At the Aldermen's Hall and Plat, Alderman Niblett was examiner from the City.

By Alderman Niblett, Be it resolved that the garth, lots and buildings for the City to be lighted be turned off until otherwise ordered by the City Council.

By Alderman Niblett, Be it resolved by the City Council, that the police force be reduced to five men.

On motion of Alderman Niblett, the Resolution was referred to the Police Committee.

On motion of Alderman Niblett, the Ammendment was adjourned.

S. A. April 1848

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Walled Meeting of City Council
March 21, 1848

Council called to order at 5:30 P.M.
Mayor DeLovers in the Chair.

Roll called and the following members answered:
Aldermen Bowrie, Kollect, Niblett, Niblett, Hall, Hall, Potts, and Strong.

Absent: Aldermen Bowrie, Bartley and Shuckw.

He then the Mayor stated to Council that he had called them together for the purpose of putting to them certain Ordinances and Petitions which required their action.

By Alderman Wible an Ordinance providing for the establishment and erection of Public Wires, Switches, and Making an appropriation for the building of the same.

The Ordinance was read.

Alderman Bartley came in and Answered.

Alderman Wible moved to suspend the
rules and find the ordinance on its second reading.
The Year and Days ordered, and the motion to suspend the rules was lost by the following vote:

Year Alderman Miller, Kellett, Nalley, Nally, Platt and Strong.

Nay: Alderman Brown and Money.

On Motion of Alderman Nalley the Ordinance was referred to the Ordinance Committee.

The following Ordinances were presented by Committee on Colligating and Regulating the City Ordinances:

The Ordinance defining and Dismissing Vagrants.

The Ordinance was read.

Alderman Miller moved to postpone the rules and find the Ordinance on its second reading.

The Year and Days ordered, and the motion to suspend the rules carried by the following vote:

Year: Alderman Brown, Miller, Kellett, Money, Nally, Nalley, Platt and Strong.

Nay: None.

The Ordinance was read the second time.

Alderman Miller moved to further suspend the rules and find the Ordinance on its third reading.

The Year and Days ordered, and the motion to further suspend the rules carried by the following vote:

Year: Alderman Brown, Miller, Kellett, Money, Nally, Nalley, Platt and Strong.

Nay: None.

The Ordinance was read.

On Motion of Alderman Nalley the Ordinance was referred to the Ordinance Committee.

Alderman Kellett asked to be excused for the evening. Proceed grounds to:

The Ordinance relating to the City Treasurer.
The Ordinance was read.
Alderman Strong moved to suspend the rules and
pass the Ordinance on its second reading.
The Yeas and Nays ordered and the motion to
suspend the rules carried by the following vote:
Yes, Aldermen Scott, Miller, Kentley, Kilty, Falla,
Platt and Strong. Say, now.
Alderman Platt moved the second time.

The Ordinance was read the second time.
Alderman Platt moved to further suspend the rules and
pass the Ordinance on its third reading.
The Yeas and Nays ordered and the motion to
further suspend the rules carried by the following vote:
Yes, Aldermen Scott, Miller, Kentley, Kilty, Falla,
Platt and Strong. Say, now.
Alderman Platt moved the second time.

The Ordinance was read the second time.
Alderman Platt moved to further suspend the rules and
pass the Ordinance on its third reading.
The Yeas and Nays ordered and the motion to
further suspend the rules carried by the following vote:
Yes, Aldermen Scott, Miller, Kentley, Kilty, Falla,
Platt and Strong. Say, now.
Alderman Miller moved that the Ordinance do
pass.

The Yeas and Nays ordered and the Ordinance passed by the following vote:
Yes, Aldermen Scott, Miller, Kentley, Kilty, Falla,
Platt and Strong. Say, now.
An Ordinance, Regulating the Carrying of Deadly Weapons and Providing for the Punishment of Violators Thereof

The Ordinance was read

Alderman Heiner moved to confine the rules and
due the ordinance on its second reading.

The Nes and Hayes ordered and the motion to
suppress the rules carried by the following vote

Ness Alderman Coach, Heiner, Hearty, Hearty,
Ralls, Platt and Strong, Hayes, Howe

The Ordinance was read the second time.

Alderman Heiner moved to amend the Ordinance
by providing for the hearing to the County of
Adopt a

Alderman Heiner moved to further confine
the rules and fail the Ordinance on its third reading.

The Ness and Hayes ordered and the motion to
further suppress the rules carried by the following
vote

Ness Alderman Coach, Heiner, Hearty, Hearty,
Ralls, Platt and Strong, Hayes, Howe

The Ordinance was read the third time.

Alderman Platt moved that the Ordinance be passed

The Ness and Hayes ordered and the Ordinance
passed by the following vote

Ness Alderman Coach, Heiner, Hearty, Hearty,
Ralls, Platt and Strong, Hayes, Howe

Petition of Chief of Fire Department asking for
money to purchase 150 lbs. of Cotton Waste for cleaning
the Fire Engines, and stating that the funds were in
a Bankrupt estate and can be purchased for one half
the fair value now.

On Motion of Alderman Strong, the Petition
was received

Alderman Cooker Came in and presented
Report of Chief Engineer

Austin Texas March 8, 1847

To the
Honor City Council, City of Austin

Gentlemen

In obedience to instructions from your Hon.
body directing me to make an inspection of the sewer
system within the City and have the same repaired, I
am proud of having done so.

I certify that the work has been done to the best
of my ability and the result of the same is as follows:

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make the necessary drainage.

There the hour to report that I have made a careful and thorough examination of the premises and find that there are two practicable and economical methods

1st By means of a wooden underground drain 160 feet in length with an opening of 4x4 inches and a fall of 6 inches. This would require 50 feet of 2 inch lumber which at 49 3/4 for thousand would cost.

20 $20 Gable and Raids $12 Totals $25.50

2nd By means of tin gutter 6 inches in diametric lines conducting the water from the roof to the alley in rear of the building, 54 feet of gutter at 30 cents per foot $16.20. 1 Sheet $5.50

2 Rolls at 15 cents each 70 cents Totals and $13.90

Very Respectfully

E. D. Anderson

Alderman City Engineer

The Motion of Alderman Walls the report of the City Engineer was received.

Alderman Walls. Be it resolved by the Aldermen of the City of Austin, that the sum of Twenty

five thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the construction of a sewer or drain at the site where of twenty five on beacon street.

The Resolution was read.

Alderman Walls moved to suspend the rules and put the Resolution on its immediate reading.

The Yeas and Nays ordered and the Yeas to suspend the rules conveyed by the following vote:

Nye, Alderman Brown, Leaverton, Keller, Hardley, Walls, Platt and Strong Yea 70

The Resolution was read the second time.

Alderman Keller moved to further suspend the rules and put the Resolution on its third reading.

The Yeas and Nays ordered and the Yeas to further suspend the rules conveyed by the following vote:

Nye, Alderman Brown, Leaverton, Keller, Hardley, Walls, Platt and Strong Yea 70

The Resolution was read the third time

Alderman Walls moved that the Resolution be passed.

The Yeas and Nays ordered and the Resolution passed by the following vote:

Nye, Alderman Brown, Leaverton, Keller, Hardley, Walls, Platt and Strong Yea 70.
Alderman Hartley moved that the petition presented by the Chief of Fire Department for authority to purchase a lot of Cotton Waste for cleaning the fire engines be granted. Carried.

On motion of Alderman Keller the above

Agreed

Resolved April 1st, 1848.

John Bell

City Clerk

Called Meeting of City Council
March 9, 1848

Council called to order at 6:35 P.M.
Mayor Bell presiding in the chair.

Roll called and the following Members answered: Aldermen Brown, Brockett, Miller, Crittenden, Hartley, Ledy, Halle, Platt, Sheahan and Strong. Absent: None.

Mayor then stated that he had called them together for the purpose of presenting to the Board certain Ordinances from the Committee on digesting and codifying the City Ordinances, and such other business as may be properly brought before them for their decision.

The City Marshal submitted the following report:

City Marshal's Office Austin, Tex.
March 9, 1848

To the

Honorable Mayor and City Council,

In compliance with a Resolution passed by your Honorable Body on the 28th day of February 1848, and by virtue of the power vested in me by the above Resolution of the 28th, I have the honor to report that I have, by the order of your Honorable Body by selling at public auction
