

Regular meeting of the City Council
 Union, Tenn., August 7, 1905
 Hon. J. D. Sells, Mayor, presiding.
 Roll called.

Present Aldermen: Armstrong, Crook, Jones, Haynes,
 Macken, Miller, Moore, Poirie, Read, Mumford,
 Smith, Von Rosenberg, Withers. 14

Absent: None

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

Petitions etc.

Petitions, Memorials, etc.

Citizens to repeal
 working ordinance

By Alderman Withers - Petition of citizens
 asking the Council to repeal the working ordinance.
 Read and on motion referred to the ordinance Committee.

Lord & Milling Co. to put
 in pipe

By Alderman Powell. Petition of the Cordy
 Milling Co. for permission to put in water pipe.
 Read and on motion referred to the water & light
 Commission.

W. A. Chotheas
 to correct assessment

By Alderman Crook. Petition of W. A. Chotheas
 to correct assessment. Read and on motion
 referred to the claims & accounts Committee.

Reports City officers

Reports of City Officers

The Mayor laid before the Council the reports of the
 Assessor & Collector, the Clerk, the Marshal, the
 Physician, & the Sexton for the month of July 1905, which
 were on motion referred to their appropriate Committees
 without reading.

Reports of Standing Committees

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 Committees
 Finance officers
 Reports
 Finance Comptroller
 paid.

Alderman Haynes for the Finance Committee to whom was
 referred the reports of the Assessor & Collector and
 the Clerk for the months of May & June & that of the
 Treasurer for May 1905, presented a report stating that they
 had been examined and found correct. The report of the
 Committee was adopted.

Alderman Haynes for the Finance Committee presented a
 report stating that they had received from the
 Treasurer certain coupons for interest due and had
 checked same & presented said coupons for such action
 as the Council might see fit to take in the matter.
 The report was adopted.

Police Marshal
 report

Alderman Powell for the Police Committee to whom
 was referred the reports of the Marshal for the month
 of June 1905, presented a report stating the same had
 been examined and found correct. The report was adopted.

E. A. P. for
 W. A. Chotheas.

Alderman Poirie for the Claims & accounts Committee to
 whom was referred the petition of W. A. Chotheas for credit
 on taxes for certain land done, presented a report recommending
 that the Council do not grant it. The report was adopted.

Purchasing
feed for teams

Alderman Shumate for the Purchasing Committee presented a report stating that they had asked for bids for furnishing feed for City Teams for the term ending Dec 31st 1905, and recommending the acceptance of the bid of E. J. Martin, he being the lowest bidder. On motion the report was adopted.

Board Equalization
Building permits

On motion of Alderman Shumate, Mr. R. H. Castleman from the Board of Equalization was invited to address the Council.

After remarks by Mr. Castleman, Alderman Shumate moved that the Board of Equalization be requested to submit their recommendations to the Council in writing so that the Council could take up the matter and act upon same, which motion prevailed.

Unfinished business

\$25. to pay certain
bills

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$25⁰⁰ for the purpose of paying certain claims or accounts for the Parks Committee. The ordinance was read the second time. Alderman Crocker who had introduced the ordinance asks permission to withdraw same, which request was granted.

New Business.

Pound Master

Platt. leave absence

On motion of Alderman Haynes - Pound Master Platt was granted leave of absence for two weeks beginning Aug 9th 1905.

Alderman Powell stated to the Council that he had heard that there was one or two vacancies on the Police force, and moved that the Council now proceed to fill such vacancies.

The City Marshal stated that there was one vacancy on the force.

On motion the Marshal was requested to submit a list of names to fill said vacancy.

City Marshal Morris submitted the names of Henry Vogel and Art Coghlan.

Art Coghlan

elected Policeman

Alderman Shumate & Cline were appointed tellers. On Alderman Schneider's motion of Alderman Wilhelm invited to seats in the Council chamber. The tellers announced the following as the result of the ballot. V. 3

Vogel 6

Coghlan 8.

Mr. Art. Coghlan having received a majority of the votes cast, the Mayor declared him elected Policeman for the unexpired term of Forbes resigned. Alderman Cline offered the following resolution which was read and adopted.

Yellow fever
Resolution

Whereas there now exists in several of the Cities of the South Yellow fever, in a very malignant form, and whereas it is known to every Citizen of every City to keep his premises in a clean and sanitary condition in order to prevent if possible, the spread of the fever to his City, and

Whereas the City of Austin is not entirely free from fever, or in a sanitary condition as might be possible, with the co-operation of the Citizens of the City, Therefore be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin that the Mayor of the City be and he is hereby requested to appoint a Committee of five Citizens from each ward in the City, whose duty it shall be to inspect the streets and Alleys in their respective wards in said City and report to the Mayor any and all places which are in an unsanitary condition, and when such report is so made the party or parties owning or in control of or occupying the said premises on who are responsible for the condition complained of shall be notified by the Sanitary Inspector or any Police officer of the City, and the said person shall then and there remove said unsanitary substance within 24 hours from the serving of such notice or become responsible under the ordinances of the City for such cases made and provided

\$180.00 for sweeping
streets

By Alderman Macken An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$180.00 for the purpose of paying for street sweeping for the months of Aug Sept & Oct 1905 The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Brooker Cuneo Haynes Macken Miller Moore Pettit Powell Redd Shulmate Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm
Nays None. 14

\$150. for salary of
Asst. to Engineer

By Alderman Powell An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$150.00 for the purpose of paying salary of Asst. to the City Engineer for the two months ending Aug 30th 1905 The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Brooker Cuneo Haynes Macken Miller Moore Pettit Powell Redd Shulmate Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm
Nays None. 14

\$20. to pay
\$50 Pay for
guarding prisoners

By Alderman Pettit An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$20.00 for the purpose of paying \$50.00 for guarding prisoners in the month of July 1905 The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Brooker Cuneo Haynes Macken Miller Moore Pettit Powell Redd Shulmate Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm
Nays None. 14

Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Crooker Cuneo Haynes Macken
Mullen Moore Petri Powell Redd Shumate Smith
Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm 14

Nays None.

\$400. for extra ft
Lubricating

By Alderman Smith An ordinance appropriating
the sum of \$400.⁰⁰ for the purpose of paying for extra
labor & repairs. The ordinance was read the first time
and passed under suspension of the rules by the following
Vote

Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Crooker Cuneo Haynes
Macken Mullen Moore Petri Powell Redd Shumate
Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm 14

Nays None.

\$300 to purchase
mules at Dept

By Alderman Smith An ordinance appropriating the
sum of \$300.⁰⁰ for the purpose of purchasing a pair of
mules for the street Dept. The ordinance was read the
first time and passed under suspension of the rules
by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Crooker Cuneo Haynes
Macken Mullen Moore Petri Powell Redd Shumate
Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm 14

Nays None.

\$42. to purchase
lime for sanitary
dept

By Alderman Shumate An ordinance appropriating
the sum of \$42.⁰⁰ for the purpose of purchasing fifty
barrels of lime for sanitary purposes -

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 Armstrong Crooker Cuneo Haynes
Macken Mullen Moore Petri Powell Redd Shumate
Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm 14

Nays None.

The ordinance was read the second time
and on motion the rule was suspended and the
ordinance placed on its third reading by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Armstrong Crooker Cuneo Haynes
Macken Mullen Moore Petri Powell Redd Shumate
Smith Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm 14

Nays None.

The ordinance was read the third time
Alderman Powell moved to amend the same by providing
that one half the amount appropriated be used
for the purchase of kerosene oil. The amendment
was lost by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Macken Mullen Powell & Smith 4
Nays Aldermen Armstrong Crooker Cuneo Haynes Moore
& Redd Shumate Von Rosenberg & Wilhelm 10

The ordinance was then passed by the following Vote

Yeas Aldermen Armstrong, Crocker, Linder, Fayner
 Miller, Illmore, Fern, Reed, Hummel, Smith, Von Krosenboff,
 & Wilhelm 17

Bills water & light
 Coms. for water & light
 etc

Nays Aldermen Blacken & Powell 2

The Mayor laid before the Council bills from the water
 & light Commission for water & light furnished the City
 for June & July 1905 - also bills for certain repairs to
 pipes etc, which were read and on motion referred
 to the claims & accounts Committee

On motion the Council adjourned

Geo. Johnson
 City Clerk