

City Council Room
Austin, July 1st 1872

Council met at its regular monthly meeting
Present His Honor Col. J. W. Glenn Mayor in the Chair
Alderman Wm. Spruiggerhoff, J. S. Buas,
Henry Madison, J. H. Robinson and
Henry Willis

Absent: Alderman S. Mussina, C. M. Whitlock
Report of City Sexton for the month of
June, was read accepted & adopted

The Standing Committee of the City
Council, of the City of Austin as appointed by
the Mayor July 2nd 1872 are as follows:

Finance Committee

Alderman Mussina, Robinson & Willis

Fire Department

Alderman Robinson, Spruiggerhoff and
Petterson (State Grants)

Saids: Alderman Buas, Madison & Whitlock
Cemetery

Alderman Whitlock, Mussina & Willis

Market

Alderman Spruiggerhoff, Petterson & Buas

Police

Alderman Petterson, Willis & Robinson

Petition of Consolidated Gaslight Company was read and on
motion of Alderman Buas, the following resolution was
passed: Resolved by the City Council of the City of
Austin, that the Mayor be requested to appoint a Committee
of three Aldermen to investigate the feasibility of the
plan set forth in the following Petition and report at
the next meeting of the City Council.

The Committee are as follows:

Alderman Spruiggerhoff, Robinson & Madison

To: His Honor the Mayor and
City Council of the City of Austin
Gentlemen

On behalf of the consolidated Consolidated
Gas Light Company of New Orleans, Louisiana

The purpose to erect works and furnish your City with good fixed Gas.

We ask of you the exclusive privilege for thirty years and a contract for as many Street lights as you may designate on Congress Avenue from Water Street to the Capitol and its surroundings, on Dean Street from Congress Avenue to East Avenue and such other places as the consumption of Gas may warrant the extension of the pipes.

We would respectfully submit the above to your favorable consideration and remain

Very Truly

Your obt. Servt

Austin, July 1st 1872.

J. Massina

Alderman Spruiggerhoff offered the following Resolution.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, that for the better protection of the City, the Mayor be requested to increase the Police force by appointing two more policemen; the Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Klappenbach presented to the City Council a Map of the City of Austin, for them to purchase and Alderman Spruiggerhoff offered the following resolution.

Be it resolved by the City Council of Austin, that the Mayor be requested to appoint a Committee to investigate the feasibility of the purchase. The resolution was adopted, this from the Mayor appointed.

Alderman Spruiggerhoff to J. L. Buaco.

Alderman Spruiggerhoff offered the following resolution.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, that the Bill of Mr. Klappenbach for the City Map be registered and audited for payment; the resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Alderman Spruiggerhoff offered the following resolution.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, that in the consideration that Miss A. Frankle discontinued her theater within the first six months, that they had taken out license for, and the first two payments having been made leaving two notes of \$62 ^{each} for unpaid, it is hereby resolved that the said two notes be given to Mr. J. L. Buaco as he was securing for the same. The Resolution passed by a unanimous vote.

A verbal report of the Fire Committee to turn over the Trunk to the new Fire Company, was given and a full report will be made to present to the next meeting of the Council as also in reference to the moving and erection of the Trunk House.

Alderman Robinson offered the following resolution

That it be resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, that the Committee appointed to select a site for the erection of a church for the colored people be instructed to allow the said church society to erect a church in the rear of the other colored church and on the same block.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote

on Motion of Ald. Robinson Council adj.

G. J. Galt

Recorder

Assessor's Collector's Report for Market House, for

Debet.

To Cash on hand from b. quarter.		above	to money
			125.00
Febr. 15. 16. 21.	collections on Rent for Market Hall.		132.00
21	" " " " " " " "	Stall	75.00
March. 5. 12. 18. 21.	" " " " " " " "	Hall	92.00
April 10. 15. 29	" " " " " " " "	Hall	70.00
5. 24	" " " " " " " "	Stall	150.00
May. 3. 4. 8.	" " " " " " " "	Stall	375.00
6.	" " " " " " " "	Stall	75.00
		Stall	1,094.00
2 notes of J. E. Craver.	a 75.00		150.00
3. " " " " " " " "	H. C. Biddington a 75.00		225.00
3. " " " " " " " "	Joseph Lusinger. a 75.00		225.00
3. " " " " " " " "	Ernest Keelma. a 75.00		225.00
3. " " " " " " " "	Charles Horst. a 75.00		225.00
3. " " " " " " " "	W. N. Hardman. a 75.00		225.00
			\$ 2369.00

Report of Assessor and Collector for

	Coin	Currency
To cash on hand from last quarter		254 44
Collection on Lic for <u>Common Carriers</u>		116 50
" " " " " <u>Merchants</u>		455 00
" " " " " <u>Board-Houses</u>		33 00
" " " " " <u>Restaurants</u>		68 75
" " " " " <u>Butcher</u>		150 00
" " " " " <u>Retail Liquor</u>		537 50
" " " " " <u>Peddlers</u>		105 00
" " " " " <u>Bar-Rooms</u>		1250 00
" " " " " <u>Auction</u>		30 00
" " " " " <u>Billiards</u>		250 00
" " " " " <u>Gift-Enterprise</u>		50 00
" " " " " <u>King Game</u>		5 00
" " " " " <u>Brokers & Exchge</u>		225 00
" " " " " <u>Hotels</u>		60 00
" " " " " <u>Theatre & Concert</u>		85 00
" " " " " <u>Livery Stable</u>		83 34
" " " " " <u>Beer Saloon</u>		181 25
" " " " " <u>Brewery</u>		25 00
" " " " " <u>Ten Pin Alley</u>		25 00
" " of <u>Merchde Taxes of this Quarter</u>		938 24
" " <u>Real Estate Taxes of 1871</u>		1210 84
" " " " " " " <u>1869 & 1870</u>		78 21
" " <u>Fines of Mayors Court</u>		292 25
same + 150 ⁰⁰ <u>Coin in Currency</u>		165 00
<u>Rent for Market Hall</u>		450 00
<u>Exhibition for Museum Fond.</u>		10 00
<u>Licenses & Taxes</u>		6984 35
<u>C. P. Johns & Co as deducted in last quarter</u> and transferred to this		240 78
<u>Bills paid on Market House and deducted</u> there and to be refunded here		194 29
<u>Balance in favor of G. Doolittle Ass^r & Coll.</u>		9449 42
		119 44
	\$	7568 86

The 3 Months ending May 5th 1892.

Approved
 S. Mufsonal
 Ch. F. Committee

By Tax Receipts	No	Coin	Currency
	104		92 07
"	105		81 15
"	106		15 64
"	107	10 00	
"	108		25 00
"	109		25 00
"	110	15 00	
"	111		423 49
"	112	150 00	
"	113		324 45
"	114	20 00	
"	115		15 00
"	117	125 00	
"	118		133 25
"	119	1291 27	
"	120		137 58
"	121		100 00
"	122	277 10	
"	123	1918 67	
\$1,918. ⁶⁷ Coin Convert in to at 1.10			2110 53
Endorsements as per List and per Warrants not delivered into the Treasury yet - 2 notes of Mrs Ada Frankham held on deposit -			3067 50
Commissions on collections and Assessments of last quarter, as per enclosed receipt -			125 00
Commissions on collections and Assessments during this quarter, from July 5 th to May 5 th 1892 (see enclosed receipts)			328 40
			181 14
			\$ 4,568 86

George Poolittle
 Assessor and Collector

3 Months ending August 1st 1872.

		Coin	Currency
By Treasury Receipts	No 125.		95 00
" " "	" 126		100 00
" " "	" 127		95 95
" " "	" 128		230 00
" " "	" 135		10 00
" " "	" 138		50 00
" " "	" 142		80 00
" " "	" 144		118 25
" " "	" 145		256 00
" " "	" 149		97 00
" " "	" 152		98 11
" " "	" 146. \$125 = Coin		137 50
No 1	Cash Bills paid as per List and attached Vouchers \$911. 73 Coin Converted into Currency @ \$1.10.		1035 90
" 2	Same. Warrants not deliv ^d yet Endorsements as per List & vouchers and Warrant not deliv ^d into Treasury yet Bal from last quarter in favor of Assessor and Collector.		800 80
" 3	2 Notes of Mrs Ada Frankel to J. L. Buas as per receipt (Collector G. Doolittle) for collection of \$6.512. 11 @ 2 1/2 %		3222 64
" 4	Same for Assessment of Real Estate Taxes 1872. \$1960. 11 Merchandise Tax this year 1114. 98 2,874. 89 @ 2 1/2 %		119 14
			125 00
			162 80
			91 25
			\$ 6875 84

Austin August 1st 1872.

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Report of Assessor and Collectors for the
Year Ending

	Currency
In Cash Rents for Market-Booth & Stalls	124 00
same \$24. ⁰⁰ coin - Convert in Currency @ \$1.10	34 40
	161 40
2 notes \$75. ⁰⁰ each	150 00
	311 40
On hand in last quarter	305 80
" " notes	1245 00
	<hr/> 1892 20

Assessor and Collectors Report from May 5th
Fire

	Currency
In Cash Collections of Fire Taxes from May 5 th to Augt-5, 1892. as per Assessor's Books.	1942 69
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Quarter ending August 1st 1842.

Market Hall

1842.

		Currency	
May 10	By Cash. to J. B. Wheeler on judgment of Loomis & Christian & Robinson	No 1	305 80
" 10	" Notes to J. B. Wheeler on same judgment, as per receipt	" 2	12 45 00
July 3	" Cash to J. B. Wheeler on same judgment - as per receipt - Coin of 65 ^{cs} Conv ^d into Currency at 1.10	" 3	41 50
	" Rent of Market-Hall of Peter Bratton as unpaid, and charged in last quarter as Cash.		10 00
	" Commiss ⁿ on \$ 311.40 for collection at 2 1/2 %		7 77
	" 2 Notes held on Deposit - \$ 45.-		150 00
	<u>Cash on Hand</u>		42 13.
			<u>1892 20</u>

Austin Augt 6th 1842.

G. Doolittle. Assessor and Collector

1842. to August 5th 1842.

Tax.

		Currency	
May 24	By Treasury Receipts	No 129	50 00
" 28	" " "	" 130	80 00
" 29	" " "	" 131	115 95
" 30	" " "	" 132	100 00
" 31	" " "	" 133	40 00
June 3	" " "	" 134	45 00
" 4	" " "	" 136	120 00
" 11	" " "	" 137	150 00
" 15	" " "	" 139	200 00
" 14	" " "	" 140	45 00
" 19	" " "	" 141	45 00
" 20	" " "	" 143	200 00
" 25	" " "	" 147	100 00
" 25	" " "	" 148	100 00
July 21	" " "	" 150	230 00
" 29	" " "	" 151	104 50
	Commission for assess ⁿ & Collection of \$ 1942.69 at 5 % to G Doolittle Ass ^r & Coll.		98 60
	<u>Cash on hand</u>		58 64
			<u>1942 69</u>

Austin August 6th 1842.

G. Doolittle
Assessor and Collector

