

Called meeting of the City Council  
Austin Tex, Feb 24/15

Alderman G. J. Boardman in the chair.  
Present - Ald. G. J. Boardman, C. B. Remond,  
Wm. Brueggerhoff, O. H. Cullen, N. B. Whitwell,  
S. Piper, J. H. Robinson and S. H. Todd.  
Absent, Ald. Ed. Christian and F. Dohme.  
On motion the reading of the minutes were  
dispensed with.

A Petition from D. L. Croft was read,  
stating that he had purchased two cemetery  
lots Nos 297 and 296, but some time after  
the purchase of the same he discovered that  
one of the deeds called for lot No 298, that  
by some mistake the city deeded him the  
wrong number of lot, and that the lot he  
desired No 296 had since been sold, but  
that he would be satisfied with one half  
of lot No 298, which joins the first bought  
lot, provided; the city will allow him to  
put under one fence the lot No 297, and half  
of No 298, and refund him the money for the  
other half. The petition was referred to the  
Cemetery Committee with power to act in the  
premises.

A petition from S. Schurwith was read,  
asking permission to change part of a canvas  
house and substituting glass instead, to be  
used for a Photograph Gallery, situated on  
a lot fronting Tican Street, and belonging  
to the estate of S. B. Brush deceased. The peti-  
tion was read, referred to the Fire Committee.

Mayor T. B. Wheeler in the chair.

An ordinance was introduced No 59, to be  
entitled "An ordinance authorizing the sale of  
forty, \$500, bonds of the city of Austin."  
The ordinance was read, On motion of Alder.  
Brueggerhoff, the rules were suspended, the ordi-  
nance read the second time, On motion of Ald.  
Brueggerhoff the rules were further suspended  
the ordinance read the third time and passed.

by the following vote, Yeas - Ald. Boardman, Bremond, Brueggerhoff, Cullen, Mitchell, Robinson and Todd. Nays - Ald. Piper. Ald. Bremond moved that the Mayor appoint a committee of three to confer with the Chief of the Fire Department, and the different fire companies, with regard to compromising the unpleasant feeling now existing among some of the fire companies about the possession of the new steam fire engine lately purchased. Carried.

Ald. Brueggerhoff, Cullen and Mitchell were appointed on the committee; to which the Mayor was added.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed consisting of Ald. Brueggerhoff, Cullen and Piper to investigate the occupation followed by Mr. Jobe Smith, and make report at next meeting.

Ald. Cullen moved that the Mayor Finance Committee act in conjunction with the Mayor in the negotiation and sale of the forty, five-hundred dollar city bonds. Carried.

Ald. Brueggerhoff moved that the sum of one hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated out of any money not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of getting the bonds printed, authorized to be sold. Carried.

Ald. Brueggerhoff moved that the Market House Committee be instructed to have a plan and an estimate made for sheds to be attached to the city Market House, for vegetable stands. Carried.

Mr. S. B. Brown, read a communication upon the water-works question, presenting a feasible plan for watering the city.

Aldermen Bremond, Robinson and Boardman were appointed a committee to confer with him upon the subject, and report at the next meeting upon the plans, estimates and proposition he is to submit for their consideration.

On motion the Council adjourned to 4 o'clock  
P. M. the first Monday in March.

Fred Sturging  
Recorder.

Regular meeting of the City Council  
Austin Tex. ~~Feb.~~  
March 1<sup>st</sup> / 75.

The Hon. J. B. Wheeler, Mayor in the chair.  
Present - Aldermen S. J. Boardman, Wm  
B. Brueggerhoff, C. H. Cullen, J. Dohme, H.  
B. Mitchell, S. Piper, J. H. Robinson and  
S. H. Todd.

On motion the reading of the Minutes were  
dispensed with.

A petition from H. Hoffmeyer was read,  
requesting that the Street Committee be autho-  
rized to have a ditch dug on Cedar Street  
on a line with the Austin City Railway Co's  
track to prevent the water from running  
through the alley in Block No. 35. Referred  
to Street Committee.

Report from the City Marshal, for the  
month of February was read and referred  
to Police Committee.

Report from the City Sexton, for the  
month of February was read and referred  
to Cemetery Committee.

Report from City Physician, for the month  
of February was read and received.

Resignation of Charles Marshall, City  
Market Master, was read, and on motion  
accepted. Whereupon His Honor the Mayor  
appointed W. P. Hulbert for the position  
of City Market Master. The ballot was  
spread and counted, and the appointment  
unanimously confirmed, by seven votes.

On motion the appointments of the following  
named police officers, were unanimously confirmed  
to wit: M. Musgrove, C. Fahay, James Farnell,  
B. J. Steed and L. C. Lock.