feet. Course No. 2—thence east 80.17 feet. Course No. 3—thence southeasterly 236.60 feet to a point on the east line of said block, 21.03 feet from the southeast corner of said block. Course No. 4—thence north along the east side of said block, 150.14 feet. Course	Therefore, be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows: Section 1. That the City of San Diego, California, purchase the said described property for a sum not exceeding the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00); and that the Mayor of the said City of San Diego, and the City Attorney of the said City of San Diego be and they are hereby authorized and directed to purchase said land, at a price not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00), and to accept deeds, for the same on behalf of said city, provided the said lands be free from all encumbrances. Section 2. That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said committee is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of the owner of the said lands when the same shall have been conveyed to the said City of San Diego, upon the approval of the deed therefor, by the City Attorney of said city. Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval. Section 4. That the City Clerk of the said city be and he is hereby authorized and directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish, or cause to be published, this ordinance once in the city official newspaper of said city to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

An ordinance authorizing certain Public work to be done in the City and directing the Board of Public Works to perform the same was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes was adopted by the following vote, to wit: Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Stokes, Thoop, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Williamson and Perrin

Noes None

Absent Delegate Frary, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis Urban James and Francisco,

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 580.

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 said Board of Public Works to perform the same.

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

Section 1. That the following public work within said City of San Diego is hereby authorized by the Common Council of said City, to be done under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City, to wit, the construction and grading of a public roadway, for a wagon road, thirty feet in width, commencing on the East line of Hoffman Street, at a connection with the newly graded Cemetery Road, and extending thence Southeasterly to a point on Durant Street, about fifty feet East of the East line of Pascoe Street in Helmore and Sanborn's Addition to said City, also known as "San Diego Homestead Union", the said roadway to be constructed along and over the route surveyed and plotted by the City Engineer of said City and as indicated on the "Plat of Cemetery Road", prepared by said City Engineer, and on file in his office. The said construction and grading of said road to include the construction of a small wooden bridge over an arroyo or canyon on the route of said above mentioned roadway at lots Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Eighty-Six (86) in said Helmore and Sanborn's Addition.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to advertise for bids for the performance of the above named public work and to cause the same to be performed.

Section 3. That This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval

A Joint Resolution authorizing the City Clerk to record of Eliza J. Huntley to the City was read and on motion of Delegate Stokes was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevort, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, & Morgan
Lambert, Williamson, and Perrin,

Does None

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis Urban
James and Francisco,

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

Joint Resolution No. 1084

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

That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be
and he is hereby authorized and directed to file for record in
the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Diego, State
of California, the deeds executed by Eliza J. Huntley to the City
conveying a right-of-way through Lot Twelve and the North
half of Lot Eleven (11) in Block Seventy-Seven (77) of the San Diego
Homestead Union, also known as Hiltmore and Sanborn's Addition,

An ordinance repealing ordinance No. 547, entitled an
Ordinance dividing the City of San Diego, into three districts and
authorizing "any person, company or corporation, engaged in the
business of supplying water to the said city and its inhabitants, to
make and enforce certain rules and regulations in regard to water
supplied for irrigating purpose" was read and adopted by the
following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevort, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, & Morgan.
Lambert, Williamson and Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge Landis Urban, James,
and Francisco,

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit-

ORDINANCE NO. 579.

An ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 547 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, entitled, "An ordinance dividing the City of San Diego, California, into three districts and authorizing any person, company or corporation, engaged in the business of supplying water to the said city and its inhabitants, to make and enforce certain rules and regulations in regard to water supplied for irrigating purposes."

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

Section 1. That ordinance No. 547 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, entitled, "An ordinance dividing the City of San Diego, California, into three districts and authorizing any person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the said city and its inhabitants, to make and enforce certain rules and regulations in regard to water supplied for irrigating purposes," passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1898, and approved by the Mayor of the said city on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1898, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California, this 19th day of December, 1898, and signed in open session thereof by the President of said Board December 19th, 1898.
M. J. PERRIN
President of the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, California.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Aldermen of the City of San Diego, California, this 19th day of December, 1898, and signed in open session thereof by the President of said Board December 19th, 1898.
HENRY SWEENEY,
President of the Board of Aldermen of the City of San Diego, California.
I hereby approve the foregoing ordinance this 19th day of December, 1898.
D. C. REED,
Mayor of the City of San Diego, California.
(SEAL) Attest:
GEO. D. GOLDMAN, City Clerk.

An ordinance extending the time in which to locate the line of railroad in the franchise granted to U S Grant Jr et al, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Williamson and Perrin,

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, James and Francisco.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz

Ordinance No. 578

An ordinance extending the time of the grantees and their successors or assigns, of the franchise granted by ordinance No. 505 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, entitled, "An ordinance granting a franchise to U. S. Grant, Jr., Matthew Sherman, M. A. Luce, W. N. King, and C. L. Josselyn, authorizing them to construct and maintain and operate a steam railroad in the City of San Diego, California," approved on the 5th day of April, 1898, in which to locate the line of the railroad through the said City of San Diego, and file a profile thereof as therein mentioned.

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

Section 1. That the time provided in Ordinance No. 505 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, California, entitled "An ordinance granting a franchise to U. S. Grant, Jr., Matthew Sherman, M. A. Luce, W. N. King, and C. L. Josselyn, authorizing them to construct and maintain and operate a steam railroad in the City of San Diego, California," approved on the 5th day of April, 1898, within which the said persons, their successors and assigns are required by said ordinance to locate a line of railroad through the said City of San Diego, California, and file in the office of the Recorder of San Diego County, California, a true and correct map and profile of the said lines located, and file a duplicate thereof with the Clerk of the City of San Diego, California, as in said ordinance provided, be and the same is hereby extended to and including the 1st day of July, 1899.

That the time in which any of the acts or conditions required by said ordinance to be done or performed on or before January 1st, 1899, by the said persons or their successors or assigns, be and the same is hereby extended until the 1st day of July, 1899.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diegan-Sun.

A Joint-Resolution instructing the Joint-Street Committee to examine the condition of the Rose Canyon Road and report the same to the Council was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Williamson and Perrin

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, James and Francisco

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz

Joint Resolution No 1083

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

That the Joint-Street Committee of this Common Council is hereby directed and instructed to examine the condition of the New Rose Canyon road and report, to this Common Council, the cost of repairing the same, at the next meeting of said Common Council

On motion of Delegate Barnes The report of the City Engineer in the matter of the Rose Canyon Road was taken from the files and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to make an estimate of the cost of grading 15th street from the north line of "D" street to the City Park was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevort, Barnes, Stokes, Thoop, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Williamson and Perrin.

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary, H. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, James and Francisco.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:
Joint Resolution No. 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 directed, instructed and authorized to make an estimate of the cost of grading 15th 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.

The application of J. P. Christensen for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on Ash Street in front of Lot L Block 199 Hortons Addition was read and granted.

The petition of Harry Lynnell for Auctioneers License was read and the same was granted.

A communication from J. B. Boyd administrator of the estate of Robert Paggart died in the matter of the opening of a portion of "B" street was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution instructing the City Attorney to cause the removal from any public park in the City of any person company or corporation occupying any land therein, together with all buildings, fences, or other improvements made thereon, was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

A communication from the City Clerk reporting the sale of 5 acres of land at Sorrento was read and filed.

A communication from At Julian in the matter of repairing the City Hall building was read and referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

A communication from The Board of Public Works transmitting the report of the Superintendent of Parks in the matter of squatters in the City Park was read and filed.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of publishing a synopsis of the Charter Amendments was read and filed.

An ordinance authorizing the leasing by said City of certain premises for use of head-quarters of the Police Department of the City of San Diego, and directing the Mayor to execute such lease was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevet, Barnes, Stokes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Williamson and Perrin.

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, James and Francisco.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Ordinance No. 581.

An ordinance 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.

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

Section 1. That the City of San Diego, California, enter into a lease from month to month, with W. H. Ogden, for the ground floor of the North store room, situated on Lot J in Block Forty-one (41) in Horton's Addition in said City of San Diego, at a monthly rental of not exceeding seven dollars (\$7.00), to be used by said City as head-quarters for the Police Department.

That the Mayor of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease for and on behalf of and in the name of said City of San Diego, provided that such lease shall contain a provision that the same may be terminated at any time by either of the parties thereto, upon thirty days' notice in writing, given by the party who desires to terminate such lease, to the other party.

Section 2. That after said lease has been entered into, as above provided, the Board of Public Works of said City is hereby authorized and directed to fit the said premises up for

use as headquarters for the said Police Department, at an expense not to exceed Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)

Section 3, That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

After first giving due notice President Perrin, did, in open session, sign the following ordinances viz "An ordinance providing for the purchase of a portion of the Right of Way for the Cemetery road", "An ordinance directing the Board of Public works to cause the construction of the Cemetery Road". An ordinance extending the time for locating the line of railroad in the franchise of U.S. Grant Jr et al. An ordinance authorizing the lease of a room in the Building on lot J Block 41 Storons Addition for Police Headquarters, and An ordinance repealing ordinance 547, dividing the City into irrigation districts.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Barnes the Board adjourned.

M. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest -

Geo. D. Gadsden

City Clerk

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, January 3rd, 1899.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M.,
President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Morgan,
Lambert, Soddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson,
James and Perrin, and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Thorp, Wright and Francisco.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of
the petition of property owners to grade "A" street between Seventh and Tenth
streets was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommends that the within petition to
grade "A" street from 7th to 10th be granted, and said portion of "A"
street graded.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Soddridge,
A. Morgan.

12/30/98.

On motion of delegate Frevert and by unanimous consent
the Order of Business was suspended.

At this time Delegate Thorp enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Resolution of Intention to grade "A" street from the east
line of 7th street to the west line of 10th street was read and on motion
of delegate A. Morgan adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Soddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin,

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Intention

To grade "A" street in the City of San Diego, California, from the
east line of Seventh street to the west line of Tenth street.

Resolved, that it is the intention of the Common Council of the
City of San Diego, California, to order the following street work to be done
in said City, to-wit:

That that portion of "A" street in the City of San Diego, California, from the east line of Seventh street to the west line of Tenth street, and the sidewalks thereof, and including all intersections of streets between said points, be graded to the official grade thereof, in accordance with the specifications therefor, as contained in Ordinance No. 339 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, approved February 11th, 1896.

The San Diego-Sun, a daily newspaper printed and circulated in said City of San Diego, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice of the passage thereof for six days in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The clerk of said City of San Diego is hereby directed to post this Resolution of Intention conspicuously for two days at or near the chamber door of said Common Council, and to publish the same by two insertions in said daily newspaper in the manner required by law.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred the report of the Special Committee appointed to revise the names of streets of the City, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommends that the within recommendation that the names of certain streets be changed, be adopted.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

12/30/98

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to repair the Rose Canyon Road at an estimated cost of \$400⁰⁰, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the Board of Public Works be authorized to expend \$200⁰⁰ in repairing the Rose Canyon Road and the Sorrento grade.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

12/30/98

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to expend \$200⁰⁰ in repairing the Rose Canyon Road and Sorrento Grade was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrier.

Noes - None.

Absent - delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the estimate of the City Engineer of the cost of grading a road from Morena to the Eureka Lemon tract was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend the passage of an Ordinance to grade a roadway through "Morena" as estimated by the City Engineer.

S. W. Hackett,

A. E. Dodson,

W. H. Doddridge,

A. Morgan.

12/30/98

Thereupon an Ordinance providing for the construction of a road through "Morena" was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 582.
An ordinance providing for the grading and construction of a road through "Morena," in the City of San Diego, California.
Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That it be and is hereby determined that the public interest and necessity of the City of San Diego, California, demand the grading and construction of a road in the said City of San Diego, as hereinafter provided; and that it is the intention of the Common Council of the said City of San Diego to have such road graded and constructed as herein provided.
Section 2. That the Board of Public Works of the said City of San Diego be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract to do and perform the following public work in the said City of San Diego, as follows, to-wit:
To furnish the labor and material for the grading and construction of and to construct a road in the said city, beginning at a point about twenty (20) feet east of the east line of the right of way of the California Southern Railway Company, and about one hundred and fifty (150) feet south of the south line of "I" street in "Morena", according to the map of "Morena", filed May 26th, 1888, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Diego, State of California, thence running northerly, and parallel to the said right of way of the California Southern Railway Company, to a point directly opposite the center line of the road running along the north line of lot numbered one (1) of the "Eureka Lemon Tract", according to the map of "Eureka Lemon Tract", being a subdivision of Pueblo lot 1208 and the southwest portion of Pueblo lot 1209, as surveyed by O. N. Sanford, C. E., May, 1893, on file in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Diego, State of California; thence running at right angles west, across the said right of way of the California Southern Railway Company, and along said road for a distance of two hundred (200) feet; the width of the said road to be so graded and constructed is

twenty (20) feet, and to be graded and constructed in accordance with the profile on file in the office of the City Engineer of the said City of San Diego; the grading and construction of said road to include all necessary culverts.
Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 4. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee, to whom was referred a Resolution of Intention to grade "F" street from 12th to 25th street, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the within Resolution be not passed, for the reason that in our opinion it would be inadvisable to grade this street to the present established grade.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

12/30/98.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners to change the grade of "F" street between 14th and 18th streets was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the within petition be denied for the reason that it does not contain a major portion of the property affected by the proposed change.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

12/30/98.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of a communication from J. B. Boyd, administrator of the estate of Robert Taggart, deceased, notifying the Council that he was about to take steps to set aside the Ordinance opening "B" street in Culverwell & Taggart's addition, was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommend that Mr. Boyd be informed that the City considers the streets referred to in the within communication fully dedicated to the use of the public.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

12/30/98.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to purchase certain books for the Auditor was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorpe,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1090.

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, that the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to allow and incur an indebtedness to the amount of \$2150. 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.

A Joint Resolution disclaiming any interest in lot 3, block 70, Sherman's addition, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1087.

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

Whereas, This City has constructed a wooden flume over and along the south side of lot 3 in block 70 in Sherman's addition to said City of San Diego, which flume has been constructed and is used for carrying off surplus water at that point, and

Whereas, One George J. Furlong claims to be the owner of said lot and desires to have it fully understood that this City, by reason of occupying the said portion of said lot with said wooden flume, is not claiming title to said lot, adversely to himself, and

Whereas, This City makes no claim to any title in or to the said lot, or any part thereof, by reason of occupying the same with said wooden flume, or otherwise, but is occupying and using the same for said purpose, through and by reason of permission from the owner thereof.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, That the said City of San Diego is not claiming or seeking to acquire any title to said lot 3, or any portion thereof, adversely to the owner of the same, or other person, by reason of occupying the same with the said wooden flume, as aforesaid, and it is hereby declared that said City is occupying said lot under and by reason of permission of the said George J. Furlong.

The following report of the City Lands Committee in the matter of a Resolution directing the City Attorney to remove all persons from the Park, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint City Lands Committee recommend the adoption of the within Resolution.

Jan 3^d, 1899.

S. W. Hackett,
W. J. Morgan,

J. W. Lambert,
J. R. Frary.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to take the necessary proceedings for the vacation of all land in the public parks occupied by any person was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1091.

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed, instructed, and authorized to take all necessary proceedings for the vacation of all or any portion of the public park, or parks, of the City of San Diego, by any person, company, or corporation occupying land therein, and for the purpose of requiring any person, company, or corporation to remove any buildings, fences, or other improvements placed thereon without the consent of the Common Council or Board of Trustees of the City of San Diego, California.

The following report of the City Lands Committee in the matter of an Ordinance providing for the payment of the unpaid portion of the Plaza Band Stand was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint City Lands Committee recommends the adoption of the within Ordinance.

S. W. Hackett,
W. J. Morgan,
J. W. Lambert,
F. P. Frary.

Jan. 3^d, 1898.

Thereupon an Ordinance providing for the payment of the unpaid portion of the cost of constructing the band stand on the Plaza was read.

Delegate Frevert moves that the ordinance be amended by adding to Section 1 thereof the words "upon making and filing a deed to said Band Stand to the City of San Diego," which motion was adopted.

Whereupon said Ordinance as amended was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 583.

An Ordinance providing for the payment of the unpaid portion of the cost of constructing the band stand on the Plaza on "D" street in the City of San Diego.

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

Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of \$383.00 out of the moneys in the General fund in the treasury of the said City of San Diego, not otherwise appropriated, to be used in payment of the unpaid portion of the cost of constructing the band stand, recently constructed by the "City Guard Band," on the Plaza situated on "D" street between Third and Fourth streets in said City of San Diego, upon making and filing a deed to said Band stand to the City of San Diego.

Section 2. That the Auditing Committee of said City be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed that upon the presentation of claims in proper form incurred for the construction of said band stand to allow the same and order warrants to be drawn upon the said fund above appropriated in payment thereof; and the City Auditor of said City is hereby directed to draw such warrants, and the Treasurer to pay the same.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The report of the City Lands Committee in the matter of a Joint Resolution providing for the sale of City lands was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson and James.

No-delegate Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said report as adopted is as follows, viz:

The City Lands Committee recommend the within Resolution be not adopted.

S. M. Hackett,
W. J. Morgan,
J. M. Lambert,
F. P. Frary.

1/3/99

An Ordinance providing for the fixing the compensation of the election officers for the special election held on the 3^d day of January, 1899, was read.

Delegate Hakes moves that the compensation be fixed at \$4.00 for the service rendered by each election officer, which motion was adopted.

Thereupon said Ordinance was read and on motion of delegate Hakes adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 585.

An ordinance providing for and fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of Election and Election Officers for the special election in the City of San Diego, California, held on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1899.

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

Section 1. That the compensation of the members of the Board of Election, at the special election held in the City of San Diego, California, on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1899, be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of \$4.00 for the services rendered by each member of the said Board of Election; said sums to be paid out of the general fund of the said City of San Diego.

Section 2. That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed, upon the presentation of properly verified claims for such compensation, to allow the same and to order the issuance of warrants therefor.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diego-Sun.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct a road from the end of India street to Old Town was read and on motion of delegate Barnes adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 584.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to do certain public work within said City.

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

Section 1. That the following public work is hereby ordered to and directed to be done under the supervision of the said Board of Public Works of said City:

That a road bed, twenty-four (24) feet in width, be constructed and graded in Middletown in said City of San Diego, commencing on India street at its intersection with Chalmer street; thence running northerly along said India street, to its intersection with Pierce street; thence running westerly along said Pierce street to its intersection with California street; thence running northerly along said California street to its intersection

with Fourth street in said Middletown; thence running northwesterly along said Fourth street, to the south line of Witherby street.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the doing and performing of the above described public work, and that not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars shall be expended in the performance of the said work.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let a contract to construct a six-inch sewer from the end of the sewer on Fourth street near Juniper, to Fourth and Laurel streets, was read and referred to the Joint Ways and Means Committee.

A petition of property owners asking the Council not to change the name of National avenue to Milton avenue, or at all, was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

An Ordinance providing for increasing the Police force three in number, and fixing the compensation of such additional policemen was read and referred to the Joint Police Committee.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct a sidewalk on the west side of Columbia street between "F" and "G" streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 586.

An Ordinance 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.

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

Section 1. That the following public work is hereby authorized to be done under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City, to-wit, the constructing of a concrete sidewalk on the west side of Columbia street, between "F" and "G" streets, including the returns at the northwest corner of said "G" and Columbia streets and at the southwest

corner of said "F" and Columbia streets.

The said work to be constructed in accordance with the specifications for the constructing of concrete sidewalks, as contained in Article 2 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, approved August 15th, 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 472, approved November 17th, 1897.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the constructing of said sidewalks.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A communication from the Board of Public Works, transmitting a claim of Ed. Hescott for \$125⁰⁰ for use of a truck on which is placed a gasoline engine, was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of appealing the case of T. J. Higgins et al. against the City was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to appeal the case of T. J. Higgins et al. against the City was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Excused-Delegate A. Morgan.

Absent-Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1087.

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

That the City Attorney of the City of San Diego, California be and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to appeal to the Supreme Court of the State of California, the case of T. J. Higgins et al, plaintiffs, vs. the City of San Diego et al, defendants, and the San Diego Water Company, defendant and cross complainant, from the judgment and decision rendered therein, and to take any and all other actions which he may deem necessary or proper in order to fully protect the interests of the City of San Diego in said action.

A Joint Resolution directing the Street Superintendent to notify property owners to repair wooden sidewalks on Sixteenth, G and H streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorpe, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Excused - Delegate A. Morgan.

Absent - Delegates Wright and Francisco.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct a six-inch sewer from the East school to 17th and "N" streets was read and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney calling the attention of the Council to the fact that it will become necessary for them to re-adjust and fix the salaries of the officers of the City during the month of January, 1899, was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes referred to a Special Committee.

President Perrin appoints as such Special Committee delegates Barnes, Lambert and James.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to make a survey of "F" street between 14th and 18th streets was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 14th street to the west line of 18th street, that will comply with the intersecting streets between said points.

The report of the Poundkeeper for the month of December, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of December, 1898, showing fines and forfeitures collected to the amount of \$36⁰⁰, was presented and ordered filed.

The following report of the Special Committee having in charge the taking of the census of the City was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 23rd, 1898.

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

We, the only remaining members of the Special Committee appointed for the purpose of supervising the census as taken by E. C. Hickman by virtue of Ordinance No. 568 approved November 29th, 1898, would respectfully report:

That we have examined the reports made by the enumerators of said census, as well as the alphabetic lists prepared by Mr. E. C. Hickman, and have also obtained the affidavits of all persons connected with the taking of said census, and are of the belief that the said returns are true and correct, and that the City of San Diego at the date of said census contained 22,210 inhabitants.

A. E. Dodson.

A. Morgan
Committee.

A communication from R. F. Smith asking the Council to pay him \$511.⁴⁵, for moving material which he claimed was in excess of his contract for building a portion of the Cemetery road, was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from Edward J. Lockyer and Mrs. Stuthman, offering to construct the new road recently surveyed in Sorrento and keep the same in repair for two years, providing the City would furnish the material for building culverts and allow them to use the City land in Pueblo Lots 1353 and 1355 for two years free of charge, was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

The application of Martin Brown for a retail liquor license was presented and granted.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Attorney to prepare and present an Ordinance providing for a "Chain Gang" was read and adopted, and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1085.

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

That the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed and instructed to prepare and present to this Common Council an Ordinance providing for a "Chain Gang."

The application of J. P. Christensen for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on Sixteenth street in front of Lots 5 and 6, block 16, Sherman's addition, was read and granted.

A communication from W. S. Bludworth and A. E. M. Howard asking for an extension of time for their lease for prospecting for coal and oil on City Lands was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

After giving due notice President Porin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct a sidewalk on the west side of Columbia street between "F" and "G" streets; also an Ordinance fixing the compensation of the members of the Boards of Election for the Special Election held January 3^d, 1899; also an Ordinance directing the Boards of Public Works to construct a 24 foot road from the end of India to the intersection of Fourth and Withersby streets in Old Town; also an Ordinance providing for the payment of the unpaid portion of the band stand on the Plaza; also an Ordinance providing for the grading and construction of a road through "Morena."

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, January 9th, 1899, at 7:30 P.M.

M. J. Porin

President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest:

Chas. P. Salaman

City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
January 9th, 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson,
James, Francisco, Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Barnes and Landis.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of property owners not to change the name of National avenue, was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the names of National avenue, Milton avenue and Main streets remain as they are at present.

L. M. Hackett

A. Beard,

W. H. Doddridge,

L. C. Hakes.

Jan 6th, 1899.

Thereupon said petition against the proposed change in name of National avenue was granted.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee, to whom was referred an Ordinance providing for a sewer to Eighth Ward school, was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted, viz:

The Joint Sewer Committee recommend the within Ordinance be adopted.

A. Beard,

A. E. Dodson,

W. L. Frevert,

W. H. Doddridge.

1/6/99

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to construct a sewer from the Eighth ward school was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson,
James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes and Landis.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

ORDINANCE NO. 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.
 Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
 Section 1. That the following work is hereby authorized to be done within the City of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said city, to-wit:
 The construction of a six-inch sewer, commencing on Union avenue, opposite the center line of Twenty-seventh street in Reed and Hubbell's addition to said City of San Diego, and extending thence southwesterly to a point on said Union street, opposite the alley in block 174 in Land and Town Company's addition to said city; thence extending westerly through the alley in blocks 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179 and 180; thence southwesterly to Seventeenth street; thence westerly along said Seventeenth street to an intersection with "N" street and a connection with the present sewer system, as now laid upon said Seventeenth street; said sewer to be constructed of good quality of stone sewer pipe.
 Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the construction of said sewer, and to cause said sewer to be constructed. That the estimated cost of the construction of said sewer is \$4,500.00.
 Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
 Section 4. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit: the San Diegan-Sun.

The following report of the Committee on Gas, Electric Lights and Telephones in the matter of an Ordinance instructing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for lighting the City for the ensuing year, was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Jan'y 6th, 1899.

To the Hon. Common Council,

City of San Diego, Calif.

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Electric Lights to whom was referred various applications for additional arm lights, and an Ordinance instructing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for lighting the City for the ensuing year, herewith report and recommend as follows:

That two (2) lamps be taken from the tower at 3rd and Juniper streets, one (1) from the tower at 12th and "B" streets, and one from the tower at 25th and "E" streets; and low arm lights established as follows: One at the intersection of Union and Beech streets, one at the intersection of 2nd and "A" streets, one at the intersection of 11th and "D" streets and one at the intersection of State and "C" streets.

That the ordinance to advertise for bids be amended to include said changes, and that as amended, we recommend the adoption of said Ordinance.

Respectfully,

A. Morgan,

J. M. Williamson.

A Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to have prepared and file with the Secretary of State a certified copy of the census recently taken, was read.

Delegate A. Morgan moves that the Resolution be amended by authorizing the Clerk to purchase from E. C. Hickman a carbon copy of the census at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$50.⁰⁰.

Whereupon on motion of Delegate Hakes the entire matter was referred to a Special Committee to treat with Mr. Hickman for his copy.

President Perrin appoints as such committee delegates A. Morgan, Frevert and Hakes.

A Resolution providing for a rule of procedure in regard to Committee reports read and on motion of Delegate A. Morgan adopted and is as follows, viz:

Resolution No. —.

Be it Resolved, By the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego, as follows:

That the said Board of Delegates adopt the following rule of procedure, viz:

That the Chairman of each Committee of the Board of Delegates shall personally make and present to the said Board, every report of the Committee of which he is Chairman. If the permanent Chairman is absent from the meeting of such Committee, then such report shall be made and presented by the Chairman pro tempore of such Committee.

At this time delegate A. Morgan is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A Joint Resolution to rescind the proceedings heretofore taken to sidewalk and curb "D" street was read and adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1095.

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

That the proceedings heretofore taken to sidewalk and curb "D" street in the City of San Diego, California, from the east line of Thirteenth street to the west line of Twenty-fourth street, be and they are hereby rescinded, annulled, and set aside.

A Resolution of Intention to sidewalk and curb "D" street from the east line of Thirteenth street to the west line of Twenty-fourth street was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, A. Morgan and Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution of Intention

To sidewalk an curb "D" street in the City of San Diego, California, from the east line of Thirteenth street to the west line of Twenty-fourth street.

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to order the following street work to be done in said City, to wit:

That that portion of "D" street in the said City of San Diego, from the east line of Thirteenth street, to the west line of Twenty-fourth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said "D" street and intersections between said points as have already been sidewalked with concrete laid to the official grade and accepted, and also excepting such portions of said "D" street and intersections between said points as are occupied by a wooden bridge) be sidewalked on both sides thereof, with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Article 2 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City, approved August 15th, 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 472, approved November 17th, 1897.

And also that that portion of said "D" street, from the east line of Thirteenth street to the west line of Twenty-fourth street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said "D" street and intersections between said points as have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted, and also excepting such portions of said "D" street and intersections between said points as are occupied by a wooden bridge) be curbed on both sides thereof, with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section 1 of Article 1 of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City, approved August 15th, 1893.

The San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper printed and circulated in said City of San Diego, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice of the passage thereof for six days in the manner and by the persons required by law.

The Clerk of said City of San Diego is hereby directed to post this Resolution of Intention conspicuously for two days at or near the chamber door of said Common Council, and to publish the same by two insertions in said daily newspaper in the manner required by law.

A Joint Resolution providing for the transfer of funds from the delinquent Tax fund, Public Health fund and Police Department fund to the General fund was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes - delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent delegates Barnes, A. Morgan, Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1094.

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

That \$775⁰⁰ be transferred to the General fund from the following funds, viz:

From delinquent Tax fund - - - - - \$254.25

From Public Health fund - - - - - 450.00

From Police dept. fund - - - - - 70.75

Total - \$775.00

That the City Treasurer and City Auditor be and they are hereby directed to make the necessary entries in their respective records as will carry into effect the provisions of this Resolution and such transfer.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$1000⁰⁰ in general repairs of streets was read and on motion the authority was granted.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$1000⁰⁰ in general repairs of streets was read.

Delegate W. J. Morgan moves that the Resolution be referred to the Joint Street Committee, which motion was lost.

Thereupon said Resolution was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes - delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James and Francisco.

No - delegate Perrin.

Absent delegates Barnes, A. Morgan and Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1095.

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.

A communication from Richard Bridgewater asking the Council to transfer to him the liquor licence standing in the name of Hans Herlick at 965 Fourth street was read and on motion the same was granted.

A communication from J. Holland asking that the City return to him the value of a horse which broke his ankle in the "B" street flume was read and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners asking the Council to direct the Board of Public Works to purchase horses, harness, indicator and gong, and alarm box for Florence Heights engine house was read and on motion the request was granted.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners asking the Council to provide for a driver for the Chemical Engine on Florence Heights was read and referred to the Fire Committee.

A recommendation of the Joint Street Committee that the men sweeping the gutters should be paid \$1.50 per day each was read and referred back to the Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of a right-of-way through Geo. R. Presson's land for the Cemetery Road, and transmitting a deed for the same, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to have recorded a deed from Geo. R. Presson to the City, for a right-of-way for the Cemetery Road was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, A. Morgan and Landis.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1093.

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

That the City Clerk of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby instructed and directed to file for record, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Diego, State of California, the deed from George R. Presson and Mary R. Presson, his wife, conveying to the City of San Diego, a right-of-way for the Cemetery Road, through lot twelve, in Block eighty-four in McInnes & Sanborn's addition to San Diego, also known as the "San Diego Homestead Union."

And said City Clerk is hereby further directed to file for record any and all other deeds which he has now in his possession or which he may hereafter receive from the City Attorney of the said City of San Diego, conveying to the City, rights-of-way for the said Cemetery Road, or for any other road where the purchase of such right-of-way has been authorized and provided for by this Common Council.

A communication from the City Attorney transmitting a deed, from the City Guard Band to the City, for the Plaza Band Stand, was read and ordered filed.

The Clerk informs the Board that he has received the returns from all the precincts of the City, being Special Election Precincts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, of the Special Election held in the City of San Diego, California, on the 3^d day of January, 1899, for the purpose of voting upon certain proposed amendments to the Charter of said City; and delivers said returns into the possession of the Board, and it is ordered that the Board proceed to canvass said returns, beginning with Precinct No. 1, and continuing in regular order until all such returns are canvassed.

President Perrin appoints Delegates Williamson and Wright as tellers and the Board proceeds to canvass the returns with the following result:

Special Election Precinct No. 1	For Amendments	28	Against Amendments	167
"	"	46	"	55
"	"	32	"	104
"	"	68	"	74
"	"	24	"	90
"	"	60	"	100
"	"	45	"	111
"	"	45	"	98
Total Vote	"	348	"	699

Thereupon it is ordered and declared that, said proposed amendments to the Charter not having received two-thirds of all the votes cast at said Special Election, the same are not adopted.

On motion of Delegate Everett and by unanimous consent the Order of Business is suspended for this meeting of the Board.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to build a sewer from the East school to 17th and K streets.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, January 16th, 1899, at 7:30 P.M.

Attest:

Geo. D. Galdeman
City Clerk.

J. W. Barnes
President of the Board of Delegates.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, January 16th, 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin and Clerk Goldman,

Absent Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

An Ordinance granting a franchise to the Southern California Railway Company to lay and maintain switches and side tracks on portions of Atlantic and California streets, having ^{been} presented to the Board on the 12th day of December, 1898, and action thereon postponed for 30 days, in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, was now taken up.

Delegate Frevert moves that said Ordinance granting a franchise be adopted, which motion was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 588.

An Ordinance Granting a Franchise to the Southern California Railway Company to Construct, Operate, and Maintain Railroad Switches and Side-Tracks Upon Certain Portions of Atlantic Street, and California Street, and the Portions of the Streets Intersecting the Same, in the City of San Diego, State of California.

Whereas, the Southern California Railway Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, has petitioned the Common Council of said City of San Diego to grant to it a franchise to construct, operate, and maintain switches and side-tracks upon certain portions of Atlantic street, and California street, and the portions of the cross streets intersecting the same, in said city;

Therefore, Be It Ordained, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the said petition of the said Southern California Railway Company be and the same is hereby granted; and that the said Southern California Railway Company, its successors, or assigns, be and it is hereby authorized and empowered and is hereby granted the right and franchise to lay down, construct, maintain, and operate railroad switches and side-tracks over, across, and upon the following portions of said Atlantic and California streets in the said City of San Diego, and each thereof, to-wit:

On Atlantic street from the south line of "B" street to the north line of "H" street, including the intersections of the cross streets with said Atlantic street between said points; on California street from the north line of "H" street to the north line of Grape street, including the intersections of the cross streets with said California street between said points.

Section 2. That the rights and privileges granted by this ordinance be and they are hereby made subject to the right of the Common Council of the said city of San Diego, at any time hereafter, to repeal, amend, change, or modify the same.

Section 3. That the rights, privileges, and franchises granted by this ordinance shall be and they are granted upon the conditions that the said switches and side-tracks, laid and constructed under this franchise, shall be laid, kept and maintained in conformity to the official grade of said streets over which the same shall pass, as said official grade is now established or may hereafter be established; and that the said Southern California Railway Company shall pave and keep in repair the said streets between the rails of each track of said railroad switches and side-tracks, and also between the tracks of said railroad switches and side-tracks, and for at least two feet on each side of the same.

Section 4. That it be and is hereby understood that the said City of San Diego, in making the grant of this franchise, expressly reserves the right to grade, sewer, pave, macadamize, improve, alter, or repair all or either of said streets, or any part thereof, and to lay down or re-lay pipes for water, gas, sewer, and other purposes; such work to be done by the said city, so as to obstruct or injure said road and tracks as little as possible; and that the said Southern California Railway Company, its successors, or assigns, shall shift and re-shift their road-bed and rails so as to avoid any obstruction made thereby.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 6. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish, or cause to be published, this ordinance three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

On motion of Delegate Barnes and by unanimous consent the Order of Business was suspended for this meeting of the Board.

On motion of Delegate Brewster the request of Delegate W. J. Morgan for a leave of absence for 30 days was granted.

The following report of the City Lands Committee in the matter of the proposition Messrs. Lockyer and Stuthman to grade and keep in repair for two years the Sorrento road was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Jan'y 13th, 1899.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your City Lands Committee to whom was referred the proposition of Mess. Lockyer and Stuthman to construct the Sorrento road and keep the same in repair for two years, for use of portions of pueblo lots 1353 and 1355, herewith recommend that said proposition be accepted, provided said road is constructed under the direction of the City Engineer, the City to furnish the lumber necessary for culverts as called for in the specifications of the City Engineer, Mess. Lockyer and Stuthman to haul said lumber from the lumber yard in the City to the place required without cost to the City.

Respectfully submitted,

L. A. Blochman,

S. W. Hackett,

F. P. Erary,

J. W. Lambert.

The report of the City Lands Committee in the matter of the petition of Messrs. Bludworth and Howard for an extension of their lease of City land on which they are prospecting for coal was read and action thereon postponed until the next meeting of the Board.

The report of the Special Committee in the matter of fixing and re-adjusting the salaries of the City officials was read.

Delegate Woddridge moves that the report be amended by fixing the salary of the City Engineer at \$1800⁰⁰ per annum, which motion was adopted.

Thereupon said report as amended was adopted and is as follows, viz:

San Diego, California, Jan'y 13th, 1899.

To the Common Council,

San Diego, Calif.,

Gentlemen:—

Your Special Committee appointed to revise the salaries of

City officials herewith recommend that the salaries of charter officers for the ensuing four years be fixed as follows, viz:

Mayor ————— \$1200.⁰⁰ per annum.

Auditor and Assessor ————— \$1500.⁰⁰ per annum.

Treasurer and Tax Collector ————— \$1500.⁰⁰ per annum.

City Attorney ————— \$2400.⁰⁰ per annum.

Commissioners of the Board of Public Works, each, \$400.⁰⁰ per annum.

Chief of Police ————— \$1500.⁰⁰ per annum.

City Engineer ————— \$1800.⁰⁰ per annum.

Chief Engineer of the Fire Department ——— \$900.⁰⁰ per annum.

We also further recommend that the salary of the deputy City Attorney be fixed at \$100. per month.

All of said above salaries to take effect on the first Monday of May, 1899;

We further recommend that the compensation of F. A. T. Shaw for sweeping the streets be fixed at \$125. per month; the compensation of C. W. Crawford for removing street sweepings be fixed at \$80.⁰⁰, and the compensation of the two men for sweeping the gutters be fixed at \$1.⁵⁰ per night, each, the said compensation for sweeping streets, gutters, and removing sweepings to take effect immediately, and we present herewith ordinances in conformity with this report and recommend the adoption of the same.

Respectfully submitted,

Simon Levi,

S. W. Hackett,

A. Beard,

J. W. Lambert,

F. A. James.

Thereupon an Ordinance fixing the annual compensation of the charter officers was read and on motion of delegate Lambert adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

ORDINANCE NO. 589.
An Ordinance Fixing the Amount of the Annual Salaries of the Following Officers of the City of San Diego, California, viz: Mayor, Auditor and Assessor, Treasurer and Tax Collector, City Attorney, Commissioners of the Board of Public Works, City Engineer, Chief of Police, and the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.
Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That the salaries of the officers hereinafter named, of the City of San Diego, California, be and the same are hereby fixed as follows, viz:
The Mayor, at the sum of \$1200.00 per annum.
The Auditor and Assessor, at the sum of \$1500.00 per annum.

The Treasurer and Tax Collector, at the sum of \$1500.00 per annum.
The City Attorney, at the sum of \$2400.00 per annum until the first Monday in May, 1899, from and after which time it shall be and is hereby fixed at the sum of \$2400.00 per annum.
Commissioners of the Board of Public Works, at the sum of \$400.00 each, per annum.
The City Engineer, at the sum of \$1800.00 per annum.
The Chief of Police, at the sum of \$1500.00 per annum.
The Chief of the Fire Department, at the sum of \$900.00 per annum; that the said Chief of the Fire Department shall also act as and be the Superintendent of the Fire Alarm System of the said City of San Diego, and as such superintendent of the said fire alarm system, he shall

have and receive the sum of \$50.00 per month, to be paid out of the Fire Department Fund of said city, in addition to the said sum of \$900.00 per annum.
Section 2. That the salaries hereby fixed be and they are hereby made payable monthly.
Section 3. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.
Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 5. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of the street sweeper, gutter sweepers and man who takes up street sweepings was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Everett, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.
Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 592.
An Ordinance Fixing the Amount of the Compensation of the Street Sweeper, Gutter Sweeper, and Man Who Takes Up Street Sweepings in the City of San Diego, California.
Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That the compensation for the driver of the street sweeper and the three horses used thereon, in sweeping the paved streets in the said City of San Diego, be and the same is hereby fixed at \$125.00 per month.
Section 2. That the compensation of the men who sweep the gutters in the said City of San Diego be and the same is hereby fixed at \$1.50 per night, each.
Section 3. That the compensation for the man who takes up, and the team and wagon used in taking up the street sweepings, be and the same is hereby fixed at \$80 per month; provided that in case such man and team be not employed in taking up street sweepings on account of rain, etc., there shall be deducted from the said sum of \$80.00 whatever amount he may earn from the city for any other work, or elsewhere, during such time that he is not so employed in taking up said street sweepings.
Section 4. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.
Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 6. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun.

An Ordinance fixing the salary of the Deputy City Attorney was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Everett, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.
Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 590.
An Ordinance Fixing the Salary of the Deputy City Attorney of the City of San Diego, California.
Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:
Section 1. That the salary of the Deputy City Attorney of the City of San Diego, California, be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of one hundred dollars per month, from and after the first Monday in May, 1899.
Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.
Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval, except as herein provided.
Section 4. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun.

Upon motion of Delegate Urban a communication from the Board of Health recommending that the salary of the Plumbing Inspector be increased to \$90.00 per month, heretofore filed by this Board, was withdrawn from the files.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Urban the recommendation of the Board of Health as to the salary of the Plumbing Inspector was adopted.

Whereupon an Ordinance fixing the salary of the Plumbing Inspector was read and on motion of delegate Urban adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-delegates Brewster, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 571.

An Ordinance fixing the salary of Plumbing Inspector of the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the salary of the Plumbing Inspector of the City of San Diego, California, be and the same is hereby fixed at ninety dollars per month, to take effect and be in force from and after the adoption and approval hereof.

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

An Ordinance providing for three special policemen and fixing their compensation was read and referred to the Joint Police Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to replace the bridge and culvert on the road between Pacific Beach and La Jolla was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to purchase a Chemical Engine for Golden Hill at a cost not to exceed \$2500 was read and referred to the Joint Ways and Means Committee.

A petition from property owners asking the Council to pave Witherby street between Third and Fourth streets, and a portion of Third street between D and E streets was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The report of the Auditor showing the condition of the various funds for the month of December, 1898, was presented and ordered filed.

The petition of J. P. Christensen for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on Fifth street in front of lots I and J, block 345,

Horton's addition, was read and on motion the same was granted.

A communication from the City Engineer giving an estimate of the cost of grading Fifteenth street from "D" street to the City Park was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Attorney calling the attention of the Council to the necessity of publishing the ordinances in book form, was read and referred to a Special Committee.

President Perrin appoints as such Committee delegates Doddridge, Frevert and Wright

A communication from the City Attorney transmitting an Ordinance providing for a "Chain Gang" and warning the Council not to adopt the Ordinance without investigation was read and the entire matter was referred to the Joint Police Committee.

An opinion of the City Attorney as to the dedication of parks in La Jolla was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A petition from Will M. Gray and J. D. Rush asking the Council to extend the proposed sewer to the East School House 100 feet further east was read and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

A communication from S. P. Hall in the matter of Parks was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

The following report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee in the matter of an Ordinance directing the City Clerk to advertise for lease of buildings and lots for Fire Department use was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Public Buildings Committee recommends that the within Ordinance directing the Clerk to advertise for bids for property for Fire Department purposes be amended by making the time of lease one year with privilege of three years, lots to be not less than 25 x 100 feet in size; that no locations be specified, and as so amended be adopted.

L. A. Blochman,

S. W. Hackett,

C. F. Francisco,

H. M. Landis,

W. L. Frevert.

Jan. 16th, 1899.

The following report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee, to whom was referred a communication from A. H. Julian in the

matter of the plumbing in the City Hall, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Public Buildings Committee recommends that the owner of the City Hall be notified to put the proper plumbing in the building at his own expense.

L. A. Blochman,

S. M. Hackett,

C. F. Francisco,

H. M. Landis

W. L. Frevert.

Jan. 16th, 1899.

The following report of the Special Committee appointed to procure a copy of the census to be filed with the Secretary of State was read and adopted, viz:

San Diego, California, Jan. 16th, 1899.

To the Common Council,

City of San Diego,

Gentlemen:—

The Special Committee, to whom was referred the matter of procuring a copy of the census to be filed with the Secretary of State, herewith recommends that E. C. Hickman be paid \$25.00 for a certified copy of said census, to be filed, as required by law.

Respectfully,

Geo. B. Watson,

A. Beard,

L. A. Blochman,

A. Morgan,

W. L. Frevert.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Clerk to procure from E. C. Hickman a certified copy of the census and file the same with the Secretary of State was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Thorpe, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1096.

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

That, Whereas, Section 3 of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled, "An Act to Authorize any City or City and County of this State, to take its census," approved February 25th, 1897, provides that:

"A certified copy of such census shall be prepared by said Clerk, after being so filed, and shall be filed by him, with the Secretary of State for this state, and thereupon the same shall be the official state census of said City or City and County."

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

That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to procure from E. C. Hickman at a cost of \$25⁰⁰ a certified copy of the census, which has heretofore been taken and filed in his office, and file the same with the Secretary of State for the State of California.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to build a road to the Brewery was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban and Perrin.

Now-Delegates Williamson, James and Francisco.

Absent-Delegates Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

At this time delegate Barnes is excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

Upon motion the Board now takes a recess for five minutes.

Upon re-assembling there were

Present-Delegates Frewert, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary, W. J. Morgan and Hakes.

After giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session, sign an Ordinance fixing the salaries of the Charter Officers; also an Ordinance granting a franchise to the Southern California Railway Company to lay and maintain switches and sidetracks on California and Atlantic streets; also an Ordinance fixing the salaries of the street sweeper and gutter sweepers; also an Ordinance fixing the salary of the deputy City Attorney; also an Ordinance fixing the salary of the Plumbing Inspector.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, January 30th, 1899, at 7:30 P.M.

Attest:

Geo. D. Goldeman
City Clerk.

J. W. Barnes

President of the Board of Delegates.

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, January 30th, 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Barnes, Hakes, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert,
Woddridge, Landis, Williamson, James, Francisco,
Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Frevert, Frary, W. J. Morgan, Thorp and Urban.

The minutes of Regular Meeting held January 3rd, 1899, and of Adjourned Meeting held January 9th, 1899, were read and approved.

During the reading of the minutes delegates Frary and Urban enter and take their seats in the Board.

A Message from the Mayor, transmitting a request from the Tax Collector for temporary additional deputies, and recommending that the request be granted, was read and ordered filed.

The request of the Tax Collector for temporary additional deputies, as recommended by the Mayor, was granted.

Thereupon an Ordinance granting the Tax Collector three additional deputies was read and on motion of Delegate Urban adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Wright, A. Morgan,
Lambert, Woddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson,
James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan and Thorp.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. ---.

An Ordinance authorizing the City Tax Collector to appoint three additional deputies.

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

Section 1. That the Tax Collector of said City be and he is hereby authorized to appoint three deputies to assist in writing up certificates of sale for delinquent taxes of 1898.

Section 2. That the compensation of such deputies shall be two & 50/100 dollars per day, provided that the entire compensation for the deputies, provided for hereunder, shall not exceed one hundred ^{no} 100 dollars.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the opinion of the City Attorney in re dedication of parks at La Jolla was read and adopted, viz:

The Street Committee recommends that the within opinion of the City Attorney be adopted and placed on file.

S. W. Hackett,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

1/20/99.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to repair the road from Roseville to Point Loma at an expense of \$158.⁰⁰ was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to establish a watering trough near the northeast corner of Pueblo Lot 104 was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A Joint Resolution instructing the City Engineer to make an estimate of the cost of re-grading "K" street from 16th to 22nd street was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes adopted and is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1078.

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 make and present to this Council, an estimate of the cost of re-grading that portion of "K" street, from the east line of 16th street to the east line of 22nd street.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of repairing the "B" street flume was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to expend \$300.⁰⁰ in cultivating the Howard tract in the City Park and for \$1000.⁰⁰ to be used in general repairs of streets was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works, transmitting the bids for constructing the India street road to Old Town, showing the

lowest bid to be in excess of the sum appropriated for that work, and asking the Council to make a further appropriation for said work, was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to let a contract to John Engelbret for constructing the India Street road to Old Town for \$1675⁰⁰ was read and on motion of delegate Barnes adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes-Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes-None.

Absent-Delegates Frevest, W. J. Morgan and Thorp.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 594.

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to do certain public work within said City.

Whereas, The Common Council of the said City of San Diego, California, did, on the 3^d day of January, 1899, pass and adopt Ordinance No. 584 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to do certain public work within said City," which Ordinance was approved by the Mayor of said City, on the 4th day of January, 1899, and

Whereas, said Ordinance authorized the Board of Public Works of said City of San Diego to advertise for bids and let a contract for the construction and grading of a road bed, twenty-four feet in width, in Middletown in said City of San Diego, commencing on India street, at its intersection with Delalmer street; thence running northerly along said India street to its intersection with Pierce street; thence running westerly along said Pierce street, to its intersection with California street; thence running northerly along said California street to its intersection with Fourth street in said Middletown; thence running northwesterly to said Fourth street, to the south line of Witherby street; provided that not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars should be expended in the performance of the said work; and

Whereas, the said Board of Public Works, pursuant to said Ordinance did so advertise for bids for doing such work, and the lowest bid received, pursuant to said notice, being that of John Engelbret, for the sum of sixteen hundred and seventy-five dollars,

Therefore, 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 said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, directed, and instructed to accept the bid of the said John Engelbret and

to enter into a contract with him for the doing of said work, for the said sum of sixteen hundred and seventy-five dollars.

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

Section 3. That the city clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said, to-wit: the San Diego Sun.

A communication from the Board of Public Works, transmitting an itemized statement of the expenditures of the city for 1898, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Jessie F. Coulton for \$220.00 for a sewer in the alley in block 7 of Breed and Chase's addition, was presented and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the Board of Health asking the Council to make provision for a pest house was read and referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

A communication from residents and property owners in the vicinity of block 12, Bay View Homestead, Carnuth's addition, protesting against the water tank in said addition, as proposed by the Southern California Mountain Water Company, was read and referred to the Joint Water Committee and City Attorney.

A protest from L. C. Hough against the proposed grading of "B" street between 22nd and 23rd streets was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The application of A. E. Hinders for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and curb on "D" street in front of lots 4, 5, 6, block 27, Horton's addition, was read and granted.

A communication from Clarence L. Barber in the matter of water rates was read and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

A communication from Mr. Hall urging the Council to construct a road over Spreckels Heights to Old Town was read and on motion of delegates Barnes referred to the Joint Street Committee and the committee instructed to visit and examine the proposed road.

A petition of property owners to have "A" street graded between 7th and 14th streets was presented and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The petition of C. E. Foster asking the Council to transfer to him the retail liquor license now standing in the name of E. P. Raether, 6th and "G" streets, was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson the same was granted.

An Ordinance authorizing the San Diego, Old Town & Pacific Beach Railroad Company to use electricity as a motive power for propelling cars upon its railroad in the city was presented and read, and action thereon postponed for thirty days in accordance with the provisions of the Charter.

An Ordinance directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for leasing to the City lots and buildings for the use of the Fire Department was read, and on motion of Delegate A. Morgan the ^{date} on which proposals shall be delivered was fixed on March 6th, 1899.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate A. Morgan said Ordinance was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Everett, W. J. Morgan and Thorp.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 597.

An Ordinance directing the City Clerk of the City of San Diego, California, to advertise for bids for leasing to the City lots and buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said City.

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

Section 1. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish a notice, for a period of ten days, calling for proposals or bids to lease to the said City of San Diego, for a period of one year, with the privilege of three years, lots with buildings thereon and also vacant lots, for the use of the Fire Department of said City, such lots to be located as follows:

1. One lot with a building thereon, or vacant lot, not less than 25 x 100 feet in size, for Fire Engine No. 1, which premises must front either upon Third street in said City, between "D" and "E" streets, or upon "C" street in said City, between Second and Fourth streets.

2. One lot and building thereon, or vacant lot, not less than 25 x 100 feet in size, for Fire Engine No. 2, fronting either upon Fifth street in said City, between "A" and "C" streets, or on "B" street in said City, between Fourth and

Sixth streets.

3. One lot with building thereon, or vacant lot, not less than 25×100 feet in size, for Hose Company No. 3, fronting either upon Sixth street in said city, between "I" and "K" streets, or on "J" street, between Fifth and Seventh streets.

4. One lot and building thereon, or vacant lot, not less than 25×100 feet in size, for Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, fronting either upon Ninth street in said city, between "H" and "J" streets, or on "J" street between Eighth and Tenth streets.

5. Said notice shall also contain a provision that this Common Council will also receive and consider any other proposition for furnishing the Fire Department of said city, or any part or portion thereof, with lots or buildings, or lots and buildings, suitable for such purposes, in different dimensions and at other locations than as above specified.

Section 2. That said Notice so published by the City Clerk shall require that all proposals be delivered to the City Clerk at his office, at or before the hour of 7:30 o'clock P.M. of the 6th day of March, 1899.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance providing for the purchase of horses, harness, indicator and gong and alarm box for use of the Fire Department was read.

Delegates Hakes moves that the amount to be appropriated for the purchase of horses be fixed at a sum not to exceed \$225.00, which motion was adopted.

Delegate Urban moves that the amount to be appropriated for the purchase of harness, hangers and weights, and collars, be fixed at a sum not to exceed \$115.00, which motion was adopted.

On motion the amount to be appropriated for the purchase of an indicator and gong, and fire alarm box, was fixed at a sum not to exceed \$325.00.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Williamson said ordinance was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent—Delegates Brewster, W. J. Morgan and Thorp.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 595.

An Ordinance 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.

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 said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to purchase two horses for not to exceed the sum of \$225.00, one set of double harness and one set of hangers and weights for such harness, and one pair of snap collars not to exceed the sum of \$115.00, one indicator and gong, and one alarm box not to exceed the sum of \$325.00, for the use of the Fire Department of said City, for the Florence Hill Chemical Engine and engine house. And said Board of Public Works is hereby directed to confer with the Chief of the Fire Department, in making such purchases.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diegoan Sun.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint an additional driver, and fixing the salary of the same, was read.

On motion of Delegate Hakes the salary was fixed at the sum of \$75.00 per month.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate Williamson said Ordinance was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent Delegates Frevert, W. J. Morgan and Thorp.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 596.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of San Diego, California, to appoint an additional driver for the Fire Department, and fixing the salary of the same.

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

Section 1. That the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to appoint an additional driver for the Fire Department, for the chemical engine to be located on the southwest corner of Laurel and Fourth streets in the said City of San Diego.

Section 2. That the salary of said driver be and it is hereby fixed at the sum of \$75.00 per month, payable monthly.

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

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 5. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for lighting the City for one year beginning April 1st, 1899, was read.

Delegate A. Morgan moves that said Ordinance be amended by taking one light from the mast at the corner of Fourth and Walnut streets, and placing one low arm light at the corner of Third and Beech streets, which motion was adopted.

Delegate Urban moves that the Ordinance be amended by taking one light from the mast at the corner of Twenty-second and "J" streets, and placing one low arm light at the corner of Eighteenth and "K" streets, which motion was adopted.

Whereupon said Ordinance was referred to the City Attorney to have the above amendments incorporated.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

Attest:

Geo. D. Gaddam
City Clerk.

M. J. O'Brien
President of the Board of Delegates

Regular Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, February 6th, 1899.

A Regular Meeting of the Board was held this day at 7:30 P.M.,
President Perrin presiding.

Present—Delegates. Frewer, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James,
Francisco, Perrin and Clerk Vincent.

Absent—Delegates Barnes, Frary and W. J. Morgan.

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held January 16th, 1899, were
read and approved.

The following report of the Joint Sewer Committee in the matter
of the petition of J. S. Rush and W. M. Gray asking the Council to extend the
sewer to the East School 100 feet further east was read and adopted, viz:

We the undersigned members of the Sewer Committee recommend
that the within petition be granted.

A. Beard

A. E. Dodson

J. M. Williamson

W. H. Doddridge.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee in the
matter of a communication from the Board of Public Works trans-
mitting the claim of Ed. Nescott of \$125.⁰⁰ for a truck used by the City
was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the within
bill of Ed. Nescott for \$125.⁰⁰ be referred to a Special Committee of one
from each Board for investigation.

Simon Levi,

Geo. B. Watson,

A. E. Dodson,

Geo. A. L. Urban,

A. Morgan,

F. A. James.

Feb. 6th, 1899.

Thereupon President Perrin appoints delegate Urban as the member
of such Special Committee from this Board.

The following report of the Joint Finance Committee, to whom was
referred a communication from the City Clerk in re sale of fractional block

109 and fractional block 115 in pueblo lot 1168, to W. J. Lomes, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Finance Committee recommends that the bid of W. J. Lomes of \$100 for fractional block 109 and fractional block 115 in pueblo lot 1168 be rejected; and the City Clerk be instructed to return the money in his possession to the bidder, viz, the \$100 above mentioned.

Simon Levi,
Geo. B. Watson,
A. E. Dodson,
Geo. A. L. Urban,
A. Morgan,
F. A. James.

Feb. 6th, 1899.

The following report of the Joint Police Committee, to whom was referred a communication from the City Attorney transmitting an Ordinance providing for a "chain gang" was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Police Committee recommends that the within communication from the City Attorney, together with an Ordinance providing for a "chain gang," be placed on file.

Geo. B. Watson,
A. Beard,
L. A. Blochman,
A. A. Thorp,
F. A. James

Feb. 6th, 1899.

Thereupon said communication from the City Attorney and an Ordinance providing for a "chain gang" were ordered filed.

The following report of the Joint Police Committee in the matter of an Ordinance providing for increasing the Police Force three in number was read and on motion of Delegate Urban adopted, viz:

The Joint Police Committee recommends that the within Ordinance providing for increasing the Police force three in number be laid on the table.

Geo. B. Watson,
A. Beard,
L. A. Blochman,
A. A. Thorp,
F. A. James.

Feb. 6th, 1899.

Thereupon said Ordinance was laid on the table.

The following report of the Joint Police Committee in the matter of an Ordinance providing for three Special Policemen was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes adopted, viz:

The Joint Police Committee recommends that the within Ordinance providing for three Special Policemen be laid on the table.

Geo. B. Watson,

A. Beard,

L. A. Blochman,

A. A. Thorp,

F. A. James.

Feb 6th, 1899.

Thereupon said Ordinance was laid on the table.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the City Assessor to purchase supplies for his office was read and on motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Inverest, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegates Barnes, Frary and W. J. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1099.

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

That the City Auditor and Assessor be and he is hereby authorized to procure, for the use of his office, 4800 blank warrants, bound in 12 books, and 2100 mortgage abstracts, bound in 7 books, provided the total cost thereof does not exceed \$700.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Thos. Allen for a refund of \$559, paid on account of a double assessment, was read and on motion of Delegate Inverest referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

A communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting the claim of Fraudgen, Baumgardner & Co. for \$2555 for printing supplies for the Tax collector was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes the claim was ratified.

Thereupon on motion of Delegate James a Joint Resolution directing the Auditing to allow the claim of Fraudgen, Baumgardner & Co. was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Inverest, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent - Delegates Barnes, Frary and W. J. Morgan.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Joint Resolution No. 1100.

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

That the incurrence of the indebtedness for the sum of \$2555, by the Tax Collector of the City of San Diego, California, for the purchase of two thousand Tax Certificates, bound in twenty books and perforated, and of five thousand numbers, in the month of January, 1899, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved, and the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego, California, is hereby authorized to allow and approve said claims and to authorize the issuance of a warrant therefor.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to incur indebtedness in repairing sewers in the City was read and ordered filed.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to incur indebtedness for the repair of sewers was read and on motion of Delegate Haker adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates Everett, Hakes, Thorpe, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes—None.

Absent-Delegates Barnes, Frary and W. J. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No. 602.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego, California, to incur indebtedness for the repair of all sewers within the City of San Diego, California.

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 empowered to incur indebtedness in the repair or cleaning out of any portion of the public sewer within the City of San Diego, when it shall be necessary to repair or clean out the same on account of breakage or stoppage therein, to the extent of \$5000 in making each of such repairs.

Section 2. That the action of the said Board of Public Works, in incurring indebtedness in the month of January, 1899, in the sum of \$4052, in repairing the breakage in the public sewer of the said City of San Diego, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved; and the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego is hereby authorized and directed to allow and approve the claims against the "Sewer Fund," for the said amount, and to authorize the issuance of warrants therefor.

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

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 5. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to have printed a number of City Charters was read and referred to the Special Committee heretofore appointed in the matter of publishing the City ordinances.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of January 1899 was read and filed.

The report of the Pound Keeper for the month of January 1899 was read and filed.

The petition of property owners to change the grade of F Street from 14th Street to 18th Street was read and on motion of Delegate Morgan said petition was granted and the City Attorney was instructed to prepare the necessary Resolution of Intention.

The petition of D. E. Mumford et al for a low arm electric light at the intersection of State and "C" streets, was read and on motion of Delegate Thorp the same was granted.

On motion of Delegate Landis it was ordered that an electric light be established at the intersection of 9th and D Streets.

The petition of George Lyons for asking for the appointment of Frank J. Stewart as Special policeman for North San Diego, was read and referred to the Joint Police Committee.

A communication from W. K. Wheeler offering to sell to the City the field notes of M. K. Wheeler, was read and referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

Due proof of the publication of the Resolution of Intention to change the grade of "B" Street from the east line of 24th Street to the west line of 25th Street, and of the publication and posting of the notice of the passage of said Resolution of Intention, having

been presented, were ordered filed.

Thereupon an ordinance changing the grade of that portion of "B" street from the east line of Twenty-fourth street to the west line of Twenty-fifth street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Stokes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin,

Noes None. Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary and H. J. Morgan,

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

Ordinance No. 600

An Ordinance Declaring the Grade of that Portion of "B" Street in the City of San Diego, California, to be Changed from and Including the East Line of Twenty-fourth Street, to and Including the West Line of Twenty-fifth Street, and Establishing the Grade of the Same.

The Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, having, on the 14th day of November, 1898, duly passed a resolution of intention numbered 601, to change and establish the grade of that portion of "B" street in the said city of San Diego, from and including the east line of Twenty-fourth street, to and including the west line of Twenty-fifth street, which said resolution described the proposed change of grade; and the said Common Council, in and by said resolution, having designated and established the district to be benefited by such change of grade and to be assessed to pay the cost of the same; and said resolution of intention having been published for ten days in the manner and form required by law, in the newspaper of said city, in which the official notices of the common council of said city are usually printed and published, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun, in every regular issue of said newspaper, during the said period of ten days, as directed by such resolution of intention, and in the manner and by the persons required by law; and the superintendent of streets of said city having, within five days after the first publication of said resolution of intention, duly caused notices of the passage of said resolution, to be conspicuously posted within said district, in the manner and form required by law; and more than thirty days having elapsed from the day of the first publication of the said resolution of intention in the said newspaper, as aforesaid; and no objection to said proposed change of grade having been filed with the clerk of said Common Council; and no objection having been made to said proposed change of grade; and the petition of the owners of a majority of the property affected by said proposed change of grade having been filed with the City Clerk and presented to this Common Council, as required by law, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the grade of that portion of "B" street in said city of San Diego, from and including the east line of Twenty-fourth street, to and including the west line of Twenty-fifth street, be and the same is hereby changed and established and declared to be in conformity with said resolution of intention, as follows:

At the northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and "B" streets the grade shall be 181.00 feet; at the southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and "B" streets the grade shall be 181.00 feet; at a point on the north line of said "B" street, 275 feet east of the east line of said Twenty-fourth street, the grade shall be 199.25 feet; at a point on the south line of said "B" street, 275 feet east of the east line of said Twenty-fourth street, the grade shall be 198.25 feet; at the northwest corner of said "B" and Twenty-fifth streets the grade shall be 197.00 feet; at the southwest corner of said "B" and Twenty-fifth streets the grade shall be 196.00 feet; the grade of said "B" street between the points fixed by this ordinance shall be of uniform ascent and descent. The center line of said portion of said "B" street shall have an average elevation of the opposite curb grades.

The numbers used above, where their meaning is not shown to be otherwise by their immediate context, mean the number of feet which the points designated in the proposed new grade, shall be above the city datum line of levels as fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of said city of San Diego, entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing a Datum Line for the Grading of streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and Providing for the Manner of Establishing Grades by Ordinance," approved June 30th, 1886.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun.

A Resolution of Intention to grade "B" street from the center line of Twenty-first Street to the West line of Twenty-fifth Street was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Stokes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin.

Does Stone. Absent Delegates. Barnes, Tracy Ed W J Morgan,
Said Resolution of Intention as adopted is as follows, To wit,

Resolution of Intention.
To grade "B" street in the City of San Diego, California, from the center line of Twenty-first street to the west line of Twenty-fifth street.
Resolved that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to order the following street work to be done in said city, to-wit:
That that portion of "B" street in said City of San Diego, from the center line of Twenty-first street, to the west line of Twenty-fifth street, and the sidewalks thereof, and including all intersections of streets between said points, be graded to the official grade thereof, in accordance with the specifications therefor, as contained in Ordinance No. 349 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, approved February 11th, 1896.
The San Diegan-Sun, a daily newspaper printed and circulated in said City of San Diego, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published for two days, and the notice of the passage thereof for six days in the manner and by the persons required by law.
The Clerk of said City of San Diego is hereby directed to post this resolution or intention conspicuously for two days at or near the chamber door of said Common Council, and to publish the same by two insertions in said daily newspaper in the manner required by law.

An ordinance regulating the construction of water tanks was read referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

An ordinance instructing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for lighting streets alleys and Parks of the City by electricity for the year beginning April 1st 1899 was read. On motion of Delegate said ordinance was amended by changing the number of arc lights on the mast at 22nd & J Streets six instead of five, and by adding one low arm light at State and C streets and one at 9th and D Streets. On motion of Delegate Morgan said Ordinance as amended was adopted by the following vote, To wit:

Ayes Delegates Freest, Hakes, Prop. Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson James Francisco & Perin.
Does, Stone, Absent Delegates, Barnes, Tracy Ed W J Morgan
Said ordinance as adopted is as follows. To wit-

Ordinance No. 598.
An Ordinance 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, 1899.
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 of San Diego be and said Board is hereby instructed and directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to advertise for at least thirty days for bids and let a contract to the lowest responsible bidder, for lighting the streets, avenues, and parks of said City of San Diego, with electric lights, for a period of one year, beginning on the 1st day of April, 1899, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1900.
The said notice and advertisement shall call for bids, naming the price per month, per arc lamp, for fifty-seven arc lamps of two thousand candle power each, to be placed upon towers within said city, located and described as follows:
One iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Fourth and Cedar streets, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of "A" and India streets, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of "B" and Twelfth streets, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Thirteenth and "H" streets, upon which there shall be placed five of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Twenty-second and "J" streets, upon which there shall be placed six of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Twenty-eighth street with National avenue, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Twenty-second street with Milton avenue, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Third and Juniper streets, upon which there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Sixth street with University avenue, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one iron tower, 100 feet high, located at the intersection of State and Hawthorn streets, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one wooden tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Walnut avenue with Fourth street, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one wooden tower, 125 feet high, located at the intersection of Twenty-fifth and "C" streets, upon which tower there shall be placed four of such arc lamps; one wooden tower, seventy-five feet high, located at the intersection of "H" and Arctic streets, upon which tower there shall be placed three of such arc lamps; provided that if any person, company, or corporation, other than the company at present lighting the said city, with electric lights, secures the contract, in pursuance of such notice and advertisement, the towers shall be placed at the intersection of such streets as the Board of Public Works of said city may designate; but not to be more than one block from the locations above designated; said towers to be constructed and erected in a manner similar to the towers now in use by the San Diego Gas and Electric Light company, in furnishing electric lights to said City of San Diego.
Said notice and advertisement shall also call for bids, naming the price per month, per arc lamp, for seventy-two arc lamps, of two thousand candle power each, in addition to the above, fifty-seven arc lamps above provided for, to be placed on iron arms 22 feet in length extended from wooden poles 27 feet high, with one such lamp on each of such arms, to be located within said City of San Diego as follows:
One at the intersection of Third and "B" streets; one at the intersection of Third and "D" streets; one at the intersection of Third and "F" streets; one at the intersection of Third and "H" streets; one at the intersection of Third and "J" streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and "K" streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and "I" streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and "G" streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and "E" streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and "C" streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and "A" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and "B" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and "D" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and "F" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and "H" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and "J" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and "L" streets; one at the intersection of Sixth and "K" streets; one at the intersection of Sixth and "I" streets; one at the intersection of Sixth and "G" streets; one at the intersection of Sixth and "E" streets; one at the intersection of Sixth and "C" streets; one at the intersection of Sixth and "A" streets; one at the intersection of Seventh and "D" streets; one at the intersection of Seventh and "F" streets; one at the intersection of Seventh and "H" streets; one at the intersection of Seventh and "J" streets; one at the intersection of Eighth and "C" streets; one at the intersection of Eighth and "L" streets; one at the intersection of Fifth and Quince streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and Elm streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and Grape streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and India streets; one at the intersection of Fourth and Kalmia streets; one at the intersection of "D" and Arctic streets; one at the intersection of "D" and Columbia streets; one at the intersection of "D" and Union streets; one at the intersection of "D" and First streets; one at the intersection of "D" and Sixteenth streets; one at the intersection of "D" and Twentieth streets; one at the intersection of Front and "A" streets; one at the intersection of "F" and Fifteenth streets; one at the intersection of "F" and Eleventh streets; one at the intersection of "F" and Ninth streets; one at the intersection of "F" and First streets; one at the intersection of "F" and Atlantic streets; one at the intersection of "F" and Columbia streets; one at the intersection of Sixteenth and "H" streets; one at the intersection of Sixteenth and "I" streets; one at the intersection of Sixteenth and "K" streets; one at the intersection of Sixteenth and "N" streets; one at the intersection of "K" and Eleventh streets; one at the intersection of "K" and Fourteenth streets; one at the intersection of Ninth and "H" streets; one at the intersection of "L" and Twenty-sixth streets; one at the intersection of Twenty-fifth street with Julian avenue; one on "J" street between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets; one at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street with Logan avenue; one at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street with National avenue; one at the intersection of Thirtieth street with National avenue; one at the intersection of Thirty-first and "R" streets; one at the intersection of Thirty-second and Main streets; one at the intersection of Union and Beech streets; one at the intersection of Eleventh and "D" streets; one at the intersection of Second and "A" streets; one at the intersection of State and "E" streets; one near the north entrance to the "Plaza" on "D" street between Third street and Fourth street in said city; one at the intersection of Third street and Beech street; and one at the intersection of Eighteenth street, and "K" street; one at the intersection of State and "C" streets, and one at the intersection of Ninth and "D" streets.
Said poles and arms to be constructed and erected in a manner similar to the poles and arms now in use by the San Diego Gas and Electric Light Company in lighting the said City of San Diego with electric lights. All lights to be run on what is known as the "Moon Schedule."
Said notice and advertisement shall also require all bidders to name terms and conditions upon which additional lights to those above mentioned will be supplied during said time, and that the successful bidder, upon entering into a contract, will be required to give a bond to said city, in the sum of at least five thousand dollars, with two or more sureties, for the performance of the contract and also for the protection of the said city against all damages, costs, or expenses on account of damage to person or property, or for the use or infringement of any patents, or upon any account whatever.
Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.
Section 3. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun.

An ordinance changing the names of ^{certain} Street in the City of San Diego was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:
 Ayes Delegates Frenet, Baker, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James Francisco Perrin
 Absent Delegates Barnes Tracy and H. J. Morgan
 Said ordinance as adopted is as follows to-wit

ORDINANCE NO. 599.

An Ordinance Providing for Changing the Names and Regulating the Naming of Certain Streets within the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the following names of streets in certain additions in and to the City of San Diego, California, be and the same are hereby changed as follows, to-wit:

Change Pauly street in Pauly's Addition, to Texas street.

Change Pascoe street in Wetmore and Sanborn's Addition, to Thirty-sixth street.

Change Rippey street in Middletown Addition, to Union street.

Change Story street in Watkins and Biddle's Addition, to Thirty-first street.

Change Story street in Middletown, to Winder street.

Change Second street in Middletown, to Hancock street.

Change Sixth avenue in West End, to Myrtle avenue.

Change Skinner street in Pauly's Addition, to Louisiana street.

Change Sargent street in Middletown Addition, to Bandini street.

Change Sargent avenue in Reed and Daley's Addition, to Franklin street.

Change Sacramento street in Northern Extension, to Willow street.

Change Stockton street in Old Town, to Jefferson street.

Change Taylor street on University Heights, to Lincoln avenue.

Change Trippett street in Middletown Addition, to Columbia street.

Change Third avenue in West End, to Landis street.

Change Third avenue in Middletown, to Moore street.

Change Twenty-eighth street in N. W. Hensley's Addition, to Evans street.

Change Twenty-ninth street in Hoitt's Addition, to Hoitt street.

Change Thirtieth street in Hoitt's Addition, to Twenty-ninth street.

Change Thirty-first street in Hoitt's Addition, to Dodson street.

Change Thirty-second street in Hoitt's Addition, to Thirtieth street.

Change Union street in Eastern Addition and North Park, to Biddle avenue.

Change Union avenue on line between Land and Town Company's Addition and Reed and Hubbell's Addition, to Marcey avenue.

Change University avenue from Park Boulevard East to city limits, to El Cajon avenue.

Change Woden street in Guoin's Addition, to Thirty-ninth street.

Change Waterville street in Eastern Addition, to Watkins street.

Change Winder street in West End, to Utah street.

Change Wellborn street in Middletown Addition, to Winder street.

Change Weller street in Middletown Addition, to Congress street.

Change Coe street in Pauly's Addition, Park Villa, and West End, to Myrtle avenue.

Change First street in Middletown and the southwest line of Old Town, to Kurtz street.

Change Fillmore avenue on University Heights, to Garfield avenue.

Change Fourth street in Middletown, to La Jolla avenue.

Change Fifth street in Middletown, to Jefferson street.

Change Water street in Roseville, Mannasse and Schiller's Addition to Roseville, and Main street from Mannasse and Schiller's Addition to Roseville, to Scott street in Old Town, to Scott street.

Change South Twentieth street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Sixteenth street.

Change South Twenty-first street, in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Sigsbee street.

Change South Twenty-second street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Beardsley street.

Change South Twenty-third street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Crosby street.

Change South Twenty-fourth street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Dewey street.

Change South Twenty-fifth street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Evans street.

Change South Twenty-sixth street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Sampson street.

Change South Twenty-seventh street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Sicard street.

Change South Twenty-eighth street in Mannasse and Schiller's Addition, to Schley street.

Change Arnold street in Middletown Addition, to Henry street.

Change Bean street in Middletown, to Chambers street.

Change Brunson street in West End, to Nebraska street.

Change Bryant street in Pauly's Addition, to Alabama street.

Change Biddle avenue in Watkins and Biddle's Addition, to Vassar street.

Change Bowdoin street in Property Union and Choate's Addition, to Choate avenue.

Change Bay street in South Park, to Bean street.

Change Clay street in Arnold and Choate's Addition, to Cliff street.

Change Columbia street in Property Union, to Seaman avenue.

Change Central avenue in North Park, to Twenty-ninth street.

Change Choate street in Park Villa, to Arizona street.

Change Choate street in Middletown Addition, to Miller street.

Change Cliff street in Seaman and Choate's Addition and South Park, to Twenty-ninth street.

Change Carolina street in University Heights, to Park Boulevard.

Change California street in University Heights to Hamilton street.

Change California street in Northern Extension, to Brookes avenue.

Change California street in Arnold and Choate's Addition, to Carolina street.

Change Clay street in Old Town, to Boyd street.

Change Dodson street in Middletown Addition, to McKee street.

Change Driscoll avenue in Park Villa, to Oregon street.

Change Dwinell street in Property Union and Eastern Addition, to Thirty-third street.

Change First avenue in West End, to Wightman street.

Change Fourth avenue in West End, to Dwight street.

Change Fern street in South Park, to Thirtieth street.

Change Grant avenue in Estudillo's Addition, to Monterey street.

Change Grant avenue in University Heights, to Pascoe street.

Change Grand avenue in Land and Town Company's Addition, to Newton avenue.

Change George street in Pauly's Addition, to Landis street.

Change Gatewood street in West End, to Kansas street.

Change Garber street in Crittenden's Addition, to Brookes avenue.

Change Horton avenue in Seaman and Choate's Addition, to Trinity street.

Change Harrison avenue in University Heights, to Howard avenue.

Change Hyde street in South Park, to Thirty-first street.

Change Jay street in Old Town, to Moore street.

Change Judge Pierce street in Middletown Addition, to Horton avenue.

Change Laurel avenue in University Heights, to Brookes avenue.

Change Landis street in Pauly's Addition, to Mississippi street.

Change Leverett street in Johnson's Heights, to Kearney street.

Change Main street in University Heights, to Maryland street.

Change Merritt street in Wetmore and Sanborn's Addition, to Thirty-fifth street.

Change North avenue in Seaman and Choate's Addition, to Williams street.

Change Nash avenue in Park Villa, to Missouri street.

Change Olive avenue in University Heights, to Robinson avenue.

Change Oak avenue in University Heights, to Thornton avenue.

Change Park street in Seaman and Choate's Addition and Park Villa, to Twenty-eighth street.

Change Park avenue in University Heights, to Upas street.

Change Pierce street in Middletown, to Harasthy street.

Change Daugherty street in Middletown Addition, to Harasthy street.

Change Palmer street in Middletown Addition, to Coutts street.

Change Pemberton street in West End, to Idaho street.

Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

An ordinance confirming the sale of certain real property, and authorizing the execution of the deed therefor, was read and adopted on motion of Delegate Stakes by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Stakes, Thoop, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin,

Noes None. Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary and W. J. Morgan.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

ORDINANCE NO. 601.

An Ordinance Confirming the Sale of Certain Real Property, by the City of San Diego, California, and Authorizing the Execution of the Deed Therefor.

Whereas, the Common Council of said City of San Diego, by Ordinance No. 560, passed and adopted on the 10th day of October, 1898, and approved by the Mayor of said city, on the 10th day of November, 1898, directed, authorized, and provided for the sale of certain real property, hereinafter described; and

Whereas, it appearing that in pursuance to the provisions of said ordinance the City Clerk caused notice of the time and place of holding said sale to be published in the San Diegan-Sun, the city official newspaper, published in said City of San Diego, for three weeks prior to the making of the said sale, and that said property was described in said notice, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the most westerly corner of Pueblo Lot numbered 1353 of the pueblo lands of the City of San Diego; thence running northeast and along the northwesterly line of said Pueblo Lot 1353, for a distance of 450 feet; thence running southeasterly and parallel to the northeasterly line of lot numbered 5 of the Townsite of Sorrento (as shown upon the map of the same, on file in the County Recorder's office of the County of San Diego, State of California, filed September 30th, 1887), for a distance of 280 feet; thence running southwesterly for a distance of 370 feet to a point on the said northeasterly line of the said lot 5; thence running northwesterly along the southwesterly line of the said Pueblo Lot numbered 1353, 540 feet to the place of beginning, and containing three and fifty-one hundredths (3.51) acres. Also the following:

That certain piece and parcel of land situated in the said City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and described as follows:

Beginning at the most northerly corner of Acre Tract No. 6 of the Townsite of Sorrento (as shown upon the map of the same, on file in the County Recorder's office of the County of San Diego, State of California, filed September 30th, 1887); thence running southeasterly and parallel to the northeasterly line of Acre Tract No. 5 of the said Sorrento Townsite, to a point on the southeasterly line of the Pueblo Lot numbered 1355; thence running southwesterly 300 feet and along the southeasterly line of said Pueblo Lot numbered 1355 to the south corner thereof; thence running northwesterly along

the southwesterly line of said Pueblo Lot numbered 1355 for a distance of 430 feet, to the place of beginning, and containing one and forty-nine hundredths (1.49) acres.

All of said above described property being situated in the Townsite of Sorrento, City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and described according to the map of Sorrento, made by R. H. Stretch, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of San Diego county.

And, whereas, it appearing from the report of the said City Clerk that the sale of the said property was had on the 14th day of December, 1898, at ten o'clock, A. M., of said day, that being the time specified in said notice, and declaring that at said sale Abel Turner Lockyer became the purchaser of said real property, for the sum of forty dollars (\$40.00), he being the highest and best bidder therefor and said sum of forty dollars (\$40.00), being the highest and best bid; and it further appearing that all requirements of said ordinance were fully and entirely complied with, and that said sale was made at the time and place and in the manner provided for by said ordinance and by said notice of sale;

Therefore, be it ordained, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That the sale of said property hereinbefore described be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed, and the Mayor of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed, for and on behalf of the said City of San Diego, and in the name of and as the act and deed of said city, to sign, execute, acknowledge, and deliver the deed of said property to said Abel Turner Lockyer, upon presentation by him of a receipt from the city treasury of said city, showing the payment in full of said purchase price; and the said City Clerk of said city is hereby authorized and directed to attest the execution of the said deed, by affixing thereto his signature and the corporate seal 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.

Section 3. That the City Clerk of said city is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diegan-Sun.

An ordinance providing for the purchase of real property for the public use of the City of San Diego, was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Stakes, Thoop, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco and Perrin,

Noes None. Absent Delegates Barnes, Frary and W. J. Morgan.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

Ordinance No. 603.

An ordinance providing for the purchase of real property for the public use of the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That it be and is hereby declared to be necessary for the public use of the City of San Diego, California, that the said City of San Diego purchase certain real property for the use of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, located in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and bounded and

and described as follows, to wit:

Lots numbered Seven (7) and eight (8) in block numbered sixty-three (63) of Culverwell and Taggart's Addition to said City of San Diego, for the sum of ten hundred and fifty dollars (\$1050.00); and the said sum of ten hundred and fifty dollars (\$1050.00) is hereby appropriated for said purpose.

Section 2. That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to allow a claim for the said sum and to authorize the drawing of a warrant therefor upon the General Fund of said City when a deed shall be executed to the said City of San Diego, conveying good title to the said property,

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The petition of H L Minear for permission to construct an one story brick building on block 69 Hortons addition was read and on motion of Delegate Stokes was referred to the Joint Fire Committee.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the proposition ^{of Deery & Gluthman} to construct a road near Sorrento in consideration of the lease of certain lands owned by the City was read and filed.

On motion of Delegate Williamson The Board took a recess of five minutes.

Upon reassembling there were present
Delegates Frevert, Adkins, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson James,
and Perrin.

Absent Delegates, Barnes Tracy, H J Morgan and Francisco
The report of the Sandwich Water Co for 1898 was presented to the Joint Water Committee

On motion of Delegate Frevert the order of business was suspended.

After first giving due notice President Perrin did in open session sign the following ordinances viz

An ordinance changing the grade of "B" street between 24th and 25th streets, An ordinance changing the names of certain streets in the City of San Diego, An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to incur indebtedness for the

necessary repairs of all sewers in the city, An ordinance providing for the purchase of real property for the public use of the City of San Diego, An ordinance ratifying the sale of certain real property, An ordinance instructing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for lighting the city by electricity for one year beginning April 1st 1899, An ordinance directing the City Clerk to advertise for proposals to lease lots and buildings to the city for the use of the Fire Department, An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase one team of horses, set of harness and apparatus for the use of the fire department, An ordinance authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint an additional driver for the Fire Department, An ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let the contract for grading the old Town Road, and An ordinance authorizing the Tax collector to appoint three additional deputies.

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday February 13th 1899 at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

M. J. Pirrie
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest
Geo. D. Goodman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego
California. February 13th 1899

The adjourned meeting of the Board was held this day at 7.30
o'clock P.M. President Perrin -

Present Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes Thorp, Wright, Lambert,
Doddridge Landis, Urban James and Perrin,
and Clark Goldman

Absent Delegates Frewitt, W.J. Morgan, F. Morgan Williamson & Francisco.

Reading minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred
the petition of property owners for a change of the grade of "A"
Street between 7th and 14th streets was read and adopted and
is as follows. viz.

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within
petition to grade A street between 7th and 14th streets, be granted.

E. W. Hackett.

A. E. Dodson.

W. H. Doddridge

C. C. Hakes.

Feb 13th 1899.

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred
the communication of the Board of Public Works in the matter of
cultivating trees in Howard Park and street repairs was read and
adopted, and is as follows. to wit:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within request
of the Board of Public Works for \$300⁰⁰ for cultivating the Howard tract
be denied; that \$1000⁰⁰ be appropriated for general street repairs
where necessary, which shall include the repairs of the "B" street
flume, the repairs of the culverts between Pacific Beach and La Jolla
and repairing the road between Roseville and Point Loma; and that
the Street Superintendent be instructed to report to the Council as to
where the money is expended.

E. W. Hackett.

A. E. Dodson.

A. Beard.

W. H. Doddridge.

C. C. Hakes

Feb 13th 1899

At this time Delegate H. Morgan enters and takes his seat in the Board.

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the Joint Resolution instructing the Board of Public Works to place and maintain a watering trough near the Northeast corner of Pueblo Lot 104 was read and adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within Joint Resolution be adopted

E. W. Hackett

A. E. Dodson.

W. H. Doddridge.

C. C. Hakes.

Feb 13th 1899

Thereupon said Joint Resolution was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, H. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Lundis Urban James and Perrin.

Noes None

Absent Delegates Everest, H. J. Morgan, Williamson and Francisco.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No 1102,

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 directed and authorized to place and maintain, or cause to be placed and maintained, a public watering trough near the North-east corner of Pueblo lot 104 of the pueblo lands of the City of San Diego, California.

The report of the Health and Morals Committee to whom was referred the communication of the Board of Health in the matter of repairing the pest house was read and adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Health and Morals Committee recommend the within request be denied.

A. Beard.

A. E. Dodson.

J. M. Williamson.

C. C. Hakes.

2/13/99

The report of the Special Committee to whom was referred the communication of the Board of Public Works and claim of Ed Hescott for truck for Gasoline Engine was read and adopted, and is as follows, to wit:

The Special Committee recommend the within bill of Ed Hescott be paid.

B. H. Hackett,
Geo Urban

2/10/99

Thereupon a Joint Resolution instructing the Auditing Committee to allow and pay said claim of Ed Hescott was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis Urban, James and Perrin

Does None

Absent Delegates Frevert, H. J. Morgan, Williamson and Francisco,
Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No. 1101.

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 Hescott, for the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00);

That the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized, and directed, to 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 Hescott, upon the execution of a Bill of sale therefor, to the said City of San Diego.

A Resolution of Intention to change the grade of F Street between 14th and 18th streets was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, James and Perrin

Does None

Absent Delegates Frevert, H. J. Morgan, Williamson and Francisco

Said Resolution of Intention as adopted is as follows, to wit:

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION

To change the grade of that portion of "F" street in the City of San Diego, California, from and including the east line of Fourteenth street, to and including the west line of Eighteenth street.

Whereas, the owners of a majority of the property affected by the herein proposed change of the grade of that portion of "F" street in the said City of San Diego, from and including the east line of Fourteenth street, to and including the west line of Eighteenth street, have petitioned the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, to change the grade of that portion of the said "F" street, between said points, and

Whereas, it appears to the said Common Council and said Common Council hereby finds that the said petition contains the names of the owners of a majority of the property affected by said proposed change of grade.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, that it be and is hereby declared to be the intention of the Common Council of the said City of San Diego, California, to change and establish the grade of that portion of "F" street in the said City of San Diego, from and including the east line of Fourteenth street, to and including the west line of Eighteenth street, as follows:

At the northeast corner of "F" and Fourteenth streets fix and establish the

grade at 48.00 feet above the datum line of levels as fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Datum Line for the Grading of Streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and Providing for the Manner of Establishing Grades by Ordinance," approved June 30th, 1886; at the southeast corner of "F" and Fourteenth streets; fix and establish the grade at 48.00 feet above said datum line; at the southeast corner of "F" and Fifteenth streets change the grade from 45.00 feet above said datum line, to 43.00 feet above said line; at the northeast corner of "F" and Fifteenth streets change the grade from 45.00 feet above said datum line, to 43.00 feet above said line; at the southwest corner of "F" and Fifteenth streets change the grade from 45.00 feet above said datum line, to 43.00 feet above said line; at the northwest corner of "F" and Fifteenth streets change the grade from 45.00 feet above

said datum line, to 43.00 feet above said line; at the southwest corner of "F" and Sixteenth streets change the grade from 54.50 feet above said datum line, to 52.50 feet above said line; at the northeast corner of "F" and Sixteenth streets change the grade from 54.50 feet above said datum line, to 52.50 feet above said line; at the southwest corner of "F" and Sixteenth streets change the grade from 53.50 feet above said datum line, to 51.50 feet above said line; at the northwest corner of "F" and Sixteenth streets change the grade from 53.50 feet above said datum line, to 51.50 feet above said line; at the southeast corner of "F" and Seventeenth streets change the grade from 69.00 feet above said datum line, to 67.00 feet above said line; at the northeast corner of "F" and Seventeenth streets change the grade from 69.00 feet above said datum line, to 67.00 feet above said line; at the southwest corner of "F" and Seventeenth streets change the grade from 68.00 feet above said datum line, to 66 feet above said line; at the northwest corner of "F" and Seventeenth streets change the grade from 68.00 feet above said datum line, to 66.00 feet above said line; at the southwest corner of "F" and Eighteenth streets establish the grade at 70.00 feet above said datum line; at the northwest corner of "F" and Eighteenth streets fix and establish the grade at 70.00 feet above said datum line.

The grade of said "F" street, between the points fixed by this resolution, shall be of uniform ascent and descent; that the center line of said portion of said "F" street shall have an average elevation of the opposite curb grades; that the numbers used above, where their meaning is not shown to be otherwise by their immediate context, mean the number of feet which the points designated in the proposed new grade shall be above the city datum line of levels as fixed by Ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, entitled: "An Ordinance Establishing a Datum Line for the Grading of Streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and Providing for the Manner of Establishing Grades by Ordinances," approved June 30th, 1886.

That the district to be benefited by the said proposed change of grade and to be assessed to pay the costs of the same be and the same is hereby designated and established, as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 150 feet north of the point where the north line of "F" street intersects the east line of Fourteenth street; thence running at right angles east to a point on the west line of Eighteenth street 150 feet north of a point where the north line of "F" street intersects the said west line of Eighteenth street; thence running at right angles south along the said west line of Eighteenth street, to a point 150 feet south of a point where the south line of "F" street intersects the said west line of Eighteenth street; thence at right angles west, to a point 150 feet south of a point where the south line of "F" street intersects the east line of Fourteenth street; thence running north along the said east line of Fourteenth street, to the place of beginning; as shown upon the plat thereof, hereto attached, marked "Exhibit A," and hereby made a part hereof.

That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed to cause this Resolution of Intention to be published for ten days in the newspaper in which the official notices of the Common Council of said city are usually printed and published, to-wit, the San Diegoan-Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, in every regular issue of said newspaper, during the said period of ten days; which newspaper is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published in the manner and by the persons required by law.

That the Superintendent of Streets of said city be and he is hereby ordered and directed, within five days after the first publication of this resolution, to cause to be conspicuously posted in the manner and form required by law, within the district hereinbefore designated as the district to be benefited by said proposed change of grade, notices of the passage of this resolution.

The proposition of A. P. Dickey to furnish to the City of San Diego, a police Alarm System was read and referred to the Police Committee of the Board of Delegates

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for a safe in which to place the records of this office was read and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

The report of the City Auditor for the month of January 1899 was read and filed,

The petition of the U.S. Government for Telephone Franchise at Roseville was read and granted.

Thereupon an ordinance granting such Franchise was read and action on the same was postponed 30 days in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter.

The following petitions for permission to construct sidewalks and curbs were read and granted, viz:

John Kelley concrete sidewalk and cobblestone gutter on Hawthorne & Albatross Streets in front of Lots E.H. & J. Block 251 Holtons Addition Hill Macdonald. Concrete sidewalk and curb on north side of D Street between 18th & 19th streets Orange Hill Park Reserve.

The petition of Chas Duncan for Auctioneers license was read and granted.

On motion of Delegate James the City Attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance providing for a license for persons selling patent medicines on the streets.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners asking for the passage of an ordinance creating the office of Captain of Chemical Fire Engine was read and granted.

A communication from Dr L F Jones in the matter of leasing a lot and building on Third Street for the use of the Fire Department was read and referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

An ordinance fixing the salaries of all drivers in the Fire Department was read and adopted by the following vote. To-wit:
 Ayes Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, H. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, James & Perrin.
 Does None

Absent Delegates Trevert H. J. Morgan, Williamson and Francisco.
 Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, viz:

Ordinance No, 604.

An ordinance fixing the compensation of all drivers of the Fire Department in the City of San Diego.

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

Section 1. That the salary of all drivers of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California, be and the same is hereby fixed

at the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per month, each payable monthly,

Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed,

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval,

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said City, to wit: the San Diego Sun.

After first giving due notice President Perrin did in open session, sign an ordinance fixing the salary of all drivers in the Fire Department of the City of San Diego.

The opinion of the City Attorney in the matter of the extension of the base of Blodworth and Howard was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee,

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend the sum of one thousand dollars for necessary street repairs was read and adopted by the following votes; to wit:

Ayes Delegates Barnes, Freery, Stokes, Thorp, Wright & Morgan, Lambert
Doddridge, Lundy, Urban, James & Perrin

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frevert, Morgan, Williamson, and Francisco,

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit-

Joint Resolution No 1103

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, 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

Thereupon the Board adjourned until Monday February 20th 1899, at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

M. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. W. Salsman City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego
California February 20th 1899.

An adjourned meeting of the Board was held this day at
7.30 o'clock P.M. President Perrin presiding.

Present Delegates Frevert, Barnes, H. J. Morgan, Stakes, Thorp, Wright,
A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban,
Williamson James Francisco and Perrin, and
Cliff Goldman

Absent Delegate Frary.

Reading the minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.

The report of Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the
communication from R. F. Smith in the matter of his claim for
extra work on contract for Cemetery Road was read and adopted
and is as follows, to wit:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the claim
of R. F. Smith for extra work on his contract be denied.

S. H. Hackett.

A. Beard.

W. A. Doddridge

C. C. Stakes.

Jan. 6th, 1899.

The report of the Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the
protest against Grading "B" street between 21st and 25th streets was read
and adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Street Committee recommends that the within protest be denied.

S. H. Hackett

A. Beard.

W. A. Doddridge.

C. C. Stakes.

2/17/99

The Police Committee having returned the proposition of A. T. Dickey
to place and maintain a police Alarm System in the City of San
Diego recommending that the same be referred to the Board of Police
Commissioners, on motion the recommendation was adopted.

The report of the Joint Water Committee to whom was referred the
Protest of Heber Jule et al against the location of a water tank on

Block 12 Caruthers Addition was read and adopted and is as follows to wit:

The Joint Water Committee report that as the request for permission to erect the Tank mentioned in the within protest has been denied denied by the Board of Public Works, this protest now cuts no figure in the premises.

Simon Levi

L. A. Blochman.

A. H. Mason.

F. H. Barnes.

E. A. Wright.

A. A. Thorpe.

C. C. Stakes.

2-14-99

The report of the Joint Water Committee to whom was referred the ordinance regulating the construction of water tanks in the City, was read and adopted and is as follows to wit:

San Diego, California Feb 15th 1899.

To the Hon Common Council

City of San Diego, Calif.

Gentlemen:

Your Joint Water Committee to whom was referred an Ordinance regulating and restricting the erection of tanks or reservoirs for the storage of water, herewith return said ordinance with the recommendation that the matter be referred to a special committee of three from each Board to investigate and report upon this matter.

Respectfully

Simon Levi.

L. A. Blochman.

F. H. Barnes.

A. A. Thorpe.

E. A. Wright.

C. C. Stakes.

H. H. Doddridge.

A. H. Mason voting No

Thereupon the President appointed as such committee delegates James Landis and Thorpe. Delegate A. Morgan now moves that said ordinance be withdrawn from the Special Committee and that citizens be allowed to be heard, which ^{matter} motion was adopted.

Thereupon W. H. Bowers Mr. Cornell and others expressed their views in the matter of the construction of water tanks. On a roll call being had to withdraw the matter from the Special Committee the motion was lost by the following vote,

Ayes Delegates W. J. Morgan, A. Morgan and Francisco,

Noes Delegates Trevert Barnes, Stakes, Thorpe, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis

Urban, Williamson James and Perrin

Absent Delegate Frary

At this time Delegate Wright ~~is excused~~ from further attendance at this session of the Board.

The report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred the communication from the Auditing Committee in the matter of the claim of Mrs Cullton for sewer in alley in Block 7 Breed & Chase Add was read and adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Finance Committee recommends the within claim be allowed and ordered paid.

2/17/99

A. E. Dodson
F. A. James.
Geo. A. L. Urban.
A. Morgan.

The report of the Joint Finance Committee to whom was referred the communication of the Auditing Committee in the matter of the claim of Thos Allen for a refund of Taxes was read and adopted and is as follows; viz:

The Finance Committee recommend the within claim be allowed subject to the approval of the City Attorney.

2-17-99

A. E. Dodson.
F. A. James.
Geo. A. L. Urban.
A. Morgan.

At this time Delegate James is excused and retires.

The Joint Finance Committee having returned without recommendation the offer of H. K. Wheeler to sell to the City the field notes of M. G. Wheeler on motion of Delegate Williamson the communication was filed.

The report of the Joint Fire Committee to whom was referred the petition of H. L. Minear for permission to construct a one story brick building on Block 69 Hortons Addition was read and adopted and is as follows, to wit:

The Fire Committee recommend the within petition be granted.

2-17-99

A. G. Mason.
F. P. Trary.
H. L. Frevert
A. M. Landis

A Joint Resolution granting H. L. Minear permission to construct a brick building 12x30 on lot A Block 69 Hortons Add

was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Stakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, Francisco & Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates Frary, Wright, and James

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No. —

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

That permission be and it is hereby granted to H. L. Minear, 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 12 x 30 feet in size adjoining the rear and east side of the building now on south east corner of 4th and F Streets.

At this time Delegate James re-enters and takes his seat in the Board.

A Joint Resolution instructing the City Engineer to make an estimate and survey of the Sorrento road was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W. J. Morgan, Stakes, Thorp, A. Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson,
James Francisco and Perrin.

Does None

Absent Delegates, Frary and Wright,

Said Joint Resolution as adopted, is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No. —

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 Sorrento Road as defined and set forth in the Lockyer proposition and return the same to this Common Council, when so made.

A Joint Resolution directing the San Diego Water Co to establish and maintain a fire hydrant at the intersection of India and Putney Streets was read and referred to the Joint Water Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public Works in the matter of extending the 8th ward sewer 100 feet further east

was read and filed.

A Joint Resolution instructing the City Engineer to make plans and specifications for a Fire Engine House on Golden Hill was read and on motion of Delegate James was adopted and is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No. —

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, California be and he is hereby requested and directed to prepare and furnish to this Common Council plans and specifications for a fire engine house on Golden Hill in the said City of San Diego, California, and that in the preparation of such plans and specifications he shall confer with the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of San Diego, California, relative to the same.

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners to appoint a "Captain" for the Florence Heights Chemical Engine was read and on motion of Delegate Frevert was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, H. J. Morgan, Stakes, Thorp, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis Urban, Williamson James Francisco and Perrin,

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary and Wright,

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Ordinance No.

An ordinance providing for the appointment and compensation of a "Captain" for the Chemical Engine on Florence Heights in the City of San Diego, California.

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

Section 1. That the Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a man who shall act as "Captain" for the Florence Heights Chemical Engine, and that the compensation of such man be and the same is hereby fixed at seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per month.

Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diego Sun.

A communication from The Southern California Mountain Water Company in the matter of fixing water rates was read and on motion of Delegate Urban the President of the Board was authorized to appoint a Special Committee of three to meet with a like Committee from the Board of Aldermen for the purpose of considering the same. Thereupon the President appointed as such Committee Delegates Barnes, Thorp and Doddridge.

A communication from The Board of Health requesting the appointment of three extra policemen for the purpose of enforcing the quarantine against the House on E street was read and on motion of Delegate James the request was granted for 21 days.

An ordinance authorizing the Board Police Commissioners to expend all moneys paid in to the Police Department by any persons voluntarily, together with a communication from said Board in reference to the same, were read and referred to The Joint Police Committee.

A communication from The Board of Public Works requesting authority to expend \$50 in stamps was read and granted.

A communication from The City Engineer in the matter of the India Street Road was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The statement of expenditures of the various departments of the City government for the month of January 1899 was read and filed.

The petition of H. G. Baker for lease of certain City Lands was read and referred to the Joint City Lands Committee.

The protest of J. B. Boyd admr against the grading of "B" Street was referred to the City Attorney.

The petition of Miss R. M. McKean for permission to maintain a chicken fence in Block 6 Gardners Addition was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The report of the Joint Public Buildings Committee to whom

was referred the communication of Dr L F Jones proposing to lease to the City the building and lot on Third Street for the use of the Fire Department, was read and on motion of Delegate James was adopted and is as follows, to wit;

The Joint Public Buildings Committee recommends that said property be leased for three years. The improvements to be made by the City to pay for the 1st years rent. The rent for the 2nd and 3^d years to be at the rate of \$25⁰⁰ per month.

At the expiration of the lease, the City shall pay the sum of \$50⁰⁰ or put back the front of the building in the same condition it is now in. The City shall not be liable for any loss by fire or the elements,

A. Blochman,
A. G. Mason,
S. W. Hackett,
C. F. Francisco
H. M. Landis,
W. L. Frevert,

Feb. 20th 1899.

A communication from O Fuller in the matter of land taken for the Old Town Dyke was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee.

A communication from Mr Hall in the matter of leasing unoccupied City lands was read and referred back to Mr Hall to specify the particular lands desired.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the claim against Mrs Julia C Walsh for delinquent taxes was read and filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the City Tax Collector to settle and satisfy for the sum of \$35⁰⁰ all tax liens against the property herein described, was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, W J Morgan, Hakes, Thorpe, H. Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James,
Francisco and Perrin,

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary and Wright.

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit;

Joint Resolution No 1104.

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

That upon receipt of Thirty-five dollars (35.00), The Tax collector of the City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy all Tax liens of record for the delinquent taxes of the City of San Diego, on Lots numbered forty-one (41) to forty-four (44) inclusive, in Block numbered forty-six (46); lots numbered six (6) to nine (9) inclusive, in Block seventy-six (76); lots numbered thirty-one (31) and thirty-two (32) and forty-five to forty-eight (48) inclusive in Block ninety-eight (98); and lots five (5) to nine (9) inclusive, in block ninety-nine (99); all in University Heights; and lot numbered two hundred and seventy-three (273) as shown on The official map of the Pueblo lands of San Diego, made by James Pascoe.

And that thereafter the City Attorney of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed to file a disclaimer in the case of Julie C. Walsh vs Jane Mason McCully, The City of San Diego, et al, numbered 10,779, now pending in the Superior Court of the County of San Diego, as far as the City is concerned,

A communication from J. P. Jones in the matter of the alleged negligence of the Poundkeeper was read and referred to the Health and Morals Committee with instructions to cite the Poundkeeper to appear for investigation.

On motion of Delegate Hakes The Board adjourned until Monday February 27th 1899 at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

M. J. Perrin

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. D. Galdeman

City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego
California. February 27th 1899.

An adjourned meeting of the Board was held this 27th day
of February 1899 at 7.30 P.M. President Perrin in the chair.

Present Delegates Frewest, Barnes, Frary, Stakes, Thorp, Wright, & Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson
James, Francisco and Perrin.

Absent Delegate H. J. Morgan.

Reading of the minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.

An ordinance authorizing the Board of Police Commissioners
to appoint three special Policemen was read and adopted by the
following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates, Frewest, Barnes, Frary, Stakes, Thorp, Wright, & Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis Urban, Williamson
James, Francisco and Perrin.

Noes None

Absent Delegate H. J. Morgan

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Ordinance No. —

An ordinance providing for the appointment of three
extra Policemen for the Police Department of the City of San Diego,
California, for a period of twenty-one days from and after the
1st day of March, 1899, and fixing their compensation.

Whereas, It has become necessary on account of the breaking
out of small-pox within the City of San Diego, California, to place
certain places and persons under quarantine, and

Whereas, This fact entails the necessity of the assistance of ad-
ditional policemen, and

Whereas, It will be necessary to continue said quarantine
for a period of twenty-one days at least, now therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Board of Police Commissioners of the City
of San Diego, California, empowered, and directed to appoint three
special policemen who shall be under the supervision and
control of the Chief of Police of the said City of San Diego, for
a period of twenty-one days from and after the 1st day of

March. 1899.

Section 2. That the salary of said three special policemen shall be and the same is hereby fixed at the rate of Two & ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ dollars per day each, during the time of their said appointment, after which time said three special policemen shall receive no compensation from the city.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

After first giving due notice. President Perrin did, in open session sign the above ordinance authorizing the appointment of three Special Policemen

Delegate Barnes now moves that a committee be appointed to notify the Board of Aldermen that the Board of Delegates is now ready to meet with them in joint committee of the whole for the purpose of considering the water rate ordinance, which motion was adopted and delegates Barnes & James were appointed as such committee who thereupon retired.

Upon the return of the committee delegates Barnes and James who announced that the Board of Aldermen was now ready to meet with this Board in joint session. Thereupon on motion the Board goes into committee of the whole.

Upon re-assembling there were present
Present Delegates Trivet, Barnes, Frary, Stokes, Thorp, Wright, A Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James
Francisco and Perrin
Does Stone Absent Delegate W. J. Morgan.

The chairman of the joint committee of the whole presents as a report of the committee of the whole, a recommendation that subsection 15 of section 1 of the water rate ordinance be amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

Rent for each city fire hydrant and for water used through such hydrant \$50.00 per year, to be paid monthly by said city. The same rate shall apply to new hydrants to be located upon order of the common Council, providing that the person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall maintain a pressure of at least 36.36 pounds, in the office of the Board of Public Works of said city, located on the first floor on "D" street, of that certain building known as "The City Hall," located on the southwest corner of "D" street and Third Street in said city (said pressure to be ascertained by a gauge placed upon a pipe separate and independent

from any other pipe, faucet, or opening, and at an elevation of 4 feet above the floor), and also 40 pounds pressure at the hydrants located at the corner of Fifth and "D" streets and Fifth and Ivy Streets, and a proportionate pressure at all other hydrants, to entitle the person, company, or corporation to the hydrant rate provided in this Ordinance. The person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall flush the water pipes once every three months and as much oftener as may be deemed necessary by the Chief of the Fire Department, and that said hydrant rate ordinance be adopted as amended, which recommendation was adopted on motion of Delegate Thorp.

An ordinance fixing water rates in the City of San Diego, for the year beginning July 1st 1899, was read. Delegate James now moves that the irrigation rate be changed from 1 cent per front foot to one half cent which motion was lost by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Landis, Urban, James and Perrin
Noes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Williamson and Francisco,
Absent Delegate H. J. Morgan.

Thereupon said ordinance was adopted by the following vote to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A. Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson and Francisco
Noes Delegates James and Perrin,
Absent Delegate H. J. Morgan.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

ORDINANCE NO 606.

An Ordinance Establishing the Water Rates in the City of San Diego, State of California, for the Year Beginning July 1st, 1899, and Ending June 30th, 1900.

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

Section 1. That the rates or compensation to be collected for water, by any person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying water to the said City of San Diego and its inhabitants, for family, private, public, municipal, and all other purposes, for the year commencing July 1st, 1899, and ending June 30th, 1900, are hereby fixed as follows, to-wit:

BATHS AND CLOSETS.

1. Bath tubs in private residences, 25 cents each per month.
 2. Bath tubs, public, \$1.25 each per month.
 3. Water closets in business houses, \$1.00 per month for each water closet and 25 cents per month for each urinal in said business houses.
 4. Water closets in private residences, 25 cents per month for each water closet.
 5. Water closets, public, \$2.00 each per month, and for each urinal, 50 cents per month.
- BUSINESS HOUSES, OFFICES, ETC.
6. Barber shops, single chair, 75 cents per month; each additional chair, 25 cents per month.
 7. Business offices, 75 cents per month.
 8. Rooms in second and third stories occupied as offices, for each room per month, 20 cents.
 9. Dental rooms, \$2.00 per month.
 10. Drug stores, \$3.00 per month.
 11. Photograph galleries, \$5.00 per month.
 12. Stores and business houses employing not to exceed 3 persons, \$1.00 per month, and for each additional person, 15 cents per month.
 13. Warehouses, \$3.00 per month.
 14. Water used for flushing sewers, 20 cents per 1,000 gallons.

IRRIGATION.

24. Water to be used for irrigating one acre and under 2 acres, 6 cents per 1,000 gallons; for 2 acres or more, 4 cents per 1,000 gallons, to be measured by meter, to be placed at the expense of the party furnishing water.

25. Irrigation of lawns, trees, shrubbery, etc., 1 cent per month for each and every month in the year, for every front foot, including the irrigation of sidewalks in front of the lot, provided that said rate of one cent per month for every front foot shall not apply to acre property, or to any property except to town lots.

LIVERIES, ETC.

26. Feed yards, \$5.00 per month.
27. Horse and carriage, 35 cents per month, and 20 cents per month for each additional horse.
28. Livery stables, including carriage washing, for each horse, 35 cents per month.
29. Horses, mules, and cows, each 20 cents per month.

METER RATES.

30. The rate for water furnished to consumers through meters, except as otherwise herein provided, is fixed as follows: 20 cents per 1,000 gallons.
31. Where water is furnished for steam engines, gas machines or works, wash houses (Chinese or otherwise) and street sprinkling, or for any other purpose, whatever, and no compensation is herein fixed therefor, and satisfactory rates cannot be agreed upon, meter rates shall be charged for the water so furnished, to be measured by a meter.
32. The person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall be entitled to collect a minimum meter rate of \$1.75 per month where water is furnished at meter rates.
33. Water shall be furnished and delivered by meter measurement to shipping lying alongside any of the wharves on the water front, where water pipes or mains are laid, upon application being

15. Rent for each city fire hydrant and for water used through such hydrant, \$50.00 per year, to be paid monthly, by said city. The same rate shall apply to new hydrants to be located upon order of the Common Council, providing that the person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall maintain a pressure of at least 36.36 pounds in the office of the Board of Public Works of said city, located on the first floor on "D" street, of that certain building known as "The City Hall," located on the southwest corner of "D" street and Third street in said city (said pressure to be ascertained by a gauge placed upon a pipe separate and independent from any other pipe, faucet or opening, and at an elevation of 4 feet above the floor), and also 40 pounds pressure at the hydrants located at the corner of Fifth and "E" streets and Fifth and Ivy streets, and a proportionate pressure at all other hydrants, to entitle the person, company, or corporation to the hydrant rate provided in this ordinance. The person, company, or corporation furnishing water shall flush the water pipes once every three months, and as much oftener as may be deemed necessary by the Chief of the Fire Department.

16. Water used for street sprinkling purposes, 10 cents per 1,000 gallons.

FAMILIES.

17. Dwellings, tenements, houses, and other accommodations, the same being occupied by not more than three persons, \$1.00 monthly, and for each additional person, 15 cents per month.
18. Boarding houses, in addition to family rates, 15 cents per month for each person.
19. Coffee houses, open day and night, 50 cents per month.
20. Hotels, in addition to family rates, 15 cents per month for each bed.
21. The keepers of hotels, lodging houses and boarding houses shall furnish to the person, company or corporation furnishing water (under oath if required) a correct list of the number of persons in his or their families, and the number of boarders.
22. Lodging houses, in addition to family rates, 10 cents per month for each bed.
23. Restaurants and eating houses, \$3.50 per month.
24. Saloons, \$3.50 per month.

made therefor, at the following rates: 75 cents per 100 cubic feet or \$1.00 per 1,000 gallons. Water shall be supplied and delivered to water supply boats at any of the wharves on the water front, above mentioned, for the purpose of supplying shipping, in the bay of San Diego, upon application being made therefor, at the rate of 37½ cents per 100 cubic feet, or 50 cents per 1,000 gallons. No water boat, furnishing and supplying water to shipping lying at anchor within the limits of the waters of the City of San Diego, shall charge a rate to exceed \$3.00 per 1,000 gallons.

MISCELLANEOUS.

32. Bakeries, for each 25 barrels of flour, \$2.00 per month.
34. Water for hydraulic elevators and motors, in hotels and stores, 6½ cents per 1,000 gallons, to be measured by meter to be placed and connected at the expense of the party furnishing the water.
35. The person, company, or corporation furnishing the water shall make no charge for any pipe or fire apparatus connected with their mains to be used only in case of fire. If any person shall at any time use such fire apparatus for other than fire purposes, the person, company or corporation furnishing water shall have the right to charge and collect from such person the sum of \$50.00 for said fire apparatus connection for said year.
36. Horse shoeing only, \$1.50 per month.
37. Soda fountains, 50 cents per month each; each jet 50 cents per month; each tumbler washer 50 cents per month.
38. Persons slacking lime, 15 cents per barrel; and cement, 15 cents per barrel; for wetting brick, 15 cents per 1,000.
39. Wagon and blacksmith shops, including horse shoeing, \$2.50 per month.
40. Water troughs on sidewalks to be measured by meter to be put in at the expense of the party furnishing the water.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Sec. 2. Any water rate payer shall have the right to demand a meter and to pay a meter rate, upon tendering the person, company or corporation furnishing water the sum of \$7.00 for placing and connecting the meter with the supply pipe of such water rate payer; upon such demand and payment or the tender of such sum by any water rate payer, it shall be the duty of the said party furnishing the water to furnish, place and maintain a meter, but no meter shall be placed or maintained, nor shall meter rates be charged any rate payer unless such demand has been made for a meter, and the said sum of \$7.00 has been paid therefor as provided in this section, except as in this ordinance otherwise provided; provided that any rate payer who has heretofore paid the sum of \$7.00 for placing and maintaining a meter shall not be obliged to pay an additional sum of \$7.00. Upon demand of any consumer and the payment of the sum of \$7.00, the person, company or corporation furnishing the water shall place and maintain on the said consumer's supply pipe an air valve in connection with the meter at the latest and most improved pattern.

Any consumer having previously had a meter put in at his own request may discontinue or abandon the use thereof during the months of July, August, September, October, and November, 1899, and May and June, 1900, in which case the balance of the year in which this ordinance shall be in force, by paying to the owner thereof the sum of \$3.00.

Sec. 3. In the event that any rate payer shall waste water by using it in such quantities that it shall run from the premises occupied by him, either into the street or on the adjoining property, or allow any faucet, valve, or any water closet, bath tub, or in any other part or portion of the building or premises occupied by him, to remain open, except for necessary use, any person, company or corporation supplying water under this ordinance to the City of San Diego and its inhabitants, is hereby authorized to place and maintain (during the balance of the year in which this ordinance shall be in force) a meter, at its own expense, and thereafter, during said balance of said year, to charge such consumer only meter rates.

The use of water through standing irrigators, automatic sprinklers, and through hose not held in the hand, for irrigating lawns, gardens and ornamental shrubbery, is hereby prohibited, during the months of July, August, September, October, and November, 1899, and May and June, 1900, except between the hours of six and eight in the morning and five and eight in the evening; and in case of a violation of this rule the water may be shut off of the consumer, or consumers, so violating; and not turned on again until a fine of \$1.00 is paid for the first offense, and double this amount for each subsequent offense; the said fine to be collected by the person, company or corporation furnishing the water; provided that an accidental waste of water shall not be construed to be sufficient cause for the placing of a meter upon the premises upon which said accidental waste occurs.

Sec. 4. All water rates, except meter rates, are due and payable monthly in advance, upon presentation of bill, and if not so paid shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Meter rates are due and payable monthly on presentation of bill; and if not so paid shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Sec. 5. The person, company or corporation engaged in the business of supplying or furnishing water, by his or its authorized agents, under this ordinance, shall be allowed free access to make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for or consumer of water for the purpose of designating the rate established and for the inspection of water pipes and apparatus.

Sec. 6. If the person, company or corporation furnishing water for the use of said city or its inhabitants shall, for three or more consecutive days in the same month, fail to supply water to said consumers or said city, then a deduction shall be made from the rates herein fixed and allowed said person, company or corporation, for the time of the failure to supply said water; said deduction to be made only for the time of the failure so to supply, and in the same proportion that the number of days in which the failure to supply bears to the total number of days contained in the month during which said failure to supply water occurs.

Sec. 7. That this ordinance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Sec. 8. That the City Clerk of said city be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

At this time Delegate Barnes was excused from further attendance at this session of the Board,

An ordinance authorizing the leasing of a lot and building for the use of the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A Morgan Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson James and Francisco

Noes Delegate Perrin

Absent Delegates Barnes and Frary.

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows, to-wit:

Ordinance No. —

An ordinance providing for and authorizing the leasing by the City of San Diego, California, of certain premises and building to be used by the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California, for engine and hook and ladder,

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that the City of San Diego, California, acquire the lease for a term of three years, of the following described property, to-wit:

Lot lettered "I" in Block numbered Forty-one (41) in Hortons Addition to the City of San Diego, for the use of the Fire Department of said City, for a Fire Engine House for the Fire Engine and hook and ladder; and

Whereas, The City is now the owner of the house now used as an Engine House, located on the South twenty-five (25) feet of

said above described premises; and

Whereas, The City is now paying as ground rental for said twenty-five (25) feet the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per month; and

Whereas, The North twenty-five (25) feet of the said premises above described, together with the three story building located thereon, can be secured at a monthly rental of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00); and

Whereas, The same is necessary for the use of a Hook and Ladder House; and,

Whereas, A lease of the whole of the above described premises can be secured at a monthly rental of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per month;

And Whereas, Kittie A Jones, the owner of said premises, has agreed that one-half the rent for the first year on said premises shall be applied toward the improvement of the said three-story building and the North half of the said premises in order to put the same in a condition to be used as a Hook and Ladder House, Now Therefore.

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

Section 1. That the said City of San Diego, California, enter into a lease for the term of three years, with the said Kittie A Jones, for the said premises, to wit, Lot Lettered "I" in Block numbered forty-one (41) of Horton's Addition to the City of San Diego, with improvements thereon, at a monthly rental of fifty dollars per month, payable monthly, and that there be included in said lease the stipulation that an amount equal to one-half the first year's rent of said premises shall be expended by the said Kittie A Jones, toward fitting up said North half of said premises, for Hook and Ladder House, as hereinabove set forth.

Section 2. That the Mayor of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease for and on behalf and in the name of said City of San Diego, upon the above conditions; and that the execution of said lease be attested by the City Clerk of said City by affixing his signature and the official seal of said City thereto.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend the sum of fifty dollars for postage stamps for the use of the various city officers was read and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegates Frevert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, A Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson James Francisco and Perrin.

Noes, None, Absent-Delegates Barnes and W J Morgan,

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows, to wit:

Joint Resolution No. —

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,

An ordinance Regulating the construction of water tanks in the City of San Diego, was read and referred to the Special Committee heretofore appointed

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to construct a bridge between La Jolla and Pacific Beach was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee,

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to increase the height of the protecting guards around the Palms in the Plaza was read and action on the same was postponed 90 days,

The petition of H. B. Stange for a lease of certain City lands was read and referred to the Joint City lands Committee.

The petition of J. R. Harris for authority to sell jewelry, watches and plated ware at public auction was read and referred to the City Attorney,

The petition of E. Schulte for Retail Liquor License was read and referred to the Joint Health and Morals Committee

The petition of E. O. Winters for permission to construct concrete sidewalk and curb on Cedar Street in front of Lots 5 & 6 Block E Middletown was read and granted,

After first giving due notice President Perrin did, in open session sign the following ordinances viz. An ordinance providing for the appointment of Captain of the Chemical Engine, and an ordinance establishing the water rates in the City of San Diego, State of California, for the year beginning July 1st, 1899 and ending June 30th, 1899,

The resignation of Walter J. Morgan as a member of the

Board of Delegates was presented and read and on motion of
Delegate Landis the same was accepted.

Thereupon the Board adjourned. *M. J. Purvis*

President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. D. Galerman

City Clerk

Regular Meeting

Council Chamber of the Board of Delegates
of the City of San Diego California March 6th
1899.

A Regular meeting of the Board was held this day at 7.30 PM President Perrin in the chair.
Present Delegates Frewert, Barnes, Tracy, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, ~~Lambert~~ Urban,
~~Landis~~ Williamson, Francisco & Perrin
Absent Delegates. A Morgan, Doddridge, Landis & James

On Motion of Delegate Frewert Reading of the minutes of Previous Meeting
was dispensed with

On Motion of Delegate Frewert the Order of Business was suspended.

The City Clerk reports that in response to the advertisements therefor. L. J. Jones
J. W. Defton, Paul A. J. Flasing & R. H. Clark had made proposals to lease to
the City Buildings for Fire Department purposes, whereupon said Proposals
were referred to the Joint Fire Committee

A Joint-Resolution transferring Funds from and to various funds read and
adopted by the following vote to-wit-

Ayes. Delegates, Frewert, Barnes, Tracy, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Urban
Williamson Francisco & Perrin

Nays None-

Absent Delegates. A Morgan, Doddridge, Landis & James

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution 1109

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows.

that the following Amounts be transferred from and to the following
named funds of the City, viz

From Park Improvement fund to Street Fund	127 05
From Park Improvement fund to Library fund	177 95
From Police Department fund to School bond fund	58 21
From Police Department fund to legal fund	438 42
From Sewer & Drainage fund to Fire Hydrant fund	16 08
From Sewer & Drainage fund to Street fund	37 75

that the City Auditor & 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 transfers

The report of the Health & Morals Committee to whom was referred the Comm-
unication of J. P. Jones in regard to the Pound Keeper was received read
and adopted viz

(over)

thereupon a joint Resolution directing the City Engineer to furnish an Estimate of the Cost of Grading the Sprinkles hight road to Old Town was read and adopted, -

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows to-wit-

Joint Resolution No 1111

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 requested and directed to furnish an Estimate of the Cost of Grading the Standpipe road over Sprinkles hights, beginning at a point in Old Town near the Standpipe and extending over and through Sprinkles hights to Old Town according to the survey heretofore made by the said City Engineer of said City.

A Resolution of intention to Grade A Street from the East line of Seventh Street to the West line of Fourteenth Street was read and adopted by the following vote to-wit-

Ayes Delegates. Hewitt Barnes. J. W. Hakes Thorp. Wright. Lambert. Urban Williamson
Francisco Ed Perrin

Nays None

Absent Delegates A Morgan. Doddridge. Landis Ed James.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Resolution of Intention No 606.

To Grade A Street in the City of San Diego California from the East line of Seventh Street to the West line of Fourteenth Street

Be It Resolved that it is the intention of the common Council of the City of San Diego, California to order the following Street work to be done in said City to-wit-

That that portion of A Street in said City of San Diego California from the East line of Seventh Street to the West line of Fourteenth Street and the sidewalks thereof, and including all intersections of streets between said points be graded to the official grade thereof, in accordance with the specifications therefor, as contained in Ordinance No 339 of the Ordinances of the City of San Diego approved February 11th 1896.

The Report of the joint street committee to whom was referred the joint resolution directing the Board of Public Works to Construct an A Culvert on the road between San Diego and La Jolla was read and adopted viz the joint street Committee recommends that the ~~within~~ joint resolution directing the Board of Public Works to build an A. Culvert on the road between San Diego and La Jolla be adopted -

J. W. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

A. Morgan

thereupon a joint Resolution Authorizing the Board of Public Works to Construct said Culvert was read and adopted by the following vote to-wit-
(over)

Ayes Delegates: Everett Barnes, Frary, Hales, Thorp Wright, Lambert Urban, Williams, Francisco,
Ed Perin

Nays: None

Absent Delegates: A. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis Ed James

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 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, Impowered and directed to Advantise 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 lot 2, 3, 6 Ed 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 Ed Twenty-five Dollars (\$125.00)

The Report of the joint-street Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Miss R M McKean for permission to maintain a chicken yard in Alley in Block No 6 Gardners addition was received read and adopted and is as follows to-wit

The joint-street Committee recommends that the within Petition of Miss R. M. McKean for Authority to use Alley in Block No 6 Gardners Addition for a chicken yard be denied

S. W. Hackett
A. E. Dodson
A. Morgan

Whereupon said Petition was denied.

The Health Ed Morals Committee having recommended the Petition of E. Schulte for Liquor license was granted.

At this time Delegate A Morgan Entered and took his seat.

The report of the joint-city lands Committee to whom was referred the Petition of N. B. Barker for lease of Pueblo lots No 1321, 1322 Ed 1329. Together with the Petition of N. B. Hage for the lease of lands in Pueblo lots No 1321 Ed 1322. were presented read and referred back to the Committee

The communication of Nichols Edson and others read and referred to the joint-Water Committee

The Report of the Paired Keeper for the month of February 1899 was and filed

A Communication from the Board of Public Works transmitting a bill from A. H. Frost of \$385.00 expended by him in constructing a 6 inch sewer from the 24th street main 340 feet East in Alley between 6th & D. Streets was received. and referred to the Joint Sewer Committee

A Communication from the Board of Public Works asking permission to expend \$300. cultivating trees in the Parks was received and read, on motion said Board was authorized to use \$150.00 for that Purpose

At this time Delegate A. Morgan was excused from further attendance during this Session

A Communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting claims accrued for Expenses in fitting up and repairing the Pest House and for quarantine was received read and on motion referred to the Finance Committee

A Communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting Claim No 5761 for Indicator Gong and one Alarm bot was received read and on motion referred to the Finance Committee

A Communication from the Auditing Committee transmitting Claim No 5675 for Cash required for Postage in mailing sample ballots & notices to Election Officers Municipal Election 1899. \$6.50 was received and read and ordered paid

Whereupon a joint resolution approving said Claim was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to-wit-

Ayes Delegates. Sweet, Barnes, Frary, Hales, Thorp, Wright, Lambert - Urban Williamson
Francisco & Perin.

Nays. None.

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge, Landis & James.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1113,

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

That Claim No 5675 filed by George N. Goldman City Clerk. for \$6.50 cash required for Postage used in mailing sample ballots and notices to Election Officers for General Municipal Election April 1899. be and the same is hereby approved and ordered paid. and the City Auditing Committee is hereby Authorized and directed to audit and allow said Claim.

An Application of M Hall to rent City lots for Pasturage was received read. and on motion referred to City Lands Committee

Communication of City Engineer Estimating Cost of Grading India Street Road in Old Town read & referred to Joint Street Committee

Report of the Peace Judge of the City of San Diego from February 1st 1899 to March 1st 1899 received and Filed

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen Authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend \$50.00 in cultivating the City Parks was on motion concurred in by the following vote to-wit-

Ayes Delegates. Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Urban, Williamson, Francisco and Perrin

None None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge, Sandis and James.

On Motion of Delegate Hakes Election Ordinance providing for the holding of a General Municipal Election April 1899. was amended by including a call for a short term man for Board of Education 3rd Ward to fill a vacancy caused by the removal of H. G. Patten from the city. Adopted

The Ordinance as amended was then adopted by the following vote to-wit-

Ayes Delegates. Frewert, Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Urban, Williamson, Francisco and Perrin

None None

Absent Delegates A Morgan, Doddridge, Sandis and James.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows

On Motion of Delegate Frary it is ordered that the Board now proceed to the Election of a member of the Board from the Second Ward to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. J. Morgan. and nominate W. W. Whitson to fill such vacancy.

Whereupon on Motion of Delegate Williamson the Clerk was instructed to cast the vote of the Board of Delegates for W. W. Whitson to fill such vacancy.

The Clerk having cast the vote as instructed, President Perrin declared W. W. Whitson duly elected as a member of the Board of Delegates from the Second Ward.

President Perrin. Appointed Delegate Elect Whitson to fill vacancy on various Committees formerly held by Mr. J. Morgan

A Joint Resolution directing the Board of Public Works to place Telephones in the Ninth Ward and Florence Heights Engine houses read and adopted by the following vote to-wit-

Ayes Delegates. Frewert, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Urban, Williamson, Francisco and Perrin

None None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Morgan, Doddridge, Sandis and James

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 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 and in the Florence Heights Engine house "Telephones"

A Resolution of the Board of Delegates giving Consent to the Board of Aldermen to Adjourn until March 20th 1899. was read and adopted and is as follows.

Be it resolved by the Board of Delegates of the City of San Diego California as follows. To-wit
That the Consent of this Board be and the same is hereby given to the Board of Aldermen of said city to Adjourn until the 20th day of March 1899 at the hour of 7.30 Pm.

After first giving notice in Open Session President Perrin did sign the Ordinance No 608.
Leaving the Jones building

The Ordinance providing for the holding of a General Municipal Election having been amended by the Board of Aldermen by substituting for Section 5 of said Ordinance the following to-wit
That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego, be and he is hereby directed to prepare and have printed for the use of such Election the requisite number of Ballots as required by law, and that the furnishing of the necessary supplies be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that the successful bidder be required to give a bond to the full amount of the Contract for the faithful performance of the work.

Which Amendment was Concurred in by the following vote to-wit

Ayes Delegates. Frewant, Frary, Hakes Thorp. Wright. Lambert Urban. Williamson Francisco.
And Perrin

Nays None

Absent Delegates. Barnes. Morgan Doddridge. Landis Ed James.

Whereupon said Ordinance as amended was adopted by the following vote to-wit

Ayes Delegates Frewant. Frary. Hakes. Thorp. Wright. Lambert Urban. Williamson, Francisco.
And Perrin

Nays None

Absent Delegates. Barnes. Morgan, Doddridge, Landis Ed James.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows.

ORDINANCE NO. 609.

An Ordinance Providing for the Holding and Giving Notice of a General Municipal Election to be Held in the City of San Diego, California, on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1899, Dividing the City into Election Precincts, Appointing Polling Places, Inspectors, Judges, Clerks, and Ballot Clerks of Election, and fixing Their Compensation, and Ordering the City Clerk to Prepare and Have Printed the Requisite Number of Ballots and Other Election Supplies, as Required by Law.

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

Section 1. That the qualified electors of the City of San Diego, California, be and they are hereby notified that a general municipal election will be held in the said City of San Diego on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1899, for the purpose of electing the following municipal officers, to-wit:

- A Mayor.
- A City Treasurer.
- Four members of the Board of Aldermen for a full term of four years.
- One member of the Board of Aldermen to fill the unexpired term of Charles W. Pauly.
- One member of the Board of Aldermen to fill the unexpired term of A. E. Nutt.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the first ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the second ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the third ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the fourth ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the fifth ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the sixth ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the seventh ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the Eighth ward.
- Two members of the Board of Delegates from the Ninth ward.

Five Trustees of the San Diego Public Library.

- One member of the Board of Education from the First ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the First ward, to fill the unexpired term of A. A. Sparks.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Second ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Third ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Third ward, to fill the unexpired term of G. G. Potter.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Fourth ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Fifth ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Sixth ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Seventh ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Seventh ward, short term of two years.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Eighth ward, full term.
- One member of the Board of Education from the Ninth ward, full term.

Section 2. That said election to be so held on the said 4th day of April, 1899, shall be held in accordance with and under the provisions of the general election laws of the State of California; that the polls at said election shall be opened at sunrise on the morning of the day on which said election is to be held, and shall be kept open until five o'clock on the afternoon of the same day, when the said polls shall be closed.

Section 3. That for the purpose of the said general municipal election the several wards of said city shall be and they are hereby fixed, as provided and set forth in Ordinance No. 479, of the ordinances of the City of San Diego, entitled, "An Ordinance to Redistrict the City of San Diego, California, into Nine Wards, and to Divide each of such wards into precincts" approved on the 6th day of December, 1897, to which reference is hereby made.

for further particulars; and that the said several wards of the said city be and they are hereby divided into twenty election precincts, with the following boundaries and voting places, and that the following election officers be and they are hereby appointed for said general municipal election, as follows, to-wit:

FIRST PRECINCT, FIRST WARD.

The first precinct of the first ward shall consist of all that portion of the first ward of said city, as described in section 2 of said Ordinance No. 479, within the following boundaries, viz:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and ninety-seven (1197); thence east to the eastern boundary line of the City of San Diego; thence southeasterly along said boundary line to its intersection with the north line of Pueblo lot numbered thirteen hundred and fifty (1350); thence westerly along the southern boundary line of the first ward to its intersection with the boundary line between Pueblo lots numbered eleven hundred and thirty-two (1132) and number eleven hundred and thirty-three (1133); thence north to the south line of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and five (1105); thence westerly to the southwest corner of said lot eleven hundred and five (1105); thence northerly to the northeast corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and four (1104); thence westerly to the boundary line between Pueblo lots number eleven hundred and seventy-five (1175) and eleven hundred and seventy-six (1176); thence north to the northwest corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and ninety-seven (1197) and place of beginning.

Voting place at Schroepfle's store; inspectors, A. B. Seybolt and J. L. Schmitt; judges, Gus. Schroepfle and Charles Cox; clerks, J. L. Roberts and J. W. Duquette; ballot clerks, E. K. Matta and Jas. Maloney.

SECOND PRECINCT, FIRST WARD.

The second precinct of the first ward shall consist of all that portion of the said first ward of the said city within the following boundaries, viz: Commencing at a point where the south line of Pueblo lot number twelve hundred and eight (1208) intersects the shore of False Bay; thence east to the northeast corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and thirty-six (1136); thence southeasterly along the north line of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and four (1104); thence easterly to the northeast corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and four (1104); thence southerly to the southwest corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and five (1105); thence easterly to the northeast corner of Pueblo lot number eleven hundred and nineteen (1119); thence south to the center line of Upas street in Horton's addition; thence following the south line of the first ward westerly and southwesterly to the bay of San Diego; thence following the bay shore to the line between Pueblo lots numbered two hundred and thirty (230) and two hundred and thirty-one (231); thence northwesterly on said line to False Bay; thence following the easterly bay shore of said False Bay to the place of beginning.

Voting place at Pat. O'Neill's house; inspectors F. J. Stewart and Louis Serrano; judges, M. Lopez and Benjamin Lyons; clerks, Michael O'Neill and James W. Connors; ballot clerks, V. P. D. Lucia and Leandro Serrano.

THIRD PRECINCT, FIRST WARD.

The third precinct of the first ward shall consist of all that portion of the said first ward of said city lying southwest of the southwest line of Forty Acre Range of Pueblo lots numbers from two hundred and fourteen (214) to two hundred and thirty-one (231).

Voting place at Town hall, Point Loma; inspectors, Geo. Eden and Geo. H. Crisp; judges, H. D. Smith and Geo. Russell, Sr.; clerks, Wm. C. Archer and M. N. Hullett; ballot clerks, A. B. Crook and D. W. Frew.

FOURTH PRECINCT, FIRST WARD.

The fourth precinct of the first ward shall consist of all that portion of the said first ward of said city, within the following described boundaries, viz: Commencing at the intersection of the north line of Pueblo lot number twelve hundred (1200) with the eastern boundary line of said city; thence west to False Bay; thence along the north and west shore of said bay to the Pacific ocean; thence along the shore of the Pacific ocean to its intersection with the eastern boundary line of said city; thence southeasterly along the eastern boundary line of said city to its intersection with the northern boundary of Pueblo lot number twelve hundred (1200) and place of beginning.

Voting place at Barnes & Son's packing house, Pacific Beach; inspectors, E. Y. Barnes and John Work; judges, W. D. Hall and J. L. Holliday; clerks, H. J. Gleason and Wm. Ash; ballot clerks, W. F. Ludington and John Martin.

FIRST PRECINCT, SECOND WARD.

The first precinct of the second ward of said city, as described in section 3 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said second ward lying east of the center line of First street.

Voting place at Alta stables; inspectors, W. P. Stone and R. Merideath Jones; judges, J. A. Pomeroy and Arthur Mulvey; clerks, E. C. Hinkle and Rufus Choate; ballot clerks, W. E. Stevens and R. H. Dalton.

SECOND PRECINCT, SECOND WARD.

The second precinct of the second ward shall consist of all that portion of the said second ward lying west of the center line of First street.

Voting place at barn on Union St. between Beech and Cedar streets; inspectors, Geo. B. Chapman and T. G. Jones; judges, Frank W. Stewart and E. E. Dougherty; clerks, E. T. Taylor and Collins Gillmore; ballot clerks, R. G. McGuin and Theo. F. Fitzgerald.

FIRST PRECINCT, THIRD WARD.

The first precinct of the third ward of said city, as described in section 4 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said third ward lying east of the center line of First street.

Voting place at 1047, Fourth street; inspectors, J. W. Burns and S. R. Lyons; judges, E. P. Nichols and A. T. Randall; clerks, Henry Bratt and C. A. Christensen; ballot clerks, Wm. Wilson and E. F. Goddard.

SECOND PRECINCT, THIRD WARD.

The second precinct of the third ward shall consist of all that portion of the said third ward lying west of the center line of First street.

Voting place at southeast corner of State and B streets; inspectors, Carl Lundquist and A. J. Reinhardt; judges, Robt. Waters and R. P. Guinan; clerks, A. L. Whitson and W. C. Nagle; ballot clerks, W. A. Galbraith and J. F. Neely.

FIRST PRECINCT, FOURTH WARD.

The first precinct of the fourth ward of said city, as described in section 5 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said fourth ward lying east of the center line of Tenth street, were such Tenth street extended north to the northern boundary line of the fourth ward.

Voting place at southwest corner of Fourteenth and C streets; inspectors, S. W. Kroff and Fred Roberts; judges, F. H. Brooks and A. M. McConoughey; clerks, A. B. Cunningham and C. Q. Stanton; ballot clerks, H. Wright and C. L. Warfield.

SECOND PRECINCT, FOURTH WARD.

The second precinct of the fourth ward shall consist of all that portion of the said fourth ward lying west of the center line of Tenth street, where such street line of Tenth street, where such

Tenth street extends north to the northern boundary line of the fourth ward.

Voting place at 1241 Fifth street; inspectors, A. Gould and J. D. Cornell; judges, J. H. Smith and H. Shepherd; clerks, H. B. Simpson and E. L. Myers; ballot clerks, T. R. Gay and Fred Panning.

FIRST PRECINCT, FIFTH WARD.

The first precinct of the fifth ward of said city, as described in section 6 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said fifth ward lying east of the center line of First street, were such center line extended as far south as the southern boundary line of the city.

Voting place at 1033 F. street; inspectors, Geo. A. Benson and E. A. Stevens; judges, Thos. Prior and W. A. Dorris; clerks, C. A. Stockton and Wm. E. Hayden; ballot clerks, E. W. Elliott and J. W. Thomas.

SECOND PRECINCT, FIFTH WARD.

The second precinct of the fifth ward shall consist of all that portion of the said fifth ward lying west of the center line of First street, were such center line extended as far south as the southern boundary line of the city.

Voting place at northeast corner of F and Columbia streets; inspectors, Thos. Alexander and L. B. Bearings; judges, Thos. Jobbitt and D. L. Marrs; clerks, B. A. Stephens and James Mills; ballot clerks, Robt. Bruce and Peter Trudeau.

FIRST PRECINCT, SIXTH WARD.

The first precinct of the sixth ward of said city, as described in section 7 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said sixth ward lying north of the center line of H street.

Voting place at the Roxbury, 731 Seventh street; inspectors, E. Buck and Geo. H. Zeigler; judges, J. O. Robart and J. B. Wooten; clerks, F. L. Hubon and C. A. Burgoyne; ballot clerks, T. J. Johnson and Geo. M. Beedy.

SECOND PRECINCT, SIXTH WARD.

The second precinct of the sixth ward shall consist of all that portion of the said sixth ward lying south of the center line of H street.

Voting place at 406 Seventh street; inspectors, Elmer Pidgeon and J. D. Woodruff; judges, W. A. Begal and P. Walsh; clerks, Carl Fuhrken and Frank Dennison; ballot clerks, Andred Quinein and J. L. Weaver.

FIRST PRECINCT, SEVENTH WARD.

The first precinct of the seventh ward of said city, as described in section 8 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said seventh ward lying east of the center line of Sixteenth street.

Voting place at 627 Sixteenth street; inspectors, Z. E. Wile and Jos. Winter; judges, Wm. Mattox and Geo. H. Limebeck; ballot clerks, H. Costley and J. Dickey.

SECOND PRECINCT, SEVENTH WARD.

The second precinct of the seventh ward shall consist of all that portion of the said seventh ward lying west of the center line of Sixteenth street.

Voting place at Ingall's house, F street district, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets; inspectors, E. D. Ingalls and A. Sevost; judges, E. L. Matot and L. N. Craig; clerks, T. J. Daley and Fred Mathieson; ballot clerks, C. H. Edwards and Mortimer Craig.

FIRST PRECINCT, EIGHTH WARD.

The first precinct of the eighth ward of said city, as described in section 9 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said eighth ward lying east of the center line of Sixteenth street.

Voting place at southwest corner of Seventeenth and K streets; inspectors, Wm. Goetze and M. D. Sunnucks; judges, A. H. Kurth and L. Almgren; clerks, J. T. Halcomb and Robt. McClain; ballot clerks, Geo. A. d. Memecourt and N. S. Hammack.

SECOND PRECINCT, EIGHTH WARD.

The second precinct of the eighth ward shall consist of all that portion of the said eighth ward lying west of the center line of Sixteenth street.

Voting place at Northrup building K St. between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets; inspectors, Wm. Reupsch and Frank Mertz; judges, G. Daneri and M. J. McCarthy; clerks, C. W. Ellsworth and G. W. Arnett; ballot clerks, Percy Woods and Isaac D. Snedecor.

FIRST PRECINCT, NINTH WARD.

The first precinct of the ninth ward of said city, as described in section 10 of said ordinance No. 479, shall consist of all that portion of the said ninth ward lying east of the center line of Twenty-eighth street.

Voting place at 402 National avenue; inspectors, W. S. Regal and Jno. T. Smith; judges, C. C. Watkins and Ed. Moran; clerks, S. M. Adams and J. H. Cross; ballot clerks, Robert McKinley and W. B. Pike.

SECOND PRECINCT, NINTH WARD.

The second precinct of the ninth ward shall consist of all that portion of the said ninth ward lying west of the center line of Twenty-eighth street.

Voting place at 649 Logan avenue; inspectors, Jas. Vergon and J. R. Fickas; judges, E. B. Spileman and P. H. Nyhan; clerks, Eugene DeBurn and W. L. Bealle; ballot clerks, C. I. Wellington and J. S. Pollock.

Section 4. That the compensation of each of the members of the election board serving at said election, including said clerks and ballot clerks, be and the same

is hereby fixed at the sum of three dollars (\$3.00) and in addition thereto one cent for every vote cast in the election precinct where such member serves; and the compensation for the use of voting or balloting places at said election be and the same is hereby fixed at three dollars (\$3.00) each.

Section 5. That the city clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed to prepare and have printed for the use at such election, the requisite number of ballots as required by law, and that the amount of the necessary supplies be set to the lowest responsible bidder, and that the successful bidder be required to give a bond to the full amount of the contract for the faithful performance of the work.

Section 6. That this Ordinance shall constitute the notice of said election, and shall be published fifteen days immediately prior to the said 4th day of April, 1889, in the city official newspaper of said city, to wit, the San Diego Sun, which newspaper is printed, published, and issued daily (excepting Sundays) in the said City of San Diego, and of general circulation.

Section 7. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

After giving due notice President Poirin did in open session sign the following Ordinance viz
 An Ordinance providing for the holding of a General Municipal Election to be held April 4th 1899.
 Whereupon the Board adjourned to March 20th 1899. at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Attest:

Geo. D. Gaedeman

City Clerk.

M. J. Poirin
 President Board of Delegates

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chambers of the Board
of Delegates of the City of San
Diego California March 20th 1899

Pursuant to adjournment a Meeting of the Board was held this
day at 7.30 P.M. President Perrin in the chair

Present— Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp,
Wright, Lambert, Landis, Urban
Williamson, James. President Perrin
and Clerk Vincent

absent. Delegates Frary, Morgan, Doddridge and Francisco

The Minutes of the Meetings of Feb 6.th Feb. 13.th Feb 20.th
and Feb 27th 1899 read and approved

At this time Delegate Francisco enters and
takes his seat in the Board

On Motion of Delegate James and by unanimous
consent the regular order of business was suspended
for this Evening

An ordinance authorizing the San Diego Old
Town and Pacific Beach Railroad Company to use
electricity to propel its cars was read and on Motion
of Delegate Barnes was adopted by the following
vote to wit:

Ayes— Delegates, Frevert, Barnes, Hakes,
Thorp, Wright, Lambert,
Landis, Urban, Williamson
James Francisco and
President Perrin

Noes— None

Absent Delegates Frary, Morgan and
Doddridge

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows viz:

ORDINANCE NO. 611.

An Ordinance Authorizing the San Diego, Old Town & Pacific Beach Railroad Company, its Successors and Assigns, to Use Electricity as a Motive Power for Propelling Cars upon its Railroad in the City of San Diego, California.
Whereas, The Mayor and City Council of the City of San Diego, did, by Ordinance No. 259, approve June 23rd, 1888, grant to the San Diego, Old Town & Pacific Beach Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, operate and maintain a steam motor railroad within the City of San Diego; the line of which is fully set out and particularly described in Section 1 of said ordinance No. 259, and
Whereas, Said Railroad Company has constructed said railroad, maintained and operated the same in all respects as required by said ordinance, and
Whereas, Said Railroad Company desires to electricize said railroad, and use electricity as a motive power in propelling cars thereon;

Therefore Be It Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows:

Section 1. The said San Diego, Old Town & Pacific Beach Railroad Company, and its assigns, are hereby permitted, authorized and empowered to electricize its said railroad, and to propel its cars upon said railroad by electricity, conducted, carried or transmitted by wires or conductors erected either over or underground, as said Company may deem best.
Sec. 2. That the Common Council reserves the right to repeal, amend or modify this ordinance at any time hereafter.
Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval, and one publication in the City Official Newspaper of said city, to-wit: The San Diego Sun.

At this time Delegate Soddridge enters and takes his seat in the Board

An ordinance granting a franchise to the United States Government to construct and operate a Telephone Line in the City of San Diego for a period of twenty-five years was read and on motion of Delegate Frevert adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayes - Delegates, Frevert, Barnes, Hakes,

Thorp, Wright, Lambert,

Soddridge, Landis, Urban

Williamson, James, Francis

and President Perrin

Noes - None

Absent - Delegates, Frary and Morgan

Said ordinance as adopted is as follows to wit

ORDINANCE NO. 612.

An Ordinance Granting to the United States Government the Right to Construct, Erect, Maintain, Use, and Operate for a Period of Twenty-five years, in the City of San Diego, California, Along Through, and Over Certain Highways of Said City, Poles, Wires, Cables, or Other Conductors, and the Necessary Fixtures and Appliances for a Telephone Line.

Be It Ordained, By the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows: Section 1. That upon the terms and subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth, there be and is hereby granted to the United States Government, during the period of twenty-five years next after the approval of this Ordinance, a franchise and right to construct, erect, maintain, use, and operate in the said City of San Diego, California, upon, along, and over the following public streets of said City, to-wit:

Commencing at the junction with the United States Telephone Line near the old "Nail Works" at Roseville in the City of San Diego, California; thence in a northeasterly direction along Main street in Roseville, to its intersection with Thirty-eighth street in Roseville; thence along said Thirty-eighth street in a southeasterly direction, to its intersection with the graded roadway or "Roseville Road" recently constructed; thence along the aforesaid roadway in an easterly direc-

tion, to the east end of the large cut at the eastern end of the said graded roadway—poles, wires, cables, conductors, and all necessary connections, fixtures, and appliances for the transmission of messages, sounds, and signals, by the aid of electricity, under the system commonly known as "Telephone System."

Sec. 2. That the said poles, wires, cables, conductors, fixtures, and appliances shall be constructed and maintained in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 297 of the ordinances of the said City of San Diego, approved December 14th, 1888, and any and all amendments thereto, and any other of the ordinances of said City now in force or that may hereafter be passed by said City; and said poles shall be erected and wires strung thereon, in accordance with the said provisions of said ordinance No. 297.

Sec. 3. That nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed as giving exclusive franchise to construct poles or maintain, use, and operate a telephone line along said streets.

Sec. 4. That the granting of this franchise be and the same is hereby made subject to the right of the Common Council or other governing body of said City of San Diego to repeal, change, or modify the same at any time hereafter; and the said Common Council hereby reserves the right to repeal, amend, or modify this Ordinance at any time.

Sec. 5. That this Ordinance shall take effect, and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Sec. 6. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same three times in the city official newspaper of said City, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

The report of the joint Street Committee to whom was referred the matter of the communication of the City Engineer on the grading of India Street was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes was adopted viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the Board of Public Works be instructed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the within mentioned work.

3/16/99

S. W. Hackett
A. E. Godson

The report of the Fire Committee to whom was referred the matter of proposals to lease property for Fire Department purposes was read and on motion of Delegate Hakes was adopted viz:

San Diego Calif Mon 17th 1899

To the Hon. Common Council

San Diego California

Gentlemen:

Your joint Fire Committee to whom was referred various proposals to lease buildings to the city for Fire Department purposes herewith report and recommend,

That the proposal of J. W. Sefton to lease to the city the south 1/2 of Lot ~~A~~ Block 10th Horton's addition at a monthly rental of \$30⁰⁰ be accepted

That the proposal of R. G. Clark to lease to the city the south $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot D Block 112 Horton's addition at a monthly rental of \$20⁰⁰ be accepted

~~with Dr L F Jones~~

That the agreement heretofore made with Dr L F Jones for the lease of quarters for Engine Co No 1 and Hook and Ladder Truck stand

Respectfully

A G Mason

A M Landis

F P Gary

W L Grevert

The report of the Joint Water Committee to whom was referred the matter of the communication of residents of the higher levels of the city in regard to irrigation was read and on motion of Delegate James was adopted viz

San Diego Calif Mch 10th 1899

To the Hon Common Council

San Diego Calif

Gentlemen:

Your Joint Water Committee to whom was referred communications of residents of the higher levels of the City complaining of the shortage in the water supply and recommending the restriction of water for irrigation purposes by the division of the city into irrigation districts herewith report. That upon investigation we recommend that the request for a rotation ordinance be denied. We further recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to notify the San Diego Water Company that the city expects it to furnish the city and its inhabitants with a sufficient supply of water for domestic and irrigation purposes

Respectfully Submitted

Simon Levi

L. A. Blochman

A. G. Mason

E. A. Wright

C. C. Hakes

The report of the Joint Finance Committee in the matter of the claims for Gong & Co was read and on motion of Delegate Landis was adopted viz:

The Joint Finance Committee

recommend that the within mentioned claim be allowed and ordered paid

Simon Levi
Geo B Watson
A E Dodson
Geo A L Urban
F A James

Thereupon a joint Resolution authorizing and directing the Auditing Committee to audit and order paid claim for Gong indicator and alarm box was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayes - Delegates Frevert, Barnes Hakes Thorp
Wright Lambert Soddridge
Landis Urban Williamson
James Francisco and Perrin

Noes - None

Absent - Delegates Frary and Morgan

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No. 1120

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

That the action of the Board of Public Works of the City of San Diego California, in purchasing gong, indicator and one alarm box for the Fire Department of said city, for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350⁰⁰), be and the same is hereby ratified and approved; and the auditing committee is authorized and directed to allow and order paid claim No. 5761 filed for the purchase of such material.

The report of the Finance Committee on the matter of the Pest House and Quarentine claims was read and an motion adopted, as follows:

San Diego Calif Mch. 16th 1899

To the Hon. Common Council

City of San Diego Calif.

Gentlemen

Your joint Finance Committee to whom was refered a communication from the auditing committee transmitting a list of claims to the

Council for a ratification herewith recommend that the Common Council refer the bills pertaining to Pest House and quarantine back to the Auditing committee for action for the reason that we think the question involved is purely a legal one and should not properly come before the Council.

Respectfully

Simon Levi

Geo. B. Watson

A E Dodson

Geo A L Urban

A Morgan

F A James

Thereupon a joint Resolution was introduced by Delegate Hakes approving and ordering paid Pest House and Quarantine Claims and after being read was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayes - Delegates, Frevort, Barnes, Hakes,
Thorp, Wright Lambert
Doddridge Landis Urban
Williamson James
Francisco and Perrin

Noes - None

Absent - Delegates, Frary and Morgan

Said joint Resolution as adopted is as follows viz:

Joint Resolution to

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the city of San Diego as follows:

That claims numbered as follows:

5678, 5679, 5682, 5687, 5688, 5689, 5693, 5694, 5705, 5707,
5730, 5731, 5732, 5735, 5763, 5769, 5780, 5781, 5782,
and 5783, filed against the city of San Diego,

California for repairing and refitting the pest house and for quarantine expense, be and the same are hereby approved and ordered paid in the full amount thereof respectively, and the City Auditing Committee is hereby authorized and directed to allow and order paid the said claims as filed.

The petition of Geo Henninger for retail liquor license recommended by the Health and Morals Committee was on Motion granted

The report of the Street Committee to whom was referred the petition of property owners to grade the approaches ~~on~~ 18th Street into "D" street was read and adopted viz:

The Street Committee recommend that the
with petition be granted

3/16/99

S. W. Hackett

A. E. Lodson

The Annual Message of the Mayor for the fiscal year 1898 was read and ordered filed and the various reports of the Departments contained therein was referred to the different Committees pertaining thereto.

A communication from the City Attorney relative to the petition of J. R. Harris for an Auctioners license was read and ordered filed

Thereupon a Joint Resolution granting to J. R. Harris an auctioneer's License for a period of six months was read and an Motion of Delegate James adopted by the following vote, viz:

Ayes-Delegates. Frewert, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp,

Wright, Lambert Loddridge

Landis, Urban, Williamson

Francisco and James

Noes-Delegate. Perrin

Absent, Delegates, Frary & Morgan

Said resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No. 1117

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

That permission be and the same is hereby given and granted to J. R. Harris or his employee to sell at public auction the stock of jewelry, watches and plated-ware now in his store at No. 657 Fifth street in the said city of San Diego, California for a period not exceeding ninety days, providing that the said stock be not increased in size and that the said J. R. Harris take out and pay for a general Auctioneer's License at the regular rate of fifty dollars and pay for the same in advance

A communication from the Board of Public Works in regard to the matter of the La Jolla bridge was read and referred to the Joint Street Committee

A communication from the Fire Commissioners requesting repairs to Jones Building was read and on motion of Delegate Frevert granted.

Thereupon a joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to repair building on the south $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot I in block 41 Horton's Addition was read and on motion of Delegate Urban was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayes—Delegates Frevert, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James Francisco and Perrin

Noes—None

Absent Delegates Frary and Morgan
Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit,

Joint Resolution No. 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 Horton'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 repairs 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 (\$300⁰⁰). Said alterations and repairs not to be commenced until the city shall have received a lease therefor.

Delegate Morgan now enters and takes his seat in the Board

A communication from the City Attorney in regard to the claim of Thos Allen for refund of Taxes on account of double assessment was read and placed on file.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the Auditing Committee to allow the claim of Thos Allen for \$5.59, was read and on motion adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayes—Delegates, Frevert, Barnes, Hakes,
Thorp, Wright, Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Urban Williamson, James,
Francisco and Perrin

Noes None

Absent—Delegate Frary

Said resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No. 1121

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

Allen for five dollars That the claim of Thomas Allen for five dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$5.59), as a refund for money paid by him to the Tax Collector of the City of San Diego, as consideration for Tax Certificate No. 353, for delinquent Taxes of the City of San Diego for the year 1897, on lot (30) in Block one hundred and thirty eight (138) of Mannasse and Schiller's addition in the said City of San Diego, California, be and the same is hereby allowed; and that the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego be and said Committee is hereby authorized and directed to allow said claim and to draw a warrant therefor, in favor of the said Thomas Allen, upon the surrender to the said City of San Diego of the said Tax Certificate, it appearing that the assessment of the said lot was a double assessment for the said year.

A communication from the City Attorney in the matter of the lease of Kittie A Jones of a building for Fire Department purposes was read and ordered placed on file.

Thereupon an Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a lease for said building was

read and on motion of Delegate Wright adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayes- Delegates, Frevert, Barnes, Hakes, Thorp,
Wright, Morgan Lambert
Doddridge Landis Urban
Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin

Noes-None

Absent. Delegate Frary

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows to wit:

ORDINANCE NO. 610.

An Ordinance Authorizing the Mayor of the City of San Diego, California, and the City Clerk thereof to Execute a Lease with L. F. Jones, for Certain Property, for Fire Department Purposes.

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of San Diego, California, by Ordinance No. 608, entitled "An Ordinance Providing for and Authorizing the Leasing by the City of San Diego, California, of Certain Premises and Building to be Used by the Fire Department of the City of San Diego, California, for Engine and Hook and Ladder," approved on the 8th day of March, 1899, provided for the execution of a lease by the City, with one Kittie A. Jones, of Lot "I" in Block forty-one (41) of Horton's Addition to the said City of San Diego, together with the improvements on said lot, and

Whereas, It has been ascertained that the said Kittie A. Jones has departed this life and is not now living, said property being now owned by her husband L. F. Jones; and

Whereas, The said L. F. Jones has executed said agreement of lease which lease contains a provision that said City of San Diego will, at the expiration of the term of said lease, to-wit, three years, restore the front of the said building in the same condition as now in or pay the sum of fifty dollars for that purpose to the owner thereof. Now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the said City of San Diego, California, enter into said lease for a term of three years, with the said L. F. Jones, for the rent of the said Lot lettered "I" in Block numbered Forty-one (41) of Horton's Addition to the said City of San Diego, with the improvements thereon, at a monthly rental of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per month, payable monthly, and that there be included in said lease the stipulation that an amount equal to one-half (1/2) the first year's rent of said premises shall be expended by the said City of San Diego, in altering, and repairing, and fitting up the premises so leased for fire department purposes.

Section 2. That the Mayor of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease for and on behalf, in the name, and as the act and deed of said City of San Diego; and that the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to attest the execution of the said lease by the said Mayor, of said City, by affixing thereto his signature and the official seal of said City.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Sec. 4. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same once in the city official newspaper of said city, to-wit, the San Diego Sun.

An Ordinance granting a lease of certain city lands to Bludworth for mining purposes read and referred to the city Lands Committee

A Joint Resolution instructing the City Engineer to make a survey and estimate of cost of road on the South side of Cemetery. was read and on Motion of Delegate Wright was adopted.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No 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 of a wagon-road ^{feet in width, from the easterly} terminus of the new Cemetery road recently graded by John Englebrecht, 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 also to ~~furnish~~ furnish the Common Council with a plat of such survey and estimate of such cost of grading said road.

At this time Delegate Barnes was excused from further attendance at this session of the Board.

A communication from the City Attorney in regard to the sale of Block 8 Middletown for delinquent Taxes for the 1892 was read and ordered placed on file. and on Motion the city attorney was instructed to prepare the necessary papers in settlement thereof and to accept \$1⁰⁰ for same

The application of M O'Reilly for permit to construct a concrete sidewalk, Curb and gutter on Juniper street in front of lots 14 and 15 Block 260 Hortons addition was read and on Motion the same was granted

The petition of F. T. Proctor asking for quit claims deeds to certain property for the purpose of correcting title thereto was on motion referred to the city Attorney.

The Report of the Auditor of the City for the month of February 1899 showing the condition of the different Funds was presented and placed on file.

The itemized statement of the Board of Public Works showing the expenses of the various Departments for the month of February 1899 was read and placed on file

A communication from the Board of Public Works asking for authority to purchase roller top desk for the Police Judge of the city was read and on motion granted

Thereupon a joint Resolution authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Works to purchase one Roller Top desk for the use of the Police Judge was read and on motion of Delegate Landis adopted by the following vote to-wit:

Ayes—Delegates, Frevert, Hakes Thorp
Wright, Morgan, Lambert
Doddridge Landis Urban
Williamson James Francisco
and Perin

Noes—None

Absent—Delegates Barnes and Frary

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 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).

A joint Resolution authorizing and instructing the Board of Public Works to cultivate the "Howard Tract" and the "Ladies Annex" was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted by the following vote: to-wit:

Ayes. Delegates. Frevert, Hakes, Thorp,
Wright, Morgan, Lambert,
Doudridge Landis Urban
Williamson James Francisco
and Penin

Noes - None

Absent - Delegates Barnes, and Frary

Said Joint Resolution as adopted is as follows viz:

Joint Resolution No. 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 (\$150.00), for cultivating, plowing, harrowing and farrowing the "Howard Tract" and the "Ladies Annex," preparatory to irrigating the trees in said tracts.

The Board of Alderman having failed to concur in the matter of the Pest House and Quarantine claims and said Board of Alderman having asked for a conference committee to confer with this Board. On motion of Delegate Hakes, the President appointed Delegate Hakes, Frevert and Morgan

After first giving due notice President Penin did in open session sign an ordinance granting a Franchise to the United States Government to construct and operate a Telephone Line in the City of San Diego.

Also: An ordinance Authorizing San Diego Old Town & Pacific Beach Railroad Company to use Electricity in propelling its cars

At this time Delegates Hakes, Frevert and Morgan were temporarily excused to serve on the conference committee appointed on the Pest House and Quarantine claims

At this time a recess of five minutes was taken by the Board

Upon reassembling the following members were present.

Delegates, Frevert, Hakes, Thorp, Wright,
Morgan, Lambert, Loddridge, Landis
Williamson, James and Perrin
Absent-Delegates, Barnes, Frary and Francisco

After first giving due notice President Perrin did in open session sign an ordinance directing the Mayor and City Clerk to sign a lease for the property of L. F. Jones for the use of the Fire Department

The report of the Conference Committee to whom was referred the matter of the Pest House and quarantine claims was read and adopted as follows:

San Diego Calif Mch 20th 1899

To the Hon Common Council

San Diego Calif

Gentlemen:

Your Committee of Conference to whom was referred the claims incurred by the Board of Health in repairs to the Pest House and for quarantine expenses herewith report that upon consultation with the City Attorney we find that the only bills that Council is called upon to approve are bills for doctors and Nurses, and we therefore recommend that claim No. 5769 for the Doctor's ~~services~~ be approved and ordered paid. That all the other claims be referred back to the Auditing Committee for action.

Respectfully

Simon Levi

A. E. Lodson

Geo. B. Watson

C. C. Hakes

W. L. Frevert

A. Morgan

Conference Committee

Thereupon a Joint Resolution authorizing the payment of claim No. 5769 for Pest House and quarantine purposes was read and on Motion of Delegate Lambert was adopted by the following vote: viz:

Ayes-Delegates, Frevert, Hakes, Thorp, Wright

Morgan, Lambert, Loddridge, Landis

James, Williamson & Perrin

Noes-Delegate Urban

Absent. Delegates Barnes, Freary and Francisco
Said Resolution as adopted is as follows to-wit:

Joint Resolution No. 1123

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

That Claim No. 5769, filed against the City for expenses incurred by the Board of Health for quarantine expenses, be and the same is hereby ratified and approved, and the Auditing Committee of the City is hereby authorized and directed to audit and order paid said claim.

That Claims No 5678, 5679, 5682, 5687, 5688, 5689, 5693, 5694, 5705, 5707, 5730, 5731, 5732, 5735, 5763, 5780, 5782 and 5783 by and they are hereby returned to the Auditing Committee of said City for action.

Thereupon the Board adjourned

M. J. Perrin
President of the Board of Delegates

Attest

Geo. D. Laddiman
City Clerk

Regular Meeting.
Council Chambers of the Board of Delegates
of the City of San Diego California
April 3rd 1899.

A Regular meeting of the Board was held this day at 7.30 P.M.
Present Delegate Hakes, Thorpe, Morgan, Doddridge
Laudis, Williamson and James. and Clerk Goldman
Absent Delegates Trevert, Barnes, Frary, Wright
Lambert, Urban, Francisco, and Perrin.

In the absence of President Perrin Delegate
Hakes was elected temporary President of the Board.

There being no Quorum present the Board adjourned
until April 4th 1899 at 7.30 P.M.

M. J. Perrin
President Pro Tem of the Board of Delegates.

Attest
Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting.
Council Chamber of the Board of Delegates
of the City of San Diego California
April 4th 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting was held this day
at 7.30 P.M.

Present Delegate Thorpe, Frary, Doddridge
and James and Clerk Goldman.

Absent Delegate Trevert, Barnes, Hakes
Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Laudis, Urban, William-
son, Francisco and Perrin.

In the absence of President Perrin
Delegate James was elected President Pro Tem.

There being no Quorum present the Board
adjourned until Wednesday April 5th 1899 at 7.30 P.M.

M. J. Perrin
President Pro Tem of the Board
of Delegates.

Attest
Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk

Adjourned meeting.

Council Chambers of the Board of Delegates
of the City of San Diego, California.

April 5th 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting was held this day
at 7.30 P.M.

Present Delegates Frevert, Trary, Whitson
Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Urban, James.

Absent, Delegates Barnes, Hakes, Doddridge
Laudis, Williamson, Francisco, and Perin.

In the absence of President Perin Delegate
Frevert was elected President Pro Tem.

The reading of the meeting on motion was
dispensed with.

On motion of Delegates James it is ordered that the
President of this Board appoint three members from
this Board to serve as members of the Board of
Equalization for the year 1899.

At this time Delegate R. Hakes enters and
takes his seat.

President Frevert announces the fol-
lowing named Delegates as members of the Board
of Equalization for this term.

Delegate James, Thorp and Lambert.

A petition signed by Edward P. Brooks requesting
that he be allowed to surrender a certain tax certificate
on property in La Jolla Park and that the City refund
to him certain monies paid for said certificate is
read and on motion the same is referred to Finance
Committee.

A communication from the Board of Public
Works requesting that a resolution authorizing the expen-
diture of the sum of \$275.00 in lieu of Joint Resolu-
tion number 1116 be passed is read and on motion said
communication is referred to the Joint Street committee.

The Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Pub-
lic Works to complete cur or grading at the inter-

section of "18th and 5th Streets is read and on motion is referred to the Street Committee.

The Joint Resolution instructing the City Engineer to make estimate of the cost of raising the India St bridge to the official grade and the cost of grading the approaches thereto is read and on motion the same is referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The Communication of the Board of Public Works requesting authority to expend the sum of \$1000.00 for general street repairs is read and on motion the same is referred to the Joint Street Committee.

The communication from the Board of Public Works recommending the extension of the Sewer of the 9th Ward for the accomodation of property owners is read and on motion is referred to the Joint Sewer Committee.

The petition of Howard, Kincaid and Bendnorth asking for an extension of time of certain lease of City Lands for mining for coal, petroleum, or bitumen is read and on motion the same is granted.

The petition of Miss K. O. Session asking for authority to construct a sewer on Joy Lane from Sixth Street to Fifth Street in accordance with City Ordinance is read and on motion the same is referred to the Sewer Committee.

The petition of Joseph Kelly for permission to construct a concrete sidewalk and concrete curb on 21st Street in front of Lots 5 & 6 in Block 29 of Shermaus Addition in accordance with specifications for such work is read and on motion the same is granted.

The petition of S. Benhayon praying the Board to grant him a Liquor License and said petition having been referred to the Health and Morals committee and said committee reporting

favorably on the same, on motion said petition is granted.

The Auditors Estimate for the fiscal year 1899 showing the probable necessities of the City and accompanying the same with estimates and reports of each department is read and on motion the same is referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Whereupon the Board adjourns until Monday April 10, 1899 at 7.30 P.M.

M. J. Purvis
President of the Board of Delegates.

Attest
Geo. D. Goodman
City Clerk.

Adjourned meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board
of Delegates of the City of San Diego California
April 10. 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board was held
this day at 7.30 P.M.

President Perrin Presiding.

Present Delegates Trevert, Barnes, Frary, Whitson Hakes
Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Soddridge, Urban,
Williamson, James, and Perrin.

Absent. Delegates, Landis, and Francisen.

Reading of the minutes are dispensed with.

The Clerk reports to the Board that he had received all
returns of the late Municipal Election held in the City of
San Diego, California on Tuesday the 4th day of April
1899 to wit.

From Precincts Nos 1. 2. 3. 4 of Ward No 1.

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 2

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 3

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 4

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 5

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 6

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 7

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 8

From Precincts Nos 1 and 2 of Ward No 9.

All of said returns being duly signed and sealed as by
law required by the respective Boards of Election of the va-
rious precincts. Said returns are thereupon deliver-
ed to the Board for the canvass thereof.

President Perrin appoints Delegates Morgan, Wright
and Williamson as tellers and the Board proceeds to
canvass said returns beginning with Precinct No 1
of Ward No 1. Said returns and the canvass thereof
shows the following result to wit:

			MAYOR			TREASURER			BOARD OF									
WARD	PRESINCT	TOTAL VOTE	EDWIN M. CAPPS.	J. A. HELPHINGSTINE.	D. C. REED.	R. V. DODGE.	GEO. EDWARDS.	PAUL REUTHER.	HARRY W. VINCENT.	E. S. BURGERT.	HERMAN C. COOK.	S. W. HACKETT.	C. C. HAKES.	I. I. IRWIN.	DAN F. JONES.	GEO. J. MAGLEY.	WALTER P. MOORE.	DR. V. D. ROOD.
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	4	60	13	0	46	13	3	1	41	6	3	36	35	7	42	14	8	13
2	1	195	74	0	119	95	1	7	84	6	15	114	119	49	100	73	45	62
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ALDERMEN.				ALDERMEN UNEXPIRED TERM.						
JO. RYAN	GEO. P. SIKES.	GEO. B. WATSON.	HERMAN WELISCH.	JOHN NEILL.	DR. P. J. PARKER.	J. P. M. RAINBOW.	WILLIAM H. REEDER.	FRANK SIMPSON.	HOMER G. TABER.	
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WARD	PRECINCT	TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY													
		Mrs. BELLE BEAUD.	Mrs. CORA L. BLISS.	Mrs. Dr. BLODGETT.	E. W. HENDRICK	LYDIA M. HORTON.	Mrs. HAMILTON JOHNSON.	Mrs. ALICE E. MASON.	PHILIP MORSE.	FRANK H. MOUSER.	EDWIN PARKER.	Miss. RUTH F. SILBERY.	Mrs. OMER C. SMITH.	JAMES W. SOMERS.	FRED C. W. STEARNS.
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	2	26	35	28	127	138	22	74	129	83	89	30	71	108	125
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	2	25	25	24	74	71	25	52	73	47	47	26	44	66	65
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	2	15	20	14	113	98	20	44	104	45	49	14	32	86	103
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	2	22	24	19	105	105	21	55	111	56	68	16	57	87	95
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PRECINCT.	F. W. BARNES.	DAVID CARSON.	W. L. FREVERT.	J. M. RAMSEY.	MELVIN STONE.	H. L. RICKY.	J. Z. TUCKER.	FRED. BAKER.	PRECINCT.	E. A. CHURCHER.	FRANK P. FRARY.	JAMES MC NAIR.	HENRY E. MILLS.	J. F. SAUL.	W. W. WHITSON.	CASSIUS CARTER.	WALDO S. WATERMAN.
1	88	76	87	15	11	93	60	111	1	41	137	56	17	2	113	56	122
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3 RD WARD.									4 TH WARD.								
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PRECINCT.	JAMES S. CLARK.	H. C. GORDON.	C. K. HUDSON.	AUGUST PAPE.	FRED SCHATZ.	A. A. THORP.	JOHN GRAY.	M. A. GRAHAM.	PRECINCT.	E. G. BRADBURY.	F. W. CARTER.	BENJ. MC LAREN.	ALBERT ROBERTS.	E. H. WRIGHT.	F. R. BURNHAM.	J. M. JULIAN.	S. D. NULTON.
1	76	81	43	7	12	86	120	118	1	113	21	23	66	123	128	32	14
2	56	76	36	13	13	93	106	113	2	113	17	13	66	101	108	43	7
	132	157	79	20	25	179	226	231		226	38	36	132	224	236	75	21

8 TH WARD.								
	DELEGATES.					BOARD EDUCATION.		
PRECINCT.	F. C. BOECKH.	T. R. GRANDSTAFF.	C. MILLER.	GEO. A. L. URBAN.	J. M. WILLIAMSON.	C. O. FOSGATE.	MRS. LUDJIA M. HAMILTON.	N. S. HAMMACK.
1	19	66	20	111	79	68	42	41
2	30	75	20	106	109	90	37	46
	49	141	40	217	188	158	79	87

9 TH WARD.										
	DELEGATES.							BOARD EDUCATION.		
PRECINCT.	E. E. HIATT.	O. F. HOSKINS.	JAMES MCPHETERS.	FRED O'FERRELL.	OTTO SIPPPELL.	GEO. H. WHITMORE.	HENRY WOOLMAN.	JAMES H. CROSS.	C. W. HUNTER.	C. F. THOMAS.
1	19	38	12	63	49	42	92	27	32	81
2	26	77	16	105	125	37	128	30	111	106
	45	115	28	168	174	79	220	57	143	187

Whereupon on motion of Delegate Morgan it is ordered and declared that the following persons having received the highest number of votes at the Municipal Election held in the City of San Diego, California April 4th 1899 as shown by the above and foregoing canvas be and each of them are hereby declared duly elected to fill the respective offices as hereinafter indicated to wit:

1. Mayor Edwin M. Capps.
2. City Treasurer Capt R. V. Dodge.
3. Alderman S. M. Hackett.
4. Alderman C. C. Stakes.
5. Alderman Dan F. Jones.
6. Alderman Geo B. Watkins.
7. Alderman (Unexpired term) J. P. M. Rainbow.

8. Alderman (unexpired term) Homer G. Tabor.
9. Trustee San Diego Public Library E. M. Hendricks
10. Trustee San Diego Public Library Lydia M. Horton
11. Trustee San Diego Public Library Philip Morse
12. Trustee San Diego Public Library James W. Somers.
13. Trustee San Diego Public Library Frederic W. Stearns
14. Delegate 1st Ward J. W. Barnes.
15. Delegate 1st Ward M. L. Frevert
16. Member Board of Education N. L. Riekey.
17. Member Board of Education (unexpired term)
Fred Baker
18. Delegate 2^d Ward Frank P. Frary
19. Delegate 2^d Ward W. W. Whitson
20. Member Board of Education 2^d Ward Waldor L. Waterman
21. Delegate 3^d Ward H. C. Gordon.
22. Delegate 3^d Ward A. A. Thorp.
23. Member Board of Education 3^d Ward John Gray.
24. Member Board of Education 3^d Ward (unexpired term)
M. A. Graham.
25. Delegate 4th Ward E. G. Bradbury.
26. Delegate 4th Ward E. H. Wright.
27. Member Board of Education 4th Ward J. R. Burnham
28. Delegate 5th Ward John W. Lambert.
29. Delegate 5th Ward George M^cNeill
30. Member Board of Education John F. Sinks.
31. Delegate 6th Ward W. H. C. Ecker.
32. Delegate 6th Ward Ed Gutwillig.
33. Member Board of Education C. L. Williams.
34. Delegate 7th Ward C. C. Craig.
35. Delegate 7th Ward E. E. Denton.
36. Member Board of Education 7th Ward W. C. Budlong.
37. Member Board of Education 7th Ward (unexpired term)
John Fleming.
38. Delegate 8th Ward Geo. G. L. Urban.
39. Delegate 8th Ward J. M. Williamson.
40. Member Board of Education 8th Ward C. O. Fosgate.
41. Delegate 9th Ward Otto Dippell
42. Delegate 9th Ward Henry Woolman
43. Member Board of Education 9th Ward C. F. Thomas.

And that the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to issue to the above named persons Certificates of Election as required by law.

A message from the Mayor appointing Jno P. Burt as a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners Vice C. A. Dievendoff resigned is read and on motion action on the same is postponed for one week.

Joint Resolution No 1128 directing the City Engineer to fix and establish the grade of 23rd Street is read and on motion the same is adopted.

Said Resolution reads as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No 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.

Joint Resolution No 1127 directing the City Engineer to prepare and furnish an estimate of the cost of raising the India Street bridge and the cost of grading the approaches thereto is read and on motion the same is adopted.

Said Resolution reads as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No 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 the 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.

The Report of the Joint Street Committee to which was referred the communication of the Board of Public Works asking for instructions on the India Street bridge and grading approaches thereto is read and adopted.

Said Report is as follows.

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the Board of Public Works be directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the building of small bridge across the canon on the La Jolla road and grade the approaches to it.

in accordance with the specifications of the City Engineer provided the same does not cost to exceed the sum of \$200⁰⁰.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

O. W. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

A. Morgan

E. C. Hakes

April 10, 1899.

At this point Delegate Barnes is excused from further attendance.

Whereupon Joint Resolution No 1126 authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids and let the contract for construction of bridge and for grading the approaches thereto is read and on motion is adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Inverett, Frary, Whitson, Hakes, Thorpe Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Barnes, Landis, and Francisco.

Said Joint Resolution is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1126.

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 Work 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 Eightythree <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 <\$200⁰⁰>.

The Joint Street Committee to whom was referred the communication of the Board of Public Works requesting authority to expend the sum of \$1000⁰⁰ for Street Repairs Report submits said report and on motion was adopted. Said report is as follows to wit.

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within request of the Board of Public Works for authority to expend \$1000.00 in general street repairs be granted.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

S. W. Hackett

A. E. Dodson

A. Morgan

C. C. Hakes.

April 10, 1899.

Whereupon Joint Resolution No 1129 authorizing the Board of Public Works and empowering them to expend the sum of \$1000.00 in general street repairs is read and on motion adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Aye: Frevert, Frary, Whitson, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James, and Perrin.

Noes: None.

Absent: Delegates Barnes, Landis and Francis.

Said Joint Resolution No 1129 reads as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1129.
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, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to expend the sum of One Thousand dollars (\$1000.00) in general repairs of streets.

The report of the Joint Street committee to whom was referred the communication of the Board of Public Works recommending the passage of a Resolution authorizing the expenditure of \$225.00 in lieu of Joint Resolution # 1116 is read and on motion is adopted. Said report is as follows to wit:

The Joint Street committee recommends that the Board of Public Works be directed to reject all bids for plowing portions of the City Park and that said Board be directed to readvertise for bids for doing

said work and submit all such bids to the Common Council for approval. We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Joint Resolution.

S. W. Hackett

A. B. Dodson

A. Morgan

C. C. Hakes

April 10. 1899.

Whereupon Joint Resolution No 1125 directing and authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for plowing and cultivating that portion of the City Park known as the Howard Tract and the Ladies Annex and submit all bids to this Common Council for approval. and to reject all bids heretofore received is read and on motion is adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye Delegates Frevert, Frary, Whitson Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge Urban, Williamson, James, and Perrin.

Noes. None

Absent. Delegates Barnes, Landis, and Francisco.

Said Joint Resolution is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1125.

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.

The report of the Joint Street committee to which was referred the Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to complete the grading of the cut at

18th and D Streets is read and on motion said report is adopted.

Said report is as follows.

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the sum of \$1000.00 be expended in making a roadway at the intersection of "D" and 18th Streets and therefore recommends the adoption of the within Joint Resolution

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A. E. Dodson

A. Morgan

C. C. Hakes

April 10, 1899

Whereupon Joint Resolution No 1124 authorizing and instructing the Board of Public Works to and instructing said Board to complete the grading of said cut at the intersection of 18th and D streets is read and on motion is adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Frevert, Frary, Whitson, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James, and Perrin.

Noes - None

Absent. Delegates Barnes - Landis, Francis co. Said Joint Resolution is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1124.

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 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 not to exceed the sum of 100 dollars.

At this time Delegate Thorp is excused from further attendance

The communication of the Auditing Committee transferring the claims of Mr Fizzie Lodge and S Jones respectively for \$80⁰⁰ and \$110⁰⁰ for services as Nurse and

Physician which claims had been approved by the Board of Health in favor of Mrs Lowe for \$12⁰⁰ was read and on motion the claim of Dr Jones for \$110⁰⁰ being put for allowance was ~~rejected~~ by the following vote ~~and~~ laid on the table

Aye. Delegates, Whitson, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Williamson, and Perrin

Noes. Delegates, Frevert Frary, Hates, Wright Urban, and James.

Absent Delegates Thorp, Landis and Francisco.

The action of the Board of Alderman on the claim of Mrs Lizzie Lowe was concurred in, the same being passed upon for the sum of \$12⁰⁰

An Ordinance providing for the compensation of the members of the Board Equalization was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Frevert, Frary, Whitson, Hates, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James, and Perrin.

Noes - None

Absent Delegates, Barnes, Thorp, Landis and Francisco.

Said Ordinance is as follows.

Ordinance No

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of the members of the Board of Equalization of the City of San Diego, California, and authorizing the employment of necessary assistance to carry out the values fixed by said Board.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California as follows.

Sec 1. That the compensation of the members of the Board of Equalization of the City of San Diego California, be and the same is fixed at \$4⁰⁰ per day each, for the time actually engaged in such work as members of such Board.

Sec 2. That the Clerk of the said Board of Equalization be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to employ the necessary assistants required to carry forward in the City Assessment Roll, the values fixed by said Board within the three days allowed by law provided, that the compensation for such assistants

shall not exceed \$2.50 per day each.

Sec 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval

An Ordinance prohibiting the destruction and injury to property in the Public Parks of the City and places within the city was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote

Aye - Delegates Frevert, Frary - Whitson, Haker Wright - Morgan, Lambert Doddridge - Urban - Williamson - James - and Perrin

Noes - None

Absent Delegates Barnes. Thorp - Landis and Perrin.

Said Ordinance is as follows.

Ordinance No

An Ordinance prohibiting the destruction or injury of property in the Public Parks and places within the City of San Diego, California.

Be it Ordained, by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That it be and is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person to deface, break, destroy or remove any public work or improvement erected or constructed on or in any of the public parks of the said City of San Diego, without first obtaining permission of the Superintendent of Parks of said City of San Diego so to do.

An Ordinance providing for the lease by the City of certain premises for the use of the Fire Department. was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Aye. Delegates Frevert, Frary, Whitson Haker, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban Williamson, James, and Perrin.

Noes - None

Absent. Delegates Barnes, Thorp, Landis and Francisco.

Said Ordinance is as follows.

Ordinance No 615.

An Ordinance providing for the lease by the

City of San Diego, California of certain premises for the use of the Fire Department of the said City of San Diego.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That the City of San Diego, California lease for the term of one year, with the privilege of three, for the use of the Fire Department of the said City of San Diego, California, from R. E. Clark that certain piece or parcel of land, and improvements thereon, located in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California and described as follows, to wit: The South one half $\{S\frac{1}{2}\}$ of Lot "D" in Block One Hundred and twelve $\{112\}$ in Hortons Addition, to the said City of San Diego, for the monthly rental of Twenty $\{20\}$ dollars, payable monthly in warrants drawn upon the Public Building Fund of said City.

Section 2. That the Mayor of the City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease for and on behalf, and in the name of as the act and deed of the said City of San Diego, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to attest the execution of said lease by affixing thereto his signature and the official seal of said City.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance providing for the lease of certain premises for use of the Fire Department was read, and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Fiert, Frank Whitson, Hakes, Wright-Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban Williamson and Ferrin.

Noes. Delegate James.

Absent. Delegates, Barnes, Thorp, Landis and Francisco.

Said Ordinance is as follows.

Ordinance No 616.

An Ordinance providing for the lease by the City of San Diego, California of certain premises for the use of the Fire Department of the said City of San Diego.
Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City

of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That the City of San Diego, California lease for the term of one year, with the privilege of three years, from J. N. Sefton that certain Lot, Piece or parcel of land and improvements thereon, situated in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California and more particularly described as follows, to wit: The South One half $\{S\frac{1}{2}\}$ of Lot "H" in Block No Ten $\{10\}$ of Hortons Addition to the said City of San Diego with the improvements thereon, for the sum of Thirty $\{30\}$ dollars per month, payable monthly in warrants drawn upon the Public Building Fund of said City, for the use of the Fire Department of said City.

Section 2. That the Mayor of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease for and on behalf, and in the name and as the act and deed of the said City of San Diego, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to attest the execution of said lease by affixing thereto his Signature and the official seal of said City.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance providing and authorizing the purchase of Right of Way for the extension of the India Street road ~~was~~ read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates, Frevert, Frary, Whitson, Hakes, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Noes - None

Absent. Delegates, Barnes, Thorp, Landis and Francisco.

Said Ordinance is as follows.

Ordinance No 617.

An Ordinance providing and authorizing the purchase of a Right of Way for the Extension of the India Street Road.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council

of the City of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That the City Attorney of the said City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby directed and authorized to purchase for and on behalf of the said City of San Diego, a Right of Way for a Public Highway sixty (60) feet in width, through Block 517, block 538 and block 544 of Old Town, in the said City of San Diego, as shown upon the plat prepared and furnished by the City Engineer of the said City of San Diego to the Common Council on the 20th of February 1899, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego. Enrolled, "Communication City Engineer in re, India Street Road". Referred Joint Street Committee by Council February 20th 1899, provided that the expense of so purchasing said Right of Way does not exceed the sum of \$105⁰⁰ for the Right of Way through the said three blocks.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage and approval.

An Ordinance authorizing certain construction and grading of a public roadway within said City of San Diego under the supervision of the Board of Public Works was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Frevert - Frary - Whitson
Haker. Wright - Morgan - Lambert, Doddridge, Urban
Williamson - James, and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent. Delegates Barnes. Thorpe, Landis
and Francisco.

Said Ordinance is as follows -

Ordinance No 618.

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.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That the following public work with

in said City of San Diego be and the same is hereby authorized by the Common Council of the said City to be done under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said City to wit: The construction and grading of a public roadway for a wagon road 24 feet in width, commencing at the northerly terminus of the grading now being done by John Englebert on the northerly extension of the India Street road to wit: On the South line of Witherby Street at its intersection with Fourth Street in Middletown in the said City of San Diego, thence running in a North Westerly direction diagonally across blocks 544, 538, and 517 of Old Town to the intersection of the centre line of Congress Street with the centre line of Ampudia Street in Old Town, in the City of San Diego, as shown by a plat thereof prepared by the City Engineer of said City of San Diego and on file in the office of the Clerk of said City of San Diego, Endorsed, "Communication City Engineer in re India Street Road". Referred Joint Street Committee by Council February 20th 1899, to which reference is hereby made for further particulars.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered and directed as soon as the said City of San Diego shall have acquired a Right of Way through the said blocks 517, 538, and 544 of Old Town for said road, to advertise for bids and let a contract for the performance of the above named public work and cause the same to be performed, provided that the cost thereof does not exceed the sum of 306⁶⁰/₁₀₀ dollars.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

At this time Delegate Stokes is excused from further attendance.

An Ordinance regulating the Sanitary construction of sewers and the connections thereto is read to the Board and on motion the same was referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

The communication of the City Attorney transferring an Ordinance covering a petition requesting a deed be executed by the City to one F. J. Proctor for lots in Seaman and Choates Addition is read and on motion the same was received ~~and~~ filed. And it is further ordered that the Ordinance be referred back to the City Attorney for the purpose of ascertaining if any Delinquent Taxes are due on said lots.

An Ordinance establishing the grade of "F" Street from Fourteenth Street to Eighteenth Street was read and on motion the same was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye Delegates, Greent, Frary, Whitson, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Urban, Williamson, James and Perrin.

Nays - None

Absent Delegates Barnes, Hakes, Thorp-Landis and Francisco.

Said Ordinance is as follows.

Ordinance No 619.

An Ordinance establishing the grade of "F" Street in the City of San Diego, California, from and including the East line of Fourteenth Street to and including the West line of Eighteenth Street.

Be It Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That the grading of "F" Street in the City of San Diego, California, from and including the East line of Fourteenth (14) Street, to and including the West line of Eighteenth (18) Street be and the same is hereby established as follows.

The elevation of the points herein named to be above the datum line of levels fixed by Ordinance No 3 of the Ordinances of the said City of San Diego, entitled "An Ordinance establishing a datum line for the grading of streets in the City of San Diego, State of California, and providing for the manner of establishing grades by Ordinance." Approved June 30th 1886 shall be and are hereby fixed as follows.

At the North East corner of "F" Street and Fourteenth (14) Street Forty Eight (48) Feet.

At the South East corner of "F" street and Fourteenth <14> street Forty eight <48> feet.

At the South East corner of "F" street and Fifteenth <15> street Forty three <43> feet.

At the North East corner of "F" street and Fifteenth <15> street Forty three <43> feet.

At the South West corner of "F" street and Fifteenth <15> street Forty three <43> feet.

At the North West corner of "F" street and Fifteenth <15> street Forty three <43> feet.

At the South East corner of "F" street and Sixteenth <16> street Fifty two and fifty hundredths <52.50> feet.

At the North East corner of "F" street and Sixteenth <16> street Fifty two and fifty hundredths <52.50> feet.

At the South West corner of "F" street and Sixteenth <16> street, Fifty one and fifty hundredths <51.50> feet.

At the North West corner of "F" street and Sixteenth <16> streets Fifty one one and fifty hundredths <51.50> feet.

At the South East corner of "F" street and Seventeenth <17> street Sixty seven feet.

At the North East corner of "F" street and Seventeenth <17> street Sixty seven feet.

At the South West corner of "F" street and Seventeenth <17> street Sixty six <66> feet.

At the North West corner of "F" street and Seventeenth <17> street Sixty six <66> feet.

At the South West corner of "F" street and Eighteenth <18> street Seventy feet.

At the North West corner of "F" street and Eighteenth <18> street Seventy <70> feet.

The grading of said "F" street between the point fixed by this Ordinance shall be of uniform ascent and descent and that the center line of said portion of said "F" street shall have an average elevation of the opposite curb grades.

Section 2. That all Ordinances, or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 4. That the said Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City to wit: The San Diegoan Sun.

The petitions for Low Arm Electric Lights to be placed at the corner of First and Ash Streets, C and Second Streets, and C and Front Streets were read and on motion the same were referred to the Electric Light Committee.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of March is read and on motion is ordered filed.

The report of the Auditor for the month of March showing the condition of the various funds is on motion ordered filed.

The report of the Pound Keeper for the month of March 1899 is read and on motion the same is ordered filed.

The communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners requesting that the House occupied by the Hook and Ladder on 9th Street between E and I Streets be advertising for sale, for the reason that said premises will soon be vacated by the Fire Department, was read and on motion the same is ordered filed. It is further ordered that the City Attorney prepare an Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to sell said building.

The Joint Resolution authorizing the payment of claim of Jesse F. Culton for the sum of \$220.00 for sewer in Alley in Block No 7 of Dues and Chasey Addition was read and on motion the same was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye Delegates Frevert, Frary, Whitson, Wright, Morgan, Landert, Soddridge, Urban, James, Williamson and Perrin.

Noes. None

Absent. Delegates Barnes, Hakes-Thorp-Laudis and Francisco.

Said Resolution reads as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No 1123 1/2.

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

That the claim of Jesse F. Cullton No 5489 for the sum of \$220.00 for about 400 feet of sewer in Alley in Block No 7 of Bred and Chases Addition to San Diego, at \$100 per foot, credit given for \$180.00 received from adjoining lot owners, be allowed and that the Auditing Committee of the said City of San Diego, be and said Auditing Committee is hereby authorized and directed to allow said claim, and to authorize the issuance of a warrant therefor.

The Clerk presents the affidavits of publication and posting of Resolution of Intention to grade "B" Street from the centre line of 21st Street to the West line of 25th Street, Also the affidavits of publication and posting of notice of the passage of said Resolution of Intention which affidavits were ordered filed.

Whereupon a Resolution ordering the work of grading "B" Street from the centre line of 21st Street to the West line of 25th Street was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye Delegates Frevert, Frary-Whitson
Might-Lambert-Doddridge-Urban-Williamson-
James and Perin.

Noes Delegate Morgan

Absent Delegates Barnes-Hakes-Thorp-Laudis and Francisco.

Said Resolution is as follows

Resolution ordering the work of Grading "B" Street in the City of San Diego, California from the centre line of Twenty first (21) Street to the West line of Twenty fifth (25) Street.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California that the public interest and convenience of said City require

that the street work hereinafter described, be done, and therefore the said Common Council hereby orders the following street work to be done in said City to wit:

That, that portion of **B** Street in the said City of San Diego, California, from the centre line of Twenty first Street <21> to the West line of Twenty fifth <25> Street and the side walks thereof, and including all intersections of streets between said points, be graded to the official grade thereof, in accordance with the specifications therefor, as contained in Ordinance 349 of the Ordinances of said City of San Diego, approved February 11th 1896. The San Diegoan Sun a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution ordering work, and the notice of said work inviting sealed proposals for doing the same, shall be published in the manner and form and by the persons required by law.

The Clerk of this City is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the Chamber door of said Common Council a notice with specifications inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work, and said Clerk is hereby directed to publish, for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose. Said Clerk is also hereby directed to publish this Resolution ordering work for two days in the manner required by law in said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

An Ordinance fixing the compensation of William Rumsey an employee in the office of the City Engineer was read and on motion the same was referred to the Joint Finance Committee.

The petition of Mrs Jessie Dittenhafer asking for a reduction in her Retail Liquor License was read and on motion the same was referred to the Health and Morals Committee.

The report of the committee on Ways and Means to which was referred the claim of J. Holland for damages to his horse resulting from an injury for the sum of \$20⁰⁰ was read and on motion said report was adopted.

Said report is as follows.

The Ways and Means Committee recommend that \$20⁰⁰ be allowed the within petitioner as damages for injury to his horse, upon his presenting a sworn statement that his horse was injured, and also a sworn statement of one witness.

A. G. Nason

J. G. Ingle

Geo. B. Watson

E. H. Wright

J. W. Barnes.

~~The report of the Joint Street Committee to which was referred the proposition of a roadway at intersection of D and 18th streets was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit.~~

~~Aye - Delegates Fiebert, Gary - Whitson
Wright - Morgan, Lambert - Doddridge - Urban -
Williamson - James - and Perrin.~~

~~Noes - None~~

~~Absent - Delegates Barnes - Hakes - Thorp
Laudis - and Francisco.~~

The Clerk presents the affidavit of publication of Resolution of Intention to sidewalk and curb D Street from the East line of 13th Street to the West line of 21st Street including all intersections of streets between said points, Also the affidavit of the Clerk of the posting of the Resolution of Intention to Sidewalk and Curb D Street between said points, Also the affidavit of publication of the notice of Intention to sidewalk and curb said street between said points.

Also the affidavit of posting notices along said D Street and between said points. On motion said affidavits are ordered filed.

Whereupon a Resolution ordering that sidewalking and curbing of D Street from the East line of 13th Street to the West line of 21st Street was

read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye Delegates Truett. Gray. Whitson
Wright-Morgan. Lambert. Doddridge. Urban
Williamson, James and Perrin.

Now none

Absent Delegates Barnes-Hales-Thorp-
Laudis and Francis.

Said Resolution is as follows.

Resolution ordering the work of sidewalking and curbing D Street in the City of San Diego, California from the East line of Thirteenth Street (13) to the West line of Twentyfourth (24) Street.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, California that the public interest and convenience of said City require that the street work hereinafter described be done, and therefore the said Common Council hereby orders the following street work to be done in said City to wit:

That that portion of "D" Street, in the said City of San Diego from the East line of Thirteenth Street, to the West line of Twentyfourth Street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said "D" and intersections between said points as have already been sidewalked with concrete laid to the official grade and accepted, and also excepting such portions of said "D" Street and intersections between said points as are occupied by a wooden bridge) be sidewalked on both sides thereof, with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Article 2 of Ordinance No 226 of the Ordinances No. 472, approved August 10th, 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 472, approved November 17th 1897

And also that that portion of said "D" Street, from the East line of Thirteenth Street to the West line of Twenty-fourth Street, including all intersections of streets between said points (excepting such portions of said "D" Street and intersections between said points as

have already been curbed with concrete or natural stone laid to the official grade and accepted, and also excepting such portions of said "D" Street and intersections between said points as are occupied by a wooden bridge) be curbed on both sides thereof, with concrete, in accordance with specifications therefor, as contained in Section I Article I of Ordinance No. 226 of the ordinances of said City, approved August 15th, 1893.

The San Diegoan-Dim, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this ^{resolution} ordering work, and the notices of said work inviting sealed proposals for doing the same, shall be published, in the manner and form, and by the persons required by law.

The Clerk of this city is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the chamber door of said Common Council, a notice with specifications inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said Clerk is hereby directed to publish, for two days, in the manner and form required by law, a notice of said work, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the same, and referring to the specifications posted or on file, in the said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

Said Clerk is also hereby directed to publish this resolution ordering work, for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated as aforesaid for that purpose.

A communication from the city atty in the matter of the protest of J. B. Boyd admr. against the grading of B. Street was read and ordered filed.

After first giving due notice President Perrin did in open session sign the following ordinances

Fix Compensation of Members of Bd of Equalization

Prohibiting destruction of Property in Parks

Lease Building from T. G. Clark for Fire Department

Lease Building from J. H. Defton for Fire Department

Providing for Purchase of Right of Way for Old Town Road

Board of Public Works complete Old Town Road

Establishing the grade of "F" street from 14th to 18th sts.

There upon the board adjourned until Monday April 17th, 1899 at 7³⁰ P.M.

M. J. Perrin
Pres. of Board of Delegates

Attest
Geo. D. Lachman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting

Council Chamber board of delegates
of the City of San Diego, California
April 17th 1899

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting was held
this day at 7:30 P.M.

Present Delegates Presert, Barnes, Frary, Morgan, Stakes, Thorp,
Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis,
Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin
Eng. Clerk Goldmant Absent delegates Whitson & Francisco

The reading of the ^{meeting} motion was
dispensed with

The appointment of John Burk
as a member of Board of Public Commis-
sioners having been laid over from last
meeting was now taken up and on
motion of delegate Wright said
appointment was confirmed by the
following vote to wit -

Aye & Delegate. Presert, Barnes, Frary, Stakes,
Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Landis,
Urban, Williamson, James & Perrin
No. Delegate Doddridge
Absent. Delegate Whitson & Francisco

The report of the Joint Sewer Committee
to whom was referred the recommendation of
the Board of Public Works in re. extension
of the Ninth ward sewer was read and
adopted viz -

The Joint Sewer Committee recommends
that the sewer in the Ninth ward be
extended 80 ft. further east, as recommended
by the Board of Public Works, we therefore
recommend the adoption of the accom-
panying ordinance.

A. Beard.

A. E. Hodson.

A. L. Presert.

A. H. Doddridge

J. M. Williamson

April, 3rd 1899

Thereupon an ordinance providing for the extension of said sewer was read and adopted by the following vote
 Aye. Ernest Barnes, Harry Stokes, Thorp
 Wright Morgan Lambert, Doddridge
 Landis, Urban, Williamson, James
 Curran.

Oppose ... Stone

Absent. Whitson ^{and} Francisco

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows

Ordinance No 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.

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

Section 1. That the following work is hereby authorized to be done within the City of San Diego, California, under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of said city, to-wit:-

The construction of a sewer along the center line of Union Street, in the city of San Diego, California, from the center line of Twenty-seventh (27) Street Easterly for a distance of Eighty (80) feet. Said Sewer to be constructed of a vitrified stone pipe, four (4) inches in diameter, and to be laid to the grade to be established by the City Engineer of said City San Diego, California.

Section 2. That the said Board of Public Works be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract for the construction of said sewer, and to cause said sewer to be constructed, provided that the said sewer shall not exceed in cost the sum of \$8000.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage and approval

The report of the Joint Denver committee to who was referred the petition to lay a sewer in Dry Lane to wit —

The Joint Denver committee recommends that the following application of K. O. Session to lay a 6 inch sewer in Dry Lane between Fifth ^{and} Sixth streets, ~~be~~ granted. We further recommend that said sewer be constructed under the supervision of the Superintendent of Sewers, ^{and} that it become a part of the sewerage system of the City; that at some future time the City reimburse K. O. Session for the amount expended in the construction of said public sewer

A. Beard

W. E. Elodson

W. L. Everett

J. M. Williamson

April 10th 1899

Thereupon Joint resolution authorizing the construction of the above work was read and adopted by the following vote

Aye. Delegate Furert, Barnes, Triary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Loddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Perrin.

Noes None

Absent. Delegate Whitson, Francisco

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1134

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows,

That permission be and the same is hereby given to Miss K. O. Session to connect with the Fifth Street sewer ^{and} construct a six (6) inch sewer on Dry Lane from Sixth (6) Street to Fifth 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 sewers to be constructed of Six (6) inch vitrified stone pipe

The report of Joint Sewer Committee recommending the claim of H. H. Frost was read ^{and} adopted.

At this time Delegate Francisco enters ^{and} takes his seat in the board

The report of Health ^{and} morals committee to whom was referred the Ordinance requiring owners, occupants ^{and} persons having possession ^{and} control of premises within the limits of the City to conform to certain sanitary regulations have reported as follows.

We have amended Section 1 of said Ordinance by striking out the words "(or occupant)" in the first line of said Section; by changing the word "fifteen" to "thirty" in the fifth line, ^{and} by inserting in the eighth line the words "persons having care ^{and} control" in place of the word "occupant." These amendments relieve the occupants of premises from liability ^{and} increase the time for making sewer connections from 15 to 30 days.

We herewith present an Ordinance in accordance with said amendments ^{and} recommend that the same be adopted

A. Beard.

A. E. Dodson.

J. M. Williamson
H. H. Whitson.

April 13th 1899

The report of the Joint Health ^{and} Morals committee was then read ^{and} adopted by the following vote to wit.

City Delegate Everett, Barnes, Gray, Stokes, Thorp.
Bright Morgan Lambert Doddridge
Landis Urban Williamson James
Francisco, Perrin

Store Stone

Absent Delegate Whitson

Said Ordinance No 620 adopted is as follows.

An ordinance regarding owners and persons having possession and control of premises within the limits of the City of San Diego, California, to conform to certain sanitary regulations, and prescribing certain regulations for the protection of sewers within said city, and prescribing a penalty for the breach of said regulations.

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

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for the owner or person having the care and control of any building, any portion of which is used for any purpose during any portion of the day, to fail to have at least one water closet connected with the public sewer, thirty days after notification from Board of Health Officer, and to fail to have such water closet suitably arranged for use as a urinal ~~in place of a separate urinal~~ is provided: also for the owner or person having care and control of any building in which food is cooked or clothing is washed, to fail to have a suitable sink, slop stone or hopper for the reception of waste matter; provided however, that if the water closet is of the kind suited to such use it may receive the waste water, and the sink, slop stone or hopper may be dispensed with; provided that this section shall not apply to any building located upon any lot which does not front upon a street or abutt upon an alley in which there is a public sewer.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to throw or to allow to be thrown or deposited on the surface of the ground, or in any hole or ravine in or under the surface of the ground, in the sewerage portion of the City, except in the proper and necessary manuring of the soil, any

water that has been used for domestic purposes or any liquid or soil filth, or faeces, or urine; also to throw or deposit, or cause or permit to be thrown or deposited, in any vessel or receptacle connected with the public sewer, any garbage, hair, ashes, fruit, or vegetables, peelings, or refuse, rags, cotton, cinders, or any matter or things whatever, except faeces, urine, the necessary closet papers, and liquid house slops.

Section 3. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, or imprisoned in the City Jail not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 5. That the City Clerk of said City be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same 10 times in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diego Sun.

The report of the Health & Morals committee to whom was referred the claim of Mrs Lizzie Love as nurse in a quarantine house was read.

At this point delegate Frary was excused.

On motion of delegate Barnes the report together with the claim of Mrs Lizzie Love was referred to the Board of Health for further investigation.

The report of the Joint Police committee to whom was referred the communication from the Police commissioners for the authority to expend money was read & the following report was adopted to wit—

The Joint Police committee recommends that the within request of the Board of Police Commissioners for authority to expend money for certain purpose be denied.

Geo. B. Watson.
 A. Beard
 L. A. Blochman.
 A. W. Thorpe.
 H. H. Whitson
 F. A. James.

April 13th 1899

The following report of the special committee to whom was referred the matter of publishing the city ordinances of the City & Charter in book form was read and adopted to wit —

The special committee to whom was referred the matter of publishing the ordinances of the City, and the Charter in book form, herein recommends that the matter of publishing the ordinances be referred to the City Clerk and City Attorney to investigate and report as to the cost; and that the Board of Public Works be directed to have printed 250 copies of the City Charter.

We therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying ordinance

Geo B Watson
 H E Hodson
 A. Beard
 H. H. Doddridge
 W. L. Presert.

April 13th 1899

Ordinance No 623

An ordinance providing for the printing of two hundred and fifty copies of the Charter of the City of San Diego California.

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 said City of San Diego be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized

and directed to advertise for bids and let a contract to advertise for bids and let a contract for the printing of Two hundred and fifty (250) copies of the Charter of the City of San Diego in pamphlet form, providing that the expense thereof does not exceed the sum of \$1.00.00

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego, California, be and he is hereby authorized and directed immediately after the approval of this ordinance, publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to-wit The San Diego Sun.

Said above recorded ordinance was adopted by the following vote to-wit.

Ayes Delegate Furber, Barnes, Staker, Thorp
Wright, Morgan, Lambeth, Loddridge
Landis, Urban, Williamson, James
Francisco, Cerrin

Noes None

Absent. Delegate Mary E. Whitson

Joint Resolution No 1130

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, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have a low arc electric light placed at the intersection of Tenth and E. streets

Said above joint resolution was adopted by the following votes to-wit

Ayes Delegate Furber, Barnes, Gray, Staker
Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Loddridge
Landis, Urban, Williamson, James
Francisco, Cerrin

Noes None

Absent. Delegate Mary E. Whitson

A Joint Resolution to pay Thos Halland \$20.00 for damages in the loss of a horse by breaking in street plume was laid over for one week.

~~A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase a typewriting desk for city clerk was read and adopted by the following vote to wit:~~

~~Ayes Delegal, Preserth, Barnes, Stokes, Thorp, Knight, Morgan, Lambert, Loddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin~~

~~Noes Stone~~

~~Absent Delegate Frary, 2nd Whitson~~

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that it be allowed to purchase tax receipts was read & adopted.

A Joint resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase tax receipts was granted as follows to wit: Ayes Delegal, Preserth, Barnes, Stokes, Thorp, Knight, Morgan, Lambert, Loddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin

Noes Stone

Absent Delegates Frary 2nd Whitson

Joint Resolution No 1131

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 the purchase 11,000 tax certificates, or tax receipts, for use of the City Tax Collector.

* A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that the City Council authorize the purchase of a typewriting desk for the City Clerk.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the

Board of Public Works to purchase a type-writing desk for City Clerk was read and adopted by the following vote to-wit:

Types Delegate Everett, Barnes, Hakee,
Thorp, Wright, Morgan, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson,
James, Francisco, Perini.

Does Stone

Absent Delegate Fraryrd Whitson

Joint Resolution No 1183

Be it resolved, by the common City 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 purchase a type-writing desk for use in the City Clerk office, provided the cost of the same is not to exceed the sum of Thirty-five dollars \$35.00

A communication from the Board of Public Works recommending that the plowing and cultivating of the Howard Tract & Ladies Annex is useless on account of it being impossible the dryness of grounds was read & ordered filed.

The statement of the Board of Public Works showing an itemized account of the expenses for the various departments of the city was presented and ordered filed.

A communication from Dr. Perry Lewis was received asking for a leave of absence for 30 days dating from May 15th 1899 was read & granted.

A communication from the City attorney relative to the proposition of the City accepting One dollar (\$1.00) as full payment for all delinquent taxes due on Block Eight (8) in the Middletown Addition to the City of San Diego. He moved report that such proposition be denied.

A communication from the City Attorney relative to transmitting a deed to certain property in Seaman & Choates addition was read.

Thereupon the Mayor was given the authority to execute a quit claim deed to F. T. Proctor, ~~the following ordinance authorizing the same by the following vote to wit.~~
 City Delegate Forest, Barnes, Stokes, Wright, Morgan, Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James, Francisco, Perrin.

Does Stone

Excused Delegate Thorp.

Absent Delegate Harry ^{and} Whitson
 Ordinance No. 621

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor of the City of San Diego, California, to execute a quit claim deed in the name and as the act and deed of the said City of San Diego, to F. T. Proctor to certain property in Seaman & Choates Addition

Whereas, it appears from the records and proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the said City of San Diego, that at an auction sale of certain City lots held in the said City of San Diego on the 13th day of February, 1868, that the S. W. corner of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred sixty-one (1161) of the Pueblo Lands of said City, containing Forty (40) acres, was sold to Franklin A. Gregory at and for the price of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), and that in the deed executed by the said Board of Trustees to the said Franklin A. Gregory therefor, the said property was described as "The S. W. corner of lot 1161", without specifying the number of acres intended to be conveyed; and

Whereas, Lots Fifteen (15) to Seventeen (17) inclusive, in Block Two hundred eighty-seven (287); Lots Thirty (30) to thirtythree (33) inclusive, in Block Two hundred eighty-eight (288); Lots One (1) to seven (7) inclusive, in block Two hundred eighty-nine, Lot Three (3) and seven (7) to Fourteen (14) in Block Two hundred ninety (290); Lots Eight (8) Nine (9) and Ten (10) in Block Two-

hundred ninety one {291}, Loss thirty four {34} and Thirty-five {35} in Block Two hundred ninety-one and one-half {291 1/2}, Loss Twenty-eight {28} to Thirty-seven {37} inclusive, in Block Three hundred nine {309}, all in Peaman and Choates Addition to the said City of San Diego, being a subdivision of the S. W. 1/4 of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred sixty-one 1161 have been conveyed by mesne conveyance from the said Franklin A. Gregory to F. T. Procter.

Whereas, as it appears from the records and proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the said City of San Diego, had on the 5th day of June, 1868, that the S. W. corner of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred fifty three {1153} of the Pueblo Lands of said City, containing forty {40} acres, was sold to David Ward Briant, and that in the deed executed by the said Board of Trustees to the said David Ward Briant therefor, the said property is described as follows: "The S. W. corner of Lot 1153", without specifying the number of acres intended to be conveyed; and

Whereas, Loss Twenty-three {23} and Twenty-four {24} and Twenty-nine {29} to Thirty-two {32} inclusive, in Block Seventy-seven {77}, Loss One {1} to Ten {10} inclusive, in Block Three hundred twenty-one {321} all in Peaman and Choates Addition to the said City of San Diego, being a subdivision of the S. W. 1/4 of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred fifty three {1153}, have been conveyed by mesne conveyance from the said David Ward Briant to F. T. Procter; and

Whereas, the said F. T. Procter has made application by petition to this Common Council for a Quit Claim deed to all the said Loss in the said Peaman and Choates Addition, heretofore described for the purpose of curing the said defects in the said title thereto, and

Whereas, it appears that the said City has no right, title or interest in or to said lands, or any of them,

Therefore be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows.

Section 1 That the Mayor of said City be and he is hereby authorized empowered and directed
(over)

to execute, acknowledge and deliver to the said F. T. Procter a quit claim deed in the name, and on the behalf and as the act and deed of the said City of San Diego for the following described lands or parcels, situated in the City of San Diego County of San Diego State of California, more particularly described as follows to wit:

Lots Fifteen (15) to Pernteen (17) inclusive, in Block Two hundred eighty seven (287), Lots Thirty (30) to Thirty three (33) inclusive, in Block Two hundred eighty nine (289), Lot Three and Seven 7 to Fourteen (14) in Block Two hundred ninety (290), Lots Eight (8), Nine (9) and Ten (10) in Block Two hundred ninety one (291), Lots Thirty four (34) and Thirty five (35) in Block in Block Two hundred and ninety one and half (291 1/2), Lots Twenty-eight (28) to Thirty seven (37) inclusive, in Block Three hundred nine (309) all in Deamans^{2nd} Choates Addition to the said City of San Diego, being a subdivision of the S. W. 1/4 of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred sixty one (1161), and

Lots twenty-three (23) and Twenty four (24) and Twenty nine (29) to Thirty two (32) inclusive, in Block Twenty seven (27), Lots one (1) to Ten (10) inclusive, in Block Three hundred twenty one (321), all in Deaman^{2nd} Choates Addition to the said City of San Diego, being a subdivision of the S. W. 1/4 of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred fifty three (1153)

Which deed shall contain the recital that it is made pursuant to this ordinance and given to correct a defect and supply omissions in the description in a deed made by the said City of San Diego by and through its Board of Trustees to Franklin St. Gregory, bearing date February 26th 1868, and recorded in Book Three (3) of Deeds of Records in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Diego at page Thirty five (35); and also to correct defect and supply omissions in the description in a deed made

by said City by and through its Board of Trustees, to David Ward Biant, bearing date 12th day of November, 1868, and recorded in Book Three (3) of Records in the office of the County Recorder of the said county of San Diego, State of California, at page Three hundred eighteen (318)

Which deed shall also recite that said deed shall not convey any interest ~~in which the~~ city has acquired in said property by virtue of any tax lien for delinquent municipal taxes.

Which said deed shall, before delivery to the said F. P. Crocker, be attested by the clerk of the said City, with the seal of the said City affixed thereto; and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to attest the execution of the said deed by affixing thereto his signature and the official seal of said City.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Section 3. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby authorized and directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance to publish, or cause to be published the same once in the City official newspaper, to wit, the San Diego Sun

An Ordinance directing the Board of Public Works to sell the Building on Ninth street bet St. & D used as a Stock & Ladder house was read & adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes Delegats Everett, Barnes, Stokes, Thorpe, Wright, Morgan, Lamberth, Goodridge, Laniel, Urban, Williamson James, Frances, Perrin
Stoes Stone

Absent Delegates Frary & Whitson

Said Ordinance is as follows

Ordinance No 622

An Ordinance providing for the sale of certain building belonging to the City of San Diego, California.

Whereas, It is deemed by the Common Council that that certain building located on Lot "I" in Block 10 mety - min (99) of Horton's Addition to the

City of San Diego, California, and formerly used by the Fire Department of the said City of San Diego, as a house for the Hook ^{2nd} Ladder wagon, team ^{2nd} driver, is now wholly unfit and unnecessary for the further use of the said City of San Diego.

Therefore 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 said City of San Diego, California, be and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, after advertising for five (5) days, the said building.

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

Section 3. That the City Clerk of said City be and the said City Clerk is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this ordinance, to publish the same Three (3) times in the official newspaper of said City, to wit, The San Diego Sun

A Joint Resolution recommending the Board of Public Works to locate new fire alarm box & move one from old Barr house was read and adopted by the following vote to wit.

Ayes Delegates Theriot, Barnes, Frary, Stokes
Thorp, Wright Morgan Lambert. Sloddrige
Landis Urban Williamson James
Francisco, Perrin

Noes None

Absent Delegates Frary ^{2nd} Whitson

Said Resolution is as follows

Joint Resolution No 1132

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 purchase necessary wire & etc to move the Fire Alarm Box now located

at the Old Parer House of the Citizens Traction Company to the Southwest corner of Fourth Street and Walnut Avenue and place a new Fire alarm Box near 4th & University or 5th & University, which ever the Fire Commissioners recommend.

Petition of property owners to close portions of Palston and Bancroft in Wetmore and Danborne Addition was referred to the Joint Street Committee.

After giving due notice in open session did sign the following notice in:
Directing the Board of Public Works to sell at auction house on Ninth Street used as a Stock and Ladder House

Ordinance authorizing Mayor to execute joint claim deed for property in Seaman & Choate Addition

Ordinance regulating connections with and protection of sewers

Ordinance ordering the extension of the Ninth Ward sewer

Ordinance ordering the Board of Public Works to have printed city charters.

At this point Delegate Whitson enters.

Delegate Hakes was excused

On motion of Delegate James the board adjourned for one week April 24th 1899

M. J. Gurin
Pres. of Board of Delegates

Attest
Geo. J. Goldman
City Clerk

Adjourned Meeting.

Council Chamber of the Board of
Delegates of the City of San Diego,
California, April 24th, 1899.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting of the Board of Delegates was held this day at 7:30 P. M., President Perrin presiding.

Present-Delegates Barnes, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Lambert,
Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James,
Perrin and Clerk Goldman.

Absent-Delegates Everett, Erary, Whitson, Morgan and
Francisco.

The minutes of Regular Meeting held March 6th, 1899, of
Adjourned Meeting held March 20th, 1899, of Regular Meeting held April
3^d, 1899, and of Adjourned Meetings held April 4th and 5th, 1899, were read and
approved.

At this time delegates Francisco enters and take
their seats in the Board.

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held April 10th, 1899, were
read and approved.

At this time Delegates Erary and Morgan enter and take
their seats in the Board.

The minutes of Adjourned Meeting held April 17th, 1899, were
read and approved.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of
paving the south side of the Plaza and a portion of Third street was read
and on motion of delegate Morgan adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the Board of
Public Works be instructed to advertise for bids and let a contract for
paving the south side of the Plaza, and for paving Third street from D
street south 145 feet; that the grade of said south side of the Plaza be established
by the City Engineer; that the gutter on the south side of the Plaza and the
west side of Third street be paved with Belgian blocks; that the ordinance
directing the work to be done contain the specifications for said work; and the
grade of the south side of the Plaza.

S. W. Hacklett, M. H. Doddridge,

A. E. Dodson, A. Morgan.

A. Beard,

April 21st, 1899.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee in the matter of the petition of Napoleon Boulanger and Otto M. Schmidt to have portions of Ralston and Bancroft streets in Wetmore & Sanborn's addition, closed, was read and adopted, viz:

The Joint Street Committee recommends that the within petition to close portions of Ralston and Bancroft streets in Wetmore & Sanborn's addition, be granted; we therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying Resolutions.

S. W. Hackett,
A. E. Dodson,
A. Beard,
W. H. Doddridge,
A. Morgan.

April 21st, 1899.

Thereupon a Resolution declaring Intention to order the closing up of a portion of Bancroft street in Wetmore & Sanborn's addition was read and adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes - Delegates Barnes, Frary, Hakes, Thorp, Wright, Morgan,
Lambert, Doddridge, Landis, Urban, Williamson, James,
Francisco and Perrin.

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Brewster and Whitson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows, viz:

Resolution declaring Intention

To order the closing up of that portion of Bancroft street in the City of San Diego, California, from the south line of Ralston street, in Wetmore & Sanborn's addition to the City of San Diego, California, south for a distance of one hundred fifty (150) feet; said addition being located in the southwest quarter (S.W. 1/4) of Pueblo Lot eleven hundred sixty (1160) of the pueblo lands of the City of San Diego, California.

Resolved, By the common Council of the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, that the common Council of the said City of San Diego, deeming it to be required by the public interest and convenience, hereby declares its intention to order the following street work to be done in said city to-wit: The closing up of that portion of Bancroft Street in the City of San Diego, California, located and situated between the south line of Ralston Street and a point one hundred fifty (150) feet south of the said south line of Ralston street in Wetmore & Sanborn's Addition to the said City of San Diego, California, located and situated in the South West quarter (S.W. 1/4) of Pueblo Lot Eleven Hundred Sixty of the Pueblo Lands of the said City of San Diego, California. That it is not deemed necessary that any land be taken

in closing up said portion of said Bancroft Street.

That the exterior boundaries of the district of lands hereby established, and the exterior boundaries of the district of lands hereby declared to be affected and benefitted by the said work or improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereto are described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point where the South line of Ralston Street intersects the East line of the said Bancroft Street, thence running at right angles East along the said South line of Ralston Street for a distance of one hundred $\langle 100 \rangle$ feet, thence running at right angles South for a distance of one hundred fifty $\langle 150 \rangle$ feet; thence running at right angles West to a point one hundred $\langle 100 \rangle$ feet West of the West line of the said Bancroft Street; thence running at right angles North to a point on the South line of the said Ralston Street one hundred $\langle 100 \rangle$ feet West of the point where the West line of the said Bancroft Street intersects the said South line of Ralston Street, thence running at right angles East along the said South line of Ralston Street to the place of beginning.

That the San Diego Sun a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city is hereby designated as the newspaper in which the Street Superintendent of the said City of San Diego shall cause to be published, in the manner and form required by law, notice of the passage of this resolution, and the said Street Superintendent is hereby directed to cause notices of the passage of this resolution to be posted in the manner and form required by law, and to cause a notice similar in substance to be published in said newspaper for a period of ten days, in the manner required by law.

Therefore, a Resolution declaring Intention to order the closing up of a portion of Ralston Street in Watmore & Sanborns Addition was read and adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye - Delegates Barnes - Frary - Hakes - Thorp - Wright - Morgan - Lambert, Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James - Francis - Ferrin

Noes - None.

Absent Delegates Brewster - Whitson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:
Resolution Declaring Intention.

To order the closing up of that portion of Ralston Street

in the City of San Diego, California, from the East line of Thirty Second (32) Street to the West line of Dwinelle Street, in Wetmore & Sanborns Addition to the said City of San Diego, California, located in the South West quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred Sixty (1160) of the Pueblo Lands of the City of San Diego, California.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, that the Common Council of the said City of San Diego, deeming it to be required by the public interest and convenience hereby declares its intention to order the following street works to be done in said city to wit:

The closing up of that portion of Balston Street in the City of San Diego, California, located and situated between the East line of Thirty Second (32) Street and the West line of Dwinelle Street in Wetmore & Sanborns Addition to the said City of San Diego, California, located and situated in the South West quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Pueblo Lot Eleven hundred Sixty (1160) of the Pueblo Lands of the said City of San Diego. That it is not deemed necessary that any land be taken in closing up said portion of said Balston Street.

That the exterior boundaries of the district of lands hereby established, and the exterior boundaries of the district of lands hereby declared to be effected and benefitted by the said work or improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, cost and expenses thereof, are described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point where the North line of Balston Street intersects the East line of the said Thirty Second (32) Street, thence running North along the said East line of Thirty Second (32) Street for a distance of One hundred (100) feet, thence at right angles East to a point on the West line of the said Dwinelle Street One hundred (100) feet North of a point where the West line of Dwinelle Street intersects the North line of the said Balston Street, thence running at right angles South along the West line of the said Dwinelle Street to a point One hundred (100) feet, South of a point where the said West line of Dwinelle Street intersects the South line of the said Balston Street, thence running at right angles West to a

point on the East line of the said Thirty Second <32> street one hundred <100> feet South of the point where the South line of the said Ralston Street intersects the said East line of Thirty Second <32> street, thence running at right angles North along the said East line of Thirty Second <32> street to the point of beginning.

That the San Diego Sun, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which the Street Superintendent of the said City of San Diego shall cause to be published, in the manner and form required by law, notice of the passage of this resolution, and the said Street Superintendent is hereby directed to cause notice of the passage of this resolution to be posted in the manner and form required by law, and to cause a notice similar in substance to be published in said newspaper for a period of ten days, in the manner required by law.

The following report of the Joint Street Committee requesting the San Diego Electric Railway Company to repair their tracks in certain portions of the City is read and adopted.

The Joint Street Committee herewith recommends that the City Clerk be instructed to notify the San Diego Electric Railway Company to fill in all ditches on their right of way on Logan Avenue, First and Fifth streets, so that the streets will be in good condition, and to repair the tracks at the intersections of "Fourth and H" and Sixth and "F" streets.

Respectfully.

D. W. Hackett.

H. E. Dodson.

A. Beard

W. H. Doddridge

A. Morgan

Whereupon a Resolution directing the San Diego Electric Railway Company to repair certain streets on which their tracks are located is read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates - Barnes - Fry - Hakes - Thorp - Wright - Morgan - Lambert - Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James - Francisco and Ferrin.

Noes. None.

Absent Delegates. Frevert and Whitson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows.

Joint Resolution No 1136.

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

That the San Diego Electric Railway Company be and said company is hereby directed and instructed to fill in the ditches in that portion of Fifth Street and First Street and Logan Avenue in the City of San Diego California, covered by its right of way, and also to repair that portion of its right of way at the corner of Sixth and "F" Streets, and Fourth and "H" streets in the said City of San Diego.

That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego California be and he is hereby directed to send a certified copy of this resolution upon the said San Diego Electric Railway Company.

The claim of Dr. J. L. Jones as Quarantine Officer for services rendered was approved and upon motion a Resolution ordering said claim paid was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates. Barnes - Frary - Hakes - Thorpe - Wright. Morgan. Lambert, Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - Francises and Perrin.

Noes - Delegate James.

Absent Delegates Frevert and Whitson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows. to wit:

Joint Resolution No

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

That the claim of Dr. J. L. Jones for \$110.00 as recommended by the Board of Health be allowed and paid.

The communication from the Board of Health transmitting the claim of Mrs Lizzie Love for services as Quarantine Nurse was read and ordered filed.

Delegate Barnes moves that said claim be allowed for \$12.00 as recommended by the Board of Health.

Delegate Morgan moves that said motion be

amended by fixing amount of said claim at \$80⁷⁵ - which motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Thorp - Wright - Morgan - Lambert
Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James - Francisco
Noes. Delegates Barnes - Frary - Hakes and Perrin.
Absent Delegates Frevert and Whitson.

Thereupon the motion of Delegate Barnes was amended and was adopted by the following vote.

Aye Delegates Thorp - Wright - Morgan - Lambert
Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James -
Francisco.

Noes. Delegates Barnes - Frary - Hakes and
Perrin.

Absent Delegates Frevert and Whitson.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution ratifying the claim of Mrs Lizzie Lowe for the sum of \$80⁷⁵ was read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Thorp - Wright - Morgan - Lambert
Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James - and
Francisco.

Noes. Delegates Barnes - Frary - Hakes and
Perrin.

Absent Delegates Frevert and Whitson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No

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

That claim No 5818 for services as nurse at Ormae Fox quarantine house in the sum of \$80⁷⁵ be and the same is hereby ratified and ordered paid in the full amount thereof.

At this time Delegate Frevert enters and takes his seat

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to hereafter in making repairs to bridges within the city limits to cover the said bridges with a covering of bitumen was read and on motion the same was referred to the Joint Street committee.

A Joint Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Public Works to erect a low arm Electric

Light at the corner of Ninth and J Streets was read and on motion of Delegate Williamson was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye - Delegates. Inwert - Barnes - Frary - Hakes - Thorp - Wright - Morgan, Lambert - Doddridge - Landis, Urban - Williamson - James, Francis and Perin.

Nays - None.

Absent Delegate Whitson.

The Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No

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 - California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have a low arm Electric Light placed at the intersection of Ninth and J Streets.

A Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to place a Low Arm Electric Light at the corner of Front & C Streets, and also one at the corner of "B and First" streets is read and on motion was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye Delegates Inwert - Barnes - Frary - Hakes - Thorp - Wright - Morgan - Lambert - Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James - Francis Perin.

Nays - None

Absent Delegate Whitson.

The Resolution as adopted is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No

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, California, be and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to have a Low Arm Electric Light placed at the intersection of Front and C Streets and also to have a Low Arm Electric Light placed at the intersection of First and B Streets.

An Ordinance providing for the Licensing of Runners, Agents and Solicitors of Hotels, Boarding Houses, Inns, Lodging Houses and other places where Board and Lodging are furnished for pay is read and on motion the same is referred to the

Health and Morals Committee.

An Ordinance permitting water rate payers to deduct from amount of bill where water is not furnished between the hours of Five o'clock AM and Eight o'clock PM was read and on motion was referred to the Water Committee.

The Clerk presents the affidavits of publication and posting of Resolution Ordering the grading of "B" Street from the centre line of Twenty first Street to the West line of Twenty fifth Street also the affidavits of Publication of Notice Inviting proposals and the posting of same, which affidavits were ordered filed.

The Clerk reports having received the proposals for the grading of "B" Street from the centre line of Twenty first Street to the West line of Twenty fifth Street the same being as follows to wit:

John Engelbert.

For cut per cubic yard Forty five cents $\langle 0.45 \text{¢} \rangle$

For fill per cubic yard Thirty cents $\langle 0.30 \text{¢} \rangle$.

Whereupon on motion the same is referred to the Street Committee.

The Clerk presents the affidavits of the publication and posting ordering the Sidewalking and curbing of "D" Street from the East line of Fifteenth Street to the West line of Twenty fourth Street also the affidavits of the publication and posting, Inviting proposals for the same, which affidavits were received and ordered filed.

The Clerk reports that no bids were received for the Sidewalking and Curbing of D Street from the East line of Thirteenth Street to the West line of Twenty fourth Street.

An Ordinance providing for the Leasing of Real Estate owned by the City was read and on motion of Delegate Barnes was adopted by the following vote to wit:

Ayr. Delegates Truett. Barnes. Frary. Stokes.
 Thorp. Wright. Morgan. Lambert. Doddridge. Landis.
 Urban. Williamson. James. Francis. and Perrin.
 Noes - None.

Absent Delegate Whitson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows to wit:

Ordinance No

An Ordinance to provide for the leasing of certain Real Estate owned by the City of San Diego, California.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego, as follows.

Section 1. That the City Clerk of said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed and required to sell, at public Auction to the highest bidder, for Cash, after publication of notice thereof for at least three weeks in the City official newspaper of said City to wit: The San Diego Sun, a lease for a period of ten years, for the following described lands owned by said City and situated within the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California and particularly described as follows to wit:

Pueblo Lots 1332 and 1337, the West half of Pueblo Lots 1340-1331-1325-1324-1298-and 1297. and the West six hundred and fifty feet (660 ft) of Pueblo Lot 1333. The said lands to be leased for mining purposes only and any lease executed in pursuance hereof and of such sale shall give the lessee his executors, administrators, and assigns, exclusive right to prospect, develop, work or mine coal, petroleum, or bitumen upon the said lands and to extract the same therefrom, with the right to use such surface ground only of the said lands as may be necessary for conveniently prospecting and mining any such coal, petroleum or bitumen as may be found upon said lands and taking the same therefrom and for necessary buildings for machinery, ware houses and employes engaged in any such mining, and the said lease shall also require that the lessee there-in, in addition to any sum which may be bid at such sale, shall pay to the said City of San Diego the sum of fifteen cents for each ton of coal and ten cents per ton for each ton of bitumen

extracted from said land, and the sum of five cents per barrel for each barrel of petroleum taken from said lands, which payments shall be made monthly on the first day of each and every month.

The said lease shall be for a period of ten years and shall contain a provision that in case the lessee shall fail to discover coal, bitumen or petroleum upon the said lands, in paying quantities, within one year from the date of such lease, or in case of the discovery of any such coal, petroleum or bitumen, if the lessee shall fail to work the same to their fullest capacity, for a period of three consecutive months, that such lease shall immediately terminate and the said City may reenter and take possession of the premises.

Section 2. That the said sale of the lease of such lands shall take place in front of the main entrance to the City Hall of said City, situated on the South West corner of Third and D Streets in said City of San Diego, and at a day and time of day specifying in the notice of such sale, which day shall not be later than forty days subsequent to the approval of this Ordinance, and the said lease shall be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash, and the amount bid shall be due and payable immediately upon the execution and delivery of said lease, as provided for in this Ordinance.

Any lease which may be purchased under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be executed by the Mayor of said City in the name of and as the act and deed of said City and shall be attested by the City Clerk who shall affix the official seal of said City thereto.

Section 3. That the notice of such sale shall be signed and given by the said City Clerk and shall give the time and place of such sale, fixing the hour and the day at which such sale shall take place, which hour shall be between ten o'clock A.M. and three o'clock P.M. of the day upon which such sale is had, and shall also fix the terms and conditions of such sale, as herein provided. Any lease which may be executed hereunder shall not be assigned by the lessee without the consent of the Common Council of said City.

being first had and obtained by Resolution duly passed by said Common Council.

Section 4. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego, after making the sale of such lease shall immediately report the same in writing to the said Common Council giving the name of the purchaser, the amount of the highest and best bid and such other facts as may be necessary to fully inform said Common Council of the proceedings had touching such sale of said lease, and said Common Council shall thereupon by Ordinance approve and confirm such sale of said lease, or disapprove and reject the same.

Section 5. That if such sale be approved by the said Common Council as herein provided and the consideration therefor be paid to the said City of San Diego, the Mayor thereof shall execute the same for and on behalf, and in the name, and as the act and deed of said City.

Section 6. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Section 7. That the City Clerk of the said City of San Diego be and he is hereby directed, immediately after the approval of this Ordinance, to publish the same once in the City official newspaper of said City, to wit, the San Diego Sun.

A communication from the City Attorney transmitting a request of J. W. Weston to retain 4 feet of the South Half of Lot "H" Block 10 of Hoskins Addition for alley way together with an Ordinance providing that the lease for said property be allowed in accordance with said request were presented and referred to the Fire Committee.

After giving due notice President Perrin did in open session sign an Ordinance to Lease certain Real Estate owned by the City for mining purposes.

The communication of Alderman Dodson referring to the sale of Public Lands and applying the revenue of said sale to the improvement of the City Parks is referred to the incoming Council.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution instructing the Joint Public Lands Committee to investigate the advisability of selling the Public Lands and that the proceeds of such sales be applied to Park improvements was read and adopted.

Said Joint Resolution is as follows to wit:

Joint Resolution No 1135.

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

That the joint Public Lands Committee be instructed to investigate the advisability of selling the Public Lands of the City either as a whole or in part, to actual settlers, and that the proceeds from such sales be placed in a fund devoted exclusively for the improvement of the Parks now belonging to the City of San Diego or such Parks as may be hereafter acquired by the said City, and that such joint Committee make such recommendations to the Common Council as they may deem proper pertaining to such subjects.

A Communication from the Board of Public Works referring to the numerous repairs made on the Old Town bridge and requesting authority to lay a strip of Bitumen fourteen feet wide on said bridge in accordance with specifications to be submitted by the City Engineer is read and referred to the Street Committee

A Communication from the City Attorney calling the attention of the Council to an overdraft on the Legal Fund and requesting a transfer of Five Hundred dollars to the Legal Fund from the Delinquent Tax Fund is read and filed.

Thereupon a Joint Resolution directing the City Auditor and City Treasurer to make the necessary entries in their records covering the same and transferring said amount is read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Said Joint Resolution is as follows.

Joint Resolution No

Be it Resolved by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows.

That the sum of \$5,00.00 be and the same is hereby transferred from the Delinquent Tax Fund of the City of San Diego to the Legal Fund of the City of San Diego, and that the Auditor and Treasurer of the said City of San Diego be and they are hereby instructed and directed to make the necessary entries in the records of their respective offices to carry this resolution into effect.

An Ordinance to prevent the obstruction of sidewalks is read and on motion is adopted by the following vote to wit:

Aye. Delegates Frevert. Barnes. Hakes. Thorp. Wright. Lambert. James. Francisco. and Perrin.

Noes. Delegates. Inary. Morgan. Doddridge. Landis. Urban. Williamson.

Absent Delegate Whitson.

Said Ordinance as adopted is as follows.

Ordinance No

An Ordinance to prevent the obstruction of sidewalks in the City of San Diego, California.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of San Diego as follows.

Section 1. That no person shall place or set out for exhibition, show or otherwise, or maintain or allow any goods, wares, merchandise, or boxes upon any sidewalk on Fifth Street South of "B" Street and North of "H" Street within said City of San Diego, in front of his place of business, between the outer edge of such sidewalk and a line thirty inches (30) from and in front of the building in which such business is carried on.

And no goods, wares, merchandise or boxes shall be, by any person, placed or allowed to remain on any sidewalk within said City, between the gutter or outer edge of such sidewalk and a line thirty (30) inches from the front line of the lot where such goods, wares, merchandise, or boxes are placed: Provided, however, that any person, while receiving or delivering goods, wares or merchandise, may permit the same to remain on the sidewalk for a period of three hours between the gutter and a line drawn parallel therewith four feet (4) from the gutter in front of his

store or building

Section 2. That any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding the sum of Fifty Dollars.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

The City Clerk of said City is hereby directed immediately after the approval of this Ordinance to publish the same three times in the City official newspaper of said City to wit, The San Diego Sun.

After giving due notice in open session President Perrin signs the Ordinance to prevent the Obstructions of Sidewalks in the City of San Diego.

Joint Resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase for the City a regulation 18 foot flag and bunting & it read and on motion is adopted by the following vote to wit.

Aye Delegates Frevert - Barnes - Frary Hakes - Thorpe - Wright - Morgan - Lambert - Doddridge - Landis - Urban - Williamson - James - Francisco and Perrins.

Noes - None

Absent. Delegate Wilson.

Said Resolution as adopted is as follows -

Joint Resolution No 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 \$6000

Upon motion of Delegate Barnes it is ordered that the Clerk put the following motion.

That the thanks of the Board be extended to President Perrin for the

courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over the meetings of the Board during the past term. Which motion being put by the Clerk is adopted unanimously.

Delegate Barnes moves that a vote of thanks be extended to Clerk Geo D Goldman for the able and courteous manner in which he has assisted the Board of Delegates during the term, The motion being put was adopted unanimously.

The minutes of this meeting are approved as read.

Whereupon the Board adjourned.

M. J. Quinn
President Board of Delegates.

Attest
Geo. D. Goldman
City Clerk