

Regular Meeting of the City Council  
Austin Texas Jan'y 20<sup>th</sup> 1902  
Hon R.E. White, Mayor, presiding  
Roll called

Present Aldermen Crocker Sims. Low Maddox Nitshke  
Redd. Shelley Shumate Strunoff West 10  
Absent Aldermen Davis Mortimer Schneider 3

On Motion the minutes were approved as recorded by  
the clerk, without reading

Petitions, Memorials etc

By Alderman Low. Petition of Henry Petri asking removal  
of obstructions in E 2nd Street. Read and on motion referred  
to the Street Committee

By the Mayor Communication from Dr Emil Dorn of Chicago  
asking for franchise for an independent Telephone line  
Read and on motion referred to the Street Committee and the  
City Attorney

Alderman Schneider entered the Council Chamber  
On Motion City Engineer Incead was excused from further  
Attendance at this session of the Council

By the Mayor - protest of Jim Moore against granting the  
Petition of Henry Petri and giving his reasons for the said  
protest. Read and on motion referred to the Street Committee

By Alderman Nitshke, proposition of Charles Stephenson to change  
certain streets, also to exchange certain lands necessary to  
make such change. Read and on motion referred to the  
Street Committee

By Alderman Redd Petition of J. B. Young asking to have  
certain found fees refunded. Read and on motion  
referred to the Committee on claims and accounts

By the Mayor Communication from the Water & Light Commission  
that they had appointed a committee of citizens to take up  
the matter of re-building the dam and inviting the Council  
to meet with said Committee. On Motion the Communication  
was received and ordered filed.

Alderman Davis entered the Council Chamber

The Mayor laid before the Council the report of the Water and  
Light Commission for the quarter ending Dec 31st 1901, which  
was on Motion referred to the Water & Light Committee without  
reading

Reports of Standing Committees

Alderman Crocker for the Printing Committee presented a report  
stating that they had advertised for received and opened bids  
for Newsprint and job printing for the City for the year 1902  
and after canvassing the different bids they recommended that  
the bid of the Printers Union for Newsprint and job printing  
be accepted, and that they be awarded contracts in accordance with said bids

On motion the report was adopted and the contracts awarded as recommended by the Committee

Rep Comptrolr  
Com on Accounts  
Reports

Alderman Udit for the Comptrolr, Committee to whom was referred the Reports of the City Sexton for the months of Nov & Dec 1901 presented a report stating that they had examined same and found them correct. On motion the report of the Committee was adopted

Rep Printing  
Com on  
Memorials  
Trades Union  
& Typographical  
Union

Alderman Crocker for the Printing Committee to whom was referred the memorials of the Austin Typographical Union and the Austin Trades Council, presented a report stating that the City was without authority to force printing establishments to put on the Union label on all City printing. On motion the report was adopted

Hospital Com  
on Physicians  
reports

Alderman Davis for the Hospital Committee to whom was referred the report of the City Physician for the month of Dec 1901 presented a report stating that they had examined same and found it correct. On motion the report was adopted

Report  
Purchasing  
Com. on  
Contracts for  
supplies  
etc

Alderman Shumate for the purchasing Committee presented a report stating that they had advertised for, received and opened bids for supplies for the City for the quarter ending March 31st 1902, and after carefully canvassing same, they recommend that bids be awarded the following named persons, and that the Mayor be authorized to enter into contract with said parties in accordance with their bids, viz

- For Supplies for City Hotel Hospital, to Geo. S. Crisen & H. B. Smith and Fischer Bros.
- For Beef for City Hotel Hospital to J. M. Wilson
- " Beef for City Teams to Robinson Bros.
- " Shoeing " " " O. B. Beard
- " Coal for " Hall " O. B. Beard
- " Feeding City prisoners " J. A. Dunkum
- " Sewer pipe " Otto Bergstrom

On motion the action of the Committee was confirmed and the Mayor authorized to enter into contract with the several parties in accordance with their bids

Alderman Mortimer entered the Council Chamber unfinished business

Spitting  
ordinance  
Sub adopted  
read 2<sup>nd</sup> time

The Mayor laid before the Council the spitting ordinance together with the reports of the Committee, and the substitute offered by the Committee. The substitute was read and adopted in lieu of the original ordinance

A motion was then made to suspend the rule and place the ordinance on its third reading, which motion was lost by the following vote

Yeas Aldermen	Everson	Horne	Low	Madley	Mortimer	
Nays Aldermen	Sheller	inmate	and	Stumpf		9
	Davis	Redd	Schneider	Udit		4

New business

Art 129 Penal Code amended (New business)

By Alderman Maddox An ordinance, Amending Article 129. of the Penal ordinances of the City of Austin. The Ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote  
Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Kume Low Maddox Mortimer Nitche Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate  
Stumpf & Ulich 13

Invitation North Austin Horse Co to am. entertainm.

The Mayor laid before the Council an invitation from North Austin Horse Co No 6. inviting the Mayor, Members of the City Council and City officials to be present with them on the Night of Jan'y 22nd 1902, at their fire hall where they expect to keep open house from 9 to 12 o'clock P.M.

Aptd of exp. ord.

On motion the invitation was accepted by the Council  
By Alderman Maddox An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$714.37 to pay approved accounts. The ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Kume Low Maddox Mortimer Nitche Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate  
Stumpf & Ulich 13  
Nays None.

Salaries of Aldermen 1902

By Alderman Maddox An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$1680. To pay the salaries of Aldermen for the year, 1902. The ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Kume Low Maddox Mortimer Nitche Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate  
Stumpf & Ulich 13 11  
Nays None. Aldermen Kume & Schneider 2

Salaries of Officers & employees Jan'y & Feb'y 1902

By Alderman Maddox An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$5550. To pay Salaries of Officers and employees for the months of Jan'y & Feb'y 1902.

The Ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote  
Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Kume Low Maddox Mortimer Nitche Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate  
Stumpf & Ulich 13  
Nays None.

Salaries of Drivers of Street Cars Jan'y & Feb'y 1902

By Alderman Maddox An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$675. To pay Salaries of Drivers of Street Cars for the months of Jan'y & Feb'y 1902. The ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Kume Low Maddox Mortimer Nitche Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Stumpf & Ulich 13  
Nays None.

Salaries  
Sanitary  
employees  
Jan & Feb 1902

By Alderman Wadday An Ordinance appropriating the sum of \$665<sup>00</sup> to pay Salaries of Sanitary employees for the months of Jan & Feb 1902. The Ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote.

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Hume Low Wadday Mortimer  
Nitschke Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Strumpf Ulit 13  
Nays None.

app'd of c.  
25 Sept

By Alderman Wadday An Ordinance appropriating the sum of \$164.34 to pay approved accounts Street Dept. The Ordinance was read the first time, and on motion the rule was suspended and the ordinance placed on its second reading by the following Vote.

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Hume Low Wadday Mortimer  
Nitschke Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Strumpf Ulit 13  
Nays None.

The Ordinance was read the second time.

Alderman Wadday moved to amend the ordinance by adding "to pay J. J. Shelley \$31<sup>00</sup> and Mrs. J. Johnson \$21<sup>50</sup> for labor Adams." also amend the caption by striking out "\$164.34" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$231.84. which amendments were adopted, and the ordinance as amended passed under suspension of the rule by the following Vote.

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Hume Low Wadday Mortimer  
Nitschke Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Strumpf Ulit 13  
Nays None.

Ord to pay  
interest on  
Certain Bonds.

By Alderman Wadday An Ordinance appropriating the sum of \$10,800<sup>00</sup> to pay interest on certain bonds of the City. The Ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules by the following Vote.

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Davis Hume Low Wadday Mortimer  
Nitschke Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Strumpf Ulit 13.  
Nays None.

On motion the Council adjourned  
Geo. Johnson