Council Chamber City of Ottawa Jan 3/06

Council met in regular session with Mayor Halloran presiding. Councilmen present at roll call were, Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Wright, absent Washburn. Minutes of regular meting of Dec 6th and adjourned sessions of Dec. 13th and 20th were read and approved. Council proceeded to busine

U. P. Church to cut trees in St.

A Petition from the Trustees of the U. P. Church for permission to cut out each alternate tree along the north side of the grounds of said Church, on motion the petition was granted

Remonstrance to Paving W. 4th St.

A Remonstrance signed by S. H. Lucas and 29 others against Paving West Fourth street was presented, and on motion was referred to the Streets bridges and alleys Comm. there being no proposition before the Council to pave said St.

Appraisers Report Sewer Dists 37-38

The Report of the appraisers of Sewer Districts Nos 37 and 38, were presented and Council voted Jan 17th as the date said body will sit as a Board of View to hear objections to said appraisement

City Engrs Report

City Engineer reported on the extent of existing sewer now in use in Dist 37 and to be taken for use of said Dist. Report was referred to the Health Comm.

The Dec. Report of the City Clerk was presented and referred to the Finance Comm.

The Report of Sexton of Hope Cemetery for the 4th. Quarter of 1905 was presented and referred to the Cemetery Com.

The Report of the City sidewalk repairer for the month of Dec. was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Com.

Claims against the City were referred to the proper Standing Comms, who reported recommending that the following Claims in the sum of $3203.42 each Committe report

being received separately and adopted separately by the council

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| Ottawa W. Wks & Lt. Co. | 75 77 |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 00 |
| H. P. Lockhart | 42 50 |
| Ottawa Fire Dept. | 150 00 |
| A. P. Elder | 13 25 |
| Ottawa Advce Co. | 8 00 |
| A. A. Bean | 6 75 |
| Franklin Co. Advce Co. | 1 35 |
| Williams & W. Grain Co. | 16 25 |
| Geo. S. Ash | 5 90 |
| Leon Michel | 9 60 |
| M. R. Harris | 36 |
| Chas. Bellchamber | 1 00 |
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| J. S. Denis | 46 15 |
| J. T. Sillit | 4 00 |
| Franklin Co. Advce Co. | 25 |
| | |
| Austin Reed | 62 00 |
| H. O. Beetley | 50 00 |
| A. E. Koons | 10 00 |
| Ike Roberts | 12 00 |
| John Shields | 1 50 |
| Joe. Wilburn | 1 50 |
| W. R. Dody | 23 20 |
| | |
| Geo. D. Rathbun | 85 |
| Ottawa Gas & Ktg. Co. | 40 |
| The " Gas & Electric Co. | 50 |
| Benson & Harris | 256 65 |
| Henry Renaly | 3 50 |
| J. H. Bell | 61 00 |
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| Ottawa Herald | 4 00 |
| Ottawa Republic | 9 84 |

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| Warren White | 65 00 |
| W. O. Myers | 70 00 |
| Mert Totten | 62 50 |
| J. E. Callan | 40 00 |
| Wm Jones | 6 25 |
| Allan Frazier | 27 65 |
| D. & M. Co. Belt | 200 00 |
| Charles Marsh | 16 62 |
| John Madden | 13 52 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 44 75 |
| M. R. Harris | 98 32 |
| E. D. Lucas | 4 50 |
| Ottawa Advce Co. | 10 30 |
| John Halloran | 9 80 |
| Franklin Co. Advce Co. | 30 |
| Ottawa Brick & Tyle Co. | 149 11 |
| Seevers & Smith | 21 03 |
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| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 4 05 |
| D. C. Wilkinson | 14 95 |
| C. S. Pugh | 40 |
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| H. H. Cowan | 3 00 |
| C. M. Thomas | 3 00 |
| Geo. H. Moyer | 3 00 |
| C. S. Pugh | 2 60 |
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| A. Ramstedt | 17 50 |

Water Wks Claim
Jan 1/2 1905

On the Claim of The Ottawa Water Works & E. Lt Co. the F. W. & Lt Com. made no recommendation. On motion of Branson, Council voted directing the Mayor and Clerk to offer the said Company an amount equal to one half as said Claim in full payment thereof.

Kincaid License Retained

on the Claim of W.S Kincaid for the return of 5% dray license paid to the City Clerk, A motion was made that the Claim be not allowed. Motion prevailed.

Special gas Rates

A Schedule of Special rates to large Consumers of Gas. was presented by the Ottawa Gas & Electric Company, the same was discussed at some length by the Council On motion of Councilman Branson action on said rates by the Council was deferred.

Licenses

Council granted Licenses to applicants as follow
Fowler & Lancaster to operate an 8 table Billiard Hall at No 209 South Main St.

To Furness Bros. to operate a 4 table Billiard Hall at No 216- N. Main St

To W. S. Miller to operate a 4 table Billiard Hall at No 219 S. Main St. upstairs

To W. E. Smith to operate a 3 table Billiard hall and a Bowling alley at No 126- S. main st up Stairs

To J. E. Youngberg to operate a Pawn Brokers business at No 214 N. Main street

all of forgoing licenses to expire Jan 30th 1906

Resolutions to Pave Referred.

Resolutions as follows were presented and on motion were referred to the S. B. & G. Com.
to pave Third street from Walnut to Willow St.
to pave Fourth street from Walnut to Willow St.
to pave Locust street from Seamsel to Seventh St.
to pave Main St from 150 ft south of Fifth St to " "
to pave Hickory street from Second St. to Seventh "
to pave Cedar Street from second St. to Ninth "
each of said resolutions proposing to curb and gutter said streets with Cement Concrete and pave them with vitrified brick upon a sand foundation

Sealed Bids for Construction of delingruent sidewalks for the City for the Calender year 1906 ~~week~~ and Filed by C. Q Furness W. M. Adams and Elias Davis,

were presented and with the City Engineers Estimate of Costs of Constructing said walks were referred to the Sidewalk Comm. which Comm. inspected bids & estimate and returned same to the Council without recommendation

Sidewalk Bids opened & all rejected

Bids were as follows:-

W. M. Adams Brick per sq ft 7½¢ Cement per sq ft 13½¢ Exc or peling 35¢
Elias Doris " " " " 7½¢ " " " " 15¢ " " " 40¢
C. Q Furness " " " " 8¢ — — — — " " " 35¢
Engineers Estimate " " " " 9¢ Cement " " " 16¢ " " " 40¢

Motion by Crane that the Contract be awarded to W. M. Adams his bid being the lowest, vote by roll call was as follows Ayes Branson, Crane, Nelson, Nays Furness, Hough Thomas Wright Absent Washburn. Motion lost

Motion by Thomas that Contract be awarded to Elias Doris, vote by Roll call, ayes Hough Thomas, Wright ayes 3 Nays Branson Crane Furness, Nelson Absent Washburn. Motion lost

Motion by Thomas that Contract be awarded to C. Q. Furness, vote by roll call ayes ~~2 Nays 5~~ Furness, Thomas, Nays, Branson Crane, Hough Nelson Wright, Absent Washburn, Motion lost

to Adv. for Sidewalk Bids

all bids having been reject Council voted to direct the mayor and City Clerk to advertise for bids on sidewalk Construction such bids to be opened at the regular Feb. Meeting

An Ordinance ~~appr~~ making appropriations in the sum of $ 3203.11 was Introduced and read a first time, on Motion the ordinance was placed on its second reading and final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows, ayes 7 nays none, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Wright, absent Washburn. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Council then went into executive session ~~with~~

for the purpose of Considering the water works situation. * See balance of Ex. session below.
The Council having risen from executive session returned to the proceedings of the regular public session. There appearing no further business Council adjourned to meet Jan 17th 1906

attest J.H. Bell City Clerk
John Hallorn
Mayor

Executive session
W. Wks. Matters

Ex Session

Record of Executive session of above and foregoing Meeting of Jan 3rd Councilmen present same as shown by roll Call. also present, City Atty. & City Councellor

Council proceeded to informally discuss the Water Works situation, and the probable failure of the Water Company's appraiser and the City's appraiser to agree on a third appraiser. Council also discussed the advisability of trying to bargain with the said Company and accomplish a purchase outside of the provisions of franchise. Moved by Branson that the Council, authorize (so far as it has the power to authorize) Mayor Hallohan and City Councellor Benson to make the Water Company an offer of not to exceed $65000. for the water and Light plants & all property in connection with same and that if necessary to make so high an offer that it be made as follows. $55000. for the water Works and $10000 for the Electric Light plant: and that all offers so made be made on condition that the voters of Ottawa will vote the bonds for same. A vote on the motion was by roll call with result as follows Ayes Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Wright; Absent & not voting Washburn. Council then rose from executive session as shown above

attest. J.H. Bell
City Clerk.
John Hallorn
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa Jan 11th 1906

Council met in special session pursuant to the following call which was read:-

Ottawa, Kansas, Jan 11th 1906.

To The Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kansas:

We the undersigned Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, hereby request that you call a special Meeting of the Council of said City to convene at 7.30 p. m. of the date hereof; for the purpose of Considering special rates on gas to large Consumers which rates were considered by the City Council on Jan, 3rd. 06

Geo. I. Haugh
E. J. Thomas

Mayor Halloran presiding

Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Crane, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent Furness

Council proceeded to go into "Executive" session.

City Councellor A. W. Benson advised the Council that the gate they proposed under the Call to discuss had been withdrawn by the parties who made it and that another had been submitted to the Council in its place after some discussion upon the matter of Special rates. Upon Motion of Thomas Council voted to the Matter of special rates on gas to large Consumers be referred to the Fire, Water & Light Committee & City Councellor to take the matter up with the Ottawa Gas and Electric Co. and report at Next Meeting On Motion Council adjourned

attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa 1/17/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment on Jan 3rd. Mayor Haldeman being absent Councilman Thomas Pres. of the Council presided.

Councilmen present at roll call all were Branson, Furness, Hough, Thomas, Wright. Absent Crane, Nelson, Washburn. A quorum being present Council proceeded to busines

Co. Commissioner Sheldon E. M. was before the Council with reference to the City furnishing provisions for a City Calliboose or lockup in the basement portion of the proposed New County Jail. The matter was referred to the Police Comm. to confer with the County Commissioners relative to the matter.

The Council took up the work as a Board of View to hear any objections to appraisements on Sewer Dists. Nos 37 & 38 No objections were offered.

The Health Com. introduced the following:

Ottawa, Kansas Jan. 17th/06

To the Mayor & Council of the City of Ottawa, Kansas.

Gentlemen:-

The Health Committee would recommend that the North 89½ ft of the C. P. Robinson homestead property and all property north of the same in Sewer Dist No. 37 be so equalized in valuation for the assessment for the construction of a sewer in said district that the levy on said equalized valuation for said purpose will exactly equal the credit that the owners thereof should have for the old sewer now in use in said portion of said district and that the property from thence south in said district be levied upon as appraised for the construction of said new sewer

The Recommendation of the Health Com. was on Motion adopted, with this change the appraisers report on sewer Dist 37 was adopted.

There being no objection offered against the appraisement in Sewer Dist. No 38 and the same appearing to be fairly appraised. Council on motion adopted the viewers report as presented. This closing the work of the Council as a Board of View Council proceeded with routine business.

The Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. having presented an application for permission to use Natural Gas. Council directed the City Clerk to sign said application.

City Engineer W.O. Myers presented a report of the Cost of Construction of the Culvert on Hickory St. just south of Keokuk St. and on Main St. just south of Keokuk. and on First St. on N. side of M.P. Pacific Ry. Grade on the alley line reports were read and ordered placed on file.

The following resolution was introduced & read

Resolution to Pave.

Resolution to Curb Gutter and pave Main street, from Seventh Street to Ninth Street.

Be it Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas; that it is deemed necessary and that it is hereby declared necessary to Curb, Gutter and pave, Main Street in said City, from the north line of Seventh to the North line of Ninth Street. Said Pavement shall extend from Curb to Curb as the Curb line is established by ordinance No 571 and shall be of two Courses of vitrified brick on a sand foundation. Said Curb and Gutter shall be a Combined Curb and Gutter of Portland Cement Concrete. on Motion resolution was adopted by all Councilmen present voting in the affirmative

The following resolution was introduced & Read.

Resolution to Pave

Resolution to Curb and pave Hickory Street from Second Street to Fifth street

Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Ottawa, Kansas:

that it is deemed necessary and it is hereby declared necessary to curb and pave Hickory Street in said City, from the north line of Second street to the north line of Fifth street. That said curb shall be of Portland cement concrete. That said pavement shall be of two courses of vitrified brick on a sand foundation and shall be thirty feet wide from curb to curb, except between Third and Fourth streets, where the pavement shall be forty feet wide; fifteen feet of which paving shall be on the east side of the Center of the street and twenty five feet on the west side of said Center. On motion the resolution was adopted by all Councilmen present voting in the affirmation

City Clerk was directed to have the two resolutions published as provided by law.

On Motion Council adjourned

attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

John Hallorn
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, Feb. 2/1906

Council met pursuant to the following call which was read.

Ottawa, Kansas, Feb. 2nd 1906

To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa Kansas:-

Sir:-

The undersigned members of the Council of the City of Ottawa hereby request that you call a special meting of said Council to convene at 7.30 p. m. of the date hereof for the following purposes viz: (1) to consider a proposition for the City of Ottawa to purchase the Water Works and Electric light plant now operated in the city of Ottawa (2) To select three Members of the Board of the Ottawa Free Public Library.

(3) To approve sidewalk specifications and consider a sidewalk ordinance.

H. C. Branson.
J. E. Crane.
John Nelson.

Mayor Halloren presiding. Councilmen present at roll call were, Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Wright, absent Washburn. Also City Councellor Benson and Consulting Engineer Owen Ford.

Council at once went into executive session,

Council in said executive session proceed to consider and fully discuss the proposition of J. R. Dumonette for the Ottawa Water Works and Electric Light Company, Council took no definite action on said matter but will adjourned to meet tomorrow night. on Motion of Thomas. Council rose from executive session and took up other business mentioned in the call, Mayor Presented the Names of Mrs. J. E. Byers, Mrs Dr. Norris, and Mr. A. Dobson, to succeed Dr. Krum, W. A. Jenks, and A. Dobson whoes terms as members of the Board have expired. of the Ottawa Free Public Library

Council discussed specifications for construction of City sidewalks but no action taken on same.

an ordinance relating to the construction of sidewalks in the City of Ottawa was read a first time. on Motion Council adjourned to tomorrow night

attest, J. H. Bell City Clerk

Council Chamber City of Ottawa Feb. 3rd/1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Feb. 2- 1906.

Present Mayor Hallorem

Councilmen present at roll call were Brayton, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Thomas, Holburn, Wright. Absent Haugh

Council further proceeded to consider the proposition of J.R. Bymett, which was discussed at last nights meeting and which is as follows:

Memo of Agreement between the City of Ottawa Kansas, and the Ottawa Water Works & Light Company, as follows:

Whereas; upon notice given by the said to the said water company under the provisions of Ordinance N=123, of said City, an appraisement by the water works of said Company, is now pending but not completed, awaiting the action of the two appraisers already named by the parties, in agreeing upon a third appraiser.

Now to expedite said appraisement it is agreed that said appraisement shall be at the sum of Sifty thousand dollars and when so made such appraisement shall have the same force and effect as though made by the three appraisers as provided in said ordinance

Further it is agreed that the City will buy the Electric works of said Company, and the Company agrees to sell said works to said City for Ten Thousand dollars, provided a Majority of the voters authorize said purchase at a general or special election called for that purpose on or before May 1st, 1906.

The City agrees to pay and the Water Company agrees to accept in full the amount of the charges of the Water Company to said city for water furnished to the said City, the City hereby waiving all Claims for alleged deficiency of supply of said

water either as to quantity or quality, and the Water Company hereby waiving all claims for interest upon arrears of said charges, it being further understood and agreed that said charges are to be paid in full up to the date upon which the delivery of the title of the property hereinbefore referred to ~~referred to~~, shall be made to the said City and that the Water Company upon such settlement shall credit to the City all unearned water or electric light rentals collected in advance by the Water Company upon the date of said delivery of title.

In Witness Whereof, the parties hereto have caused these presents to be executed by their duly authorized officers on this January, 1906.

I approve of the foregoing and agree to recommend the adoption of the same.

James A Byrnet
President Ottawa Water Works & Light Co.

Councilman Branson moved the adoption of of the following Resolution:

Resolved that the proposition relating to the appraisement of the Water Works, and the purchase of the electric light works in this City, formulated between the President of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company and the Mayor, and submitted to the Council on February 2nd, 1906, is hereby accepted and adopted, with the following conditions, however, viz: that the appraisement so to be made, and the property so to be purchased shall include the said respective water works and electric light works and properties complete as they now stand, with all franchises, rights and privileges, appurtenances and property of every nature now belonging to said company, free and clear of all encumbrances, excluding only the office furniture and to be conveyed, if the purchases are consummated, in as good condition as they now are, except the ordinary wear thereof, by good and sufficient warranty deeds. That the failure to purchase the electric light works, shall not impair or affect

the right of the City to consummate the purchase of the water works under said appraisement, and the electric light works are not to be purchased unless the purchase of the ~~purchase of the~~ waterworks is consummated.

Resolved further, that the Council understands the term "Electric Works" in said proposition of sale and purchase, to mean "Electric Light Works" and that the omission of the word "Light" was a clerical mistake, and the foregoing action is taken upon that understanding.

A vote was then taken on the adoption of the foregoing Resolution, which vote was by roll call with result as follows: Ayes, Branson, Crane, Furness Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Nays none absent and not voting Haugh. Mayor declared the resolution adopted. On motion Council then arose from executive session & proceeded in public session. Council considered and adopted specifications for construction of sidewalks in the City of Ottawa.

An Ordinance relating to the construction and repair of sidewalks in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, upon declaring an emergency to exist was read a second time was considered by sections and placed on its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows- ayes 7 nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent and not voting, Haugh, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned to next Wed. night to further consider water works matters

Attest, J.M. Bell
City Clerk

John Fallowes
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa Feb. 7th 1906

Council met in regular session with Mayor Halloran presiding. Councilmen present at roll call were Granton, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright.

A Quorum being present Council proceeded with business Minutes of regular meeting of Jan 3rd, & executive session of same date also special meeting of Jan 11th, and adj. session of Jan 17th, also special meeting of Feb 2nd and adjourned session of same on Feb 3rd were read and approved

A Petition from C. S. Nusbaum requesting the use of Forest Park from Aug. 5 to 12th, inclusive, for an Epworth League Bible Institute and School of Methods to be held under the auspices of the Eighth General Conference District of the M.E. Church, was presented and on Motion Petition was granted.

A Petition signed by James B. Jackson and others asking that the City request the Santa Fe Ry. Co. to construct a foot crossing over the said Company's right of way on south side of 10th st. was presented and referred to the Streets, Bridges and Alleys Comm.

A Petition signed by W. K. Taylor and 13 others asking the City to establish a ~~alley 20~~ to extend 20 feet from the lot line on either side of Mulberry street between Logan and Massassoit Street was presented and on motion petition was granted.

Petition to vacate U. add no 2

A petition signed by W. B. Freeman and others requesting the City Council to vacate that part of the city known as University addition no 2 was presented, and on motion of Councilman Crane action on said petition was deferred until the regular April meeting

Petition of Gormleys Band for the use of the City Park for the purpose of holding a Carnival from May 7th to May 14th, and for the use of Forest Park for the Fourth of July to hold a free Celebration was presented and referred to the Park Committee.

The application of A. P. Elder for a License for the year to do plumbing and gas fitting in the City of Ottawa was presented as was also an indemnity bond in the penal sum of $2000. in connection with the same on motion License was granted

A Resolution as follows was presented.

Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa:

That it is the request of the Mayor and Council that the Telephone Companies of the City of Ottawa place their lines of telephone in the business portion of the City in conduits under the ground. That they believe that such a course would improve the appearance of the business streets of the City and in the long run be to the best interest of both the Telephone Companies and the business men of the City, and it is the opinion of the Mayor and Council that in the future, no franchises should be granted to a telephone company which does not provide that the telephone lines in the business part of the City should be placed under ground.

A representative of the M. & K. Tel. Co. was present and suggested that the Council set apart some certain date in the near future on which the said Company could take the matter up with the Council. Upon the request of the Council that the Resolution be referred to a Com. whom the Mayor might name it was referred to the Fire Water & Light Com.

The Report of the Police Judge for the month of Jan. was presented and referred to the Police Comm.

The Report of the City Clerk for the month of Jan. was presented and referred to Finance Com.

The annual report of the Sec. of the Ottawa Free Public Library for year 1905 was presented and referred to the Library Comm.

A Remonstrance against Paving & Curbing Hickory St. from Second St. to Fifth St. as contemplated in Resolution adopted by the Council on Jan. 17th, was presented and referred to S. B. & A. Com.

A Remonstrance against Paving, Curbing and Guttering Main St from Seventh St. to Ninth St. as Contemplated in Resolution adopted Jan. 17th. was presented and referred to the S. B. & G. Comm.

Claims against the City were presented and referred to the proper Standing Committees who reported recommending that the following Claims in the total sum of $1544.64 be allowed, each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council

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| Ottawa W. Works & Lt. Co. | F. W. & Lt. | 74 | 75 | | |
| A. P. Calder | | 12 | 50 | Ottawa Republic | Printing 10 25 |
| John Hallaren | | 1 | 85 | Newman Waring | 9 30 |
| Ottawa Tel. Co. | | 3 | 85 | Ottawa Herald | 11 10 |
| J. G. Baker | | 7 | 11 | Ottawa Hardware Co. | S. B. & G. 2 03 |
| Western Electrician | | | 60 | J. W. Jones | 33 75 |
| John Hallaren | | 6 | 10 | Alfred Johnson | 50 25 |
| M. L. Becker | | 3 | 75 | Rodgers & Sullivan | 71 |
| Williams & Wilson Grain Co. | | 8 | 25 | Allan Frazier | 5 60 |
| M. & K. Tel. Co. | | 3 | 85 | Charles Marsh | 3 50 |
| H. O. Lockhart | | 42 | 50 | D. H. McBeth | 6 00 |
| H. N. Hartshorn | | 60 | 00 | John Nelson | 3 50 |
| E. S. Labor | Park | 7 | 20 | J. J. Lillis | 2 00 |
| H. M. Simms | | 7 | 20 | Studebaker Bruch Co. | 7 50 |
| F. F. Denio | | 45 | 00 | J. E. Callan | 43 20 |
| J. J. Lillis | | 8 | 00 | Mert Callen | 55 00 |
| D. D. Bennett | | 1 | 65 | Allan Frazier | 4 20 |
| Austin Reed | Police | 74 | 00 | Warren White | 65 00 |
| H. O. Bradley | | 50 | 00 | Health. Seevers & Smith | 8 15 |
| A. E. Koons | | 10 | 00 | Seevers & Smith | 500 00 |
| Ike Roberts | | 3 | 75 | Seevers & Smith | 40 00 |
| H. R. Cody | | 27 | 60 | H. O. Myers | 70 00 |
| Felix & Sons | | | 85 | E. L. Warner | 6 56 |
| Lee White | | | 50 | C. S. Pugh | 2 25 |
| J. H. Eason | | | 25 | Silas Haines | 1 00 |
| H. L. Parkinson | | 18 | 25 | Allan Frazier | 60 |
| C. L. Becker | Claims. | 2 | 05 | A. Ramsdell | Cemetery. 27 00 |
| L. W. Hart | | 2 | 65 | The claims com. reported recommending the the claim of the Ottawa Tel. Co. in the sum of $5.00 be not allowed. adopted | |
| The Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. | | | 50 | The claim of John C. Quinn for $24.60 clerk dist court for fees Case 957 - City vs. John Fisher, Police cum recommends payment be refused, adopted | |
| Henry Remaly | | 3 | 50 | | |
| Geo. D. Rathbun | | 25 | 00 | The F. W. & Lt com. recommend that the claim of Owen Ford in the sum of $250.00 be withheld until agreement on appraisement is signed by Water Company, adopted | |
| J. H. Beck | | 62 | 90 | | |

see Ford's letter;

Bids for the construction of delinquent sidewalks for the year 1905 were received and referred to the sidewalk com. which com. returned said bids with their recommendation. Bids were as follows

| Bidder | Brick walk Curb on edge sq. foot | Brick walk curbed with Brick on end sq. foot | Excavations pr. cu. yd | Fills pr. cu. yard. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| C.A Furness | 7¼¢ | 7½¢ | 35¢ | 35¢ |
| W. M. Adams | 7¼¢ | 7½¢ | 35¢ | 35¢ |
| H. O. Beetley | 8¢ | 8½¢ | 15¢ | 35¢ |
| E. H. Roe | — | 8½ | 75¢ | 1.35¢ |

On Motion by Thomas Contract was awarded to C.A Furness.

An Ordinance Making appropriations in the sum of $1544.64 to defray the expense of the City Government was introduced and read a first time on Motion was placed on its second reading and final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows ayes 8 Nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness Haygh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn Wright, a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On Motion Council adjourned to meet Feb 14th. 6.

Attest, J. H. Bell.
City Clerk

John Sullivan
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, Feb. 14-1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Feb. 7th Mayor Halloran presiding

Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. a Quorum being present Council proceeded to business

A petition signed by D. Lemaster and 17 others, for a sidewalk along the south side of Blocks 8 and 9 of Bowles, Sheldon and Topkings Addition was presented and on Motion was granted.

Petition signed by W. A. Martin for the use of Forest for a Gun Club shoot on Feb. 22 was presented and upon recommendation of the Park Com. was granted.

The Petition of The Ottawa Valley Association of Spiritualists for the use of Forest Park Aug. 25 to Sept. 5th inclusive for annual Camp meeting of said body, was presented. petition was referred to the Park Com.

The Petition of M. DeMont and others for a sewer main in Hickory St from Massassoit st. to Wilson st. and which was on Dec. 20-05 referred to the Health Com, was by that Com. called up and said Com. reported, recommending that the Main sewer in Hickory be extended North from Massassoit to Red Jacket street, and that Blocks A + B. of Bowles Sheldon + Topkings addition be created a sewer district, and that a lateral be constructed therein. On motion the Report of the Committee was adopted.

Manager Gormly of the Band filed the written consent of Mrs M. J. Taylor and Nine others giving their permission for the Band to use City Park as shown by a petition presented on Feb. 7th and referred to the Park Com. document was referred to Park Com. as was also the written protest of W. H. Clark against said use of Park.

9. Resolution as follows was introduced:

Whereas the Council of the City of Ottawa did on March 8th, 1906 duly pass an ordinance dividing the First, Second, and Third wards of the said City into two voting precincts each; and whereas said ordinance does not designates said precincts either by name or number therefore be it

Resolved that for the sake of Convenience and to avoid confusion on account of duplicated numbers of precincts, the precincts so created by said ordinance be numbered in consecutive numerical order as follows:

That the north precinct in the First Ward be known and designated as precinct Number one

That the south precinct in the First Ward be known and designated as precinct number two.

That the north precinct in the Second Ward be known and designated as precinct number three

That the South precinct in the Second Ward be known and designated as precinct Number four

That the South precinct in the Third Ward be known and designated as precinct Number five

That the north precinct in the Third Ward be known and disignated as precinct Number six

That the Fourth Ward be known and designated as precinct No 7.

On Motion the foregoing resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present.

The following resolution to Pave and Curb was introduced:

Resolution to Pave and Curb Hickory street in the City of Ottawa from Second Street to Fifth Street.

Resolved, that the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa deem it necessary and hereby declare it to be necessary to pave and Curb Hickory street in said City from the north line of Second street to the north line of Fifth street. said street to be paved with two courses of "vitrified brick" upon a sand foundation and curbed with a Curbing made of Cement Concrete. Said street to be paved thirty feet in width, except between Third and Fourth streets, in which block the paving is to be forty feet in width; fifteen feet of which is to be on the east side of the Center of the street and twenty five feet on the west side of said Center.

On Motion the resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting. City Clerk was directed to publish resolution as provided by law.

The following resolution to pave & curb was introduced:

Resolution to Pave and Curb Third street from Walnut street to Willow street.

Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, that they deem it necessary and they hereby declare it to be necessary to pave and curb Third street within the City of Ottawa, from the track of The Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company on Walnut street to the east curb line of Willow street. That the said pavement shall be twenty four feet wide from curb to curb, and that the patement shall be of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation and the Curb of Cement Concrete.

On Motion the resolution was adopted all Councilmen present voting aye: except Branson who voted nay. City clerk was directed to publish resolution as provided by law

The following resolution to pave & curb was presented:

Resolution to Pave and Curb Fourth street from Walnut street to Willow street.

Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, that they deem it necessary and they hereby declare that it is necessary to pave

and curb Fourth street in the City of Ottawa, from the track of the Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Walnut street to the east curb line of Willow street. That the said pavement shall be twenty-four feet wide from curb to curb, and said pavement shall be of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation and the curb of Cement Concrete.

On Motion the resolution was adopted by all Councilmen present voting aye except Furness who voted Nay. City Clerk was directed to publish Resolution as provided by law.

The Remonstrance against Paving and Curbing Main street from Seventh street to Ninth Street and which was on Feb 7th referred to the S. B. & A. Committee, was reported on by said Com. as follows. We your Committee find the within remonstrance signed by a majority of the resident property owners of said district and would recommend you declare resolution to pave in said district defeated T. J. Wright
E. J. Thomas
on motion the Committee report was adopted.

The Remonstrance against paving and curbing Hickory street from second Street to Fifth Street which was on Feb. 7th referred to the S. B. & A. Committee, was reported upon by said Com. as follows:

We your Committee find the within remonstrance signed by a majority of the resident property owners of said district, and would recommend you declare resolution to have been defeated
T. J. Wright
E. J. Thomas
On motion committee report was adopted.

Motion by Branson That the Councils action of Feb. 7th with relation to the Petition of W. B. Freeman and others to have University Addition No 2 vacated, be reconsidered. Motion prevailed.

Upon reconsideration of the matter, Council voted, Upon Motion of Crane that the matter

be referred for investigation to a committee whom the Mayor might name. the mover of the measure asked that he be not placed on said committee.

Mayor named Thomas, Washburn and Wright, with a request that they report at their early convenience.

The Fire Water and Light committee to whom, on Jan 11th was referred the Special rates on natural gas to large consumers, reported on the same as follows Your committee would recommend that the said Schedule of Special rates lie on the table.

Motion prevailed.

An Ordinance regulating the use of Automobiles upon the public Streets in the City of Ottawa, was on motion of Councilman Branson placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows Yeas 8. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were, Branson. Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright Nays, none. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned

Attest, J. H. Bell, City Clerk.

John McHallorin
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa Feb. 19/1906

Council met in Special session pursuant to the following call which was read when Council was called to order by Mayor Halloran.

Ottawa, Kansas Feb. 19th, 1906.

To the Hon Mayor of the City of Ottawa:

Sir:-

The undersigned members of the Council of said City do hereby petition that you call a special meeting of the Council of said City to convene at 7 o'clock P.M. of the date hereof, for the purpose of transacting business relating to the appraisement of the Water Works and the proposed purchase of the Electric light works of The Ottawa Water Works and Light Company

signed { T. J. Wright
John Nelson
E. S. Thomas

Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright

An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute on behalf of the City, a Contract with the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company was introduced, and On Motion of Branson was placed on its first reading. The ordinance was then read a first time. On Motion of Branson Council voted to declare an emergency to exist and to place the ordinance upon its second reading and final passage.

The ordinance was then read a second time and considered by sections, and was then placed on its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows, ayes 8 nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

on motion Council adjourned.

Attest, J. T. Bell
City Clerk.

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa Feb. 28-1906

The Mayor and Council met in special session this day at 7.30 P.M., pursuant to the following Petition and Call for said meeting

## Call for Special Meeting of the City Council.

Ottawa, Kansas. February 28th 1906.

To The Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kansas.

Sir:-

We the undersigned Councilmen of said City hereby request that you call a special meeting of the Council to convene at 7.30 o'clock p.m. of the date hereof for the purpose of considering the appraisements and negotiations for the purchase of the Water-works, and of the Electric Light works of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company; to consider and act upon the calling of an election to vote upon the questions of issuing bonds to purchase said Water Works, and to extend the same, and to vote upon the questions of issuing bonds to purchase the said Electric Light Works and to extend the same; and to consider and adopt an Ordinance directing that an election be called for the submission of such questions to the electors of the City.

Also to consider the question of submitting to the people the proposition, whether the provisions of Chapter 115 of the Laws of 1905, "relating to the control and operation of Water Works, fuel, power, and lighting plants in Cities of the first and second Classes" shall apply to this City; and to consider and adopt an ordinance providing for such submission.

J. E. Crane
E. J. Thomas
J. J. Wright

A special meeting of the City Council is hereby called for this evening, February 28th, 1906, at 7.30 P.M. for the purposes specified in the above request.

John Halloren
Mayor.

Attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

(Seal.)

The roll being called, the following were present and answered to their names; the Mayor, John Halloren and Councilmen Branson, Evans, Furness, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. absent Councilman Haugh.

The Mayor presented to the Council the appraisements of the water works and the electric light works of The Ottawa Water Works and Light Company, filed February 24th, 1906, and made by Owen Ford, John Donnelly, and D. H. Flowree, appraisers, showing the appraisement of the water works at $60,000, and of the electric light works at $10,000.

Councilman Branson moved that the Council submit to the voters the proposition to vote bonds to the amount of $65,000. to extend the water works, if purchased, and bonds to the amount of $15,000. to extend the electric light works, if purchased, and that such amounts be inserted in the ordinance calling the election to vote bonds for the purpose of purchasing and extending the said water works and electric light works. Which motion prevailed by a unanimous vote.

Thereupon an Ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance directing the Calling of an election for the submission to the electors of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, of the Questions of whether the City of Ottawa shall issue bonds for the purposes of purchasing the water works, and the electric light works of The Ottawa Water Works and Light Company, in said City, and for the purposes of extending said water works, and said electric light works, to supply said City and its inhabitants with water and electric light. was introduced and read the first time, and thereupon on motion of Councilman Branson it was unanimously voted that an emergency exists that the rules be suspended and that the Council proceed immediately to the second reading of the ordinance, and that it be considered by sections and placed on its final passage.

and thereupon the ordinance was read a second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage; the question then being, Shall the ordinance pass? a vote on the passage of the ordinance was then taken by roll call, with result as follows Yeas 7 Nays, none. Councilmen voting yea were Branson, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent and not voting Councilman Haugh. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Thereupon, an Ordinance entitled, An Ordinance to provide for submitting to the people, the question, Whether the provisions of Chapter 115, of the laws of Kansas for the year, 1905, entitled "An act relating to the control and operation of water works, fuel, power, and lighting plants in cities of the first and second Classes" shall apply to the City of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time, and thereupon, on motion of Councilman Branson, it was unanimously voted that an emergency exists - that the rules be suspended and that the Council proceed immediately to the second reading of the ordinance and that it be considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. and thereupon, the ordinance was read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage; the question then being, Shall the ordinance pass? a vote on the passage of the ordinance was then taken by roll, with result as follows Yeas 7, Nays none. Councilmen voting yea were Branson, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, absent and not voting, Councilman Haugh. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned

attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk.

John Hallorn
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa March 2nd, 1906

The Mayor and Council met in special session at 7.30 P. M. this 2nd. of March, 1906, pursuant to the following request of three Councilmen, and Call by the Mayor, therefor, Viz:

Call for Special meeting of the City Council

I, John Halloran, Mayor of the City Council do hereby call a special meeting of the City Council of said City to be held in the Council Chamber of said City at 7.30 P. M. on Friday, March 2-nd, 1906, pursuant to the following request:

To The Honorable Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Ottawa Kansas, March 2-nd, 1906
Sir: We, the undersigned Councilmen of said City hereby request you to call a special meeting of the Council to convene at 7.30 P. M. of the date hereof, at the Council Chamber of said City, for the object and purpose of considering the appraisement and negotiations for the purchase of the water works, and of the electric light works of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company; to consider and act upon the calling of an election to vote upon the questions of issuing bonds to purchase said water works, and to extend the same, and to vote upon the questions of issuing bonds to purchase the said electric light works, and to extend the same; and to reconsider and adopt an ordinance directing that an election be called for the submission of such questions to the electors of the city.

Also to consider the question of submitting to the people the proposition whether the provisions of Chapter 115 of the laws of 1905 "relating to the control and operation of water works, fuel, power and lighting plants in cities of the first and second Classes" shall apply to this City; and to reconsider and adopt an ordinance providing for such submission

Geo. J. Hough
F. E. Grant
J. G. Wright

Such special meting will be held at the time and place given above for the purposes specified in the above request.

John Halloran

Attest: J. H. Bell City Clerk
(Seal)

The roll was then called and the following were present and answered to their names, Mayor John Halloran, Councilmen Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, Councilmen absent none. The Petition and Call was then read.

The Mayor presented the appraisement of the water works and the electric light works of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company filed Feb. 24th, 1906, and made by Owen Ford, John Donnelly, and T. H. Florence, appraisers, showing the appraisement of the water works at $60,000.00, and of the electric light works at $10,000.00

The Mayor announced that the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance directing the Calling of an election for the submission to the electors of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, of the questions whether the City of Ottawa shall issue Bonds for the purposes of purchasing the water works, and the electric light works, of The Ottawa Water Works and Light Company, in said City, and for the purposes of extending said water works and said electric light works, to supply said City and its inhabitants with water and electric light", passed on February 28th, 1906, had not been approved or published, and being now before the Council.

Thereupon, Councilman Thomas moved that the Council reconsider the vote on the final passage of said ordinance taken February 28th, 1906; the roll was then called on such motion to reconsider with the following result: Yeas 8 Nays, None. Councilmen voting yea were Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Nays None. and so said Motion to reconsider prevailed.

Councilman Crane moved that the Council reconsider the vote of Feb 28th, 1906, upon the motion that the ordinance be read a second time, considered by sections and placed on its final passage; which motion to reconsider prevailed, by a unanimous vote of all the Councilmen.

Councilman Washburn moved that the vote upon the motion by which the Council, on February 28th, 1906, voted to submit the propositions to vote bonds to the amount of $65,000 to extend the water works, if purchased, and bonds to the amount of

$15,000 to extend the electric light works, if
if purchased, and that such amounts be inserted
in the ordinance calling the election to vote bonds for the purpose
of purchasing and extending said water works
and electric light works, be now reconsidered
which motion to reconsider, prevailed by a
unanimous vote of all the Councilmen.

Thereupon said original motion for the
submission of the proposition to vote bonds
to the amount of $65,000.00 for the purpose of
extending the water works, if purchased,
and bonds to the amount of $15,000 for the purpose
of extending the electric light works, if
purchased, and to insert such amounts in the
ordinance calling the election to vote bonds
for the purpose of purchasing and extending
said water works and electric light works,
the vote upon which motion was so reconsidered
was again put, and was carried by the
unanimous vote of all the Councilmen.

Said Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance directing
the Calling of an election for the submission
to the electors of the City of Ottawa, Kansas,
the questions: Whether the city of Ottawa shall
issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing
the water works, and the electric light
works, of The Ottawa Water Works and Light
Company, in said City, and for the purpose
of extending said water works and said
electric light works, to supply said
City and its inhabitants with water and
electric light." was then reintroduced
and read the first time. Councilman
Washburn then moved that it be declared that
an emergency exists, that the rules be suspended
and that the ordinance be now read the second
time, considered by sections, and placed upon
its its final passage; which motion prevailed
by a unanimous vote of all the Councilmen.
Thereupon said ordinance was read a second
time, considered by sections, each section
being adopted separately, and then placed
upon its final passage; the question being,
Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was
called, with the following result,

Yeas 8 Nays, none. Councilmen voting in favor of the passage of the ordinance were Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Nays none; and so the ordinance was passed, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

The Mayor then announced that the ordinance passed on February 28th, 1906, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for submitting to the people the question whether the provisions of Chapter 115, of the laws of Kansas for the year, 1905, "an act relating to the operation and control of water works, fuel, power, and lighting plants in cities of the first and second classes" shall apply to the City of Ottawa, had not been approved or published, and said ordinance now being before the Council, Councilman Branson moved that the final vote on the passage of said ordinance be now reconsidered, and upon such motion, the roll was called, with the following result; Yeas 8, Nays, none, Councilmen voting Yea, were Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Nays, none and so the motion to reconsider prevailed.

Councilman Thomas then moved that the vote upon the motion by which the said ordinance was read the second time. considered by sections and placed on its final passage, be now reconsidered; which motion prevailed by a unanimous vote of all the Councilmen.

Said ordinance was then reintroduced and read the first time. Thereupon, Councilman Thomas moved that it be declared that an emergency exists, that the rules be suspended, and that the ordinance be read a second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage; which motion prevailed by a unanimous vote of all the Councilmen.

Thereupon said ordinance was read the second time, considered by sections, each section adopted separately, and then placed upon its final passage; the question being, Shall the ordinance pass?

The roll was called, with the following result; Yeas 8. Nays, None. Councilmen voting Yea were Brayton, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, Nays none and so the ordinance was passed, and the same having received a vote of the majority of the Councilmen elect, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned

Attest, J.H. Bell, City Clerk

John Hallorn

Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa March 7th 1906.

Council met in regular session with Mayor John Halloran presiding.

The roll was called, the following named Councilmen answering, Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. A Quorum being present Council proceeded to business

Minutes of regular meting of February 7th 1906, and of adjourned sessions of same meting on Feb. 14th and Special sessions Feb. 19th, 1906 Feb 28th, 1906 and of March 2nd, 1906 were read by the Clerk and separately approved by the Council.

A Petition from the Ottawa Gun Club was presented asking for the use of Forest Park one afternoon each month during the year and for two special days during the year for tenpin annual meetings, and also requesting the use of the judges stand for storage purposes, and agreeing none of such dates if granted should interfere or conflict with any ~~other~~ dates granted otherwise and that all of such meetings shall be free at the gate, on motion all of said petition was granted except the use of judges stand which is not under the control of the City

The Petition of the Franklin County Ohio Ass'n was presented requesting the use of Forest Park on Sept 6th for an Annual picnic was referred to the Park Com. to take the matter up with the petitioners as said date conflicts with County fair.

The Kaw valley association of Spiritualists whoes petition for use of Forest Park was presented on Feb. 5 were granted the use Park from Aug 17th to 27th inclusive

The Special Com. of Thomas, Washburn and Wright to whom was referred the Petition of W. B Freeman and others requesting the vacating of University addition No 2 reported recommending that said petition be not granted, on motion report was unanimously adopted.

The Report of Police Judge for the month of Feb. was presented and referred to the Police Com.

The Report the City Clerk was presented and referred to the Finance Committee.

The report of the City Sidewalk repairer for the month of Feb. was presented and ~~approved~~ referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

The following claims against the City in the sum of $1544.64 were presented and referred to the proper standing com's. who reported recommending that the following be allowed, each report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council.

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| Police | | | S. B. & G. | | |
| Austin Reed | 69 | 00 | Allan Frazier | 25 | |
| H. O. Beetley | 50 | 80 | Mark Totten | 57 | 50 |
| A. E. Agnew | 10 | 00 | Warren White | 60 | 00 |
| Ike Roberts | 4 | 50 | J. E. Callan | 36 | |
| W. R. Cody | 21 | 60 | Ottawa Foundry Co. | 2 | 50 |
| John A. Quin | 39 | 20 | J. W. Jones | 28 | |
| John Nelson | 2 | 90 | Side-Walk. W. M. Adams | 9 | |
| A. P. Elder | | 25 | O. C. Wilkinson | 7 | 50 |
| J. T. Gillis | 1 | 50 | Cemetery A. Ramstedt | 19 | 50 |
| Bradley & Son | 1 | 50 | Health. W. A. Myers | 70 | 00 |
| Chas. Bellchamber | | 50 | | | |
| Ben Gentry | | 50 | | | |
| Park. J. L. Denis | 46 | 50 | | | |
| B. D. Bennett | 3 | 75 | | | |
| Printing. Ottawa Herald | 20 | 70 | The claim of Owen Ford was | | |
| Newman & Waring | 24 | 00 | presented for $250.00, on | | |
| F. W. & C. A. P. Elder | 2 | 05 | Motion of Branson Bill | | |
| Williams & Wilson Grain Co. | 8 | 50 | was increased to $300.00 | | |
| Geo. L. Ash | 8 | 85 | on account of valuable | | |
| James Wilson | | 90 | service rendered | | |
| H. L. Remley | 2 | 75 | | | |
| H. A. Lockhart | 42 | 50 | On Motion of Branson the $5.00 | | |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 | 00 | Claim of the Ottawa Tel. Co. for | | |
| Ottawa Foundry Co. | 1 | 50 | Police Judges tel. No 510. was | | |
| Owen Ford | 300 | 00 | referred to Police Com. to | | |
| Nick Johnson | 185 | 00 | investigate & Report | | |
| Archer McAdam | 175 | 00 | | | |
| Claims. G. L. Kaiser | | 50 | | | |
| H. Ramsay | 4 | 00 | | | |
| The Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. | | 50 | | | |
| D. A. Valentine | 11 | 00 | | | |
| J. H. Bell | 62 | 25 | | | |

The Petition of Gormleys Band for the use of Main st from First Street to Fifth street for one week commencing May 21st 1906. was granted upon condition that the said portion of street be left clean, that no brick shall be taken up, and that no Sundays be granted All coincelmen voting aye except Branson who voted nay.

Chairman Washburn of the Sidewalk Com. moved that the petition for a sidewalk on the north side of Fifth street from Ash street to Locust street, and which petition was apr. 6th 1904 laid on the table be now taken from the table Carried.

Councilman Branson moved that action the petition be deferred motion lost. Branson & Wright voting aye. Cran, Furness, Haugh, Nilson, & Washburn voting Nay.

The side Walk Com. made the following report on the Petition.

Your Committe waved recommend that the petition be granted

Chr. Washburn, S. Walk Com. moved the adoption of the report, motion prevailed and the petition granted

The Petition of W. Stucker and others for a sidewalk along the South side of Blocks 112-113-114-115-116-117 and which was filed with the City Clerk on June 7th 1905 was taken up.

The Sidewalk Com. reported on the said petition as follows:

Your Sidewalk Comm. recommend that the petition be granted.

Councilman Washburn moved the adoption of the Com. report Motion prevailed and the petition was granted.

Councilman Haugh moved that a sidewalk be constructed along the south side of block 25 Bowles, Sheldon and Toppings Addition.

Councilman Branson proposed as a substitute for Haughs motion. That the matter be referred to the sidewalk com to ascertain the cost of such walk and report to Council. motion prevailed

The Mayor appointed and the Council confirmed Mrs. Tracy E. Overman as a member of the Board of the Ottawa Free Public Library, to take the Place of Mrs. C. L. Caudery resigned

City Atty was directed to prepare an Ordinance to include west ½ of Block 98 in the City Fire limits.

The Sidewalk Comm. reported recommending that the following sidewalks be condemned and that new walks be built in their place to conform to ord. # 596 of the City of Ottawa:

Sidewalk along East front of the following Beginning at S.E. Cor. of N½ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 35 of Twp. 16, and Range 19. Thence W. 40 rods, N. 16 rods, E. 340 ft. S. 150 ft. E. 320 ft. S. 114 ft to pt. of beginning;

Also Sidewalk along E. front of the following:
Beginning on W. line of Ash street 62½ ft. S. of a point 96 rods N. of S. line of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 35 Twp. 16 and Range 19, thence S. 87½ ft. W. 320 ft. N. 87½ ft. E. 320 ft to pt. of beginning

Also sidewalk along the front of lots 11-13 and 15 of Block 73 of original townsite of the City of Ottawa On motion the recommendations of the Committee were adopted and the said walks condemned.

The Com. also recommended that the foot walk on the east side of Main street bridge be overlaid with inch boards said lengthening which was also adopted by the Council.

The Annual report for the year 1905 of A.C. Branson Chief of the Ottawa Fire Dept. was read and ordered placed on file

The matter of provision for police and city prison quarters in the basement of the proposed new County Jail was again taken up by the Council, and on motion of Councillor Branson the Police Com. was empowered to Contract with the County Commissioners

for said basement for a term of from 50 to 99 years at a sum not to exceed $2000.

The following resolution was presented
Resolution to grade, curb and gutter Cedar Street from Fourth Street to ninth street.

Be it resolved by the mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas: that it is deemed necessary and it is hereby declared necessary to grade, curb and gutter Cedar Street in the City of Ottawa from the South line of Fourth Street to the north line of Ninth Street.

That said curb and gutter shall be a combined curb and gutter composed of Portland Cement Concrete. on motion of Councilman Branson the Resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of all Councilmen present. and the City Clerk was directed to have the resolution published as required by law.

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $1544.64 to defray the expenses of the City Government was introduced and read the first time on motion the ordinance was placed on its second reading, was considered by sections and placed on its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 7. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Washburn, Wright, absent and not voting Thomas a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declared it duly passed.

An Ordinance providing for the construction of a main sewer in the center of Hickory street from the center of Massassoit street to the center of Red Jacket street, was introduced and read the first time. on

~~Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of~~ Ottawa: on

~~Section 1. That a 10 inch main sewer be constructed in the manner and of the materials provided for in plans and specifications for the construction of Sewers, to be adopted by the City of Ottawa, and filed~~

To the Honorable Mayor and Councilmen of The City of Ottawa, Kansas:-

Gentlemen:-

We offer you par and accrued interest for your $70000 Water Works Purchase Bonds and Electric Light Purchase Bonds, bearing four per cent interest and maturing at the rate of $2000 in each of the years from 1911 to 1933 inclusive and $1000 in 1934; and par and accrued interest for your $80000 Waterworks Extension and Electric Light Extension Bonds, bearing five per cent interest and maturing $4000 each year from 1910 to ~~1924~~ 1929 inclusive.

Evidence of the legality of said bonds to be furnished us in advance of the delivery of said bonds.

All of said bonds shall be delivered to us in Chicago; said purchase bonds to be delivered not later than June 15, 1906, and said Extension Bonds shall be delivered on or before September 1, 1906; provided that we shall have the right to demand and receive delivery of said Extension bonds at any time after June 15, 1906.

The certain $1000 cashier's check now deposited with your Clerk may be held, if this offer is accepted, as a forfeit to secure the performance of our obligations hereunder.

Respectfully submitted, this May 21, 1906.

H. C. SPEER & SONS COMPANY?

By A. H. Stuart

P. S. On the acceptance of this bid we will undertake to furnish blank bonds at an expense to the City not exceeding $150.

H. C. SPEER & SONS CO.

by A. H. Stuart

The foregoing offer is hereby accepted by The City of Ottawa, Kansas, pursuant to a motion unanimously adopted by the Council of said City, May 21, 1906.

John Halloran Mayor.

Attest:-

J. W. Bell

City Clerk.

~~in the office of the City Clerk of the said City. Said Sewer shall be constructed in the Center of Hickory Street, and shall begin at the intersection of said Hickory street with the Center of Mississippi street and extend north to the intersection of Hickory street with the Center of Red Jacket street.~~

~~Section 2. That the costs and expenses of said Sewer Main shall be paid out of the General fund~~ on motion of Furness the ordinance was read a second time an emergency was declared and the ordinance considered by sections and placed on its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a rote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 7. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were. Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Washburn, Wright, absent and not voting Councilman Thomas, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance. Creating Sewer District No 39 and providing for the Construction of a Sewer therein, and providing for the payment of the Costs thereof. was introduced and read the first time. Thereupon on Motion of Councilman Branson an emergency was declared to exist. the ordinance was then read a second time Considered by sections and placed on its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a rote was taken with result as follows. Ayes 7. Nays 8. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Washburn and Wright, absent and not voting Thomas, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

An Ordinance providing for the Construction of Certain Sidewalks in the City of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time and on Motion of Councilman Washburn an emergency was declared to exist, the ordinance was then read the second time, Considered by

sections and placed on its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows ayes 7. nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Washburn, Wright. Absent and not voting Thomas. a majority of the Councilmen elect [illegible] voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned

Attest, J.H. Bell

John Hallorn

Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, Mch. 19th. 1906.

Council met pursuant to the following petition and call, which was read.

Ottawa, Kansas, March 19th, 1906.

To The Honorable Mayor of the City of Ottawa:

Sir:- We the undersigned members of the City Council of the said City do hereby petition that you call a special meeting of the Council of said City, to convene at the Council Chamber of said City at 7.30 P. M. of the date hereof for the following purposes:

For the selection of ~~Judges and~~ Clerks and Judges of the election to be held in the City of Ottawa on April 3rd. 1906. also to arrange for the purchase of booths for election; to consider ~~and provide for the collection~~ a license for Skating Rinks, and to a sewer lateral ordinance

Geo. P. Washburn
John Nelson
S. J. Wright.

A meeting of the City Council, is hereby called for the purposes, and at the time and place set forth in the petition herewith

John Halloren, Mayor.

Ottawa, Kansas, March 19th, 1906.

Councilmen present at roll call were Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, absent Councilmen Branson and Crane

Mayor Halloren presiding.

The following list of Clerks and Judges of election to be held April 3rd 1906, who had been selected as provided by law, were appointed by the Mayor and on Motion of Councilman Thomas, Connell, Confirming all said appointments. Voted unanimously

Precinct 1, First Ward north of River

Clerks
C. Q Furness
C. M. Thomas

Judges
A. Wilson
Za. Dick
John Hamilton

Precinct 2, First Ward South of River

clerks.
Frank P. Tracey
C. J Avenarius

Judges.
A. A. Lathrop
W. W. Fraser
W. L. Roseberry

Precinct 3, Second Ward north of seventh street

clerks.
Ralph Page
J. S. Jackson

Judges,
J. P. Mason
C. J. Tierney
C. C. Wright

Precinct 4, Second Ward south of Seventh street

clerks
Chas. A. Bird
Phares Day

Judges,
H. C. Long
I. Kinsman
I. G. Stewart

Precinct 5, Third Ward south of Seventh street

clerks,
John Guy
S. H. Mayes

Judges,
Ed. Chenoweth
C. W. Barnett
L. I. Mosley

Precinct 6, Third Ward north of Seventh street

clerks
D. Deford
Peter Kaiser

Judges,
J. A. Purdy
C. L. Robbins
J. J. Dysert

Precinct 7, Fourth Ward.

Clerks,
U. M. Beachy
Matt. Semple

Judges,
W. J. Pickrell
W. R. Rodgers
E. S. Lucas

The matter of purchasing of 16 voting booths was on motion referred to the Finance Comm. with power to act, The Comm. awarded the making of the 16 Complete booths to John Nelson for $47.50.

With reference to skating Rink license the Council established the license for the present at $15.00 per month which price was readily agreed to by Mr. E. S. Pearson who proposes to operate a Rink

An ordinance Creating Sewer district 39 and providing for the Construction of a Sewer lateral therein and repealing Ordinance No 602. was introduced and read the first time. On Motion of Councilman Thomas an emergency was declared to exist, the ordinance was then read a second time, ~~and~~ Considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 6. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, and Wright. Absent and Not voting were Councilmen Branson & Crane a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

On Motion Council adjourned.

Attest J.H. Bell, City Clerk

John Stallcup

Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa Apr. 4, 1906

Council Met in regular session.
Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, absent Councilman Crane.
Mayor Halloren presiding, a quorum being present Council proceeded to business.

Minutes of regular March meeting, and of the special Meeting of 19th Mch. 1906 were read and approved

A Petition signed by D. C. Tabor and 25 others for a sidewalk along S. side of Red Jacket street from from Main to Sycamore Stret was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

A Petition signed by S. Dills and 29 others for a sidewalk along the west side of Willow st. from Eighth st. to Ninth st. was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Comm.

A Petition signed by A. A. Hoover + others for the Creation of a Sewer Dist. of Block 104 and for the construction of a sewer lateral therein was presented and referred to Health Committee

A Petition signed by B. L. Gould and others for the extension or opening of Black Hawk to a width of 25 feet from Main St. to King street upon condition that the owners of land so to be used give the same free of cost also for the opening of an 18 ft alley on the alley line between Main and King streets and to extend from Red Jacket street to Wilson street was presented and referred to the A. B. + A. Com.

The petition of the Franklin County Ohio Ass'n for the use of Forest park for Aug. 30/06 to hold annual picnic was presented and upon recommendation of the Park Committe the petition was granted.

The Petition of The Franklin County Indiana Ass'n for the use of Forest Park on Aug 30th/06 was presented and upon recommendation

of Park Committee same was granted, after it was explained that the Spiritualists who have the use of Park on said date have given their Consent.

A Remonstrance against paving Curbing and ~~paving~~ Hickory street from the north side of Second Street to the North side of Fifth Street as Contemplated in resolution adopted Feb. 14/06 was presented and referred to the S. B. & A. Committe as was also the withdrawal of the names of E. P. Stubbard, S. B. Rohrbaugh, and R. S. Parker from said remonstrance, which withdrawals had been filed with the City Clerk before said remonstrance was filed.

A Remonstrance against Curbing ~~Guttering~~ and paving 3rd Street from the tracks of the A. T. & S. F. Ry Co. in Walnut street to the East line of Willow street as Contemplated in resolution adopted by the Council on Feb. 14th/06 was presented and referred to the S. B. & A. Committee, as was also the withdrawal from said remonstrance of the names of H. B Brombacher, E. S. Julesson and Mrs. E. S. Julesson, which withdrawals of names had been filed with the City Clerk before said remonstrance was filed.

A Remonstrance against Curbing ~~Guttering~~ and paving Fourth street from the tracks of the A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co. in Walnut street to the East line of Willow street as Contemplated in resolution adopted by the Council on Feb. 14th/06 was presented and refered to the S. B. & A. Committee.

A Remonstrance against Grading Curbing and Guttering Cider street from South line of Fourth street to the north line of Ninth street as Contemplated in resolution adopted by the Council on March 7th, 06 was presented and refered to the S. B. & A. Committe

A Remonstrance against the Construction of Sewer lateral No 39 was presented and referred to the Health Committee.

A Remonstrance against ~~against~~ the Construction of a sidewalk along the north side of Sixth street from Locust stroet to Ash street was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Committee

The Report of the Police Judge for the Month of March was presented and referred to the Police Comm.

The Report of the City Clerk for the Month of March was presented and referred to Finance Committee.

The Report of Sexton of Hope Cemetery for the Quarter ending Mch. 31- 1906 was presented and referred to the Cemetery Committee.

Claims against the various funds of the City were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees who reported recommending that the following Claims in the sum of $1403.93 be allowed. each committee report being received separately, and adopted separately by the Council

Claims

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|---|---|---|---|
| C. Q Furness | 2 00 | Fred Summers | 2 00 |
| C. M. Thomas | 2 00 | aaron Jones | 2 00 |
| J. E. Hamilton | 3 00 | S. H. Moyer | 2 00 |
| Da Dick | 2 00 | C. W. Barnett | 2 00 |
| Joe Ferguson | 2 00 | Ed. Chenoweth | 3 00 |
| Rodgers & Sullivan | 2 00 | L. G. Moseley | 4 00 |
| C. F. Arenarius | 2 00 | D. Deford | 2 00 |
| J. M. Hare | 2 00 | Peter Kaiser | 2 00 |
| H. H. Fraser | 2 00 | J. Q. Dysert | 2 00 |
| H. L. Roseberry | 2 00 | J. L. Robbins | 2 00 |
| A. A. Lathrop | 5 00 | J. A. Purdy | 3 00 |
| J. S. Jackson | 2 00 | Sam Hiller | 2 50 |
| Ralph E. Page | 2 00 | U. M. Beachy | 2 00 |
| C. F. Burney | 2 00 | D. C. Pickrell | 2 00 |
| C. C. Wright | 2 00 | W. T. Rodgers | 2 00 |
| J. P. Mason | 2 00 | E. S. Lucas | 3 00 |
| Thos. A. Bird | 2 00 | H. L. Dodley | 2 00 |
| Phares Doy | 2 00 | Crane & Co | 31 35 |
| F. Kinsman | 2 00 | John Nelson | 53 50 |
| J. G. Stewart | 2 00 | Franklin Co. Advr. Co. | 3 69 |
| H. C. Long | 3 00 | Lee Phares | 8 00 |

Claims

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| Ella Bell | 16 50 |
| J. F. Fitzgerald | 6 50 |
| J. A. Bell | 62 40 |
| Ottawa Gas + Electric Co. | 50 |
| C. L. Becker | 1 20 |
| Henry Ramaly | 3 50 |
| M. + K. Tel. Co. | 60 |

Printing

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|---|---|
| Ottawa Republic | 63 00 |
| Ottawa Herald | 46 20 |

Park

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| J. F. Elwell | 1 75 |
| J. T. Sillix | 3 10 |
| F. F. Denio | 45 00 |

S. W. + L.

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| Ottawa Water Wks + Lt. Co. | 75 35 |
| N. N. Hartshorn | 60 00 |
| H. P. Lockhart | 42 50 |
| Ottawa Fire Dept. | 150 00 |
| C. L. Becker | 41 49 |
| A. A. Bean | 4 50 |
| A. P. Elder | 90 |
| Ottawa Tel. Co. | 12 78 |
| Chas Bellchamber | 1 00 |
| M. + K. Tel Co. | 70 |
| J. W. Neill | 9 18 |
| J. W. Neill | 6 98 |
| Williams + W. Grain Co | 8 50 |
| Ottawa Advce. Co. | 2 35 |

Police

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| Austin Reed | $2 00 |
| H. O. Beetley | 53 20 |
| A. E. Koons | 10 80 |
| John Shields | 2 25 |
| Joe. Wilburn | 3 00 |
| W. R. Cody | 16 40 |
| H. E. Lothrop | 2 25 |

Health

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| Silas Haines | 1 00 |
| C. B. Oelkers | 2 15 |
| Claude Pugh | 80 |

Sidewalk

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| Claude Pugh | 40 |
| D. C. Wilkinson | 3 00 |

Cemetery

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| Ottawa Adv. Co. | 5 00 |
| A. Ramstedt | 17 00 |

S. B. + A.

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| Warren White | 65 00 |
| J. E. Callan | 45 20 |
| W. O. Myers | 70 00 |
| Mert Gatten | 60 00 |
| A. Frazier | 21 00 |
| S. E. Griffin | 19 21 |
| J. W. Jones | 29 37 |
| Charles Dale | 6 00 |
| Rohrbaugh + Co | 2 80 |
| John Mclaren | 2 88 |
| John Nelson | 34 80 |
| Ottawa Advo Co. | 65 |
| Total allowed | 403 93 |

A claim of $20.00 filed by Wingfield and Morgan for damage to their horse and wagon by reason of getting into a mud hole in the street near the corner of 5th + Maple streets was referred to the streets bridges and alleys Committee to investigate and report.

The following is a report of the sidewalk committee:

Your sidewalk Committee would recommend that a piece of sidewalk at the corner of Elm and Seventh Streets be condemned and ordered taken up at once, and to be built to conform with ordinance #596 of the City of Ottawa, said land is described as follows Beg at N.E. cor. of N. W 1/4 of Sec. 2 Twp 17 and Range 19, thence S. 167 ft, W 320 ft N. 167 ft. E. 320 ft to point of beginning.

Signed Geo P. Washburn
Chairman

On Motion of Councilman Nelson the report was adopted.

The application of M. G Dunn for a license to operate a Shooting Gallery at No 222 North main St. the application being accompanied by an indorsement, recommendation which was signed by Adam Dobson, C. L Cowdery, J. McKeever, Jos. Gore, N. H. Troutman, H. Schmerk and others. ~~On Motion~~ was presented and upon ~~Motion same was~~ rejected.

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $14,693.93 to defray the expense of the City Government was read a first time and on Motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed on its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows, Ayes 7 Nays None, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn Wright, Absent Councilman Crane, a majority of the Councilmen elect shaving voted the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

An Ordinance preventing the keeping of Charged Carbonic acid gas tanks, tubes or Cylinders, on Certain lots and parcels of Ground within the City of Ottawa and providing a penalty for the violation thereof was introduced and read a first time, on Motion an emergency was declared to exist and the ordinance was read a second time, Considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the Ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows Ayes, 3 Nays 4, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Nelson, Wright,

Noyes, Furness, Hough, Thomas, Washburn.
The affirmative having failed to receive a majority of the votes of the Councilmen elect the Mayor declared the ordinance defeated.

An Ordinance Creating Sewer Dist N° 40 and providing for the Construction of a Sewer therein was introduced and read a ~~second~~ first time, on Motion an emergency was declared to exist, the ordinance was then read a second time, Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass. On motion a vote was taken with result as follows ayes 7 nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent and not voting Councilman Crane. a majority of the Councilmen elect the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

An Ordinance Amending section 1 of Ordinance N°567 and repealing said original section was introduced and read a first time. on Motion An emergency was declared to exist and the ordinance was was then read a second times and considered by sections, was then placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows ayes 7. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Crane. a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance Amending section 2 of Ordinance N°604 and repealing said original section was introduced and read a first time on Motion an emergency was declared to exist, the ordinance was placed on its second reading, and considered by sections, and placed on its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows; ayes 7. Nays none.

Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas Washburn, Wright, Absent and not voting Councilman Crane, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Specifications governing the construction of sewers in the City of Ottawa were presented by W.O. Myers City Engineer and on motion were adopted by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present.

On motion Council Adjourned to meet April 9th 1906

attest, J.W. Bell
City Clerk

John Sullivan
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa April 6th 1906

Council met as provided by law to canvass the vote of the City election held in the City of Ottawa on April 3rd 1906, The Mayor John Mallocen presiding Councilmen present at roll call were, Branson, Cra[illegible] Burness, Nelson Thomas, ~~Washburn~~, Wright. Absent Councilmen Baugh and Washburn.

A quorum being present Council proceeded to canvass the vote of the City election held on April 3rd 1906 as shown by the following tally sheet and record thereof

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| For Councilman First Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| J.E. Armstrong | 66 | 52 | | | | | | | 118 |
| E.J. Thomas | 82 | 33 | | | | | | | 115 |
| For Member Bd of Education First Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| George Fierr | 93 | 54 | | | | | | | 147 |
| W.T. Lancaster | 50 | 32 | | | | | | | 82 |
| W.A. Rodgers | 1 | | | | | | | | 1 |
| For Councilman Second Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| W.H. Church | | | 163 | 82 | | | | | 245 |
| J.T. Mitchell | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| For Member Bd of Education Second Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| Clayton Young | | | 148 | 70 | | | | | 218 |
| S.P. Cole | | | 56 | 28 | | | | | 84 |
| For Councilman Third Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| Tyrman Reid | | | | | 79 | 241 | | | 320 |
| Chas Esterly | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| A. Franklin | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| W.J. Shaner | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| M. Cohn | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| S.H. Lucas | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| For Member Bd of Education Third Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| W.H. Keith | | | | | 79 | 246 | | | 325 |
| B. Ellinger | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| J. Barner | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| Herr | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| For Councilman Fourth Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| John Nelson | | | | | | | 84 | | 84 |
| For Member Bd of Education Fourth Ward | | | | | | | | | |
| M.H. Kennedy | | | | | | | 83 | | 83 |
| Shall By-Law be Adopted? | | | | | | | | | |
| [illegible] of the City [illegible] the amount of Sixty [illegible] for the [illegible] water [illegible] Water Works | YES | 110 | 67 | 179 | 95 | 79 | 241 | 88 | 859 |
| | NO | 16 | 16 | 15 | 5 | 12 | 34 | 8 | 106 |
| Shall By-Law be Adopted? | | | | | | | | | |
| [illegible] of the City [illegible] the amount of Sixty [illegible] for the [illegible] said [illegible] to the Mayor & | YES | 113 | 65 | 168 | 93 | 74 | 233 | 86 | 832 |
| | NO | 15 | 17 | 17 | 4 | 13 | 34 | 10 | 110 |
| Shall By-Law be Adopted? | | | | | | | | | |
| [illegible] of the City [illegible] the amount of Sixty [illegible] for the [illegible] said [illegible] Water Works | YES | 106 | 63 | 166 | 93 | 75 | 228 | 89 | 820 |
| | NO | 17 | 18 | 21 | 6 | 14 | 37 | 7 | 120 |
| Shall By-Law be Adopted? | | | | | | | | | |
| [illegible] of the City [illegible] the amount of Sixty [illegible] for the [illegible] said [illegible] Water Works | YES | 107 | 63 | 166 | 91 | 73 | 224 | 88 | 812 |
| | NO | 17 | 17 | 20 | 6 | 14 | 37 | 7 | 118 |
| Shall By-Law be Adopted? | | | | | | | | | |
| [illegible] of the City [illegible] the amount of Sixty [illegible] for the [illegible] said [illegible] Water Works | YES | 110 | 65 | 166 | 91 | 77 | 230 | 88 | 827 |
| | NO | 6 | 17 | 15 | 4 | 14 | 29 | 7 | 92 |
| | | Precinct 1 | Precinct 2 | Precinct 3 | Precinct 4 | Precinct 5 | Precinct 6 | Precinct 7 | Total vote Cast |
| | | 1st Ward | | 2nd Ward | | 3rd Ward | | 4th Ward | |

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| **Shall the Following be Adopted?** | | |
| 1 (a) | Proposition to issue bonds of the City of Ottawa to the amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars ($60,000) for the purpose of purchasing the water works of The Ottawa Water Works and Light Company. | YES<br>NO |
| **Shall the Following be Adopted?** | | |
| 2 (b) | Proposition to issue bonds of the City of Ottawa to the amount of Sixty-five Thousand Dollars ($65,000) for the purpose of extending the said water works referred to in the above proposition (a). | YES<br>NO |
| **Shall the Following be Adopted?** | | |
| 3 (c) | Proposition to issue bonds of the City of Ottawa to the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) for the purpose of purchasing the electric light works of The Ottawa Water Works and Light Company. | YES<br>NO |
| **Shall the Following be Adopted?** | | |
| 4 (d) | Proposition to issue bonds of the City of Ottawa to the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000) for the purpose of extending the said electric light works referred to in the above proposition (c). | YES<br>NO |
| **Shall the Following be Adopted?** | | |
| 5 | Proposition that the provisions of chapter 115 of the Laws of Kansas for the year 1905, entitled "An act relating to the control and operation of water works, fuel, power, and lighting plants in cities of the first and second classes" shall apply to the City of Ottawa. | YES<br>NO |

J.E. Armstrong having received the highest number of votes cast for Councilman in First Ward, was on motion of Councilman Branson declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting.

Geo. Fenn having received the highest number of votes cast for member of Board of Education from First ward, on motion of Councilman Wright, Council voted unanimously declaring him elected.

W. H. Church having received the highest number of votes cast for Councilman in Second Ward, was upon motion of Councilman Branson, declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present.

Clayton Young having received the highest number of votes cast for member of Board of Education in Second ward was, on motion Thomas declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting.

Lyman Reid having received the highest number of votes cast for Councilman in Third Ward, was upon motion of Councilman Wright declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting.

W. H. Keith having received the highest number of votes cast for Member of Board of Education in Third Ward, on motion of Councilman Wright declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting.

John Nelson having received the highest number of votes cast for Councilmen in Fourth Ward, was on motion of Councilman Thomas declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting.

M. H. Kennedy having received the highest number of votes cast for Member of Board of Education in the Fourth ward, was, on motion of Councilman [illegible] declared elected by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present and voting.

The canvass of votes determined that Proposition 1(9) as shown on page 242, had ~~received~~ 859 votes for and 106 votes against, on motion of Councilman Branson Council voted unanimously declaring said proposition to have carried

Upon canvassing the vote on proposition 2(b) as shown on page 242 it was shown that there were Cash 832 votes for, and 110 votes against said proposition. Upon motion of Councilman Thomas, the Councilmen present voted unanimously declaring said proposition Carried

Upon canvassing the vote on proposition 2(c) on page 242 it was shown that there Cash 820 votes for and 120 votes against the proposition. Upon motion of Councilman Wright the Councilmen present voted unanimously declaring said proposition Carried

Upon canvassing the vote on proposition 4(d) as shown on page 242 it was shown that there were Cash 812 votes for, and 118 votes against the proposition. Upon Motion of Councilman Thomas the Councilmen present voted unanimously declaring said proposition Carried.

Upon canvassing the vote on proposition 5 as shown on page 242, it was shown that there were Cash 827 votes for and 92 votes against the proposition. On Motion of Councilman Thomas the Councilmen present voted unanimously, declaring said proposition Carried

On Motion Council Adjourned

Attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

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Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, April 9, 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of April 4th/1906 Mayor Halloren presiding

Councilmen present, ah roll call were Branson, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent Councilman Haugh A Quarum being present Council proceeded to business

The Police Committee reported recommending the approval and publication of the following "Notice To. Contractors":

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk of Ottawa, Kansas, until 12 o'clock M. May 15th 1906. for furnishing of all materials and labor required in the completion for a room to be used as a City prison in the proposed County Jail & Jailers residence at Ottawa Kansas. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for five per cent of the amount of the bid; to be forfeited to said city on failure of the successful Contractor to enter into Contract within six days with an approved bond in the sum of double the amount of the Contract. Bids to be addressed to the City Clerk of said City and marked "Proposal for City Prison" the City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the City Council of said City.

John Halloren, Mayor

J.H. Bell, City Clerk

on motion the report of the Committee was adopted and the Mayor & Clerk directed to have said "Notice To. Contractors" published.

The Streets Bridges and Alleys Committee to whom was referred the remonstrance against Grading, Curbing, and guttering Cedar street from Fourth street to Ninth street, Made the following report with reference thereto: We your Committee in said district 54 resident property owners, and that 24 resident property owners signed the remonstrance and your Committee would recommend that the said remonstrance be laid on the table. on motion the Committe report was unanimously adopted.

The Streets Bridges and Alleys Committee to whom, on April 4th 06 was referred the remonstrance against paving Hickory Hickory Street from the North line of Second street to the North line of Fifth Street ~~with relation thereto~~ Made the following report with relation thereto: We Your Committee find that there are in said paving district 23 Resident property owners, and that 18 of said resident property owners remonstrated, Your Committee further find that no remonstrance signed by a majority of resident property as provided by law against such paving has been filed.

On Motion of Councilman Crane the report of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

The Streets Bridges and alleys Committee to whom on April 4th was referred the remonstrance against Paving and Curbing Third. Street from the track of The A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co. on Walnut street to the East line of Willow Street, made the following report with reference thereto: We, Your Committee find that there are 61 Resident property owners in said paving district, and that 28 of such 61 remonstrated against paving. Your Committee further find that no remonstrance signed by a majority of the resident property owners in said District against paving has been filed. On Motion of Councilman Furness the report was unanimously adopted.

The Streets Bridges and Alleys Committee, to whom, on April 4th 1906 was referred the remonstrance against Curbing & paving Fourth Street from the track of The A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co. to the East line of Willow Street made the following report with reference thereto: We Your Committee find that in said paving district 57 resident property owners and that 22 of such number remonstrated against paving. Your Committee further find that no remonstrance signed by a majority of the resident property owners in said paving district has been filed. On Motion of Councilman Branson the report was unanimously adopted.

On Motion of Councilman nelson, the City Clerk was directed to notify the N.A.T. & S.Ry. Co. to lower tracks at Third and Fourth streets to the established Street grade at those points

The proposal made date of April 7th 1906, of Owen Ford of St. Louis Mo. for Engineering services for the improvements on Water & Light plants was read,

Councilman Branson moved that the proposal be accepted with the exception of the last Clause which referred to furnishing of an inspector for $150. per month and expenses Motion prevailed

Councilman Branson moved that Owen Ford be directed to come to Ottawa at his earliest possible time preparatory to selecting a site for a water Works Station. Motion prevailed

Specifications and profiles for the Construction of Main Sewer extension in north Hickory Street and for Sewer laterals Nos 39 & 40 were presented by City Engineer H. O. Myers, who recommended their adoption, On Motion of Councilman Furness the same were adopted

The Mayor and City Clerk were directed to advertise for sealed bids to be opened April 16 for the Construction of Main Sewer Extension in north Hickory street and laterals Nos 39 & 40

Paving Specifications for the use of the City were presented by the City Engineer who recommended their adoption, on Motion of Councilman Thomas the same were adopted

Council voted to direct the City Clerk to notify N.E. Stucker to proceed to repair all of the paved Street in the City requiring repairs under the terms of his paving Contract

The following Resolution was introduced:

Resolved that in issuing the Water and Light bonds, authorized by the election of April 3rd, 1906, said bonds be made to bear 4½ per cent interest, payable semi-annually in the City of New York, and that they be made payable

as follows; $125,000. Water Works purchase and extension bonds; $5,000. each year each year from 1911 to 1930 inclusive, and $6,000. per year each year thereafter until all are paid

$25,000. Electric Light purchase and extension bonds, $1,000. to be paid each year from 1908 to 1932 inclusive. All Bonds, to be issued in denominations of $1,000. each.

As $80,000. of said bonds are for extensions deliveries thereof will be made in installments as the Cash is needed therefor, but within 12 months from May 1st. 1906.

Resolved further that the Mayor is authorized to advertise in four financial journals for sealed proposals for the purchase of such bonds to be addressed and delivered to the City Clerk on or before the 25th. day of April 1906, at 8 O'Clock P. M. The City reserving the right to reject any and all bids

on motion the resolution was adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced:
Resolved that in issuing the Water and Light bonds, authorized by the election of April 3rd 1906, said bonds be made to bear 4½ % interest payable semi-annually in the City of New York, and that they be made payable as follows $125,000. Water Works purchase and extension bonds $5,000. to each year from 1911 to 1929 inclusive. and $6,000 per year each year thereafter until all are paid.

$25,000. Electric Light purchase and extension bonds, $1,000. to be paid each year from 1908 to 1932 inclusive. all bonds to be issued in denominations of $1,000. each

As $80,000. of said bonds are for extensions, deliveries thereof will be made as the Cash is needed therefor, but within 12 Months from May 1st 1906.

Resolved further that the Mayor is hereby authorized to offer for sale said bonds to the School Fund Commission of the State of Kansas, as provided by law, on Motion resolution adopted. on motion Council adjourned to meet April 16, 1906

Clerk [illegible]

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, April 16/1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of April 9th. 1906, Mayor Halloran presiding. Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Furness, Haugh Nelson, Thomas, Markburn, Wright. A quorum being present Council proceeded to business

The City Engineers estimate on main sewer extension in North Hickory street and on sewer laterals Nos 39 and 40 together with the bids of A. P. Elder, and Seerers + Smith on all of said work were presented and referred to The Health Committee.

The Engineers Estimates and the bids on said work were as follows.

Main Sewer in Hickory Street from Mostassait to Red Jacket

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|---|---|
| Engineers estimate not including Engineering | $493.44 |
| Bid of A. P. Elder | 485.00 |
| Bid of Seerers + Smith | 516.90 |

Sewer Lateral #39 in N. Hickory St.

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| Engineers estimate not including Engineering | $350.30 |
| Bid of A. P. Elder | 498.00 |
| " of Seerers + Smith | 518.66 |

Sewer Lateral No 40 in Block 104

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|---|---|
| Engineers Estimate not including Engineering | $377.42 |
| Bid of A. P. Elder | 325.00 |
| Bid of Seerers + Smith | 383.85 |

Councilman Furness for the Health Committee moved that as the Bid of A. P. Elder on each of said pieces of work is the lower and below the engineers estimate, that he be award the Contract for them. Motion prevailed.

The problem of selecting a site for a Water Works and electric light station was informally discussed at some length. Whereupon Councilman Branson Moved that the selection of such site be left to Owen Ford, Consulting engineer and Mayor Halloran subject to the approval of the Council. Motion prevailed

The need of an engineers case for the office of the City Engineer was called to the notice of the Council and referred to the S. B. + A. Com.

The matter of Geo. P. Washburn connecting his property on the East side of Cherry street and between Fifth and 6th streets with Sewer lateral No 38 and in which district said property is not located, was brought up by Councilman Branson, who moved that Mr Washburn be required to pay to the City an amount equal to 1/2 the sum paid by the 3 lots opposite such property. Motion prevailed. The sum so to be paid being $ 14.56 and this with the understanding that at any time said property should be taken into a new Sewer Disk, that the sum so paid will be credit on payment for new Sewer.

The City Engineer was directed to prepare grades for Cedar Street, Fourth to Ninth, Hickory street, second to Fifth, Third street Walnut to Willow, and Fourth street Walnut to Willow that the Council may pass grade ordinances covering such portions of said Streets.

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolution to ~~Curb and~~ pave and curb Fourth Street from Willow street, to Ash Street.

Be it Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, that it is deemed necessary and hereby declared to be necessary to pave and curb Fourth Street within the City of Ottawa from the east line of Willow Street to the east line of Ash Street. That said pavement from curb to curb shall be twenty-four feet wide, and shall be of two courses of vitrified brick, upon a sand foundation. Said curbing shall be of Cement Concrete. On motion of Councilman Furness the resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Members present.

#608 An Ordinance concerning the improving of Hickory street, from the north line of Second street to the north line of Fifth Street, and ordering the grading, curbing, surfacing and paving of the same, and providing for the cost thereof, was introduced and read the first time. Whereupon Councilman

Furness moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be read a second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. Motion prevailed, all the Councilmen present voting yea.

The ordinance was then read a second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance with result as follows. Yeas 7. Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. Absent and not voting Councilman Crane. A Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

609 An Ordinance concerning the improving of Third Street in the City of Ottawa, from the tracks of the Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Walnut Street, to the east curb line of Willow Street, and ordering the grading, curbing, surfacing and paving of the same, and providing for the cost thereof, was introduced and read a first time whereupon Councilman Branson moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be read a second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, Motion prevailed, all the Councilmen present voting yea.

The ordinance was then read a second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance, with result as follows: Yeas 7. Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, absent and not voting Councilman Crane. a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

610 An Ordinance concerning the improving of Fourth Street in the City of Ottawa, from the tracks of the Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Walnut street to the east curb line of Willow Street and ordering

the Grading, Curbing, surfacing and paving of the same, and providing for the Costs thereof. was introduced and read the first time. whereupon Councilman Thomas moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be read a second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, Motion prevailed, all the Councilmen present voting yea.

The ordinance was then read a second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being, shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken on the final passage of the ordinance, with result as follows: Yeas 7. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative, were Branson, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright. absent and not voting Councilman Crank. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On Motion Council adjourned.

attest, J H Bell, City Clerk

John Hallorn
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa April 18th, 1906.

Council met pursuant to to law: Mayor John Halloren presiding

Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Thomas, Washburn, Wright, a Quorum being present, Council proceeded with business.

The minutes of the regular meeting of April 4th, and of the annual session of April 6th as a Canvassing Board to canvass the returns of the City election of April 3rd 1906- also the Minutes of adjourned sessions April 9th, and 16th, were read and approved.

The Committee composed of Owen Ford the City's Consulting Engineer and Mayor John Halloren, to whom on April 16th was referred the selection of a site for the Pumping works and Electric Light station Reported that they had selected the C. P. Robinson 10 acre tract.

Whereupon Councilman Thomas moved the adoption of the Committee report. after some discussion a vote on the motion was taken by roll call as with result as follows. Yeas, Branson, Crane, Thomas, Wright Nays, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Washburn, thus making the vote a tie. Mayor Halloren having to cast the deciding vote cast it for the affirmative and the Committee report was adopted.

The Sidewalk Committee reported recommending that the following described sidewalks be condemned and new walks be built in their stead to Conform to the terms of Ordinance #596:-

1 walk along east side J, Beg. 359 ft. S. of N.E. Cor of N.W. 1/4 of N.E. 1/4 of Sec 2 Twp 17 and Range 19 thence South 80 ft- W. 320 ft- N. 80 ft & 320 ft to pt of beg. also The following walks
Block 109- lots 22-24-E. front, Block 84- Lots 21-23-25-N½ 27 w front
" 118- Lots 14-16-18, E front, Block 66- Lots S½ 27 alley 29 w front
" 87- " 14-16-18-22-24, E. front. " 93- S½ 15, all of 17-19 w. front
" 114 " 11 + 13 w front. Bowles Sheldon and Soppings Add,
" 3 " 35 + 36 S. side, Balk 29- E. ½ lot 35, S. side- Ellis and Dorrells Add. Block 2- Lots 38-40-42-44-46-48 E. front. Hamblins College add. Block 3- Lot 2, N. side.

on Motion of Councilman Thomas the Committee report was adopted.

The Petition of Gormley Band for a free 4th of July Celebration for the Benefit of Gormleys Band was read, and on recommendation of Park Com. Council voted to grant said petition

Councilman Branson Moved that the Mayor and City Clerk be directed to sign the acceptance of of the Proposal of owen Ford & as amended by the Council on April 9th. upon vote motion prevailed.

The S. D. & I. Comm. to whom on April 4th/06 was referred the petition of B.L. Gould and others for the opening or extending of Black Hawk Street to the width 25 feet from Main to King Streets. and to open an alley to a width of 18 feet on the alley line between Main and King Streets and to extend from Red Jacket Street to Wilson Street all on Condition the land so to be used is to be free of Cost to the City, Reported recommending that the petition be granted when parties interested had filed plats with the Register of Deeds of improvement. on Motion the Com. report was adopted.

The damage Claim of Wingfield and Morgan which was on Apr 4th referred to the S. D. & I. Comm. was returned to the Council with the recommendation that the Claim be not allowed, on Motion Councilman Furness the report was adopted.

On Motion of Councilman Crane Council voted directing the Mayor and Clerk to Adv for bids for curbing and paving Hickory from N. line of Second Street to N. line of Fifth street. Third street from the Santa Fe Ry in Walnut Street to the E. curb line of Willow ~~street~~ Fourth Street from the Santa Fe. Ry. to the E. curb line of Willow street. Said bids to be opened May 9/06

A proposition to change the tracks of the Mo. Pacific Ry. in the City east of Hickory Street so as to give better service to the City was

presented by John Scott Local agent for said Company. The Matter was referred to the S.B. & P. Comm.

An Ordinance vacating Greeves Subdivision of Dorys subdivision of Lot 2 of River View addition to the City of Ottawa, And to Vacate Dory's Subdivision of Lot 2 of Riverview addition was introduced and read a first time, and referred to the Ordinance Committee

An Ordinance, ordering the Construction of a side-walk along the North side of Sixth street ~~from~~ was Introduced, read a first time and referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

There being no further business Councilman Thomas moved Council adjourn sine die. Motion prevailed.

Attest: J.H. Bell,
City Clerk.

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, April 18/1906.

Council Met, as provided by law. Mayor John Hallorem, Presiding, Councilmen present at roll Call were Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, There were present Councilmen elect, Armstrong, Church, Nelson and Reid, to whom the City Clerk administered the Oath of Office.

A Quorum being present, Council proceeded to the selection of a president. Herman Furness was Chosen by the unanimous vote of of the members present and voting.

The Mayor then named the following Committees:

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| Ordinance | Armstrong, Branson, Crane |
| License | Hough, Furness. Church, |
| Cemetery | Nelson, Furness, Hough |
| Health | Furness, Church, Armstrong |
| Claims | Branson, Nelson, Reid |
| Police | Crane, Armstrong Furness |
| Printing | Crane, Church, Armstrong |
| Parks & Sidewalks | Furness, Nelson, Church. |
| Fire, Water & Light | Branson, Crane, Reid |
| Finance | Reid, Church, Branson, |
| Streets Bridges & Alleys | Reid, Nelson, Crane |
| Library | Church, Hough, Armstrong |

There being no further business, On motion Council adjourned to Wed. April 25th, 1905

Attest, J. H. Beer
City Clerk

John Hallorem
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa,
April 25th 1906.

Council met pursuant to adjournment of April 18th. 1906.

Mayor John Halloren presiding

Councilmen present at roll call were. Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid, Absent, Armstrong.

Council went into executive session to open and Consider bids on the purchase of $125.000 Water Works and $25,000. Electric Light Bonds.

Four Bids were presented, and were as follows:-

S. A. Kean, 132, La Salle st. Chicago, Bid par
Otis and Haugh, Garfield Bldg Cleveland Ohio " "
H. C. Speer & Sons Co. Chicago Bid 98. pr $1000. bond & accrued interest
John Nuveen & Co. " " Par and a premium of $875.00;
the $80,000 extension Bonds to be delivered in Blocks of not less than $20,000. per month beginning June 1st, 1906.

On Motion of Councilman Crane Council rated unanimously to reject the first 3 bids named, Council then rose from executive session and proceed in public session to consider the bid of John Nuveen & Co. Made by their Agent M. F. King, who requested permission to withdraw his bid for John Nuveen & Co. but after a further consideration advised the Council that he would let the bid stand. Councilman Crane moved that the bid of John Nuveen & Co. be accepted and that they be given the Bonds on their bid. (Bonds to be dated about May 1st) which motion prevailed by the unanimous vote of the Council.

Councilman Branson moved that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to procure the printing of the bonds for the issue bid upon. Motion prevailed.

An Ordinance Establishing curb grades on certain streets as follows: on Hickory street from Second street to Fifth street. on Third street from Walnut to Willow street. On Fourth street from Walnut to Willow street was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved.

that it be declared that an emergency exists, that the ordinance be now placed on its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. Motion prevailed all the Councilmen present voting Yea.

The ordinance was then read a second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass?

On motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance with result as follows:- 9 yeas, 1 Nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid, Absent and not voting, Councilman Armstrong.

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned.

Attest, J. St. Bell
City Clerk.

John Hallorm
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa
May 2nd, 1906

Council met in regular session
Mayor Hallaren presiding

Councilmen present at roll Call were, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson Reid absent Councilman armstrong.

Minutes of two meetings of April 18th, 06 and of the adjourned session of April 25th/06 were read and approved.

A Quorum being present council proceeded with bussiness

The Report of The Police Judge for the month of April was presented and referred to the Police Comm.

The Report of the City Clerk for the month of April was presented and referred to the Finance Committee

The Repark of the sidewalk repairer for the month of April was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Comm.

Claims against the City were presented, and referred to the proper standing Committee who reported recommending that Claims in the aggregate sum of $1795.57 be allowed, each report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council, as follows

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| Ottawa W. Wks. + Lt. Co. | 77 | 13 | Henry Ramaly Claims | 3 | 95 |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 | 00 | J. N. Bell | 62 | 55 |
| A. P. Lockhart | 42 | 50 | A. P. Elder | 3 | 50 |
| Williams + W. Grain Co. | 10 | 60 | Ottawa Gas + Electric Co | | 50 |
| A. P. Elder | | 90 | The J. P. Cook Co. | 6 | 50 |
| Geo. L. Ash | 5 | 90 | J. L. Denis Park | 46 | 00 |
| H. Dunbould | 1 | 50 | C. C. Nightman | 80 | 00 |
| Dow, Jones + Co. | 12 | 00 | Pearl Martin | 1 | 60 |
| R. G. Dun + Co. | 7 | 50 | Williams + W. Grain Co. | 4 | 50 |
| Stevper Pub. Co. | 7 | 50 | Ottawa Adv. Co. | 1 | 00 |
| Anthony Stumpf Pub. Co. | 6 | 00 | Austin Reid Police | 75 | 00 |
| D. C. Wilkinson | 12 | 00 | H. O. Beetley | 50 | 00 |
| C. S. Pugh | 8 | 80 | A. E. Koons | 10 | 00 |
| A. P. Elder | | 30 | John Koons | 7 | 50 |
| J. J. Miller Claims | | 87 | W. R. Cody | 24 | 40 |
| Benson + Harris | 265 | 25 | W. L. Parkinson | 22 | 70 |
| Geo D. Rathbun | 25 | 00 | J. J. Miller | | 50 |

Printing

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| Ottawa Republic | 20 | 25 | John Halloren S.B.+A. | 34 | 83 |
| Ottawa Herald | 19 | 00 | Ottawa Brick + Tile Co. | 19 | 03 |
| Warren White S.B.+A. | 62 | 50 | C. Q. Turness | 75 | 00 |
| M. O. Myers | 10 | 00 | Ella Bell sidewalks | 5 | 00 |
| J. E. Callan | 40 | 00 | C. S. Pugh " | 1 | 00 |
| Mert Latten | 62 | 50 | D. C. Wilkinson | 15 | 10 |
| S. E. Griffin | 27 | 50 | C.Q Turness Health | 157 | 42 |
| Allen Frazier | 30 | 80 | Seerers + Smith | 79 | 50 |
| J. M. Jones | 30 | 00 | C. B. Oelkers | 2 | 50 |
| M. H. Clark | 3 | 00 | Silas Haines | 1 | 00 |
| C. S. Pugh | 6 | 20 | C. S. Pugh Cemetery | 1 | 30 |
| Silas Haines | 2 | 00 | | | |
| John Nelson | 3 | 50 | A. Ramstedt | 49 | 00 |
| Ottawa Adv Co. | 1 | 79 | | | |

The Sidewalk Committee reported recommending that sidewalks adjacent to the following described ~~tracts~~ lots, parts of lots, tracts and pieces of land, be condemned, and that new walks be ordered in their place

On the East & west sides of the following: Beginning at the north east corner of the north west quarter of the north east quarter of section 2. Twp. 17 and Range 19, thence south 167 ft. west 320 feet, north 167 feet, East 320 feet to point of beginning.

on the east side of the following: Beginning 167 feet south, of the North East Corner of the north west corner of the north east quarter of section 2, Twp 17 and Range 19, thence south 80 feet, west 160 ft. North 80 feet, East 160 feet to point of beginning

on the west side of the following:- Beginning 160 feet west of a point 167 feet South of the North East Corner of the North west quarter of the North East quarter of section 2, Twp 17, and Range 19, thence west 160 feet, South 80 feet, East 160 feet, north 80 feet to point of beginning

West side of the following: Beginning at 247 feet South of the north East Corner of the North west Quarter of the North east quarter of section 2- Twp. 17 and Range 19- thence South 56 feet, west 320 feet, North 56 feet East 320 feet to point of beginning

East side of the following:- Beginning 303 feet South of the north east corner of the north west quarter of the north east quarter of Sec 2. Twp 17 and Range 19, thence South 56 feet, west 160 feet, north 56 feet, East 160 feet to point of beginning=
Block 61- East 80 feet of lot 1- on north side
" 102 Lots, 30, 32, 34 & 36.
Bowles Sheldon and Jappings addition
Block 29, south ½ of lot 7 and all of 9 & 11.
" 20, Lots 11-13-15-17-19 and 21.
" 17 " 1-3-5-7-9-11-13-23-25-27-29-31-33 and 35.

On Motion of Councilman Haugh the report was adopted

The following Resolution was introduced and read:-

Resolution to pave and Curb Hickory street from First street to Second street.

Be it Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa:-

That it is deemed necessary and hereby declared to be necessary to pave and curb Hickory Street, within the City of Ottawa, from the north line of Second Street to the South line of First Street. That the pavement shall consist of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation, and that the curbing shall be of Cement Concrete.

On Motion of Councilman Crane, Councilmen present voted unanimously in favor of the Resolution, and the Mayor declared Resolution adopted

The need of electric transformers for use of the Street Carnival was discussed by the Council the Water Works Company refuse to purchase same unless assurance is given that the City will take them a a figure in taking over the Water & Light plants. On motion of Councilman Branson the Mayor was authorized to contract with the water Wks. Company for the City with relation to the purchase of needed transformers.

Councilman Branson placed before the Council the request of A. P. Lockhart the Hook and Ladder man of the Fire Department for an increase of Salary from $42.50 to $47.50 per month, and moved that the request be granted, on vote the motion prevailed.

The Report of the City Sidewalk for the month of April was presented and referred to the Sidewalk committee.

Councilman Branson moved that the Mayor and the City Counsellor be authorized and directed to purchase the C. P. Robinson ten acre tract for a water Works and Electric light station at a price not to exceed $2,000.00 and that such purchase shall include the right to lay and maintain necessary pipes & drains from said station to ash street, on the north part of the C. P. Robinson Homestead and that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized issue a voucher for the money in payment therefor. A vote on the motion was by roll call with result as follows: Yeas Branson, Church, Crane, Reid. Nays Furness, Hough, Nelson. Mayor declared that the Motion prevailed.

The question of purchasing from the County the present site of the North side Horse House was brought up by Councilman Branson whereupon Councilman Furness moved that the matter of purchasing said site be referred to the Fire, Water, and Light Committee with power to act. Motion prevailed

Councilmen, Reid, Nelson, & Crane of the S. B. & C. Comm. Called attention of the Council to the need of sweeping the paved streets of the City, after some discussion of the matter Councilman Crane moved that the Council offer $135.00 per month for six months for cleaning and sweeping all of the streets now paved, the Contractor to provide his own sweeper. Motion prevailed

An ordinance making appropriations in the aggregate sum of $1795.57 to pay defray the expenses of the City government, was introduced and read a first time. On motion the ordinance was read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows:

yeas 7- nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were. Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nilson, Reid. absent and not voting Councilman Armstrong, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance ordering the Construction of Certain Sidewalks in the City of Ottawa was read the first time Whereupon Councilman Hough moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance now read a second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage Motion prevailed, all Councilmen present voting Yea.

The Ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows. Ayes 7, Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative, were Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough. Nilson, Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Armstrong, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

The Mayor named the following appointees for the year 1906-

City Clerk J.H. Bell
" Attorney Geo. D. Rathbun
" Engineer W.O. Myers
" Marshal H. O. Bleetley
" Night Watch John S. Koons
" Street Commissioner Warren White
Park Keeper Forest Park F. F. Denio
Park Commissioner Forest and City Park G. C. Smith
Humane Officer James Kerr

Each and all of said appointments were confirmed by the Council.

Councilman Crane moved that A. H. Benson be retained for another year as City Counsellor at the same price as last year. Motion prevailed by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present. on motion Council adjourned.

Attest, J.H. Bell, City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa May 9th, 06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of May 2nd, 1 Mayor Halloren presiding

Councilmen present at roll call, were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid. Absent Councilman Orans.

A quorum being present Council proceeded with business.

Bids and City Engineers estimates on grading, curbing and paving Hickory street, second to Fifth Streets, Third from Walnut to Willow Street, Fourth Street from Walnut to Willow street were presented and referred to the Streets, Bridges and Alleys Committee.

Bids were as follows

Hickory Street, Third, and Fourth streets

| Bidder | Excavating | curbing | reset curbing | Paving sq yd |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| E. G. Dean | — | 48¢ | — | — |
| Haskins & Ramsey | per cu. yd 36¢ | Lin ft 48 3/4¢ | per lineal ft 22¢ | $1.52 |
| Hanley & Ritchie | " " 37½¢ | 45¢ | " " 30 | 1.49½ |
| N. E. Stucker | " " 34¢ | 43¢ | " " 20 | 1.47 |

allo of said bids were below the engineers estimate

The S. B. & A. Committee reported recommending that the Contract for all of the work bid upon be awarded to N. E. Stucker, his being the lowest bid submitted, and below the Engineers estimate, on motion of Councilman Branson the committee report was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Councilmen present.

The Sidewalk Committee to whom, on April 4th was referred the petition of S. Dills and 29 others for a sidewalk from 8th to 9th street on the west side of Willow Street reported recommending that said petition be granted. On motion of Councilman Haugh the report was adopted.

The application of M. G. Dunn for a license to operate a Shooting Gallery at 222 N. Main St. was presented which application was accompanied by a City Clerks receipted for $4.00, which it was

it was proposed should be the prorated insurance to July 1st, the legal license for which time would be $12.50 Chairman Keough of the License. Recommended that the application be not granted as the License Committee was opposed to accepting any prorated licenses. on motion the Com. report was unanimously adopted.

A Communication from H. G. Richards, Justice of the Peace was read. requesting the City to provide one Civil and one Criminal docket for his Court. Council voted directing the City Clerk to procure the same

A Communication from the Mo. Pacific Ry. Co. with reference to the tile street drain under the said Companys tracks on the west line of Hickory in the City of Ottawa was read and discussed. The question of the needs of said place was again referred to the S. D. & G. Committe to investigate

A Petition signed by S. B. Bodley & others for the creation of a Sewer District of Blocks 62 and 75 was presented and referred to the Health Committee as was also a Remonstrance against said improvements.

The Health Committe reported recommending that the petition be granted. On Motion of Councilman Reid the Committee report the Committee report was unanimously adopted.

An Ordinance Creating of Blocks 62 and 75, Sewer District No 41 Providing for a Sewer lateral therein and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, was introduced and read the first time. Whereupon Councilman Branson Moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read a second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. Motion prevailed all Councilmen present voting Yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows:

yeas 7 Nays 0 Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Hough Nelson, Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Crane.

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

The Mayor and Clerk were directed to advertise for sealed bids on construction of Sewer Lateral No 41. said bids to be opened May 23rd /06

The Fire Water and Light Committee to whom was referred the purchase of lot 15 and the south 5 feet of lot 13 in Block 29, the same being the present location of the North Side hose house. reported that said property could be purchased of the County for $73.86 and recommended its purchase at that price

On Motion of Councilman Branson the Report was adopted

Councilman Hough moved that the unused portion of the $2000 appropriated by the Council to test the gravel bed underflow of water, be used in putting down a test well in Forest Park opposite Pickrell park and that John Nelson be made Chairman of a Committee to have charge of the work. a vote was then taken on the motion by roll call with result as follows: Yeas. Armstrong, Hough, Nelson, Nays. Branson, Church, Furness, Reid, absent and not voting Councilman Crane. Mayor declared the motion lost.

Elmer Runyan & Silas Haines made the City a proposition that they would clean purchase a sweeper and do all sweeping of present pared streets, and the necessary sprinkling in connection therewith, and remove dirt from gutters on an 8 months Contract at $150.00 per month, or if the City will purchase sweeper said parties will do the work @ $135.00 per month. no action was taken with reference to the matter

On Motion Council adjourned to meet May 14th

attest, J.H. Bell
City Clerk.

CORRESPONDENT:
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
CHICAGO.

BONDS:
(MUNICIPAL, COUNTY & SCHOOL)

# JOHN NUVEEN & CO.
## BANKERS

FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
DEARBORN & MONROE STS.

CABLE ADDRESS:
"NUVEEN, CHICAGO"

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE
CENTRAL 4329.

CHICAGO May 10th, 1906.

To the Hon. Mayor & City Council,

Ottawa, Kans.

For the $125,000 Waterworks bonds and $25,000 Electric Light bonds of your city, dated May 1st, 1906, bearing interest at the rate of 4 1/2%, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable at the Kansas Fiscal Agency, New York City, said Waterworks bonds maturing, $5000. May 1st, each year 1911 to 1920 inclusive and $6000. May 1st, each year 1921 to 1932 inclusive and $8000. May 1st, 1933; Electric Light bonds maturing $1000 on May 1st of each year 1908 to 1932 inclusive, we will pay you par flat upon delivery.to us in Chicago. $70,000 of said bonds to be delivered to us on or about June 1st, 1906 and the remaining $80,000 to be delivered to us as the money is needed for the extension of the Waterworks and Electric Light plants, not exceeding $20,000 each 30 days after June 1st, 1906, but all the remainder of said bonds to be delivered to us at our option.

You are to furnish us with full transcript of the proceedings leading up to the issuing of the bonds showing the same to be legal to the satisfaction of our attorney.

John Nuveen & Co

Council Chamber City of Ottawa.
May, 14th 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of May 9th. 06

Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough Nelson Reid. a quorum being present council proceeded with business.

M. J. King was present and presented the following proposition for John Nurcen & Co of Chicago:

>See proposition attached hereto

after some discussion of the proposition Mr. Branson moved that the proposition of John Nureen & Co. be rejected motion prevailed

Mr. Branson moved that the Mayor & Clerk be directed to advertise for Bids for sale of bonds such ads to be given to such financial journals as the Mayor & Clerk deem proper and that such ad. require the deposit with the City of not less than 2 p.c. of the amount bid. ~~up~~ after discussion of the matter the motion was withdrawn.

Whereupon Councilman Crane moved that the matter of Adv. for sale of bonds be deferred until Thurs of the Present week and that in the meantime the Mayor together with the Finance Com. and the City Counsellor use their best effort to close up sale of bonds at private sale Motion prevailed

The Council received a new proposal on street sweeping & Cleaning, Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the the S. B. & A. Com be given full power to act in the purchase of a street sweeper and the Contract with some person or persons to do the sweeping & Cleaning of the paved streets. Motion prevailed unanimous.

On motion Council adjourned to Thursday May 17th.

John Wallace Mayor

Attest J. H. Bell city clerk. Ottawa 14 May 17th-06

No Councilmen present. no meeting held

J. H. Bell City Clerk

Council Chamber City of Ottawa
May 18th, 1906.

Council met pursuant to Petition and call hereinafter recited.

Councilmen present at roll call as follows, Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson Reid.

The following Petition and call was then read:-

Ottawa Kansas, May 18th, 1906.

To The Honorable Mayor of the City of Ottawa Kansas,

Sir: We the undersigned councilmen of the said City hereby petition that you call a meeting of the Council of the said City, to convene at the Council Chamber of the said City, at 7.30 P.M. on the date hereby for the purposes hereinafter set forth

(B) To consider the sale of $125,000.- Water Works Bonds, and $25,000. of Electric Light Bonds of the City of Ottawa, and to close up the sale of the same if a satisfactory offer is made to the Council at said meeting

(A) To consider the bids upon the construction of a City prison and to award the contract therefor.

(C) To Consider and pass an ordinance ordering the construction of a sidewalk on the west side of Willow Street from 8th to 9th street, and along the South side of blocks 105-106-107, 108, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117.

John Nelson
J. E. Armstrong
H. Furness

A meeting of the Council is hereby called for the purposes, and at the time and place set forth in the above and foregoing petition

John Hallorenn, Mayor.

Ottawa, Kansas, May 18th, 1906.

150 bonds to be made up as follows:

10 Electric Light Purchase Bonds as follows:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bond | payable | 1908-2 | years-4 | Coupons |
| 1 | " | " | 1909-3 | " 6 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1910-4 | " 8 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1911-5 | " 10 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1912-6 | " 12 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1913-7 | " 14 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1914-8 | " 16 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1915-9 | " 18 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1916-10 | " 20 | " |
| 1 | " | " | 1917-11 | " 22 | " |

15 Electric Light Extension Bonds as follows:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bond | payable | 1918-12 | years | 24 Coupons |
| 1 | " | " | 1919-13 | | 26 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1920-14 | " | 28 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1921-15 | " | 30 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1922-16 | " | 32 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1923-17 | " | 34 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1924-18 | " | 36 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1925-19 | " | 38 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1926-20 | " | 40 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1927-21 | " | 42 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1928-22 | " | 44 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1929-23 | " | 46 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1930-24 | " | 48 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1931-25 | " | 50 " |
| 1 | " | " | 1932-26 | " | 52 " |

30 Water Works purchase Bonds as follows:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 | Bonds | payable | 1911-5 | years | 10 coupons |
| 5 | " | " | 1912-6 | " | 12 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1913-7 | " | 14 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1914-8 | " | 16 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1915-9 | " | 18 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1916-10 | " | 20 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1917-11 | " | 22 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1918-12 | " | 24 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1919-13 | " | 26 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1920-14 | " | 28 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1921-15 | " | 30 " |
| 4 | " | " | 1922-16 | " | 32 " |

65 Water Works Extension Bonds as follows:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | Bonds | payable | 1912-16 | years | 32 coupons |
| 6 | " | " | 1923-17 | " | 34 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1924-18 | " | 36 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1925-19 | " | 38 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1926-20 | " | 40 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1927-21 | " | 42 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1928-22 | " | 44 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1929-23 | " | 46 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1930-24 | " | 48 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1931-25 | " | 50 " |
| 6 | " | " | 1932-26 | " | 52 " |
| 5 | " | " | 1933-27 | " | 54 " |

5/12/11

H. B. KELLY W. G. KELLY

KELLY & KELLY

# BOND ATTORNEYS & BROKERS

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

MUNICIPAL BONDS BOUGHT AND SOLD
CHOICE KANSAS OIL STOCKS FOR SALE

TOPEKA, KANSAS, May 17, 1906.

To the Mayor and City Council,
Ottawa, Kansas.

Gentlemen:

$125,000, 4-1/2% bonds due 30 years from date.

One-half of one per cent interest on said bonds for their average time, 18 years, equals, ---------- $11,250.

$25,000, 4-1/2% bonds due 30 years from date.

One-half of one per cent interest on $25,000 for average time 14 years, equals, ---------- 1,750

Total interest at 1/2 of 1% on $150,000 until paid, $13,000.

We will take the issue of $150,000, bonds of Ottawa City, furnishing and preparing bonds, pay registration fees and expressage and printing of bonds, the coupons attached, calling for interest at four per cent, the City Council to issue their non-interest bearing warrants in the sum of $8,000, payable in twelve equal payments during the next six years; payable out of the bond, interest and sinking fund, and at the same time that interest is paid on the bonds.

This makes an interest saving to the City of $4,000, which is equivalent to a cash premium to the City of this amount.

Respectfully,

Said bonds to be made payable any way city see fit
we paying accrued interest on said bonds at time of
taking up. Kelly & Kelly

with reference to the awarding of Contracts for work of Construction of a City prison, The Police Committee Reported that the same had not been awarded from the fact that a total of the lowest bids amounted to $2315.00 the same being $315.00 in excess of the maximum limit that the Comittee had been granted power grant. Council directed the Police Committee to go ahead and with the letting making the best possible Contract with the County Commissioners.

The matter of the sale of the $150,000.00 of Waterworks and Electric Light Bonds of the City of Ottawa was then taken up: three Bidders being present

M. J. King for John Nuveen & Co. Renewed his bid as presented on May 14th and shown on page 267 hereof

H. C. Speer & Sons Co. of Chicago through their Agt. A. L. H. Street made the City the following offer: (attached hereto)

W. G. Kelly of the firm of Kelly & Kelly of Topeka made a proposal for said firm as hereto attached and which is as follows:- all of said bids based on maturity sheet attached hereto.

After the different propositions were discussed at some length, Councilman Branson moved all of said propositions be referred to the Finance Committee to be further considered tomorrow night, motion prevailed.

S. J. Beeler was before the Council with a proposition that as soon as the old jail is torn down he will take out the Cells and and build around them a stockade with roof and substantial board walls, for taking Care of the City's prisoners On motion of Councilman Orange the proposition was accepted the City agreeing to pay at the rate of $10.00 per month while Same is in use

THE TAVERN

R. W. HAGGARD, MANAGER.

CENTRALLY LOCATED.
HEATED WITH NATURAL GAS.

LARGE SAMPLE ROOMS
IN CONNECTI

Ottawa, Kansas, ..... 190....

July 1, 1906 and the remaining $50.000 of said bonds shall be delivered in Chicago not later than September 1, 1906.

Or we will pay you 95% and accrued interest for such bonds bearing four and one half (4½) per cent interest per annum, to Or delivered according to the terms of the foregoing offer.

We hand you herewith Cashier's Check on the First National Bank of Ottawa Kansas. for $1000 to be held by you Cty, in the event either of the foregoing offers is accepted, as a forfeit

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IN CONNECTION

Ottawa, Kansas, May 18 1906.

To the Honorable Mayor and
Councilmen of the City
of Ottawa, Kansas.
Gentlemen:- We offer you
par, a premium of two (2)
per cent and accrued
interest for your five
(5) per cent bonds to be is-
sued in the sum of $150,000
for water and electric
light purposes, and
maturing in the manner
provided under your recent
advertisement for bids,
Evidence of the legality
of such bond to the satis-
faction of our attorney
to be furnished in advance
of their delivery; $70,000 of
said bonds shall be delivered
in Chicago and later than

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To secure the performance
of our obligations to your
City under such ac-
cepted offer.

Respectfully submitted
H. C. Speer & Sons Co
by A. H. Sheet

An Ordinance ordering the Construction of a sidewalk from Eight Street to Ninth Street on the west side of Willow Street. was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Furness moved that an emergency be declared to exist that the ordinance be now read a second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, Motion prevailed.

The Ordinance was then read a second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 6, Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Reid, a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance ordering the Construction of a sidewalk adjacent to the south side of lots 35 and 36 in each of the block numbered as follows: 105, 106, 107, 108, 113, 114, 115, 116, and 117- was on the recommendation of the Sidewalk Com. presented for the second reading, Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the ordinance be laid on the table. Motion lost.

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 5, Nays 3. A Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Councilman Branson moves that Council adjourn until tomorrow night May 19th. Motion prevailed.

Attest: J. H. Bell, Clerk. John Halloran, Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa May 19, 06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of May 18th, 06.
Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Reid. Mayor Hallaren presiding

Council proceeded to discuss bids on the purchase of the $150,000 of Water & Light bonds of the City,

The firm of H. C. Speer & Sons Co. through their agent A. E. H. Street presented a new offer for the bonds which offer is attached hereto as follows:

John Nuveen & Co through their agent M. T. King presented a new offer which is attached hereto and is as follows:

The bid of Kelly and Kelly of Topka was the same as that of last night and as shown on page 269 hereof.

after some discussion of the propositions submitted Councilman Nelson moved that the offer of Kelly & Kelly be accepted

the motion was discussed but was not put to a vote as City Councillor Benson thought it best to investigate what the proposition of Kelly & Kelly really is. Mr. F. G. Kelly of said firm agreeing to submit a sample copy of the proposed bond by Monday evening.

On motion the Council adjourned until that time

attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

John Hallaren
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa
May 21st 1906.

Council met pursuant to adjournment of May 19th. 1906.

Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, ~~Furness~~, Church, Cranston- Furness, Hough, Nelson, Reid
Mayor Hallonen presiding

Council proceed to consider bids on sale of Water & Light Bonds. The Bid of John Mureen & Co, was as shown on page 271 hereof.

The Bid of Kelly & Kelly was withdrawn.
A. E. Spear & Sons Co. through their agent A.L.H. Street offered a new bid as follows.

On motion of Branson Council voted unanimously in favor of awarding the bonds to A.E. Spear & Sons Company, as well as the printing & ~~bond~~ executing the bonds. as shown by their offer which the Council accepted and which is attached hereto

On Motion Council adjourned

attest, J.H. Bell,
City Clerk.

John Hallonen
Mayor

Ottawa, Kansas, May 19, 1906.

To The Honorable Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas.

Gentlemen:

We offer you par and accrued interest for your 4% Electric Light Purchase bonds and Water Works Purchase bonds; and par and accrued interest for your six per cent Electric Light Extension bonds and your Water Works Extension bonds, said Purchase bonds to be delivered in Chicago not later than June 15, 1906, and said Extension bonds to be delievered in Chicago at any time your city desires to make delivery; provided that we shall be entitled to delivery of such bonds at any time after June 15, 1906, that we may call for such delivery. The maturities of said bonds shall be as now contemplated.

Evidence of the legality of the bonds hereby bid for, ~~to the satisfaction of our attorneys~~, shall be furnished in advance of delivery.

Respectfully submitted.

H.C. Speer & Sons Company
By A.H. Street

P.S. The certain cashiers check accompanying our bid dated yesterday may be held as a forfeit if this bid is accepted and we become the purchaser under such accepted bid obligation under such

H.C. Speer & Sons Co
by A.H. Street

Ottawa, Kansas, May 19th, 1906.

To The Honorable Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas:

Gentlemen:-

For your $150,000.00 of Water Works and Electric Light Bonds of your City, bearing interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable at Fiscal agency of the State of Kansas, in the City of New York N.Y., said bonds to delivered to us in Chicago, Illinois and to be dated May 1st, 1906 and to be issued in four series, which series and their maturities are set forth in tabulated statement attached hereto, and which is a part hereof; we will pay you par and $875.00 premium, said premium to be paid in prorated amounts as the bonds are taken up.

We to pay for and take up June ~~1st~~ 15th, 1906, the two purchase series of bonds amounting to $70,000.00 and $20,000.00 of the Extesion series and $20,000.00 of said extension series each 30 days ~~thereafter~~ during month of June June 10th after until all are paid, the purchaser having the option of taking up at any time after June 1st, 1906 all of said extension series of $80,000.00, but all of said extension series is to be taken up by Sept. 1st, 1906.

The City of Ottawa to furnish the usual papers showing the said bonds to be legal, ~~to the satisfaction of our attorneys~~.

Attached hereto is our "certified" check in the sum of $1,000.00 to guarantee to the City of Ottawa, that we will immediately enter into contract on this bid if we are awarded the bonds.

John Nuveen & Co

By their Agent W. F. King

Council Chamber City of Ottawa
May 21- 1906

Council Met in special session pursuant to the following Petition and call:

Ottawa Kansas May 21/1906

To The Mayor: We the undersigned Councilmen petition you to call a special meeting of the City Council for Monday Night May 21st, 1906, at 9 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of Considering and passing a license tax ordinance.

Geo. T. Hough
H. Furness
W.A. Church

Said Meeting is hereby called as petitioned for

John Halloran mayor

The roll was called and the following answered when their names were called. Mayor, John Halloran, Councilmen Armstrong, Branson Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Reid

A Quarum being present Council proceeded to business.

An Ordinance providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon Circuses, Menageries, Shows, Side-Shows and parades by any of the same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof. was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Hough moved that an emergency be declared, and that the ordinance be read a second time and placed upon its final passage. the second reading of the ordinance was objected to and the motion was not put.

On motion Council adjourned

attest. J.P. Bell
City Clerk.

John Halloran
Mayor

To the Honorable Mayor and Councilmen of The City of Ottawa, Kansas:-

Gentlemen:-

We offer you par and accrued interest for your $70000 Water Works Purchase Bonds and Electric Light Purchase Bonds, bearing four per cent interest and maturing at the rate of $2000 in each of the years from 1911 to 1933 inclusive and $1000 in 1934; and par and accrued interest for your $80000 Waterworks Extension and Electric Light Extension Bonds, bearing five per cent interest and maturing $4000 each year from 1910 to ~~1929~~ 1929 inclusive.

Evidence of the legality of said bonds to be furnished us in advance of the delivery of said bonds.

All of said bonds shall be delivered to us in Chicago; said Purchase bonds to be delivered not later than June 15, 1906, and said Extension Bonds shall be delivered on or before September 1, 1906; provided that we shall have the right to demand and receive delivery of said Extension bonds at any time after June 15, 1906.

The certain $1000 cashier's check now deposited with your Clerk may be held, if this offer is accepted, as a forfeit to secure the performance of our obligations hereunder.

Respectfully submitted, this May 21, 1906.

H. C. SPEER & SONS COMPANY,

By A. H. Street

P. S. On the acceptance of this bid we will undertake to furnish blank bonds at an expense to the City not exceeding $150.

H. C. SPEER & SONS CO.,

by A. H. Street

The foregoing offer is hereby accepted by The City of Ottawa, Kansas, pursuant to a motion unanimously adopted by the Council of said City, May 21, 1906.

John Sallows Mayor.

Attest:-

J. H. Bell
City Clerk.

Council Chamber City of Ottawa June, 6th/06.

Council met in regular session, Mayor Hallaren presiding.

Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson Reid,

Minutes of regular meeting and adjourned sessions of same on May 9th and 14th, and Special session of May 18th and adjourned sessions of same, on May 19th and 21st. were read and approved.

A Petition signed by William Cook and others for permission to use Forest Park on Aug. 4th for an emancipation celebration was presented, and on motion was granted on condition that said petitioners leave the park in the same condition as to Cleanliness as they found it.

Rev. Green + others presented a petition asking for the use of Forest Park for a colored picnic on June 15th, petition was granted with the provision that petitioners be responsible for cleaning park after picnic.

A Petition signed by S. B. Bodley ~~and others~~ for the Creation of Sewer Dist ~~#~~ 42 of Blocks 62 and 75 ~~was presented~~ as was also a ~~remonstrance~~ against the same. On motion the ~~petition~~ was granted by the unanimous ~~vote~~ of the Council.

A Petition signed by Peter Shirley and others asking for the creation of Mortlake Telephone District was presented from the City Clerk. On motion same was referred to Branson, Crane + Reid as a committee to investigate and report

A Petition signed by Peter Shirley and 25 others asking for the creation of Mortlake Telephone District was presented from the City Clerk. On motion same was referred to Branson, Crane + Reid as a committee to investigate and report

A Petition signed by Oscar Duding and others asking for the passage of an ordinance ordering the construction of a sidewalk along the south side of Seventh Street from Ash to Cypress St, and on the east side of Ash Street from Seventh St, to Ninth St, on motion same was referred to Sidewalk Comm.

Claims in the sum of $3183.50 against the various funds of the City were presented and referred to the

proper standing Committees of the Council, ~~each~~ who reported recommending that claims in the sum of $3183.50 be allowed, each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council, as follows;

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **F. H. & Light** | | |
| Ottawa Water Wks. & Lt. Co. | 68 | 90 |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 | 00 |
| H. P. Lockhart | 47 | 50 |
| Cowan Gibson & Miller | 22 | 00 |
| Franklin County | 74 | 00 |
| D. F. Daniel | 26 | 05 |
| Williams & Gibson Grain Co. | 10 | 85 |
| Ottawa Hdw. Co. | 9 | 85 |
| C. H. Pillars | 1 | 00 |
| Lyman Reid | 39 | 60 |
| Claude Pugh | 1 | 20 |
| **Police** | | |
| H. O. Beetley | 73 | 00 |
| Jno. S. Koons | 55 | 25 |
| Austin Reed | 9 | 75 |
| F. F. Bruner | 15 | 75 |
| A. E. Koons | 15 | 25 |
| O. D. Dow | 4 | 50 |
| W. R. Cody | 20 | 80 |
| Bodley & Son | 2 | 00 |
| Sam'l Howard | | 25 |
| S. R. Jones | | 25 |
| Redford Walker | | 50 |
| **Park** | | |
| F. F. Denio | 49 | 80 |
| Franklin Co. Hdw. Co. | 2 | 00 |
| J. F. Elwell | 1 | 00 |
| **Claims** | | |
| Economy drawing table Co. | 35 | 10 |
| J. H. Beck | 66 | 25 |
| H. Ramaly | 4 | 00 |
| E. S. Bennett | 5 | 33 |
| J. P. Miller & Co. | 1 | 30 |
| Ottawa Hdw. Co. | 1 | 75 |
| Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. | | 50 |
| **Printing** | | |
| Ottawa Herald | 10 | 10 |
| Ottawa Republic | 6 | 65 |
| Newman Waring | 4 | 50 |

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|---|---|---|
| **Health** | | |
| A. P. Elder (Genl) | 450 | 00 |
| A. P. Elder | 450 | 00 |
| Seevers & Smith | 2 | 25 |
| H. O. Myers | 70 | 00 |
| Claude Pugh | 18 | 00 |
| Silas Haines | 1 | 00 |
| **Streets & Alleys** | | |
| C. A. Furness | 832 | 00 |
| Warren White | 67 | 50 |
| Mark Totten | 79 | 75 |
| J. E. Callan | 43 | 20 |
| G. J. Bruce | 40 | 50 |
| J. H. Jones | 29 | 40 |
| S. E. Griffin | 66 | 25 |
| W. B. Roberts | 35 | 00 |
| John Halloren | 41 | 40 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 31 | 74 |
| Franklin Co. Hdw. Co. | 2 | 75 |
| Ottawa Hdw. Co. | | 65 |
| Claude Pugh | 5 | 20 |
| **Sidewalk** | | |
| D. C. Wilkinson | 11 | 45 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 10 | 51 |
| Claude Pugh | 1 | 20 |
| C. A. Furness | 28 | 12 |
| **Cemetery** | | |
| A. Ramsteett | 53 | 50 |

[redacted]

A Petition signed by Louise A. Gordis and others for the creation of a Sewer Dist. of Block 11 of University Addition No 1 was presented and referred to Health Committee.

Application of M. G. Dunn for a free license until July 1st to operate a Shooting Gallery. The matter was referred to the license Com. who recommended that the license be not granted. On motion the report was adopted

The Reports for the month of May of the Police Judge, City Clerk and City Sidewalk repairer were presented and each referred to the proper Standing Committee.

The Sidewalk Committee reported recommending the the following described sidewalks be Condemned and that new walks be built in their stead.

| | |
|---|---|
| Front of lots 2-4-6-8 & 10 in Block | 54 |
| South side of Lot 35 in Block | 62 |
| N. side of E. 1/2 lot 1- and N. side of lot. Block | 89 |
| Front of lots 19-21-23-25-27 & 29- & S. side of 36 " - | 129 |

Front of lots 27 and 29- in Block 3 of Shaw & L. Main St addition

Front of lots 15-17 & 19 in Block 4 Sheldon and Hambelins addition. On motion report was adopted.

The Streets, Bridges and Alleys Committee reported upon the Resolution, (offered by the council on April 16th 1906) to pave and curb Fourth Street from the East line of Willow street to the east line of Ash Street as follows;

Ottawa, Kansas June 6th, 1906;

To The Mayor & Council:-

We your Streets Bridges and Alleys, Committee report that no remonstrance was filed against the improvement provided for in this resolution, and recommend that an ordinance be passed ordering said improvement.

Lyman Reid
Chairman S. B. & A. Com.

On motion the report was unanimously adopted.

The Streets Bridges and Alleys Committee reported upon the Resolution to pave and Curb Hickory Street from the north line of Second Street to the South line of First and which Resolution was passed by the Council on May 2nd, 1906- as follows:-

Ottawa, Kansas, June 6th 1906.

To The Mayor & Council:

We your Streets Bridges and Alleys Committee report that no remonstrance was filed against the improvements provided for in this Resolution, and recommend that an ordinance be passed ordering said improvements

Lyman Reid
Chairman S. B. & A. Comm.

On motion the report was maninously adopted.

The Contracts that the Mayor and Clerk had signed with N.E. Stucker for Curbing Grading Paving and otherwise improving Hickory street from north side of Second Street to north side of Fifth Street,

Third street from the Santa Fe track in Walnut to the east line of Willow Street,

Fourth Street from the track of the Santa Fe, in Walnut Street to the east line of Willow Street were approved on motion of Councilman Branson as was also the Bonds given by said Contractor on the three paving jobs described above.

The City Engineers Estimate, and bids of A. P. Elder and Seevers & Smith on the Construction of lateral sewer No 4, were presented and referred to the Health Com. Bids were as follows:

A. P. Elder $ 570.
Seevers & Smith 545.

The Bid of Seevers and Smith being the lower, and below the Engineers Estimate, the Health Com. recommended that the contract be awarded to Seevers, The Com. report was adopted.

The Matter of Books for Municipal Water & Light Plants was brought up and City Clerk was directed to procure the Loose leaf system of books for such use.

[redacted]

The application of A. P. Elder for a Permit to connect the property of A Wellis at 439 Cherry St. with the main sewer in 5th Street was presented, Mr Wellis having paid $3.00 engineers fee and $18.00 for the privilege of Connecting Council voted to grant the permit

Councilman Branson called attention of the Council to the fact that C. E. Parker of 709 N. Main St had Connected with the main sewer in N. Hickory Street and had paid no assessment for Connecting Except Engineers fee of $3.00 and moved that City Clerk be directed to $25.00 for said Connection. Motion prevailed.

The Streets & Alleys Com. report that the tile under the track of Mo Pacific Ry on west line of Hickory Street is Crushed and requires the laying of a new tile.

Councilman Crane moves that City Atty. be directed to draw up an ordinance providing for depositing of the City's funds in a depositary so that City may receive interest on daily balances Motion prevailed.

The Mayor reported an ordinance providing for the Construction of a sidewalk adjacent to South side of Lots 35 and 36 in each of the Blocks Numbered 105-106-107 108- 113, 114, 115, 116 & 117, and which was passed by the Council on May 18, th, back to the Council with his Veto thereon, and giving his reasons therefor.

Thereupon Councilman Crane moved that the ordinance be passed notwithstanding the Mayors Veto. Vote was by roll Call with result as follows:— Yeas Armstrong, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Nays, Branson, ~~Haugh~~, Church, Haugh Reed, Mayor declared the ordinance defeated.

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $31835° to defray the expenses of the City Government was introduced and read the first and was on motion placed on its second reading, was considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being. Shall the Ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 8. Nays None, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid. a majority, Cain elect. having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ord. duly passed.

An Ordinance authorizing the issue of Electric Light Purchase bonds to the amount of Ie Thousand Dollars by the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson, moved that an emergence be declared to exist that the ordinance be now place upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. Motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Yeas 8- Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

An Ordinance authorizing the issue of Water Purchase bonds to the amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars by the City of Ottawa, Kansas. introduced and was, read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson, moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. Motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows;

Yas. 8- Nays None Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

4617 An Ordinance concerning the improving of Fourth Street, from the east line of Willow Street to the east line of Cook Street, and ordering the grading, curbing, surfacing and paving of the same, and providing for the cost thereof, was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Crane moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now placed upon its second reading, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. Motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. The question being: Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance with result as follows: Yeas 8. Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned to June 13th/

attest J. N. Bell
City Clerk

John Hallorran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa June 13/1906

Council Met pursuant to adjournment of June 6th/06
Mayor Halloren presiding.

Councilmen present at roll call were
Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Howe Furness Nelson.
absent Haught + Reid.

A Quorum being present council proceeded with business

The Committee composed of Councilmen Branson, Crane and Reid, to whom on June 6th, was referred the Petition of Peter Shiras and others to have the telephone poles on west Third st. moved to the curb line reported on said petition as follows.

Ottawa Kansas June 13/1906.

Your Committee to whom this petition was referred would recommend that all telephone poles on paved streets be put just inside of the curb line

N. C. Branson
J. E. Crane

On motion the Committee report was adopted.

The City Clerk was directed to notify the Telephone Co's. to remove all poles on paved streets to a point just inside of the curb line.

The following Resolution was introduced and read:-

Resolution to curb and pave Ash Street from the north line of Third Street to the south line of Fourth Street.

Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, that it is deemed necessary, and is hereby declared to be necessary, to curb and pave Ash Street in said City, from the North line of Third Street to the south line of Fourth Street. that the said pavement shall be of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation, and with sand filler. Said pavement shall be twenty four feet in width from curb to curb, and said curb shall be of Cement Concrete. On motion of Councilman Crane the report was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Crane moves that the Mayor be directed to name a Committee of Representative Citizens of the City of Ottawa; to

investigate the local Santa Fe shop situation and the City's rights under their contract or agreement with said Company, the said Committee to report recommending to the City what Course to pursue in the matter. Motion unanimously prevailed.

Councilman Crane called to the Councils notice that there were many outside towns who would like to run a Sunday excursion to our park & City, and thereupon moved that the Council declare Forest park open to excursions two Sundays in each month during the Summer Season, this to become effective after July 1-06 after some discussion of the question a vote was taken on the question by which the Motion prevailed all Councilmen present voting Yea.

Councilman Branson of the Finance Com. called attention to the fact that on June 21st/06 $3500. of City time warrants would be due, and as the payment of the entire amount would reduce our funds too low recommended by motion that the Mayor and Clerk be directed to renew $1500. of same and that City Treas be directed to pay $2000. of said warrants. Motion prevailed.

The Certificate of election of the following officers of the Ottawa Fire Department, signed by W. A. Anderson Secretary of said Dept. was presented

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| Chief | H C Branson |
| Asst. Chief | Simon Cole |
| Foreman Hose No 1 - | W. A. Anderson |
| Foreman Hose No 2 - | G. A. Brown |
| Foreman Hose No 3 - | Lee Thomas |
| " Hook and Ladder | Lee Phares |
| Secretary | W. A. Anderson |
| Treasurer | C. M. Porter |

On motion of Councilman Furness all of said officers elect were confirmed.

The Mayor called the Councils attention to the need of a Foreman for the paving just now beginning, and recommended the name of W. H. Church for the Councils approval, On motion he was approved by the unanimous vote of the Council. and the matter of pay for his services was left for the Streets and Alleys Committee and Mr. Church to agree upon.

It was reported to the Council that the north side M.E. Church has some seats Suitable for use in Forest Park for sale cheap. The matter was referred to the Park Committee.

#616 An Ordinance Concerning the improving of Hickory Street from the north line of Second Street to the south line of Irish Street and ordering the grading, curbing, surfacing and paving of the same, and providing for the cost thereof. Was introduced and read the first time

Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that an emergency be declared to exist that the ordinance be now read the second time Considered by Sections, and placed upon its final passage, Motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting Yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time Considered by Sections, and placed upon its final passage, the Question being Shall the ordinance pass? on Motion a vote was taken on the passage of the Ordinance with result as follows: Yeas 6. Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, ~~Haugh~~. Nelson, absent and not voting, Haugh, & Reid a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance vacating the streets, alleys and public grounds of Greer's subdivision, ~~and~~ of lot 2 of Riverview Addition and vacating the streets, alleys and public Grounds of Davys, subdivision of lot 2 of Riverview addition was read the second time, Considered by Sections and

passed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass.? On motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance with result as follows, Yeas 5- Nays 1. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Negative Armstrong, Absent and not voting Councilmen Haugh and Read,

a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On Motion of Councilman Crane Council voted directing the City Engineer to prepare estimates on curbing and paving Hickory street from the north line of Second street to the south line of First street and for Fourth street from the East line of Willow street to the east line of Ash street, and directed the Mayor and Clerk to advertise for bids on said improvements to be opened at a meeting of the Council to be held on June 20th, 06.

On Motion Council adjourned to meet June 20th, 06

Attest J.H. Bell
City Clerk

John Sullivan
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, June 20/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of June 13th/06 Mayor Halloran presiding, Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, absent Branson and Reid, Mr Branson coming in later in the session.

A Petition signed by Capl Pauck and others asking for work to be done on the alley Between Locust & Elm and north of First st. Matter presented and was referred to the S. B. & G. Comm.

An application for a Plumbers license to do gas fitting inside of the lot line, was presented by S. M. Riddle which application was accompanied by a bond signed by Geo D. Stinebaugh, and Horatio Gourly, in the penal sum of $2,000, on Motion Permit was Granted

Bid of N. E. Stucker, together with the estimate of the City Engineer on Grading, Curbing and paving Fourth street from the east line of Willow street to the east line of Ash street were received and referred to the S. B. & G. Comm.

Said Bid was as follows: Price per cu. yd. excavating earth 34¢ price per sq. yard for two course brick paving as specified $1.47. Price per lineal foot for concrete curbing as specified 43¢ said bid based on Ottawa brick or brick equally as Good, using No 1 brick for top course and No 2 for bottom

Said bid being the only one submitted and it being not higher than the Engineers Estimate, the Committe Recommended that the Contract be awarded to N. E. Stucker

The Bid of N. E. Stucker together with the Estimate of the City Engineer on Grading, Curbing, and paving Hickory Street from the north line of Second Street to the south line of First street were presented and refered to the Street Bridges and alleys committe.

The Bid was as follows, price per cu. yd. for earth excavation 34¢. price per sq. yd. for two course brick paving as specified $1.47.

price per lineal foot for concrete curbing as specified 43¢. This bid is based on Ottawa brick or brick equally as good, using No 1 brick for top course and No 2 for bottom, said bid being not higher than the Engineer estimate. The said committee recommended that the Contract be awarded to Mc. Stucker. ~~M~~ on motion the report was adopted.

~~An Order~~ A Communication from the ministerial assn. of the City of Ottawa in the way of a remonstrance against the Action of the Council declaring Forest Park open to Sunday excursions was presented and read and on motion of Councilman, Crane the matter was laid on the table.

A letter from H. C. Speer & Sons Co. of Chicago to Benson & Harris offering to accept the 10 electric* light purchase bonds and 60 water purchase bonds in ~~T~~opeka instead of Chicago provided City would allow an amount equal to cost of delivery in Chicago Council voted to accept said proposition

The application of Geo. P. ~~Hathburn~~ for permission to connect with the Main sewer in E 5th st.

On motion of Councilman Armstrong Council voted directing the Mayor to deliver the $70,000.00 Bonds to the Order of C. H. Speer & Sons Co. at Topeka and receive the draft therefor.

An Ordinance providing for the construction of a sidewalk on south side of Seventh Street from Ash street to Cypress Street, and on the east side of Cypress Street from Eighth Street to Ninth Street. and other walks was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Sidewalk Committee

An Ordinance Creating an executive department to be known as the Water and Light Department of the City of Ottawa, and providing for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners, known as the Board of Water and Light Commissioners

and prescribing their duties and providing for the Control, operation, maintainance, repair and extension of the water works, and electric light and power plant of the City of Ottawa; was introduced and read the first time whereupon, Councilman Crane moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, motion prevailed all the Councilmen present voting yea.

The Ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. the question being shall the ordinance pass?, on motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance with result as follows, Yeas, 6: Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, absent and not voting Branson, Reid. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance providing for City depositaries, and requiring the deposit of City moneys therein, Prescribing the duties of the City Treasurer in relation to such depositaries, was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Crane moved that an emergency be declared to exist and that the ordinance be read the second time, a vote was taken Councilman Branson dissenting, Mayor declared the motion lost.

On motion Council adjourned to June 27th

Attest, J.H. Bell
City Clerk

John Holloran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa
June 27th, 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment June 20th
Mayor Halloran presiding.

Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, absent Councilman Reid.

The claim of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company in the sum of $6270. $4702.50 of this being arrears and $1567.50 being for the current half of 1906.

Claim was referred to the F.W. & L. Comm. who reported recommending that the claim be allowed as presented, and that it be issued in two vouchers, one for $2000, and one for $4270 and the $2000, to be paid over at once and the $4270. voucher be paid over at time of transfer

A contract to be signed by the City of Ottawa and Franklin County with reference to the City Prison quarters in the new County Jail building was read and ~~referred to~~ but action thereon was deferred, until Councilman Crane & other members of the Council could call on County Commissioners with relation to such contract.

The Mayor Named A. H. Carman, C. M. Thomas and Geo K. Moyer as a Board of appraisers to appraise the real estate in Sewer Districts in Lateral Districts Nos 39, 40, & 41. The Council voted Confirming the said appointments.

The Mayor Named. T. J. Wright, E. T. Thomas and J. H. G. Branson as a Board of Water and Light Commissioners under the provisions of ordinance No 620 their terms of office to be 1, 2, and 3 years in their order named.

Councilman Crane moved that E. T. Thomas be confirmed for the two year term

Motion prevailed.

Councilman Church moved that H.C. Branson be confirmed for the three year term Motion prevailed

Councilman Church moved that T. J. Wright be confirmed for for the one year term. Viva voce vote was taken on the motion, the Chair was in doubt as to the result and called for a vote by roll call, call, which was had, and resulted as follows. Yeas- Branson, Church, Furness. Nays, Armstrong, Crane, Haugh, Nelson. Mayor declared the appointee rejected.

Mayor then named C. H. Estabrook for confirmation. but on consulting such appointee it was found that he could not serve.

Mayor then named F. H. Pickrell as a member of the Board. on motion of Councilman Nelson the appointment was confirmed.

Council man Branson moved ~~that~~ the Specification prepared by Owen Ford for the extending and improving the Water Works & Electric Works of the City of Ottawa, subject to certain alterations, recommended by ~~him~~ E. J. Thomas and himself be adopted

Councilman Crane moved as an amendment to the motion that they be adopted when all the Members of the Board of Control signed such recommendation.

Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that both the motion and the proposed amendment be laid on the table Motion prevailed.

Councilman Crane called to the Councils notice the need for sidewalks on the street corners where paving is being done such walks to extend from the walks now built to the curb line. On motion Councilman Crane was directed to have such walks built as a charge against the City.

Upon the recommendation of the City Engineer and the Streets and alleys Committee, Council voted to lay an 18 inch tile drain on the

west side of Walnut Street from Third St. to First St. and west on the north side of First St. to the alley line. and directed Mayor Hallaran to order the tile for said work at once.

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $6270.00 to pay the claim of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company was introduced and read the first time. on motion the ordinance was read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass on motion a vote was taken with result as follows Yeas 7 nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, absent Councilman Rice

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance the Mayor declared it duly passed.

Councilman Branson called the attention of the Council to fact that it would be necessary for the Mayor to pay a registration fee of 50 ¢ per bond on the Seventy bonds now being registered in the office of the State State Auditor, which total fee would be $35.00 whereupon Councilman Branson Moved that an Ordinance be passed appropriating said amount for the purpose named. Motion prevailed

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $35.00 to defray the expenses of the City Government was introduced and read the first time, on motion was read the second time and considered by sections, & placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows Yeas 7. nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative ~~Mayor declared the ordinance duly~~ were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, absent Rice

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

~~On motion Council adjourned~~

An ordinance providing for City depositaries, and requiring the deposit of City monies therein, prescribing the duties of the City Treasurer in relation to such depositaries, was called up for a second reading, whereupon Councilman Crane moved that an emergency be declared to exist that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, motion prevailed, all Councilmen present voting Yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows- yeas 7 nays [redacted] Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, absent Councilman Reid.

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Council adjourned to meet Friday June 29th, at 7.00 P.M.

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, June 29/06.
Pursuant to adjournment of June 27th, Mayor Halloran, and Councilmen Church, Haugh & Nelson
No quorum being present Councilman Church moved an adjournment to tomorrow night June 30th at 7.30 p.m. Motion prevailed,
Council adjourned as per motion passed

Attest. J.H. Bell
City Clerk

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa June 30/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of June 29th, 06. Mayor Halloben presiding.

Councilmen present at roll Call were Armstrong, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson. absent Councilmen Branson and Reid.

Council took up the matter of the adoption of plans and specifications prepared by Owen Ford, Consulting Engineer, for the Extension and improvement of the Water Works and Electric Light works of the City of Ottawa, the adoption which is recommended by Board of Water & Light Comm'rs. with minor changes

On Motion of Councilman Furness The plans & specifications were adopted recommended by the Board.

The following Record of the first meeting and the organization of the Board of Water & Light Commissioners of the City of Ottawa was read, together with certain recommendations of the said Board to the Council:-

Ottawa, Kansas June 28th, 1906

The Board of Water and Light Commissioners of the City of Ottawa Met at the office of the City Clerk, who administered to each of the Members the Oath of Office, Board then selected J.H. Bell as temporary Secretary.

On Motion of E.T. Thomas Board selected W.T. Pickrell as President of the Board for the year ending July 1-1907

The Board made recommendations in the order given:

That the City for the present use the same rules and rates as the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company, this as a temporary measure only.

On motion of Councilman Crane this was adopted

Board recommends That the City take over the plants promptly on July 1st, and that for the present all the old employes be retained except the Supt.

On motion of Councilman Crane this was adopted.

Board recommends that the City Clerk be directed to order one of the Card Cutting devices like the one used by the Ottawa Gas and Electric Co, and that he prepare and have printed the necessary blanks to go with it and that he prepare and have printed the necessary stationery for the use of the Board.

Councilman Crane moves that this be done by the man in charge of the Water & Light office motion prevailed.

Board recommends that when the regular water & Light Collector is selected that he be required to execute a surety bond in favor of the City in the sum of $3000.00

On motion of Councilman Crane this was adopted

The Council will be advised that the board understands that it has no jurisdiction over the Water Works and Light plants and property in connection therewith until the same is turned over to the Board by the mayor of the City of Ottawa.

The Board recommends that the Council immediately procure and equip office quarters for the Citys Water and Light Dept

on motion Council voted directing the board to do this-

The Board recommends that J.K. Bell, be employed for the present as Secy, and Cashier for the Board of Water and Light Commissioners.

on motion this was adopted for one month.

The question of having Specifications printed was taken up. Bids on such printing were submitted by ~~By~~ the Republic and the Herald Bids were as follows:-

On motion of Councilman Crane the Herald was awarded the Contract for printing 100 copies

City Clerk was directed to advertise for bids on Extension and improvement of the Water & Light plants as recommended by Owen Ford and in the papers as he advised bidders to be required to deposit a Certified check for equal to 5% of the amount bid minimum check to be $100.00 Bidding to Close at 3 o'clock p.m. on July 20th, and

Council voted directing the Board of Water & Light Commissioners to open and tabulate bids as soon as bidding is closed, so as to have them ready for the Council meeting.

The question of the removal of the D. L. Vail scales from Hickory Street was taken up. Council decided they must be moved, and the matter of their removal, and such assistance as should be given Mr Vail in the matter was referred to the St. B. & A. Committee.

On Motion Council adjourned

Attest J. H. Bell
City Clerk

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa,
Ottawa Ks. July. 4th/06

Regular Meeting Night of City Council
Mayor Halloran and Councilmen Banson & Armstrong met at the Council Chamber, there being no quorum present, Mayor & Councilman Banson adjourned to meet July 5th/06 at 7-30 p.m.

Attest
J. H. Bell, City Clerk

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, July 5th, 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of July 4th, 1906 Mayor Hallaran presiding Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Absent Councilmen Lord.

Reports for the month of July, of the Police Judge, City Clerk, Sidewalk Repairer and sexton Hope Cemetery were presented and each referred to the proper standing Committee

The City Engineer Reported on Sewer Districts Nos. 39 and 40, that they were Completed and recommend their acceptance by the City, 5% of Cost to be retained at present on motion the report was adopted

City Engineers First approximate estimate of the Cost to date of the improvement on Third street from the ~~east line~~ the tracks of the Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Walnut street to the east curb line of Willow Street, on Motion the report was adopted.

License applications ~~applications~~ of W. E. Smith to run a Billiard Hall of 3 tables, John Matt for a permission to operate a Billiard Hall of 6 tables, W. S. Miller for a license to operate a Billiard Hall of 4 tables, Furness Bros. for a License to operate a Billiard Hall of three tables, F. D Lancaster for a License to operate a Billiard Hall of 8 tables were presented and each accompanied by a receipt for the proper license fee and an Indemnity in the sum of $2,000 all of which were referred to the License Committee with A. Furness acting Chairman who Recommended that all of said licenses be granted On motion Council voted granting a license to each Applicant

The question of printed Specifications being sent out on deposit was discussed, Councilman Branson moved that a deposit of $10. be required for each spec. Deposit to be returned on return of spec. in motion provided

F. W. & L.

Claims against the various funds of the City of Ottawa were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees, who reported recommending that the following named claims be allowed, each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council.

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| F. W. & L. | | | | |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 00 | A. J. Elder | | 50 |
| H. P. Lockhart | 47 50 | S. H. Lyons | | 7 25 |
| Andrew Gilliland | 5 00 | A. P. Elder | (Fence) | 66 00 |
| Williams & W. Grain Co. | 9 50 | A. P. Elder | | 23 10 |
| James Wilson | 75 | A. P. Elder | | 235 75 |
| M. McCarthy | 2 60 | Claude Pugh | | 39 75 |
| Chas Bellchamber | 1 00 | Silas Haines | | 11 10 |
| Carey M. Porter | 83 00 | Seeves & Smith | | 1 00 |
| Ottawa Fire Dept. | 150 00 | D.C. Wilkinson | Side Rack | 60 73 |
| A. P. Elder | 10 43 | Rohrbaugh & Co. | | 5 95 |
| M. & K. Tel. Co. | 3 55 | Claude Pugh | | 1 70 |
| × Owen Ford | 450 00 | C. Q. Furness & Timekeeper | | 2 30 |
| × C. P. Robinson | 2000 00 | Warren White | S. B. & P. | 534 94 |
| Geo. E. Long | 10 00 | H. O. Myers | | 65 00 |
| presented for × Mo. Pacific Ry Co. | 1 52 | J. E. Oakley | | 70 00 |
| $25.00 Ottawa Herald | 24 44 | Claude Pugh | Printing | 41 60 |
| Ottawa Republic | 13 74 | Frank Bunyan | | 28 80 |
| H. O. Beetley | 18 00 | Dore Mardell | Police | 31 20 |
| Jno. S. Koons | 50 50 | T. J. Bruce | | 10 50 |
| A. E. Koons | 10 00 | W. H. Church | | 34 00 |
| T. J. Bruner | 23 25 | Andrew Gilliland | | 28 75 |
| W. J. Collins | 6 00 | S. E. Griffin | | 68 75 |
| M. & K. Tel Co. | 65 | John Nelson | | 56 25 |
| P. K. Hendrix | 15 17 | John Nelson | | 90 |
| H. L. Hampton | 1 50 | John Halloren | | 1 50 |
| G. A. Smith | 1 80 | John Halloren | | 14 25 |
| A. A. Venico | 5 00 | Rohrbaugh & Co | Park | 1 75 |
| John Halloren | 20 88 | J. A. Wilson | | 2 82 |
| Hennecke Co. | 35 00 | C. Q. Furness | | 6 40 |
| J. T. Black | 14 75 | | Cemetery | 144 92 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 3 60 | A. Ramstadt | | 20 50 |
| Franklin Co. Hdw. Co. | 1 15 | | | |
| A. P. Elder | 15 30 | | | |
| L. O. Harris | 38 25 | | | |
| Henry Kanaly | 3 50 | | | |
| J. H. Reed | 6 90 | | | |
| Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. | 30 | | | |

In payment of the claim of the Ottawa Water Works and Light Company which was deferred until said Company settles for Street Corner lights.

An Ordinance Making appropriations in the sum of $49461.45 to defray the expenses of the City Government was introduced and read the first time on motion the ordinance was read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows, yas 7, nays none— Councilman voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Reid absent, a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance vacating Park street from Main street to Walnut street, the City reserving the right of a water way in said vacated street was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Furness moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be placed upon its second reading ~~and~~ considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken on the passage of the ordinance with result as follows; yeas 7, nays none Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Haugh Nelson, absent and not voting, Councilman Reid

a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion Branson Council adjourned to meet July 11th 1905

Council Chamber City of Ottawa July 11/1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of July 5th, 1906.

Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Absent Councilman Reid.
Mayor Hallorem presiding

A Petition signed by James McKeever and others for better drainage facilities at the S.W. Corner of First and Main Streets was presented and referred to the S. B. & A. Committee.

A Petition signed by Geo. F. Davis asking permission to connect property in Block 123 with the main sewer in Park Street between Main & Walnut streets was referred to the Health Committee to report on the matter

The following resolution was presented

Whereas Walnut street in the City of Ottawa, Kansas at the intersections of ~~Second~~, Third, Fourth and Fifth Streets is higher than said cross streets at said intersections:
Therefore: Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, that the City Engineer be and that he is, hereby directed to make or cause to be made, a Survey of said Walnut street between Second street and Fifth Streets to prepare data to be used in the preparation of an ordinance establishing a grade on Walnut Street between second Street and Fifth Street.

On motion of Councilman Church the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Engineers final Estimate on paving Third Street from Walnut to Willow streets was presented.
On motion of Counsilman Crane the same was adopted.

The Mayor appointed, and the Council confirmed Jos. Byers, H. F. Ellis and B. C. McQuesten as Appra

to appraise the real estate liable to taxation for the costs of paving the and otherwise improving Third street from Walnut Street to Willow Street the property so to be appraised, being the lots or parts of lots in the South half of Blocks 67, 68, 69 and 70, and the lots or parts of lots in the north half of Blocks 80, 81, 82 and 83 all in the original townsite of the City of Ottawa also, to appraise (See margin hereof)

J. P. Miller and W. J. Coptigan of the Ottawa Gun Club were before the Council for permission for said organization to erect a building about 10 X 15 ft in size just north of the womans building in ~~Forest~~ Park. After some discussion the matter was referred to the Park Committee

Mr. J. P. Kerr, agt for Olive Mackey was before the Council with a request that the City of Ottawa, assume the sidewalk tax charged against Lot 1 in Block 32, the same being the present location of the lunch counter S. of Santa Fe depot. The matter was referred to the Sidewalk Com.

Councilman Nelson for the S. B. & A. Committee reported on the D. L. Vail scales matter. said Com. recommending that Mr. Vail be required to remove the scales and that he be paid $50.00 for the foundation of same, the stone to be the property of the City. Councilman Church moved the adoption of the Committee report. Motion prevailed.

Councilman Branson moves a reconsideration of the question whereby the Council voted to require a deposit of $10.00 for each copy of Water Works and Electric Works specifications sent out by the City Clerk. Motion unanimously prevailed.

The original motion that the City require a deposit of $10.00 for each copy of said specifications sent out: money to be returned when specification is returned, was again put. on the reconsideration the Motion lost

upon which to assess the costs of paving and otherwise improving said street from the east line of said street and to appraise the lots and parts of lots in the South half of Blocks 73, 74, 75 and 76 as a basis for levying, and the lots or parts of lots in the north half of Blocks 80, 81, 82 and 83, and the lots or parts of lots in the said south half of Blocks 73, 74, 75 and 76 as a basis for levying, and to appraise the lots or parts of lots in the said south half of Blocks 73, 74, 75 and 76 as a basis for levying, and to appraise the lots or parts of lots in the north half of Blocks 80, 81, 82 and 83 as a basis for levying, and to appraise the lots or parts of lots in the south half of Blocks 73, 74, 75 and 76 as a basis for levying, and to appraise the lots or parts of lots in the north half of Blocks 80, 81, 82 and 83 as a basis for levying, and to appraise the lots or parts of lots in the west half of block 79, and the tracts or pieces of land described as follows, beginning at the intersection of the north line of Third street with the west line of said street thence west 300 feet, south to a point parallel with the south line of Fourth street, thence east to the west line of said street, thence north to point of beginning as a basis of valuation upon which to assess the costs of paving and otherwise improving said street, from the north line of Third street to the south line of Fourth street

Councilman Crane moves that the City Clerk be directed to prepare a statement of the condition of the several funds of the City, such report to be presented on July 19th. and that it be carried up to date, and that he also make a statement of the bonded indebtedness of the City. Motion prevailed

E. T. Thomas was appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the council as assessor for the year 1907

An Ordinance authorizing the issue of Light Extension Bonds to the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars by the City of Ottawa Kansas. was introduced and read the first time; Whereupon Councilman Furness moved, that an emergency be declared to exist that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea:

The ordinance was then read the second time - and considered by sections, each section being adopted separately by the Council. The ordinance was then placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? On Motion a vote was taken with result as follows Yeas 7. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were. Armstrong, Branson, ~~Crane~~, Church. Crane, Furness, Haugh, Nelson, Absent and Not voting Councilman Reid.

A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

An Ordinance authorizing the issue of Waterworks Extension Bonds to the amount of Sixty-five Thousand Dollars by the City of Ottawa, Kansas. was introduced and read the first time; Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that ~~the ordinance be now read~~ an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its

final passage. The motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting Yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time and considered by sections, each section being adopted separately by the Council. The ordinance was then placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 7. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson. Absent and not voting Councilman Reid.

A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

on motion of 7 members Council adjourned to July 20th

attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

John Hallowell
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa July 20th, 1906.

Council met pursuant to adjournment of July 11th, 1906

Councillors present at roll call were, Armstrong, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson. Absent Councilman Reid Mayor Hallcren presiding

Councilman Crane of the S.B. & A. Committee reported the need of grading on Ash street to that done between 3rd & 4th sts. On motion of Councilman Furness Council rated directing said Com. to Street Comr. & necessary help do this work and sell the dirt to the best advantage, the Com. was also directed to Grade Maple street on both sides between 3rd & 4th, in the same way.

The question of the use of the Water Works team came up. & Mr. Pickrell for the Board of Water & Light Comrs. offered the team harness and wagon to the City for $250.00. On Motion of Councilman Crane Council rated to buy the team on Mr. Pickrells offer.

Council rated to Meet on Aug. 13th, 1906 to sit as a board of view to hear any objections offered to the appraisement of lots and parts of lots, in the south half of 67, 68, 69 and 70, and the lots and parts of lots in the north half of Blocks 80, 81, 82 and 83. as appraised for the paving and otherwise improving Third street from Walnut st to Willow Street. (see margin)

also to sit as a Board of view to hear any objections that may be offered to the appraisement of lots or parts of lots in Blocks A. & B. of Bowles Sheldon & Coppings addition. Blocks 62, 75 and 104 of the original townsite as appraised for the Construction of Sewer Laterals in said blocks

Forest Park dates were Granted to applicants as follows:

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Bronson ave to the east limit of Lot 79, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 79 to the east limit of Lot 86, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 86 to the east limit of Lot 94, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 86 to a point 200 feet west of the west limit of Lot 94, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from a point 200 feet west of the west limit of Lot 94 to the east limit of Lot 94, and the north half of Bank st from a point 200 feet west of the west limit of Lot 94 to the east limit of Lot 94, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 94 to the east limit of Lot 95, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 94 to the east limit of Lot 95, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 95 to the east limit of Lot 96, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 95 to the east limit of Lot 96, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 96 to the east limit of Lot 97, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 96 to the east limit of Lot 97, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 97 to the east limit of Lot 98, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 97 to the east limit of Lot 98, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 98 to the east limit of Lot 99, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 98 to the east limit of Lot 99, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 99 to the east limit of Lot 100, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 99 to the east limit of Lot 100, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 100 to the east limit of Lot 101, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 100 to the east limit of Lot 101, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

Rated to pave the south half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 101 to the east limit of Lot 102, and the north half of Bank st from the west limit of Lot 101 to the east limit of Lot 102, and the lots of land fronting on the said portions of Bank st, as appraised for by the Board of Works.

# ROY W. STOOKEY

(SUCCESSOR TO CHAS. A. STOOKEY)

## WATER WORKS CONTRACTOR

BELLEVILLE, ILLINOIS

July 21 — 1906

Hon Mayor & Council,
Ottawa, Kan

Gentlemen:

I hereby agree to contract for
part of Water Works System as recommended
by commissioners.

Respectfully Yours
Roy W. Stookey
by C. A. Stookey

Ottawa, Kansas, July 21st, 1906.

To The Honorable Mayor and Council:-

Gentlemen:-

Your Board of Water and Light Commissioners have received and considered the bids for improvements and extensions to Water Works and Electric Light and Power plant, and beg to submit the following:

That the bid of the Electric and Steam Engineering Company of St. Louis, Mo. be accepted at the total price of $27,206.00, covering sections 1,2,3,4,9,10,11,12, and 18 according to the plans and specifications, and adopting especially the following:

New River Station as specified, International Steam Pump Co. Electrical Turbine Pump ~~using 1100 Motors without transformer~~ having capacity of 90 to 100 foot lift including friction, with Westinghouse 40 H.P. motor on each pump, using 1100 Motors without transformer. Power Station to be as specified, ecept to have composition John Mannville or Carey roofing/ Three 66X18 Tubular Murray Iron Works High Pressure 150 lb Boilers are adopted with standard number of 3 1/2 inch flues each. The regular standard grates are included with the gas furnaces complete, and to also so arrange that coal may be used for fuel, readily by removal of the gas furnace fixtures. The steel column and I Beam method of suspension is to be furnished with boilers The Russell 15 x 18 medium speed 4 Valve Direct Connected Engine is adopted. Hoppes or St. Louis Heater is selected. Westinghouse direct connected 130 K.W. Generator is adopted. At 200 R.P.M. having latest multipolar Exciter, chain driven.

Otherwise than especiall selected as above the work is covered sufficiently by the specifications and plans.

That the bid of Roy W.Stookey of Bellville Illinois be accepted, covering sections 5,6,7,8, and 13, according to the plans and specifications at the total price of $21,725.00 , adopting the following: The McGowen 10 and 15 1/2 x14x 18 inside packed plunger Pumps are adopted with corresponding valves Condensers vacuum pumps Apparatus appliances and fittings.

A part of 15, 16, and 17 are added to section 13 above as follows: That part of said sections 15, 16 and 17 between Second street and the High service pumps and into the sedimentation basin including the new 10 inch connection as shown on second street pipe shown as running to Second and Ash streets from pumping station.

This work to include the 16 inch pipe from pumps; the 16 inch pipe from Second Street into the sedimentation basin by-passed through the condenser; The 16 inch pipe from the 16 inch pipe to connectinto the old 16 inch pipe at Second street leading to the City, with all valves and fittings and connections as shown, including a 16 x 16 x 10 tee and 16 x 10 reducer and one 10" opening of of said Tee plugged, for future connection. otherwise than as especially Sleeted and stated above, the work is sufficiently covered by the specifications and plans That The sections 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 be not awarded at this time , except the parts of 15, 16, and 17 as above stated. That The Consulting Engineer be and that he is hereby instructed to prepare contrarcts in accordance with the above and submit same to the Council on or before Aug. 1st, 1906. That the Mayor and The City Clerk be and they are hereby directed to sign on behalf or the City such contract. That this resolution be accepted [redacted] by the said Electric and Steam Engineering Company and Roy W. Stookey as a base of drawing said contract

Ash-High including the 10 inch

To Mrs. H. M. Baldwin for a Colored Picnic Aug. 1st

To Wm. McBriar + others for a Colored farmers Picnic Aug. 3rd

To Franklin County New York Society for Annual picnic Aug 7th

To Franklin County Pennsylvania Society " " Sept 2nd

The following resolution was presented + read:

Resolution to Pave + curb third Street from Willow Street to Ash street.

Be it resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa that is deemed necessary and hereby declared to be necessary to pave and curb Third street in the City of Ottawa, from the East line of Willow, Street to the East line of Ash Street. That said paving shall be twenty four feet wide from curb to curb, and shall consist of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation, and with sand filler. That the Curbing shall be of Cement Concrete

An Ordinance concerning the suppression of nuisances in the City of Ottawa. was introduced and read the first time. Whereupon Councilman Furness moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections; each section being adopted separately by the Council. The ordinance was then placed upon its final passage, the question being, shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 6- Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were. Armstrong, Church, Crone Furness, Hough Nelson. absent and not voting Councilmen Branson and Reid.

a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance providing for the Construction of certain sidewalks in the City of Ottawa, was ~~presented~~ and read the ~~second~~ time, Whereupon Councilman Furness moved that ~~an emergency be declared to exist, that the~~ the ordinance be now considered by sections and placed upon its final passage Motion prevailed The ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass. on Motion a vote was taken with result as follows yeas 6. Nays None Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Absent and not voting Councilmen Branson & Reid. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance appropriating the sum of $5000. out of any funds not otherwise appropriated to pay N.E. Stucker a portion of the Citys share of paving and otherwise improving Third street from Walnut to Willow was introduced and read the first time, On Motion was read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 6. Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, absent and not voting Branson & Reid. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

The Board of Water and Light Commissioners who are examining the bids on the extension of Water and Light plants, report to the Council that they will be unable to make any report on bids to the Council at this session & suggest an adjournment to tomorrow night.

Council adjourned to meet tomorrow evening July 21 5th

Attest: J.H. Bell C.C. — John Hallowell Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Sept. 5/06

Council met in regular session, Mayor Hollowen presiding.

Councilmen present at roll call Mrs. Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. absent, Councilman Armstrong.

A quorum being present Council proceeded to business

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, July 2[illegible]

Council Met pursuant to adjournment of July 20th, 1906. Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson.

Mayor Halloran presiding.

The Board of Water and Light Commissioners reported relative to awarding of Contracts for certain parts of improvements advertised, the report is in the form of a resolution which is attached hereto and which is a part hereof, and the adoption of which the Board recommends.

On motion of Councilman Church Councils voted to adopt the resolution.

Roy W. Hookey and W. J. Fuller the successful bidders filed their acceptance of the terms of the resolution and agreeing to Contract thereunder, ~~Copy~~ both of which documents of acceptance are attached hereto and are a part hereof.

A Petition signed by W. Fehrick and others asking in Block 71 be paved with brick was presented and read. Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

The foregoing Contracts do not embrace the pipe line system or hydrants. The Council being anxious to complete the pipe line system decided to cut out the pipe line ~~from~~ on Hickory from 1st to Logan st, and to reduce the flow line on ash from second to 9th from a 6 inch to a nine inch pipe; and then passed the following resolution:

Resolved that the Engineer be instructed to Make definite recommendations of plan to proceed with the making of the pipe line extensions and to report same to the Council, through the Board of Commissioners as early as possible.

ELECTRIC AND
STEAM ENGINEERING
COMPANY

W. A. FULLER, MANAGER

DESIGNERS AND CONTRACTORS
FOR COMPLETE ELECTRIC LIGHT,
POWER AND RAILROAD
INSTALLATIONS

BELL PHONE

1117 CHEMICAL BUILDING

ST. LOUIS July 21 190

To the Honorable Mayor and City
Council of Ottawa Kansas
Gentlemen:-

We beg to approve and accept the report
of your Board of Commissioners
as read, and stand ready to sign a
Contract With you accordingly.

Respectfully Yours

ELECTRIC & STEAM ENG. CO.,
by W. A. Fuller
Mgr

A Petition signed by W. F. Swift and others asking that the alley in Block 71 be pared with brick was presented Whereupon the following resolution was introduced.

Resolution to Pave the Alley in Block 71 of the original plat of the City of Ottawa.

Be it resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa; That is deemed necessary and hereby declared to be necessary to pave and curb the alley in Block 71 of the original plat of the City of Ottawa, from Second Street to Third Street. That said pavement shall be of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation, and with a sand filler.

On motion of Councilman Crane the resolution was adopted.

The following Resolution was presented

Resolution to Pave and Curb Third Street from Willow Street to Ash Street.

Be it Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa that it is deemed necessary and hereby declared to be necessary to pave and curb Third street in the City of Ottawa from the east line of Willow Street to the East line of Ash Street. That said paving shall be twenty four feet wide from curb to curb and shall consist of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation and with sand filler. That the curbing shall be of Cement Concrete.

On motion of Councilman Crane the resolution was unanimously adopted.

An Ordinance Concerning the improving of Ash Street from the North line of Third street to the South line of Fourth Street, and ordering the Grading, Curbing, Surfacing and paving of the same; and providing for the Costs thereof. was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Furness moved that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage

the motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The ordinance was then read the second ~~the second~~ time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Yeas 7. Nays None Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Churc Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, absent and not voting Councilman Reid. a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmat the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Council voted directing the mayor and Clerk to advertise for bids for placing ash street from Third to Fourth streets bids to be opened Aug. 1

On motion Council adjourned to meet July attest.

J.H. Bell, City Clerk.

John Hallorran
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa July 28/19

Council on July 21/06 adjourned to meet upon this date Neither Mayor nor Councilmen appearing no meeting was held.

J.H. Bell, City Clerk
John Hallorran
Mayo

Insert to page 309

The

Block 66 Lot 14-16-18 Townsite
" 83 " 21-33-35 front
" 93 " 25 & 27
" 106 " 1-3 & 5 front
" 118 " 8-10-12.
" 121 " 27-29-31-33-35 front
" 26 " S. side of lots 35 & 36 of Boules Sheldon & Tappings addition
Block 4 -- N. side of lot 1 - Hamblins College Addition
front of Lots 1-3-5-7-9-11- of Kelleys Addition
Block 7 - S. 18 ft of front of lot 1 - of Shaw & Ludingtons Main street addition and lots 5-7-9 and 11 of same block to be raised to grade.

Council Chamber City of Ottawa.
Aug 1- 1906

Council met in regular session with the following Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Nelson, Absent Councillors Haugh and Reid.

Mayor Halloran presiding

Minutes of meetings of July 4th, 5th, 11th, 20th, 1906 were read and approved.

A Petition from Gormly's Band was presented requesting permission to have The Parker Amusement Company come to Ottawa and hold a weeks Carnival commencing Aug 13th license free, said petition not requesting the use of any of the streets, Councilman Furness of the license Committee moved that the petition be granted motion unanimously prevailed.

A Petition signed by D. M. Reed and others for a terrace of 20 feet width on the east side of Hickory street between Sixth and Seventh streets was presented, and on motion same was granted.

Reports of City Clerk and sidewalk repairer for month of July were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees.

The Sidewalk Committee reported recommending that the following described walks be condemned and new walks be built in their stead.

The applications of O. W. Pillars and J. E. Yungberg for a pawnbrokers license were presented, and on motion of Councilman Furness the licenses were granted

The following Communication from the Water and Light Commissioners was read.

The Water and Light Commissioners after making diligent search for a Secretary and Cashier and are convinced that John Bell possesses the efficiency necessary for that place and we respectfully ask the Councils co-operation by confirming him at a Compensation of $65.00 per month.

Whereupon J.H. Bell tendered his resignation as City Clerk to take effect as soon as he was appointed and confirmed as such Secy & Cashier, but called attention to the necessity of the present Clerk conducting the office in his name until all the Water & Light bonds and the certified copies of Council record of same were signed by him, a vote was then taken on the adoption of the recommendation of Committee, as to the result of the vote the Mayor was in doubt. A vote was then taken by roll call with result as follows: Yeas Armstrong, Branoan, Church, Furness. Nays:- Crane and Nelson, absent and not voting Councilmen Hough & Reid, The mayor declared J.H. Bell duly appointed and confirmed

The Mayor stated that he was now ready to name any Republican as City Clerk who would meet the approval of Council and asked for names to be suggested by the Council, and at the same time presented the names of O.M. Wilbur and F.A. Marcell.

Councilman Crane Moved that the resignation of J.H. Bell be accepted to take effect Sept. 1st and that the Council accept, and confirm F.A. Marcell as City Clerk, and the he be allowed the august salary Motion prevailed.

Bids on paving Ash Street from the north line of Third Street to the south line of Fourth Street were opened. There was but one bid submitted, that being the bid of N.E. Stucker which was as follows: excavating of earth Grading 34¢ per cubic yard. price for two course brick as specified $1.47 per sq. yd. Price per lineal foot for Concrete curbing as specified 43¢.

Said bid being within the engineers estimate, which was also ~~[illegible]~~ the Council

On motion of Councilman ~~[illegible]~~ the contract was awarded to N.E. Stucker

Claims, in the sum of $4378.98 against the various funds of the City were presented and referred to the standing Committees who reported, recommending that the following Claims be allowed

each committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council.

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| J. W. & Lh. | |
| Ottawa Water Wks & Lt. Co. | 67 60 |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 00 |
| H. P. Lockhart | 47 50 |
| A. Gilliland | 2 00 |
| A. B. Cornell | 20 32 |
| Williams & Wilson Gr. Co. | 9 50 |
| C. A. Alexander | 40 00 |
| Water & Lh. Dept. | 130 96 |
| Engineering News | 3 20 |
| C. Wever | 4 25 |
| Owen Ford | 125 00 |
| M. McCarthy | 1 50 |
| Geo. L. Ash | 4 25 |
| Geo. L. Ash | 2 60 |
| First Nat'l Bank | |
| Gen'l Electric Co. | 102 50 |
| F. W. & Lh. | |
| W. & Lt. Dept. | |
| C. J. Beach | 70 00 |
| Hal McCoy | 40 00 |
| J. M. Marks | 40 00 |
| D. A. Blaine | 50 00 |
| M. J. McCarthy | 25 00 |
| W. L. Frash | 69 50 |
| Joe Beeler | 4 50 |
| J. H. Bell | 50 00 |
| Thos. McCormick | 2 80 |
| Wm Lewis | 70 |
| F. A. Marcell | 22 50 |
| F. O. Doris | 1 20 |
| J. H. Bell | 11 60 |
| G. L. Harford | 50 |
| J. S. Forgey | 3 50 |
| E. S. Bennett | 7 42 |
| Standard Oil Co. | 29 40 |
| Whitelaw Bros. | 17 15 |
| Ottawa Hdw Co. | 1 38 |
| C. L. Beeler | 15 |
| M. & K. Tel Co. | 2 60 |
| Ottawa Tel. Co. | 5 00 |
| Ottawa W. Wks & Lh. Co. | 1 50 |
| F. O. Burnap & Co. | 83 25 |

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| Western Electric Co. | 3 20 |
| Ottawa Gas & Electric Co | 426 20 |
| A. P. Elder | 6 |
| Ottawa W. Wks & Lt. Co. | 9 35 |
| Claims | |
| J. P. Miller & Co. | 200 |
| Bertha C. Hunt | 2000 |
| G. M. Wilber | 1000 |
| J. H. Bell | 3300 |
| Henry Ramaly | 37 |
| Geo. D. Rathbun | 2500 |
| Ottawa Gas & Electric Co. | 50 |
| Police | |
| E. S. Stoffer | 2 25 |
| H. O. Beetley | 64 97 |
| G. L. Harford | 50 |
| Austin Reed | 3 00 |
| Ike Roberts | 3 00 |
| F. F. Brunes | 23 25 |
| A. E. Koons | 11 50 |
| W. R. Cody | 4 80 |
| Bodley & Son | 2 00 |
| Jno S. Koons | 53 20 |
| W. L. Parkinson | 38 7 |
| Park | |
| G. C. Smith | 3 79 |
| Ottawa Hdw Co. | 3 22 |
| John Nelson | 16 20 |
| H. F. Denis | 53 40 |
| Printing | |
| Ottawa Republic | 2 65 |
| Ottawa Herald | 79 70 |
| C. Q. Furness Sidewalks | 273 34 |
| Ottawa Hdw Co. | 90 |
| C. S. Pugh | 40 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 1 20 |
| D. C. Wilkinson | 10 50 |
| H. H. Cowan Health | 3 00 |
| C. M. Thomas | 3 00 |
| Geo. H. Mayo | 3 00 |
| Seerey & Smith | 30 50 |
| B. A. Marcell | 4 6 |
| C. S. Pugh | 3 1 |

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| S. B. & A. | | | | | |
| Water & Light Dept | 250 | 00 | H. O. Myers | 70 | 80 |
| Warren White | 65 | 00 | John Briet | 8 | 50 |
| A. Gilliland | 68 | 15 | J. M. Conard | 12 | 00 |
| S. E. Griffin | 56 | 25 | M. McCarthy | 4 | 00 |
| T. J. Bruce | 37 | 50 | John Drum | 19 | 50 |
| West Tatten | 12 | 00 | Ottawa Hdw Co. | 7 | 70 |
| Grant Bunyan | 135 | 00 | Quiney Fisher | 1 | 50 |
| W. H. Church | 55 | 00 | J. R. McGuire | 8 | 70 |
| W. M. Adams | 221 | 68 | Clare Marcell | 8 | 50 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 6 | 02 | John Hallorem | 616 | 30 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co. | 8 | 94 | C. Q. Furness | 166 | 16 |
| J. E. Callan | 40 | 00 | John Nelson | 3 | 75 |
| W. M. Baldwin | 90 | 00 | J. E. Byers | 3 | 00 |
| W. M. Baldwin | 5 | 75 | H. F. Ellis | 3 | 00 |
| B. G. Marcell | 2 | 80 | B. C. McQuesten | 3 | 00 |
| C. S. Pugh | 37 | 10 | A. Romstedt Cemetery | 16 | 50 |

Councilman Nelson called attention to the fact that Cemetery given by the City in favor of the Cemetery fund had been lost or were never written, and that the interest on this $2000. of paper @ 6% had not been paid and that a years interest was due. City Clerk was directed to look the matter up at once.

John Scott agt Mo. P. Ry representing the said Missouri Pacific Ry. Co. was before the Council relative to changing their switch & main tracks in the yards at Ottawa and to take up the question of constructing a switch for the City to the Water Works site. The matter was dissussed at some length.

Whereupon Councilman Nelson moved that the City Atty be directed to prepare an ordinance providing that the said Ry. Co. shall build a Y. & Ch. station switch for the City in consideration of the City giving the said Company permission requested motion prevailed

An Ordinance appropriating the sum of $4378.98 was read the first & second time and considered by sections and passed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass & vote was taken with result as follows. Armstrong, Brandt, Church, Turner, Nelson, Mayer, Declared the ordinance passed Ordinance Ordained this July 18th

Council Chamber City of Ottawa
Aug 13th 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Aug 1th
Councilmen present at roll call were,
Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane Furness, Haught,
Nelson, Absent Councilman Reid

Council proceeded to take up the work as a Board of
view to hear any objections to paving appraisement on
property to be assessed for paving Third street Walnut to Willow
street, Fourth street, Walnut street to Willow street, and Fourth st
Willow street to ash street, Hickory street from N. line
of second street to north line of Fifth street, Hickory
street from S. Line of Fifth street to N. Line of Second
street, and Ash street from the north line of Third street
to the south line of Fourth street, and to set as a
Board of view on appraisements in Sewer Districts
39 and 40

Council first proceeded to Consider the
appraisement of lots or parts of lots liable for assessment
of Costs of paving Third street from the tracks of the Atchison
Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Walnut street to
the east ~~east~~ line of Willow Street. J. D. Hawkins the
owner of lots 1, 3 and 5 object to the appraisement of said
lots. Whereupon Councilman Crane moved that
the appraisement on lots 3 & 5 in Block 80 be lowered
$50. each and that lots 20 and 22 in block 67
be raised $50 each motion prevailed. There
being no further objection offered to said appraise-
ment Councilman Branson moved that the
appraisement be approved as amended. motion
prevailed.

Council then took up the appraisement of property on
Fourth street liable for the assessment of the
Costs of paving said Street from the tracks of the
Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in
Walnut street to the east line of Willow street. The mayor
called for any one who had any objection to offer to said
appraisement. there being none Councilman Crane
moved the adoption of the appraisers report.
Motion prevailed.

The appraisement of the property liable for the assessment
of Costs of paving Hickory street from the north line
of second street to the north line of Fifth street
was then taken up.

C. T. Cavanaugh was before the Council requesting that the appraised valuation on lots 2, 4, 6 and 8 in block 72 be lowered and that lots 32, 34, and 36 of same block be raised. Thereupon Councilman Nelson moved that said lots 32, 34, 36 be raised as follows, 32 from $450 to $500., 34 from $450. to $600, and that lot 36 be raised from $450. to $800. Motion prevailed

Councilman Nelson moved that the 48 ft of lots 2, 4, 6 and 8 in block 72 be lowered from $200. to $1000. That the west 54 ft of the east 102 ft of lots 2, 4, 6 and 8 in block 72 be lowered from $1100. to $900. and that the west 48 ft. of lots 2, 4, 6 & 8 in said block be lowered from $1100. to $900. Motion prevailed

J. L. Hawkins who owns property in block 73 objected to the low assessment of lots 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, and 35 in said block, on Motion of Councilman Nelson Council voted to raise the assessments on said as follows. Lot 25 from $375 to $400 lot 27 from $375, to $400. lot 29 from $375. to $400., lot 31 from $350 to $400, Lot 33 from $350. to $400., Lot 35 from 350 to 400

Councilman Crane moved that that appraisers report in this district be approved as amended motion prevailed

The appraisement of the property liable to taxation for the assessments of the costs of paving Hickory street from the south line of first street to the north line of second street was next considered, there being no objection offered to the appraisement, Councilman Brand moved that the appraisers report be approved. Motion prevailed.

The appraisement of the property liable to assessment for the costs of paving fourth street from Willow street to Ash street was then considered there being no objection offered to same, Councilman Crane moved that the appraisers report be approved Motion prevailed.

The appraisement of the property liable to assessment for the costs of paving Ash street from the north line of Third street to the south line of Fourth street was then considered, there being no objection to the same Councilman Brand moved that the appraisers report be

The appraisement of property liable to assessment for the costs of construction of a lateral sewer No 39 in Blocks A. and B. of Bowles, Sheldon and Toppings addition of the City of Ottawa was then considered. there being no objection to said appraisement Councilman Furness moved that same be approved. motion prevailed.

The appraisement of the property liable for to assessment of Costs of construction of a lateral sewer No 40 in Block 104 of the original townsite of the City of Ottawa was considered, there being no objection to said appraisement, Councilman Brandon moved same be approved. motion prevailed.

The appraisement of the property liable to / assessment of Costs of construction of a lateral sewer No 41 from First street to Third street through the center of blocks 62 and 75 was considered, and on motion of Councilman Bronsan same was approved.

This closing the work of the Council as a Board of view other work was then taken up.

A petition signed by W. J. Pickell and requesting permission to connect with the main sewer at 104 N. Elm was presented. Upon the recommendation of the Health Committee, Council voted to fix fee for connecting to main at $18.00 with $3.00 engineers fee added.

The Bond of Roy M. Stookey on W. & L.E extension contract was presented the same being a personal bond. Council directed City Clerk to request that a surety bond be executed.

Geo. E. Barnes was before the Council with a petition for a License to do gas fitting inside of the lot line. on motion same was granted

The Board of Water and Light Commissioners, to whom was referred the $25.00 Claim of Geo. E. Long reported to the Council through their Chairman W. J. Pickrell, recommending that the Council pay the Claimant $20.00. on motion of Councilman Nelson the report of the Board was adopted.

A Petition from the Colored Citizens of Ottawa, for the use of Forest Park on Sept 22 nd, was presented, and on Motion same was granted

An Ordinance Levying Taxes for the City of Ottawa for the year 1906, was Introduced and read the first time, Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting Yea.

The Ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes 7 Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Keough Nelson, Absent and not voting, Councilman Reid. , a Majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Jno. Scott and other representatives of the Missouri Ry. Co. were before the Council with reference to proposed changes in said Company tracks in the City of Ottawa and to discuss the question of Constructing a switch track for the City to the New Water + Light Station. A Proposed ordinance and Contract were discussed at some length, but no definite decision arrived at., but said representatives agree to remain in the City and go with the Council over the proposed site of said switch track tomorrow, with this understanding, the Council, on Motion of Councilman Nelson adjourned to Meet tomorrow Night August 14th, 1906

Attest, J. H. Bell
City Clerk

John Anderson
Mayor

Council Chamber City of Ottawa, Aug. 14th 1906.

Council met pursuant to adjournment of aug. 13th.

Councilmen present at roll call were Answ. Branson, Church, Crane, ~~Furness~~, Haugh, Nelson absent Councilmen Furness and Reid.

Mayor Halloran presiding

Council proceeded to consider the Missouri Pacific Ry. Co's, proposition, Mr. Simms of said Co, reported that since last night he with their engineer had gone over the new proposed route, which is to take the switch from the main track at a point just west of Chestnut street and to extend south said street to a point on s. line of Second Street and thence S. E, to M. P. Ry. station site, and that it would require a track of approximately 2000 ft. in length which, would cost about $2500.

Mr. Simms called attention of the Council to the fact that as the City is now using gas for fuel there would be no prospect of any business from said switch in the near future, but that he was willing to recommend to his company that the switch be built and that the City pay 1/2 of the costs if proper arrangements could be made with the City as to a guaranty of some business.

The proposed contract by and between the City and the said Ry. Co. was amended to read as follows.

Contract

It is hereby agreed between the Missouri Pacific Railway and the City of Ottawa Kansas. That in consideration of Ordinance No—— of the City of Ottawa, in regard to the improvements of the tracks and yards of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, the Missouri Pacific Railway Company agrees that within 90 days from the date of an official notice from the City of Ottawa, that it will construct and maintain a switch from the tracks of the main line of the said Company, west of the City of Ottawa said switch to extend South in Chestnut street to the south line of second street, and from thence in a southeasterly direction to the new water works and light plant of the City of Ottawa. Provided that in no case shall switching charges be made to the City of Ottawa for locating or moving cars upon said switch provided that the Mo Pacific Ry. Co. has enjoyed the benefit of [illegible] share on said cars

and it is further agreed that when coal is used as a fuel for said water and light plant, that such coal is to be hauled over the Yp Pacific Ry, provided that said company's rates for hauling such coal are as low as may be obtained of any other Company,

Mr. Simms agreed to recommend the amended ~~Contract~~ to his Company. The document as amended was referred to the City Atty to redraft.

Councilman Branson, Chief of the Fire Dept, asks permission of the Council to take the Hook and ladder team to the State Firemans meet at Lawrence Kans in ~~Oct~~. another team to be obtained while team is away, on Motion of Councilman Church the petition was granted.

An Ordinance creating Sewer district No 42, providing for the construction of a Sewer ~~lateral~~ therein and providing for the payment of the Costs thereof was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The Motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting yea.

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The question being— shall the ordinance pass? on motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Yeas 6 Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were, Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Hough, Nelson, Absent and not voting were Furness and Reid. as majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Council voted directing the Mayor & Clerk to advertise for bids on construction of Sewer Lateral No 42 ~~st~~ said bids to be opened at the regular Sept Meeting of the Council.

Councilman Branson moved to adjourn a vote was taken: as the result the Chair was in doubt, a vote was then taken by ~~roll~~ request as follows, yeas, Armstrong, Branson, Church, nays, Crane, Hough, Nelson, resulting in a tie vote, the Mayor voted yea and declared the motion carried.

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Sept 5 1906

Council met in regular session, Mayor Halloran presiding.

Councilmen present at roll call were Branson, Church, Crane, Farmer, Hough, Nelson, and Reid. Absent, Councilman Armstrong.

A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business

Minutes of regular meeting of August 1st and adjourned sessions of Aug. 13th & 14th were read and approved.

A petition signed by H.H. Hewitt and others, asking to have Wilton street curbed from 2nd to 3rd streets, was presented and referred to the Committee on Streets, Bridges and Alleys.

A petition signed by J.A. Oakes and others asking that the bridge over Skunk Run on Locust st. be widened and the channel made deeper, was referred to Committee on Streets, Bridges and alleys.

Petition of Illinois Association for use of Forest Park, Sept. 29th, was read and on motion the request was granted.

Petition of Ohio Association for use of Forest Park Sept 19th, was presented and on motion the request was granted.

Petition of S.L. Filson and E.J. Haines, asking that the curbing at 5th st. on Hickory st. be continued, making the curve or return on 5th st. to the property line, was referred to S & A. Committee.

A Petition signed by W.A. Clark and others requesting that Main street, from 5th st. to 9th st. be paved, curbed & guttered was presented and referred to S. & A. Committee.

A resolution was introduced to open Black Hawk street from Main to King street, and to open an alley 18 ft wide, from Red Jacket street to Wilson street, midway between Main Street and King street. After consideration and discussion the resolution was on motion adopted.

Res. to open Black Hawk st. from Main to King & alley from Red Jacket to Wilson

A remonstrance signed by J.D. Mathias and others against the paving & curbing of West Third Street, from Wilton to Ash Streets, was presented and referred to the Streets, Bridges & Alleys Committee, who reported as follows:

Remonstrance against paving & curbing W. 3rd from Wilton to Ash

Sept. 5th. 1906

To the Mayor & Council; We, the Streets, Bridges & Alleys Committee to whom was referred the remonstrance against paving Third Street from Wilton street to Ash street, find that there are in said district 22 resident property

owners, and that 11 of this number signed said remonstrance, therefor we hereby report that we find that no sufficient remonstrance was filed against said improvement and recommend that an ordinance be passed ordering such improvement.

Lyman Reid, Chairman S B & A Com

City Eng. final Est. Grading & Curbing 4th St Walnut to Willow

The City Engineer presented his final Estimates for Grading and Curbing Fourth street from Walnut Street to Willow street and from Willow street to Ash street, and on motion the same were accepted and approved.

Claims amounting to $18.108.79/100 against the various funds of the City were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees, who reported recommending that the following claims be allowed, each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council:

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| F. W. & Lt. | | | 547.50 |
| American Contractor | 19.80 | G R Dye | 1.00 |
| The Engineering News | 28.40 | L L Crouse Jr | 1.50 |
| Jno Halloran | 40 | J. W. Bell | 4.35 |
| Ottawa Herald | 7 | Police | |
| J L Inmer | 5 | H O Bentley | 40.— |
| F E Summeline | 6.95 | Jno Koons | 54.80 |
| J W Wilson | .50 | A C Koons | 14.80 |
| W N Hartshorn | 60 | F. J. Brmer | 19.50 |
| W P Lockhart | 47.50 | M R Cody | 2.80 |
| A. A. Bean | 7.50 | M & K Tel Co | .85 |
| M M Carthy | 1.65 | G B Bodley & Son | 1.75 |
| Jas Wilson | 1.30 | Park | |
| C M Porter | 33.00 | F F. Denio | 52.00 |
| A. Gilliland | 1.00 | " " | 20.00 |
| Fred Mellwish | 3.00 | J M Hoover | 4.50 |
| A P Elder | .25 | A P Elder | 2.10 |
| Water & St. Dept. | 79.50 | J. C Pettit | 9.91 |
| Claims | | B S Bennett | 3.80 |
| C W Estabrook, City Treas | 1.20.— | Printing | |
| Henry Ramaly | 3.50 | Ottawa Republic | 3.35 |
| M & K Tel. Co | 1.80 | " Herald | 12.54 |
| J. S. Jackson | 2.10 | Herman Haring | 3.25 |
| J. W. Marcell | 60.— | Franklin Hudson Pub. Co | 27.50 |
| Kas. Municipal League | 3.00 | Sidewalk | |
| Ottawa Gas & Elec. Co | .50 | C. Q Furness | 282.78 |
| Franklin Co Hdw. Co | 1.50 | D C Wilkinson | 7.30 |
| O N Stuffy | 6.25 | Rohrbaugh & Co | 1.35 |
| " " | 5.00 | C S Pugh | 4.30 |
| " " | 1.50 | Austin Reed | .80 |

| S. B. & A. | | Water & Lt. Dept. | |
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| Warren White | 6750 | J. K. Bell | 7950 |
| S. E. Griffin | 1750 | E. J. Brach | 70 — |
| A. Gilliland | 7150 | Hal McCoy | 40 — |
| Mert Totten | 4000 | " " | 14 — |
| J. J. Bruce | 3300 | J. M. Martz | 40 — |
| J. M. Jones | 972 | D. K. Blaine | 50 — |
| " " | 450 | M. J. McCarthy | 25 — |
| W. E. Kreiger | 900 | Geo. E. Long | 15 — |
| Chas. Marsh | 1500 | Geo. W. Barnes | 4 |
| Alfred Johnson | 1500 | Ottawa Gas Elec. Co | 56540 |
| J. E. Callen | 4320 | M. L. Frost | 57 — |
| W. O. Myers | 7025 | " " | 13 — |
| Jno. Britt | 1327 | F. J. Bruner | 320 |
| Wm. Baldwin | 280 | A. P. Elder | 20 |
| " " | 171 04 | Motsen Electric Co | 7402 |
| C. Q. Furness | 15233 | General " " | 3080 |
| W. M. Adams | 33434 | K. C. " J. S. " | 201 |
| Ottawa Brick & Tile Co | 3150 | W. J. Osborne & Co | 4671 |
| " Hdw. Co | 356 | The Thomas Stilwell Co | 3752 |
| Jno. Hallorsen | 4732 | English Iron Works | 15 — |
| Rohrbaugh & Co | 10362 | J. K. Matthews & Co | 1450 |
| W. M. Dixon | 230 | Ottawa Hdw. Co. | 115 |
| Ira Dick | 200 | C. F. Burk | 343 |
| Clara Marcell | 200 | Norman Waring | 375 |
| B. C. Marcell | 170 | Ottawa Herald | 600 |
| C. S. Pugh | 2790 | E. S. Bennett | 1275 |
| W. K. Church | 35 | Ottawa Tel. Co | 3 — |
| J. E. Byers | 600 | J. S. Forgey | 2 — |
| H. J. Ellis | 600 | Forest Park Milling Co | 670 |
| B. C. McQuesten | 600 | Ralph Weaver | 543 |
| N. E. Stucker | 943737 | A. P. Elder | 200 |
| " " | 457692 | | 18.10827 |
| " " | 16010 | | |
| Grant Bunyan | 135 — | | |
| J. L. Vail | 50 — | | |
| Ralph Pleasant | 2 — | | |
| Health | | | |
| C. S. Pugh | 1180 | | |
| Pierson & Johnson | 345 | | |
| Silas Harnels | 100 | | |
| Cemetery | | | |
| A. Romstedt | 3950 | | |
| | 1686562 | | |

Appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $18.108.79, to defray the Expenses of the City government was read the first time and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed on its final passage; the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with the following result; Ayes, 7 - Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Mayor and City Clerk were directed to issue to N.E. Stocker in payment of the $13.964.79 allowed him in above ordinance, two time warrants, each for one half of said amount, due in 60 days, with interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

Sidewalks

An Ordinance providing for the Construction and raising of Certain sidewalks was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Furness moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting yea

The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, The question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes, 7, Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Council Elect having voted for the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Special tax laterals 39 & 40

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of Constructing Sewer laterals Nos. 39 & 40, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to Exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes, 7, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Councilmen El

having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Special tax cutting weeds, etc

An Ordinance levying special taxes upon specific property to pay the costs of cutting hedge, weeds & grass on said property, and directing the City Clerk to certify such costs to the County Clerk for taxation, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Church moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye.

The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with the following result: Ayes, 7, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Bronson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Special tax paving W. 3d st Walnut to Willow

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of paving and curbing West Third street from the tracks of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad in Walnut street, to the East curb line of Willow street, in the City of Ottawa, except the squares and areas formed by the crossings of streets & alleys, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Church moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye.

The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows, Ayes, 7, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Bronson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Special tax paving W. 4th st Walnut to Willow

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of paving & curbing West Fourth street, from the tracks of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway Company in Walnut street to the east line of Willow street, in the City of Ottawa, except the squares and areas formed by the crossing of streets and alleys, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Bronson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its

final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with results as follows; Ayes 7, nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative Bronson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Special tax paving W. 4th st Willow to Ash

An Ordinance levying a special tax provisionally, to pay the costs of paving & curbing West Fourth street from the East line of Willow street to the East line of Ash street, except the squares and areas formed by the crossings of streets & alleys, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Church moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilman voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken resulting as follows: Ayes 7, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Bronson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilman Armstrong. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted for the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declares the ordinance duly passed

#636
Ordering 3d st
paved from
Willow to Ash

An Ordinance Concerning the improving of Third street from the East line of Willow street to the East line of Ash street, and ordering the grading, curbing, surfacing and paving of the same, and providing for the cost thereof, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Reid moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilman voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken resulting as follows: Ayes 7, nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Bronson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson, Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilman Armstrong

Bid of A P Elder for constructing Sewer Dist. #42

A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

The bid of A P Elder for construction of Sewer in Sewer district No. 42, accompanied by Certified check for $50, also the City Engineers Estimate for same work, were presented and referred to the Health Committee, who opened & examined same and reported as follows; The within bid being within the Engineers Estimate, and there being no lower bid, the Committee recommend contract be awarded to A P Elder, signed H. Furness Chairman.

On motion the report of the Committee was adopted.

On motion Council adjourned to Thursday Evg. Sept 6th. at 7.30 o'clock

John Halloran
Mayor

Attest;
F H Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Sept 6/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Sept 5th, 1906, with Mayor Halloran presiding.

Councilmen present at roll call were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Nelson & Reid. – absent, Councilman Hough.

The reports of the City Clerk and Sidewalk Inspector for the month of August, and of the Police Judge for the months of July and August, were presented and referred to the proper Standing Committees.

The Report of the Water & Light Commissioners, showing receipts & Expenditures from July 2d to August 31st, 1906 was presented and read and on motion of Councilman Crane was accepted and placed on file.

Claims of W & L Dept to be paid by a single Warrant issued said Dept.

The Board of Water & Light Commissioners presented a list of claims against the Water & Light fund, amounting to $1,242.67, which had been allowed by the Council and formerly a part of the appropriation Ordinance, passed last Spr and requested that a warrant for the total amount of said claims be issued to said Board, with which to pay said claims, and that the bills be returned to said Board to be filed and kept for reference in their office. On motion of Councilman Reid the request was granted, and it was voted that this method should be adopted in the future in regard to the claims of the Water & Light Department.

Laying Specifications Paving & Curbing 3d St. from Ash to Ash St.

The City Engineer presented specifications for the Paving and Curbing of West Third Street, from Willow to Ash streets, and on motion the same were accepted and approved.

The Board of Water & Light Commissioners presented the following recommendations:

Ottawa Kas. August 13th 1906

W & L Com'rs recommend list of employes

To the Hon. Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas.

Gentlemen: The Board of Water & Light Commissioners beg leave to recommend that the following Employes are necessary to properly operate the Water and Light Plants of the City of Ottawa: A Secretary and Cashier; First Engineer; Second Engineer; First Fireman; Second Fireman; — Electrician and General Utility man; Meter Reader and helper, and submit for your approval the ordinance hereto attached.

Respectfully submitted

The Board of Water & Light Commissioners

by W. J. Pickrell

President

Ordinance No. The Ordinance referred to in the above Communication was then read, to-wit: "An Ordinance providing for the necessary Employes

to operate the Water and Light plants of the City of Ottawa, defining their duties and fixing their salaries" was presented, read the first time and referred to Committee on Ordinances.

Councilman Crane moved that the ordinance be read the second time. Councilman Brandon objected, and the ordinance went over, under the rules.

Establishing grade on E. side of Walnut St. from 6th to 7th sts.

An Ordinance establishing the grade of the center of Walnut street, in the City of Ottawa, from Second Street to Seventh street, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Church moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes 7, Nays, none, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Keough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ord. to establish Board of Plumbers Examiners, also to regulate plumbing

An Ordinance to Establish a Board of Plumbers Examiners also an Ordinance to regulate the business of Plumbing within the City of Ottawa, were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Health

Appraisers on opening of Blk'k Hawk alley Main & King

The Mayor announced the appointment of N. K. Cowan, R. C. McCracken and R. J. McCune as appraisers to appraise the damages, if any, by reason of the opening of Black Hawk Street from Main to King street, and the opening of an alley from Red Jacket street to Wilson street, midway between Main and King Streets. Said appointees were unanimously confirmed by the Council.

Resig. of Rathbun as City Attny Page, apptd

The Mayor announced the resignation of Geo. D. Rathbun as City Attorney, and the same was duly accepted by the Council. The Mayor then appointed Ralph E. Page as City Attorney and the appointment was unanimously confirmed by the Council.

Councilman Crane moved to adjourn to Monday Eve'g Sept. 10th, at 7:30 o'clock. A vote was taken and the Mayor was in doubt as to the result. A vote was then taken by roll call with result as follows: Yeas, Church, Crane, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Nays, Armstrong & Branson. A majority having voted in the affirmative the Council adjourned till Monday Eve'g Sept. 10th, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock.

Attest

J. A. Marcell
City Clerk

John T. Talbott
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Sept. 10/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Sept 6th, 1906 Councilmen all present and Mayor Halloran presiding. The matter of getting the Third and Fourth Streets paving tax on the tax roll this fall, was brought up, and on motion of Councilman Furness the City Clerk was directed to arrange with the County Clerk to place said paving tax on the tax roll this year, with the understanding that the City would pay the necessary additional expense incurred for clerk hire to do this work

The Mayor called attention of Council to the resolution passed July 21st. 1906, to pave the alley in Block 71 The Clerk reported that no remonstrance had been filed. Councilman Branson said he would like to have the City Engineers estimate of the cost of paving the alley with Concrete (base) instead of brick, as he considered the concrete much more desirable. After considerable discussion the matter was referred to the B.B.&A. committee.

Paving alley in Blk 71

The B.B.&A. Committee reported on the petition asking that the bridge over Skunk run on Locust st. be widened and the Channel deepened, recommending that the petition be granted. The report of the Committee was adopted.

B.B.&A. Com. report on widening Locust st. bridge over Skunk run

The same Committee reported on the petition of S.L. Filson and E.A. Hanes, in regard to extending the curb at Hickory and 5th streets, recommending that same be granted, provided said parties will pay for it themselves; and if 5th street be paved in the future, same will be refunded. The report of the committee was adopted.

Permission to ext. curb at Hickory & 5th sts

The Ordinance committee reported back to the Council the Ordinance Entitled "An Ordinance providing for the necessary Employes to operate the Water & Light plants of the City of Ottawa, Defining their duties and fixing their Salaries" without recommendation. Councilman Crane moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to Exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The Ordinance was then read the second time and considered by sections. Councilman Crane moved to amend Section 1, by adding at the close of said section the words "and Confirmed by the Council" A vote was then taken and the amendment was adopted. The Ordinance was then placed on its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass as amended?

Ordinance providing for Employees W. & L. Sts

On motion a vote was taken with the following result, Yeas, 8, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Crane, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in favor of the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

The Board of Water and Light Commissioners presented the following Communication:

Ottawa, Kas. Sept. 10th 1906

To the Hon. Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas:

Gentlemen: Pursuant to the terms of a certain ordinance No. , providing for the necessary employees to operate the Water and Light plant of the said City, the Board of Water and Light Commissioners would respectfully recommend the following persons to fill the following positions:

W. & L. Com'rs recommend list of Employees to be appted.

First Engineer, Wm. Jessenden,
Second Engineer, Charles Brack
First Fireman, J M Martz
Second Fireman, Hal. McCoy
Electrician and general utility man, D. H. Blaine
Meter reader and helper, M. F. McCarthy.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of Water and Light Commissioners
by W. J. Pickrell
Pres't.

On motion of Councilman Church the above recommendation was approved, and the persons named were unanimously confirmed by the Council.

Appointments confirmed

Councilman Branson then moved that the previous action of the Council by which Jno. H. Bell had been confirmed as Secretary and Cashier of the Water and Light Department be re-affirmed. On this motion a roll call was ordered with the following result, Yeas, 5, Nays 3, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, and Reid. Councilmen voting in the negative were Crane, Hough and Nelson. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared Jno. H. Bell duly confirmed.

J. H. Bell appt'd Conf. as Sec'y Cashier W. & L. Dep't

Jno. H. Bell presented a bond for $3,000, signed by himself and the National Surety Co. of New York City, conditioned on the faithful performance of the duties of his office, which was read and on motion approved by the Council.

Bond of J. H. Bell approved.

Councilman Reid suggested the necessity for a better system of book-keeping, and for better facilities for filing papers and documents in the City Clerk's office, in order that information as to city affairs might be more readily obtained.

Councilman Crane moved that an expert accountant be employed to make an examination of the books and accounts in the City Clerk's office, for the past ten or fifteen years. Councilman Branson moved as a substitute that the Finance Committee be directed to ascertain the cost of such an examination and the proposed improvements in the City Clerks office and report at next meeting of Council. A vote was taken and the motion of Councilman Branson prevailed.

On motion, the Council adjourned

John Hallorsen
Mayor

Attest.
J. A. Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Sept 19/06

Council met in special session pursuant to the following petition and call;

Ottawa, Kas. Sept. 19th 1906

To the Honorable Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kas.

Sir;

We, the undersigned, Councilmen of said City, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the City Council of said City to convene at the Council Chamber in said City at 7.30 P.M. on the date hereof, for the purpose of considering bids for the paving and curbing of West Third street from the East line of Willow street to the East line of Ash street, and to award the Contract therefor; also to consider the appointment of a park keeper for Forest Park.

W.F. Church
Lyman Reid
H.C. Branson

A meeting of the Council is hereby called for the purpose and at the time and place set forth in the above and foregoing request.

John Hallorsen
Mayor

The roll was called and the following answered to their names, The Mayor, Jno Hallorsen, Councilmen Armstrong Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson and Reid.

A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business.

Bid of N.E. Stucker for paving & curbing Willow to Ash

Bid of N. E. Stucker, together with estimate of City Engineer, for grading, curbing and paving West Third street, from East line of Willow street to East line of Ash st. was received and referred to Committee on Streets, Bridges and Alleys. Said bid was as follows: Price per cu. yd. for excavating Earth, 31¢; price per sq. yd for two course brick paving, as specified, $1.47; price per lineal foot for concrete curbing, as specified, 43¢; price per lineal foot for resetting old curbing, 20¢. This bid being the only one submitted and being not higher than the Engineers Estimate, the Committee recommended that the Contract be awarded to N. E. Stucker. On motion the report of the Committee was adopted.

Stilson Park Keeper

The Mayor presented for confirmation the name of E.C. Stilson as Park Keeper at Forest Park, and on motion of Councilman Branson the appointment was duly confirmed.

On Motion, Council adjourned

Attest:
F.F. Marcell
City Clerk

John Hallorsen
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Oct. 3rd 1906

No quorum being present at the time for regular Council meeting to be held this evening, on motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned until to-morrow Eve'g, Oct. 4th, at 7:30 o'clock

J.N. Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Oct. 4th 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Oct 3rd, Mayor Halloran presiding. Councilmen answering to roll call were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Keough, Nelson & Reid. absent Councilmen Preston & Crane.

Minutes of meetings held Sept. 5th, 6th, 10th and 19th were read and approved

Pet. for St. Crossing N. Main & Red Jkt — A petition of S.E. Lemon and 36 others asking for re-construction of street crossings at intersection of North Main and Red Jacket streets, was presented and referred to Committee on Streets & alleys.

Pet. for St. Crossing Elm & 1st — A petition signed by E.O. Carpenter and 5 others asking for a street crossing on 1st street, east side of Elm st. was presented and referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Pet. for Sidewalk N.S. Cypress, 7th to 9th — A petition signed by J.N. Morrow and 14 others asking that a sidewalk be ordered on the west side of Cypress street, from 7th street to 9th street, was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Committee

A request of the Native Kansans Club of Franklin Co. for the use of Forest Park, Oct. 5th, was on motion granted.

Report City Clerk — Report of the City Clerk showing cash receipts of his office for month of Sept. 1906, was submitted and referred to the Finance Committee

Report City Treas — Report of the City Treasurer showing receipts and disbursements for the quarter ending Sept 1st 1906 was presented and referred to the Finance Committee

Report Sidewalk Repairer — Report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of Sept. was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Committee

Report Sexton Hope Cemetery — The quarterly report of A. Romstedt, Sexton of Hope Cemetery, for the quarter ending Sept. 30th, 1906 was presented and referred to the Cemetery Committee.

Report of Appraisers Opening Blk Hawk Alley — The report of the appraisers appointed to ascertain the damage to property owners, if any, by reason of the opening of Black Hawk street from Main to King street, and an alley

18 feet wide, midway between Main & King Street and extending from Red Jacket Street to Wilson Street, was presented and read, and on motion the same was accepted and adopted.

Report W. L. Dept. Sept.

The report of the receipts and expenses in the Water & Light Dept. for month of Sept. was presented, read and referred to the Fire, Water & Light Committee.

City Eng. final Est. Grading & Curbing Hickory Ft.

The City Engineer presented his final Estimate of the cost of grading & Curbing Hickory Street, from the north line of Second Street to the South line of First Street, also from the north line of Second street to the north line of 5th Street. On motion of Councilman Reid the same were accepted and approved.

Report Sidewalk Com.

The report of the Sidewalk Committee recommending the construction of certain Sidewalks, was received, and on motion of Councilman Reid the same was approved and an ordinance ordered to be drawn providing for the construction of said Sidewalks.

Report Finance Com.

The Finance Committee reported having examined the report of the City Clerk for August and found same correct. On motion the report of the Committee was adopted.

Claims against the various funds of the City amounting in the aggregate to $8,951,42, were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees, who reported recommending that the following claims be allowed, each committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council:

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| Fire | | G. J. Kaiser | 40 |
| Fire Department | 150 — | J. N. Marcell | 6335 |
| W. N. Hartshorn | 60 — | Geo. D. Rathbun | 833 |
| M. P. Lockhart | 47 50 | R. E. Page | 833 |
| E. L. Arnold | 22 | Samil Howard | 25 |
| E. E. Stinebaugh | 28 70 | Police | |
| W. A. Remaly | 5 30 | H. O. Beatty | 60 |
| Hester Bros | 100 | Jno. S. Koons | 52 40 |
| C. L. Becker | 4 45 | A. B. Koons | 12 40 |
| C. S. Pugh | 6 50 | F. J. Bonner | 14 25 |
| B. S. Bennett | 15 | M. R. Cody | 10 |
| Water & Lt Dept. | 79 50 | P. K. Hendrix | 13 50 |
| Claims | | M. J. Collins | 90 |
| Henry Remaly | 400 | Ottawa Foundry Co | 72 00 |
| M. & K. Tel. Co | 120 | S. B. Bodley & Son | 75 |
| Ott. Gas & Elec. Co | 50 | J. E. Besler | 300 |
| J. C. Campbell | 17 90 | Park | |
| J. Richards | 8 50 | J. M. Hoover | 12 — |
| J. F. Miller & Co | 130 | Ottawa Foundry Co | 90 |
| C. L. Becker | 120 | | |

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| *Printing* | | | |
| Ottawa Herald | 2010 | O.N. Smith | 720 |
| *Sidewalk* | | Jno Nelson | 600 |
| O. Q Furness | 24015 | N L Smith | 1032 |
| D. Wilkinson | 825 | Forest Park Milling Co | 2130 |
| *S. Main* | | J R McGuire | 50 |
| Warren White | 6750 | J Richards | 50 |
| A Gilliland | 66 | H H Coman | 600 |
| Mert Tottin | 3850 | G F Moyer | 600 |
| I J Bruce | 1725 | B.G McQuesten | 900 |
| Chas Gilliland | 1375 | J M Jones | 3500 |
| Alf Johnson | 530 | N.E. Stucker | 258197 |
| J.E. Callan | 40 | *Health* | |
| W H Church | 5750 | C S Pugh | 370 |
| W.O. Myers | 70 | Silas Haines | 100 |
| W M Adams | 5158 | Jos Wilbur | 60 |
| O. Q Furness | 5720 | *Cemetery* | |
| C.S. Pugh | 2240 | A Romstedt | 4950 |
| E.C. Pugh | 230 | *Water & Lt Dept* | |
| Grant Bunyan | 135 | Sundry bills, as per | |
| J H Wilson | 320 | statement filed | 146192 |
| M McCarthy | 260 | *Water & Lt. Emb. Fds* | |
| Ottawa Foundry Co | 4650 | Roy M. Stookey | 301747 |

*appropriation* An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $8,951.42 to defray the expenses of the city government was read the first time and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with the following result; Ayes, 6, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilmen Brandon and Crane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed

*Sidewalks* An Ordinance providing for the Construction of Certain Sidewalks in the City of Ottawa was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Furness moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion

a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes, 6, nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Branson & Crane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Levying Special Tax to pay for building & Repairing Sidewalks

An Ordinance levying special taxes upon specific property in the City of Ottawa to pay the Costs of Repairing or Constructing, or Repairing and Constructing sidewalks adjacent to Certain lots, tracts, parcels and pieces of land and directing the City Clerk to certify the same to the County Clerk for taxation, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Reid moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time Considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being, shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result; Ayes, 6, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Branson & Crane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Granting L. L. Jones ... across alley in Blk 71

An Ordinance granting to L. L. Jones, his successors and assigns, for a term of three years, the privilege of laying and maintaining pipes across the alley in block 71 of the City of Ottawa, and to make such excavations as may be necessary for such purpose, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Nelson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes, 6, nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Branson and Crane. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance amending section five (5) of Ordinance number 586, Entitled "An Ordinance granting to C A Pattison his successors and assigns, the privilge of using the streets, allys and public gromds of the City of Ottawa, for the purpose of supplying natural gas and electricty to said city and its inhabitants, fixing the maximum price therefor, and determining the conditions of said grant" and repealing said orginal Section, was introduced and read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

City Clerks bond

F.H. Marcell, City Clerk, presented a bond for $2,000, signed by himself as principal and C A Smart and H. F. Sheldon as sureties, conditioned on the faithful performance of his duties as said Clerk, which was read and on motion approved by the Council

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned to Wednesday Evening, Oct 10th, at 7:30 oclock

John Hallorn
mayor

Attest:
F H Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Oct. 10th 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Oct. 4th, with Mayor Halloran presiding.

Councilmen present, Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid

Pet. for wagon crossing over S.F. R.R at 11th st.

A petition signed by Jno Guy and nine others, asking for a wagon crossing over the tracks of the Santa Fe railroad at Eleventh Street, was presented and referred to the Committee on Streets, Bridges & Alleys.

Pet. of L.F. Sawyer for remittal of [illegible] fee

Petition of L.F. Sawyer asking that the costs assessed against his property in Block 73, B.S. & J. Add. for cutting of weeds and hedge be remitted because of the damage done the property by cutting of the hedge, was rec'd and placed on file.

Report of Police Judge

Report of Police Judge for month of Sept. presented and referred to the Police Committee.

Claims against the various funds of the City, in the sum of $525.50 were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees, who reported recommending that the following claims be allowed, each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council,

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| [illegible] & St. | | Claims | |
| G.A. Pearce | 25.00 | J.H. Marcell | 5.00 |
| Williams-Wilson & Co. | 20.50 | Health | |
| | | Evans & Smith | 475.00 |

On motion of Councilman Reid, of the S.B. & A. Committee, the City Attorney was directed to prepare an ordinance providing for the paving of the alley in Block 71.

Appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations, in the sum of $525.50 to defray the expenses of the City government was read the first time and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with the following result: Ayes, 6. nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Crane and Hough.

Special Tax Paving & Curbing Hickory St. from 1st to 2nd

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of paving and curbing Hickory Street, from the north line of Second Street to the South line of First Street, in the City of Ottawa, except the Squares and areas formed by the Crossing of Streets and alleys, was presented and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to Exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time

considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows, Ayes. 6. nays. none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Crane and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in favor of the passage of the Ordinance the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Special tax for paving & Curbing Neal. 4th, 2d to 5th

An Ordinance levying a Special tax, provisionally to pay the Costs of Paving and Curbing Hickory Street from the north line of Second Street to the north line of Fifth Street, in the City of Ottawa, except the Squares and areas formed by the crossing of Streets and alleys was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended that an emergency be declared to exist, that the Ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting aye. The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with the following result: Ayes. 6, nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Crane and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in favor of the passage of the Ordinance, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned to Friday Evening Oct. 12th, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock

attest:
F. H. Marcell
City Clerk

John Fallorin
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Oct 12/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Oct. 10th. with Mayor Halborn presiding
Councilmen present were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Nelson and Reid. A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business.

Ordering paving of alley, Blk 71

An Ordinance concerning the improving of the alley in Block Seventy one (71) of the original plat of the City of Ottawa, and ordering the grading, surfacing and paving of the same and providing for the cost thereof, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Brandon moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 5, nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting, Crane, Furness and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

On motion the Mayor and Clerk were authorized to advertise for Proposals for paving said alley in Block 71.

Amending Gas Franchise Ord. No. 586 to permit Gas Co. to supply Gas to the Schools

An Ordinance amending Section Five (5) of Ordinance No. 586, Entitled "An Ordinance granting to C. A. Pattison his successors and assigns, the privilege of using the streets alleys and public grounds of the City of Ottawa for the purpose of distributing natural gas and electricity to said City and its inhabitants, fixing the maximum prices therefor and determining the conditions of said grant" and repealing said Orginal Section, was reported from the Ordinance Committee with recommendation that the same be passed. The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows, Ayes, 5, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Crane Furness and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in favor of the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

Prohibiting free distribution of Medicine samples

An Ordinance prohibiting the free distribution of samples of Medicines, Drugs, Ointments, Pills, Powders and Pellets upon the streets or from house to house in the city of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Reid moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes, 5. Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Crane Furness and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Rental of Secys Office, Forest Park refused.

An application for the rental of the Secretary's office in Forest Park, for domestic purposes, from now till next Spring, by the persons who had rented the Stock Pavilion, was on motion refused.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned to meet Wednesday Evening, Oct. 17th, at 7.30 o'clock

John Holloran
Mayor

Attest:
T. A. Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa Oct. 17/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Oct. 12th, with Mayor Hallorn presiding, and the following councilmen present: Armstrong, Branson, Church, Keough, Nelson and Reid. A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business.

The request of the High School football team for use of Forest Park Friday afternoon, Oct. 19th, was granted.

Opening of Blk Hawk st alley Ref to City Atty

The matter of opening Black Hawk street from Main to King streets, and the alley midway between Main & King streets and from Redjacket to Wilson street, was referred to the City Attorney to determine the necessary steps to be taken to that End.

The locating of Electric light poles to be set on West Second street was left to the Streets & Alleys Committee.

The Mayor announced the appointment of the following list of Judges and Clerks of the Election to be held Nov. 6th, 1906, who had been selected as provided by law, and on motion the Council voted unanimously to confirm said appointments:

Precinct 1 — 1st Ward, north of river

Judges
Ira Dick
J.E. Armstrong
Jno. Hamilton

Clerks
Mort Harris
C.M. Thomas

Precinct 2, 1st Ward, South of river

Judges
M. McCarthy
S.A. Fuller
C.F. Armarius

Clerks
N.N. Fraser
C.C. Hawkins

Precinct 3, 2nd Ward, North of 7th st

Judges
R.P. Tyler
C.B. Crone
G.B. Hayes

Clerks
Elmer Manley
B.D. Lillard

Precinct 4, 2nd Ward, South of 7th st

Judges
F. Kinsman
Jno Crumley
E. Stevenson

Clerks
L. Rathbun
H.C. Long

Precinct 5, 3rd Ward, South of 7th St.
Judges
C.W. Barnett
E. Chenoweth
L.J. Mosely
Clerks
S.F. Moyer
Aaron Jones

Precinct 6. 3rd Ward north of 7th St.
Judges
R. Kaiser
A.K. Hutchinson
D.W. Thompson
Clerks
C.F. Halloran
A.C. Hanson

Precinct 7, 4th ward
Judges
E.S. Lucas
John Marsh
L. Kashman
Clerks
Don Pickrell
Matt Semple

W.E. Smith's license revoked conditionally

Councilman Hough called attention of Council to the fact that in a recently published list of persons in Ottawa holding Government liquor licenses appeared the name of W.E. Smith, and inasmuch as Mr. Smith had agreed when license was granted by the city him to run a Pool Hall not to sell liquor or take out a license therefor, Mr. Hough moved that if it be found that said W.E. Smith had taken out such a license, then his pool hall license should be considered as revoked, and the City Marshal authorized to close his place of business. The motion prevailed by a unanimous vote.

On motion Council adjourned to Wednesday evening Oct. 24th, 1906 at 7.30 o'clock

John Halloran
Mayor

Attest:
F.R. Marsell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Oct. 24/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Oct 17th. Mayor Halborn presided, and the Councilmen present were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson and Reid.

Bid of N.E. Stucker for paving Alley in Blk 71

Bid of N. E. Stucker for grading, paving and otherwise improving the alley between Main street and Walnut Street, from the North curb line of Third Street to the South curb line of Second Street, was presented and read. Said bid was as follows: Price per cubic yd for excavating, 80¢; price per square yd for two course brick paving, $1.47; price per lineal foot for oak retaining plank (in place) 18¢; price per cubic yd for earth filling obtained on Walnut St. 30¢; price per lineal foot for 15" vitrified pipe sewer, $1.00; price for taking up pavement and repaving from the south gutter of Second Street to the South line of Second Street, and from the north line of Third Street to the north gutter on Third Street, $58.00 These intersections to have Portland Cement grout filler. If weather will not permit of a grout filler (Item 6) and a sand filler is used, deduct $6.00 from above amt. This bid is based on using Ottawa brick, No 1 for top course and No 2 for bottom. This being the only bid submitted and being less than the estimate of the City Engineer, also presented at this time, on motion of Councilman Branson the bid was accepted and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to enter into contract with N.E. Stucker in accordance therewith.

Clerk to order filing Case

The City Clerk presented a sketch of a metal filing case drawn by Mr. C. H Coon, representative of the Art Metal Co. of St Louis, which he agreed to furnish to the City, set up in the Clerks office, freight and drayage paid, for $200.00 On motion of Councilman Reid the Clerk was authorized to order said case.

Appraisers for 3rd ward Pavement Nelson St. Blk 71

The Mayor appointed J.E. Byers, A.J. Ellis and D.C. McQuesten to appraise the property liable for taxation to pay the costs of paving West Third Street from Nelson street to Ash street, also the property liable for the paving of the alley in Block 71. The appointments were unanimously confirmed by the Council

C.F. Armatius, one of the Judges of Election appointed for Precinct 2, 1st Ward, having moved out of the ward, the Mayor appointed in his place Mr. P.C. Grant, and on motion the appointment was confirmed by the Council

J.B. Hayes, appointed one of the Judges of Election for Precinct 3, 2nd Ward, declining to serve, the Mayor appointed in his stead Mr. C.M. Porter, and the appointment was confirmed by the Council.

The City Attorney reported in regard to the opening of Black Hawk street from Main to King street and the alley between Main & King streets from Red Jacket to Wilson street, that the passage of an Ordinance to open said street and alley would be necessary before any further steps could be taken. He was directed to prepare such an Ordinance for the next regular meeting of the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned

John Halloran
Mayor

Attest:
F. H. Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Oct 30th 1906

Council met in Special session pursuant to the following petition and Call:

Ottawa Kas. Oct 30th 1906

To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kas

Sir;

We, the undersigned, Councilmen of said city, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the City Council of said City to be held at the Council Chamber at 7:30 P.M. on the date hereof, for the purpose of further Considering the the matter of paving the alley in Block 71, objection having been made by some of the lot owners, to the improvement as already planned.

Lyman Reid
John Nelson
J. E. Armstrong

A meeting of the Council is hereby called for the purpose and at the time and place set forth in the above and foregoing request.

John Halloran
Mayor

Ottawa Kas. Oct 30th 1906

Roll call showed the following present, The Mayor, John Halloran, and Councilmen Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business.

Mr. L. N. Stacher and N. A. Hamilton, property owners in Block 71, were present and addressed the Council in opposition to the paving now under way in the alley in said block, upon the grade which had been adopted for the work. The chief complaint was that the grade was too high, the curb line of the paving in some places being several inches higher than the floors of the buildings. A general and lengthy discussion of the whole matter followed, and at its conclusion Councilman Reid moved that if satisfactory arrangements can be made with Contractor Stucker and the brick plant, in regard to the work already done, that the Contract be cancelled. The motion prevailed, and on further motion the Council adjourned.

John Halloran
Mayor

Attest:
F. W. Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Nov. 1st 1906

A special meeting of the Council was held this Evening in response to the following petition and call:

Ottawa Kas. Nov. 1st 1906

To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa:

Sir:

We the undersigned, Councilmen of said City, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the City Council of said City to be held at the Council Chamber at 7.30 P.M. on the date hereof, for the purpose of further considering the matter of paving the alley in Block 71.

Lyman Reid
J.E. Armstrong
W.H. Church

A meeting of the Council is hereby called for the purpose and at the time and place set forth in the above and foregoing request.

John Kalloren
Mayor

Ottawa, Kas. Nov. 1st 1906

A call of the roll showed the following Councilmen present: Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business with Mayor Kalloren presiding.

A petition signed by A.M. Blair and other property owners in Block 71, asking that the Council adopt the old grade for the alley paving in said block, was presented and read. After considerable discussion Councilman Branson moved that the Mayor and the Committee on Streets, Bridges & Alleys, make a new contract with N.E. Stuckey for the paving of the alley, in accordance with this petition. The motion was seconded by Councilman Nelson. Councilmen Reid and Church thought this could not be done without impairing the legality of the whole proceedings up to this time. Councilman Branson, with consent of his second, then moved an addition to his first motion, that the Committee take legal advice, and if found proper, they should go ahead in accordance with the prayer of the petition. The motion as amended, prevailed.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned.

attest:
E.F. Marcell
City Clerk

John Kalloren
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa Nov. 7th 1906

Council met in regular session this Evening, with Mayor Halloran presiding. Councilmen present were Armstrong, Branston, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reed. Absent Councilmen Crane and Keough.

Minutes of meetings held Oct. 3rd, 4th, 10th, 12th, 17th 24th, 30th and Nov. 1st were read, corrected and approved.

Pet. Furness Bros for add'l pool table

The application of Furness Bros. for license for one additional pool table at 216 N. Main St. was read and referred to the Committee on Licenses, who reported at once recommending the granting of said license upon payment of required fee. Report accepted and adopted.

Report W & L Dept for Oct

The report of the Water and Light Department, showing receipts and expenses for the month of Oct. was presented, read, and referred to the Finance Committee

Report City Clerk

The report of the City Clerk for month of October was presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report Police Judge

The report of the Police Judge was referred to the Police Committee

Report Sidewalk Repairer

The report of the Sidewalk Repairer was referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

Report Sidewalk Com.

The report of the Sidewalk Committee, recommending that certain sidewalks be condemned and certain new sidewalks be built, was presented and read, and on motion the same was accepted and adopted, and an ordinance ordered to be drawn providing for the construction of said walks.

The Finance Committee reported having examined the report of the City Clerk for Sept. and found same correct.

A Communication from W.F. Swift demanding that the City proceed to carry out its contract with N.E. Stucker for the paving of the alley in Block 71, was read. Councilman Furness moved that said contract be carried out. Mr. A.M. Blair then addressed the Council in opposition to such action, saying that three fourths of the property owners in the block had signed a petition asking that the paving be laid on the old grade, and he thought their request ought to be respected, if laid on the new grade their property would be seriously damaged, re. Mr L.N. Stacker seconded the remarks of Mr. Blair. A call of the roll on Councilman Furness' motion resulted, Ayes 4, Nays 2, and so the motion prevailed.

Claims against the various funds of the City amounting in the aggregate to $20.024.06 were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees, who reported recommending

that the following claims be allowed, Each committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council:

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| F. W. & L. | | L. B. & A. | |
| W. N. Hartshorne | 60 — | Warren White | 67 50 |
| W. P. Lockhart | 47 50 | A. Gilliland | 74 25 |
| C. E. Marsh | 1000 | Mark Totten | 40 — |
| Jno. Guy | 200 | T. J. Bruce | 7 50 |
| E. E. Stonbaugh | 1767 | Allen Frazier | 27 — |
| W. F. Romaly | 330 | J. E. Callen | 43 20 |
| A. Gilliland | 600 | J. E. Crowl | 300 |
| Kester Bros | 200 | O. E. McClellan | 9 75 |
| Jno Hamilton | 5 75 | W. H. Blackstin | 13 50 |
| Ottawa H & M Co | 188 | W. F. Church | 5 75 0 |
| A. P. Elder | 50 | W. O. Myers | 30 — |
| Water & St. Dept. | 80 — | H. O. Bentley | 6 82 |
| Claims | | E. Q. Furness | 192 78 |
| Benson & Harris | 260 95 | E. Y. Dean | 88 18 |
| Henry Ramaly | 3 50 | E. S. Pugh | 21 70 |
| F. A. Marcell | 60 — | Grant Bumpus | 135 — |
| T. C. Deribiss | 1762 | M. McCarthy | 4 — |
| R. E. Page | 833 | J. A. Stilson | 4 70 |
| A. P. Elder | 2 25 | M. & K. Tel. Co. | 55 |
| G. F. Kaiser | 30 | M. R. Harris | 92 50 |
| E. F. Lucas | 120 | Rohrbaugh & Co | 15 76 |
| Ottawa Gas & Elec. Co | 50 | " " | 5 94 |
| O. N. Steffy | 200 | Ottawa H. & M. Co. | 1 52 |
| B. E. McQuesten | 300 | J. R. McGuire | 1 00 |
| Police | | J. E. Byers | 17 22 |
| H. O. Bentley | 64 00 | Holland Wheeler | 5 50 |
| Jno. I. Koons | 50 — | E. E. Pugh | 1 20 |
| A. E. Koons | 10 — | N. E. Stucker | 9663 25 |
| M. F. King | 1 00 | " " | 2480 76 |
| Pauly Jail Bldg Co | 675 00 | Health | |
| Park | | A. P. Elder | 36 475 |
| E. C. Stilson | 75 — | E. S. Pugh | 14 90 |
| A. P. Elder | 3 65 | W. M. Baldwin | 80 |
| Printing | | Cemetery | |
| Ottawa Herald | 16 70 | A. Romstedt | 43 50 |
| N. Waring | 8 00 | Water & St Dept | |
| " " | 28 50 | Sundry claims as per Statement filed | 1066 59 |
| Sidewalk | | Water & Lt Imp. Fd. | |
| Rohrbaugh & Co | 2 70 | Roy W. Stookey | 359 326 |
| E. S. Pugh | 70 | W. O. Myers | 85 |
| D. C. Wilkerson | 13 50 | E. S. Pugh | 6 40 |
| E. Q. Furness | 191 23 | Rohrbaugh & Co | 2 65 |
| E. E. Pugh | 40 | | |

Appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $20,024.06 to defray the Expenses of the City government was read the first time and on motion was placed upon its second reading considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with the following result; Ayes, 6, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting Councilmen Crane & Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

On motion of Councilman Branson the Mayor and City Clerk were directed to issue to N.E. Stucker in payment of the $12,144.01 allowed him in the above ordinance, two time warrants, each for one half of said amount, due in 60 days, with interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

Opening Blk Hawk St. Main to King; alley bet. Main & King st.

An Ordinance providing for the opening of Black Hawk street from Main street to King street and for the opening of the alley midway between Main and King streets from Red Jacket street to Wilson street, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Reid moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to Exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result, Ayes, 5, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Branson Crane and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Ordering certain sidewalks

An Ordinance providing for the Construction of certain sidewalks in the City of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Furness moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows:

Ayes, 5. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Branson, Cain & Hough. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Levying Special tax for paving & Curbing Ash St, 3d to 4th St

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of paving and curbing Ash street from the north line of Third street to the south line of Fourth street in the City of Ottawa, except the squares and areas formed by the intersection of streets, was introduced and read the first time whereupon Councilman Reid moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result: Ayes, 5, Nays, None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Councilmen absent and not voting, Branson, Cain & Hough. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

appraisers for Sewer Dist. #2

The Mayor appointed B. O. McQuesten, A. T. Coman and R. J. McCune, to appraise the property liable for taxation to pay the cost of constructing Sewer in Sewer District No. 42, and the same were unanimously confirmed by the Council.

City Eng. final Est. Ash St

The City Engineer submitted his final Estimate of work done by N. E. Stucker, contractor, for grading, paving & curbing Ash street from the north line of Third street to the South line of Fourth street, showing balance due him of $3,093.[illegible] and the same was approved by the Council.

City Eng. final Est. Third St Willow to Ash

The City Engineer also submitted his final Estimate of work done by N. E. Stucker, contractor, for grading, paving & curbing Third street, from the East curb line of Willow street to the East line of Ash street, showing balance due him of $2222.77 and the same was approved by the Council.

On motion of Councilman Church the Council adjourned to meet Friday evening, Nov. 9th, at 7.30 o'clock

Attest:
F. K. Marcell
City Clerk

John Malcolm
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Nov. 9th. 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of 7th inst. Mayor Halloren presided and the Councilmen present were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. The following Claims against the City, amounting to $1704.38 were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees, who reported recommending that the same be allowed, Each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council:

| Finance Com. | | Printing | |
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| First Nat. Bank | 6982 | Ottawa Republic | 671 |
| Peoples " " | 6982 | N. & St. Imp. Co. | |
| | | Electric Steam Engineering Co | 155503 |
| Claims | | | |
| J. E. Byers | 300 | | |

The Finance Committee reported having audited the report of the City Clerk for Sept. and the City Treas. for the quarter Ending Sept. 1st. and found same correct.

The Council fixed Wednesday Evening, Nov. 14th, at 7.30 o'clock as the time when they would sit as a Board of review on the Assessment of property in Blocks 66 and 79, liable for taxation to pay the costs of paving & curbing Third Street from Willow to Ash street.

In the matter of paving alley Blk 71

Mr. A. M. Blair addressed the Council briefly in regard to the alley paving matter in Block 71, and presented Mr W. A. Clark as his attorney to speak for him. Mr. Clark raised the point that the Council had not proceeded legally in that no grade had been established in the alley, by Ordinance. After considerable discussion, Councilman Branson moved that the City Engineer be directed to re-survey the alley and give a grade line obtained by levelling the present foundation with Concrete and adding one course of brick. The motion prevailed.

Appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $1,704.38 to defray the Expenses of the City government was read the first time and on motion was read the second time, considered objections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes, 6. Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilmen Crane & Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet Wednesday Evening, Nov. 14th. 1906

John Halloren
Mayor

Attest: F. H. Marcell city clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Nov. 14th 1906

Review of appraisement Blks 66 & 79

Council met pursuant to adjournment of Nov. 9th inst as a Board of Review to consider the appraisement of property in blocks Nos 66 and 79 liable for taxation to pay the costs of paving & curbing Third St. from Willow to Ash street. Councilmen present were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Nelson & Reid, with Mayor Hallorn presiding.

After hearing objections to said appraisement from J.D. Mathias and J.P. Fish, owners of property in said blocks, on motion of Councilman Reid the following changes in the appraisement were made on block 66: Lots 20, 22 & 24, Each raised from $200. to $225. Lot 33. N½, less 6.6oft, reduced from $60. to $50. Lot 33. S.½, less 6.6oft, reduced from $60. to $50. Lot 35, less E. 6.6oft, reduced from $140. to $100. The 6.6oft. of S. 10ft. of Lot 31, the E. 6.6oft of Lots 33 and 35, from $140. to $100.

On motion of Councilman Nelson the following changes in the appraisement were made on property in block 79: Lots 1 and 3 each reduced from $200. to $165. Lot 5 reduced from $200. to $150. Lots 7 and 9 reduced from $175 each to $150. Each. On motion, the appraisement as amended was then accepted and adopted by the Council.

This closed the work of the Council as a Board of review and other business was then taken up.

The following claims against the city were presented and referred to the S.B. & A. committee, who reported recommending that the same be allowed, and the report was received and adopted by the Council.

| S.B. & A. | | S.B. & A. | |
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| D.C. Monbach | $14.25 | N. Gilliland | $12.00 |
| W.H. Blacklin | 16.50 | J.M. Govan | 12.00 |
| Allen Frazier | 16.50 | L.J. Sanders | 3.00 |
| O.O. McClellan | 9.75 | | |

In the matter of paving alley Blk 71

A protest signed by L.N. Stacker, A.M. Blair and N.A. Hamilton against the paving of the alley in Block 71 on the grade made by the City Engineer prior to the letting of the paving contract, was presented and read by the Clerk. The above named gentlemen then addressed the Council, in turn, in support of their contention, and an informal discussion of the matter was indulged in. At its conclusion Councilman Branson moved that the S.B. & A. Committee be instructed to request Mr. N.O. Stucker, the Contractor, to suspend work on the alley till Monday next. The motion was seconded and carried. The City Engineer was directed to make the new survey of the alley as ordered on the 9th inst, and the protestors agreed to

circulate a petition among the property owners in the block asking that the paving be laid in accordance with this new survey, and to have the same ready for presentation to the Council on Saturday Evg. Nov. 17th.

Fire Chief recommends purchase of hose

A. C. Branson, Chief of the Fire Dept., presented a communication recommending the purchase of 700 ft. of rubber fire hose for use of the Department. On motion of Councilman Church the Mayor and Fire, Water & L. Committee were authorized to make such purchase.

On motion the Council adjourned, to meet Saturday Evg. Nov. 17th, 1906, at 7.30 o'clock.

attest: F. W. Mascell, City Clerk

John Hallorin, Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Nov. 17th 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of 14th inst. with Mayor Hallorin presiding and the following Councilmen present: Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Hough & Reid.

Pet. in regard to paving alley in Blk 71

A petition signed by 15 property owners in Block 71, asking that the alley in said block be paved with one course of brick upon a four inch concrete foundation with a sand cushion on top of concrete and with cement filler, and that said paving be laid on a grade established by a survey made by the City Engineer Nov. 15th. 1906, was presented and read. Councilman Reid called attention to the fact that the abstract records showed 22 resident property owners in the block and as the petition had not been signed by three fourths of this number, as required by law, it could not be considered by the Council. After various motions by different members of the Council, none of which received a second, Councilman Branson moved that the petitioners be given till next Monday night to secure the requisite number of signers to their petition. This was seconded by Councilman Reid, and a vote being taken the Mayor was in doubt as to the result. A call of the roll resulted as follows: Ayes, 4, Nays, 1, and the Mayor declared the motion carried.

On motion, the Council adjourned, to meet Monday Evening, Nov. 19th, 1906, at 7.30 o'clock.

Attest: F. W. Mascell, City Clerk

John Hallorin, Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa. Nov. 19/06

Council met this Evening pursuant to adjournment of Nov. 17th, 1906. Mayor Hallorn presided, and the Councilmen present were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Hough and Reid.

Paving alley in Blk 71

The same petition presented at the last meeting of the Council, in regard to paving the alley in Block 71, was resubmitted, but with only one additional signature, The total number of signers being less than the required three fourths of the resident property owners and E.A. Morgan and M.E. Morgan having filed a withdrawal of their names, conditionally, it was apparent that the petition was not entitled to consideration, having failed to meet the requirements of the law.

Councilman Furness thereupon moved that the paving of the alley be proceeded with according to the contract made with N.E. Stucker. The motion prevailed, and on motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned

Attest:
F.H. Marcell
City Clerk

John Hallorn
Mayor

Council Chamber. City of Ottawa. Nov 21st 1906

A special session of the City Council was held this Evening in response to the following petition and Call:

Ottawa Kas. Nov. 21st. 1906

To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kas

Sir;

The undersigned, Councilmen of said City, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the City Council of said City, to convene at the Council Chamber in said City at 7:30 P.M. on the date hereof, for the purpose of considering and passing an Ordinance levying a special tax provisionally on the property liable therefor, to pay the costs of paving & curbing Third Street from Milton to Cash Street, also to pass an ordinance Establishing the grade of the alley in Block 71.

H.C. Branson
W.T. Church
Lyman Reid

A meeting of the Council is hereby called for the purpose and at the time and place set forth in the above and foregoing request

Ottawa Kas. Nov. 21st. 1906

John Hallorn mayor

a call of the roll showed the following Councilmen present; Armstrong, Branson, Church, Nelson & Reid. A quorum being present the Council proceeded to business, with Mayor Saloren presiding.

Levying Special tax for paving & Curbing 3d St. from Willow to Ash

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of paving and curbing Third street from the East line of Willow street to the East line of Ash street, in the city of Ottawa, Except the squares and areas formed by the crossing of street and alleys, was introduced and read the first time, Whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows, Ayes, 5, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting Councilmen Crane Furness and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Establishing grade of Center of alley, Blk 71

An Ordinance Establishing the grade of the Center of the alley in Block 71 of the original townsite of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to Exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by Sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result, Ayes, 5, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Nelson and Reid. Absent and not voting Councilmen Crane Furness and Hough. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmatin the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council fixed Wednesday Eve'g Nov. 28th, 1906 at 7.30 o'clock, as the time when the Council would meet to hear any complaints that may be made in regard to the appraisement of property in Sewer district No. 42.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:

J. A. Marcell
City clerk

John Saloren
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa. Nov. 28, 1906

Review of appraisement Blk 11 Univ. add. for Sewer Lat. 42

Council met this evening according to appointment made Nov. 21st, and notice published, to consider the report of appraisers on property liable to taxation to pay the Costs of Constructing Sewer Lateral No. 42 being Block 11, University Addition; and to hear any complaints that might be made against the same. Mayor Hallorn presided, and Councilmen present were Armstrong Branson, Church, Hough, Nelson & Reid.

The report of the appraisers was read by the Clerk and there being no objection thereto, on motion of Councilman Reid the report was accepted and adopted.

On motion of Councilman Branson, the Council as a Board of Review, adjourned.

Attest: F.K. Marcell, City Clerk — John Hallorn, Mayor.

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa Nov. 28/06

A special session of the City Council was held this Evening in response to the following request and call;

Ottawa Kas. Nov. 28th. 1906

To the Honorable Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kas

Sir;

The undersigned, Councilmen of said City, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the City Council of said city to meet at the Council Chamber at 8 o'clock p.m. on the date hereof, for the purpose of passing an ordinance levying a special tax to pay the costs of Constructing Sewer Lateral No. 41, also to authorize the City treasurer to transfer certain funds in the City treasury from one fund to another, also to consider the resignation of F.K. Marcell, as City Clerk, and the election of a temporary clerk.

Lyman Reid
J.E. Armstrong
John Nelson

A meeting of the City Council is hereby called for the purpose and at the time and place set forth in the above foregoing request.

John Hallorn
Mayor

Ottawa Kas. Nov. 28 1906

a call of the roll showed the following Councilmen present: Armstrong, Branson, Church, Hough, Nelson and Reid, with Mayor Holloran presiding. After reading of the request & call the Council proceeded to business.

Levying Special tax for Sewer Sol. #1

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the costs of constructing sewer lateral No. 41, in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result; Ayes, 6, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Crane and Furness. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Transfer of funds in City Treasury

On motion of Councilman Branson the City Treasurer was authorized and instructed to make the following transfer of funds in the City treasury: $2,000.00 from the Water & Light Imp. Fund to the General Fund, to replace the amount borrowed July 6th to pay warrant No. 7205, issued to C P Robinson; $1,100.00 from the Water & Light Imp. Fund to the General Fund, to replace the amount borrowed at different dates to pay warrants Nos. 6340, 6955, 7204 and 7273, issued to Owen Ford; $349.55 from the Water & Light Imp. Fund to the General Fund to replace the amounts borrowed at different dates to pay warrants Nos. 6223, 6226, 6339, 6874, 6878, 6881, 7075, 7076, 7077, 7078, 7079, 7080, 7136, 7271, 7371, 7372, 7373, 7374, 7375 and 7376, issued to various parties; $2,000.00 from the Paving Fund to the General Fund, to replace the amount borrowed July 21st to pay warrant No. 7262 issued to N. E. Stucker; $3000.00 from the Paving Fund to the Streets, Bridges & Alley Fund, to replace the amount borrowed July 21 to pay warrant No. 7261 issued to N. E. Stucker.

The City Clerk presented the following Communication;

Ottawa, Kas. Nov. 28th. 1906

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Ottawa Kas.
Gentlemen:

Resignation of City Clerk

In order to satisfy the N. W. Speer & Sons Co. of Chicago, purchasers of Ottawa's Water & Light Extension Bonds,

in their contention that it should appear of record that Mr J H Bell was City Clerk of Ottand both at the time of the issuance and delivery to them of said bonds, and they having indicated their intention to pay for and take up said bonds, now in escrow in a Chicago bank on Friday, Nov. 30th. 1906, at the request of Mayor Halloran I hereby tender my resignation as City Clerk in order that such arrangement may be carried out, with the understanding that I am to be reappointed and reconfirmed on Friday evg. Nov. 30th. 1906

Respectfully submitted,
F H Marcell
City Clerk

On motion of Councilman Reid the resignation was accepted. The Mayor then appointed Mr. Jno. H Bell as City Clerk and on motion he was duly confirmed by the Council

On motion of Councilman Church the Council adjourned

Attest:
F H Marcell
City Clerk

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Dec. 1st 1906

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening in response to the following petition and call:

Ottawa Kas. Dec. 1st 1906

To the Honorable Mayor of the City of Ottawa, Kas

Sir:

The undersigned, Councilmen of said City, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the City Council to convene at the Council Chamber at 7:30 P.M. on the date hereof, for the purpose of considering and acting upon the resignation of Jno. A. Bell as City Clerk and to fill the vacancy caused by said resignation, if accepted.

W. H. Church
Lyman Reid
H. Inness

A special meeting of the City Council is hereby called for the purpose and at the time and place set forth in the above request.

John Halloran
Mayor

Ottawa Kas. Dec. 1st 1906

Roll call showed Councilmen Branson, Church, Inness, Nelson & Reid present, Mayor Halloran presiding.

The resignation of Jno A Bell as City Clerk was presented and on motion of Councilman Branson the same was accepted. The Mayor then appointed J. H. Mercell as City Clerk, and on motion the appointment was confirmed by the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned

attest J. H. Bell
City Clerk.

John Halloran
Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Dec. 5th 06

Council met in regular session this Eve'g with Councilmen all present except Councilman Crane, and with Mayor Hallorsn presiding.

Minutes of meeting held Nov. 7th, 9th, 14th, 19th, 21st, 28th and Dec 1st. were read and approved.

The report of the Police Judge for November was presented and referred to the Police Committee.

The report of the Sidewalk Repairer was presented and referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

The report of the City Clerk for Nov. was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The report of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending Dec 3rd was presented and referred to the Finance Committee.

Claims against the various funds of the city amounting in the aggregate to $14.365.57 were presented and referred to the proper standing committees, who reported recommending that the following claims be allowed, each committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council

| | | | |
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| F. W. & St | | Police | |
| W. N. Harbourn | 60 | H O Berthy | 60 |
| H P Lockhart | 47.50 | Jno S Koons | 54.48 |
| Sidon Chem. Spray Nos. 6 | 28 | E E Koons | 11 |
| J G. Humphrey | 4.20 | Austin Reid | 2.50 |
| W H Remaly | 6.60 | F. J. Bonner | 1.00 |
| Chas Billchamber | 1.00 | W L Parkinson | 14.90 |
| Jno Hallorsn | 3.90 | W R Cody | 8.80 |
| B S Bennett | 26 | Jno Nelson | 17.10 |
| Water & St Dept. | 80— | Ottawa Ltd Co | 3— |
| Hester Bros | 2.00 | " Gas & Elec Co | .75 |
| Claims | | M & K Tel. Co | .35 |
| H. F. Ellis | 3.00 | Jno Finn, Clk | 11.95 |
| B.O. McQuesten | 3.00 | " " " | 8.90 |
| H H Cowan | 3.00 | " " " | 32.15 |
| R J McCann | 8.00 | Park | |
| H H Marcell | 63.40 | E. C. Stilson | .45 |
| R E Page | 8.33 | G D Wilson | 11.65 |
| Henry Ramaly | 4.75 | Geo N Lathrop | 6— |
| Ottawa Gas & Elec Co | .50 | Jno Hallorsn | .95 |
| Rohrbaugh & Co | 20— | Printing | |
| | | Ottawa Herald | 6.10 |
| | | " Republic | 7.75 |

| Cemetery | | Health | |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. Romstedt | 700 | Silas Haines | 100 |
| S. B & L | | Wm Baldwin | 100 |
| Warren White | 65— | C S Pugh | 220 |
| Mark Totten | 40 | Water & St Fd | |
| A Gilliland | 563 | Sundry claims of H & St. | |
| T J. Bruce | 750 | Dept. as per statement filed | 95912 |
| Allen Frazier | 1950 | Water & Imp. Fd | |
| W H Blackstun | 938 | Roy M Stookey | 306012 |
| J M Hoover | 938 | Elec & Stm Eng. Co | 254562 |
| H Gilliland | 6— | " " " " | 5390 |
| E. C. McClellan | 450 | K. Elec & Tel Supply Co | 8198 |
| J E Allen | 4160 | Wittenberg Cedar Co | 33060 |
| W M Adams | 1946 | Mo Pac R R Co | 12740 |
| " " | 5— | Orrin Ford | 90— |
| W. O. Myers | 30— | W O Myers | 70— |
| C S Pugh | 1080 | J. E. Armstrong | 36 |
| W H Church | 10 | Jos Wilburn | 1406 |
| Grant Bunyan | 135 | Jack Payne | 3 |
| Jno Halloran | 33540 | Jos Weber | 3 |
| A A Bean | 495 | Jos Arthur | 543 |
| Ottawa Hdw Co | 515 | Mark Stewart | 243 |
| J R McGuire | 465 | C S Pugh | 1130 |
| Franklin Co Hdw Co | 53 | Paving Fd | |
| N E. Stucker | 10145 | N. E. Stucker | 309314 |
| Geerer & Smith | 175 | " " | 222177 |
| Etta J. Mallory | 10— | | |
| Sidewalk | | | |
| D C. Wilkerson | 750 | | |
| C S Pugh | 80 | | |
| C. Q Furness | 6444 | | |

N. C. Branson, Chief of Fire Dept. presented the following communication:

To the Hon Mayor & Councilmen of the City of Ottawa,
Gentlemen; In view of the fact that the team for the north side hose wagon is on the street at work during the day time and cannot respond to a fire alarm promptly, I deem it advisable to offer a reward of $1.00 to the first two horse team that gets there and hauls the wagon to the fire.

Yours truly
N. C. Branson, Chief Fire Dept.

On motion of Councilman Furness the recommendation was adopted.

Claim of Clara Goodwin for damages by reason of fall on Sidewalk

Clara Goodwin, by her attorney W. J. Costigan, presented a claim for $2500 damages for injuries said to have been sustained by her by reason of a fall on a sidewalk at 256 Nillon St. The matter was referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $14,365.51 to defray the Expenses of the City government was read the first time and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result: Ayes 7, Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilman Lane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Providing for keeping of accounts by City Clerk and City Treas.

#653

An Ordinance providing for the keeping of accounts by the City Clerk and City Treasurer of the City of Ottawa, and the reports of said officers to the City Council was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting ayes. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes, 7, Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong Branson, Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilman Lane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Levying special tax for Sewer Lat. #2

#654

An Ordinance levying a special tax, provisionally, to pay the cost of Constructing Sewer Lateral No. 42, in the City of Ottawa, Kansas. was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Church moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to Exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting ayes. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its

final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with results as follows; Ayes. 7. Nays. none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Church, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent & not voting, Councilman Crane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

Resolution to pave & curb S. Main st from 5th to 11th

The following resolution was presented and read; Resolution to pave and curb South Main Street from a line 150 feet South of the South line of Fifth Street to a line six feet South of the North line of Eleventh street in the City of Ottawa.

Be it Resolved by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, that it is deemed necessary and that it is hereby declared necessary to pave and curb South Main St in said City, from a line one hundred and fifty feet South of the South line of Fifth Street to a line six feet South of the North line of Eleventh Street. That the said pavement shall be of two courses of vitrified brick upon a sand foundation with a sand filler; top course to be No. 1 repressed, round edged, vitrified brick, bottom course No. 2 vitrified brick. That from a line one hundred and fifty feet South of the South line of Fifth Street to the South line of Seventh Street, in said City, the pavement shall be thirty four feet in width from curb to curb. That from the South line of Seventh Street to the South line of Ninth Street in said City said pavement shall be thirty four feet in width from curb to curb. That from the South line of Ninth Street to a line six feet South of the North line of Eleventh Street, in said city, the pavement shall be thirty feet in width from curb to curb. That all of the curb shall be of Cement Concrete

On motion and vote the resolution was adopted.

City Eng. to offer RR for moving dirt under track

The City Engineer was instructed to notify the A. T. & S. F. R.R. Co. that the City would excavate the dirt ~~from~~ under its track in Walnut Street from Second to Fifth Street, preparatory to lowering said track to grade, for 35 cents per cubic yard.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned till Wednesday Evening, Dec. 12th, 1906, at 7.30 p.m.

John Halloran
Mayor

attest
J. A. Marcell
city clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Dec 12/06

Council met pursuant to adjournment of 5th inst. Councilmen present Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough & Nelson, Mayor Hallorsn presiding

Petition of J D Mathias and others asking that Ash Street be curbed from Second street to Third Street, was referred to the Committee on Streets and alleys.

Report W & L for Nov. The report of the Water & Light Department for Nov. was presented, read and referred to the Finance Com.

The following claims against the City, amounting to $1,506.80 were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees who reported recommending that they be allowed, each Committee report being received separately and adopted separately by the Council

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| W & L | | Sidewalk | |
| A Gilliland | 300 | Rohrbaugh & Co | 735 |
| A Madow | 800 | Sewer | |
| Park | | A B Elder | 2475 |
| Warner Bneelo | 500 | " " | 2490 |
| Police | | " " | 1625 |
| S. F. Beeler & Son | 950 | W & L Imp. Fd | |
| " " " | 70 | Elec & Stm Eng Co | 39455 |
| Jno Warner | 50 | | |
| F W M Smith | 3,00 | | |

Appropriation An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $1,506.80 to defray the expenses of the City government was read the first time, and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes, 6. Nays, none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson and Reid, Councilman Reid having come in since roll call. Absent and not voting Councilmen Church and Crane. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declares the ordinance duly passed.

Raising age limit for patrons of pool halls An Ordinance entitled "an Ordinance amending Section 3 of Ordinance No. 578 of the City of Ottawa being "an Ordinance providing for the levy and collection of a license tax upon billiard tables, pool tables, and bowling alleys; defining the location where they may be operated, and enacting rules

regulating them, and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict therewith" and repealing said original section, was introduced by Councilman Hough read the first time and referred to the Ordinance Committee.

Trash — An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance defining certain public offences and prescribing punishment therefor" was introduced and read the first time and referred to the Ordinance Committee for revision.

New Water rates — #655 — An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance fixing rates for water to be supplied by the Water and Light Department of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for the adoption of necessary rules and regulations to manage and control the same," was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with following result: Ayes 6, Nays, none, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid Absent and not voting Councilmen Church & Crane. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

New Electric light rates — #656 — An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing rates for Electric lights heat or power to be supplied by the water and light department of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for necessary rules and regulations for the management thereof" was introduced and read the first time, thereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being Shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes 6, Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid Absent and not voting Councilmen Church & Crane. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative, the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

clerk to advertise for bids for delinquent sidewalks

On motion of Councilman Reid the City Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for furnishing the material and building delinquent city sidewalks for the year 1907.

Street Cleaning

The Mayor called the attention of the Council to the expiration of the contract with Grant Burgen on Dec 23d for cleaning the Streets and on motion of Councilman Branson the S. Boul. Committee was directed, when said Contract shall expire to keep the streets clean until other arrangements are made.

On motion of Councilman Reid the Council adjourned till Friday Evening the 21st. inst. at 7.30 p.m.

attest J.H. Marcell City Clerk

John Halloran Mayor

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa, Dec 21st 1906

Council met pursuant to adjournment of 12th inst. with Mayor Halloran presiding and Councilmen Branson, Inness, Hough, Nelson & Reid present.

Pet. for paving on S Main, bet. 8th & 9th to be 30 ft

Petition of J.A. Mahaffy and 11 others asking that the proposed paving on South Main St. from 8th to 9th be made 30 ft. in width, instead of 36 ft, was referred to Street & Alley Committee

Claims against the City amounting to $8439.10 were presented and referred to the proper standing Committees who reported recommending the allowance of the following claims, each Committee report being received separately and acted on separately by the Council.

| Claims | | Finance | |
|---|---|---|---|
| E.S. Bennett | 200 | C.T. & S. Stabrook, City Treas | |
| Park | | Interest on bonds due in N.Y. Jan 1 | 3970 60 |
| G.N. Sutton | 900 | Paving Fd. | |
| Police | | C.T. & S. Stabrook City Treas | |
| Joe Wilson | 150 | Instalment on Paving Bonds | |
| S.B. & A. | | due in N.Y. Jan 1/07 | 3600 — |
| Mert Totten | 20 | Interest on same | 810 — |
| Allen Frazier | 23.50 | | |
| H.C. Logan | 3.50 | | |

The Mayor appointed the following persons to act as Judges & Clerks of Election at the Special Election to be held January 2nd 1907, to elect a State Senator to fill vacancy, and the same were unanimously confirmed by the Council.

Precinct 1 — 1st Ward

Judges
J. Armstrong
Jno Diehl
Jno Hamilton

Clerks
M R Harris
C M Thomas

Precinct 2 — 1st Ward

Judges
B S Fuller
W W Fraser
Wm Manley

Clerks
C C Hawkins
J R Ramsdell

Precinct 3 — 2nd Ward

Judges
C B Crone
R P. Tyler
C M Porter

Clerks
E D Manley
B D Tillard

Precinct 4 — 2nd Ward

Judges
E Stevenson
F. Kinsman
Jno Crumley

Clerks
H C Long
L E Rathbun

Precinct 5 — 3rd Ward

Judges
Ed. Chenoweth
L. J. Mosely
C H Barnett

Clerks
Aaron Jones
B F Rogers

Precinct 6 — 3rd Ward

Judges
P Kaiser
A K Hutchinson
D W Thompson

Clerks
A B Hanson
C. F. Allbern

Precinct 7 — 4th Ward

Judges
L. Kashman
E. L. Lucas
Jno. Marsh

Clerks
Don Pickrell
Matt Simple

Claim against Lewis Williams Estate discounted

Upon a statement from the Probate Judge that the estate of Lewis Williams deceased, could not pay more than 75% of the City's claim against said estate, on motion the Council voted to accept such a settlement of the City's claim.

Transfer of funds in City Treasury

On motion, the City Treasurer was authorized and instructed to transfer $2,581.97 from the Paving Fund to the Streets, Bridges & Alleys Fund to replace the amount borrowed Oct 5th, and paid to N.E. Stocker on Warrant No. 7526.

Bid of C.Q. Furness for building delinquent Sidewalks

The bid of C.Q. Furness for furnishing the material and building the delinquent City Sidewalks for the year 1907, was opened and read as follows:

Price per square foot for brick sidewalk complete, including foundation, excavating not more than six inches deep and with curb brick set on edge, as specified 7 1/4 ¢

Price per square foot for brick sidewalk complete, including foundation, excavating not more than six inches deep and with curb brick set on end, as specified. 7 1/2 ¢

Price per cubic yard for earth excavation .35 ¢

" " " " " " hauled to make fills .35 ¢

There being no other bidders, and this bid being less than the Estimate furnished by the City Engineer for doing the work, on motion the bid was accepted

Bid accepted

and the Mayor & City Clerk were authorized to enter into Contract with Mr. Furness in accordance therewith.

Appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $8.439.00 to defray the expenses of the City government, was read the first time, and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 5. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Branson Furness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting Councilmen Armstrong, Church & Crane. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

"Jack"

The Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance defining certain public offences and prescribing punishment therefor" which was referred to the Ordinance Committee for revision, was reported back in its revised form, read the first time and referred to the same Committee

amending Water rates

#651

An Ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 655, of the City of Ottawa, being an ordinance entitled an Ordinance fixing rates for water to be supplied by the Water & Light Department of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for the adoption of necessary rules and regulations to manage & control the same" and repealing said original section, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Brunson moves that the rules be suspended that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 5. Nays None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Brunson Inness, Hough, Nelson & Reid. Absent and not voting, Councilmen Armstrong, Church & Cave. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

The question of amending the meter rates for water was then discussed but action was deferred till next meeting.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet Wednesday evg. Dec. 26th, at 7:30 o'clock.

John Hallorin
Mayor

Attest:
J. A. Marcell
City Clerk

Council Chamber, City of Ottawa Dec. 26th 06

Council met as per adjournment of 21st inst.
Councilmen present Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough, Nelson & ~~Reid~~. Mayor Hallon presided

Petition of Jos Beder for License to do Electrical wiring and other Electrical work, was presented with accompanying bond, and on motion of Councilman Furness the license was granted

Petition of Jno. C. Mott for License to conduct a Billiard & Pool hall at No 1075 Main St. from Jan. 1st to July 1st 1907, with accompanying bond and check for fee, was referred to the License Committee, who reported favorably, provided the Finance Committee approved of the bond. The petition was then referred to the Finance Committee.

A claim of $150.00 against the City, for interest due Dec. 2nd, on Fire Warrants, was referred to the Finance Committee, who reported recommending that the claim be allowed, and the report was adopted by the Council

The Finance Committee reported having examined the reports of the City Clerk for Oct. & Nov. also the report of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending Dec. 3rd 1906. and found them correct

Time Extended on paving alley Blk 71, to May 15

A Communication from Contractor N. E. Stocker, asking for an extension of time on his contract for paving the alley in block 71, to May 15th 1907 was read, and on motion the request was granted

Gas for jail

The Mayor was authorized to sign an application to the Ottawa Gas & Elec. Co. for gas for lighting the City jail

Appropriation

An Ordinance making appropriations in the sum of $150.00 to defray the Expenses of the city government was read the first time, and on motion was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows: Ayes 5, Nays none, Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong Branson, Furness, Hough & Nelson, Absent & not voting Councilmen Church, Crane & Reid. A majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed

Internal Imp. Bonds A. 458

An Ordinance providing for the issue of internal improvement bonds to pay the costs of paving and

curbing certain streets in the City of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with results as follows; Ayes, 5, Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough & Nelson. Absent and not voting Councilmen Church, Crane & Reid. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Improvement Bonds

#659

An Ordinance providing for the issue of improvement bonds to pay for the cost of paving and improving the squares and areas formed by the crossing of certain streets and alleys in the City of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Furness moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the Ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The Ordinance was then read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes 5, Nays, None. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong Branson Furness, Hough & Nelson. Absent and not voting Councilmen Church, Crane & Reid. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

Raising age limit of patrons of pool halls

The Ordinance Committee reported back to the Council without recommendation the ordinance Entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 3 of Ordinance No. 578 of the City of Ottawa, being an Ordinance providing for the levy and Collection of a license tax upon billiard tables, pool tables and bowling alleys; defining the location where they may be operated, and Enacting rules regulating them, and repealing all ordinances"

[redacted]

or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith" and repealing said original section. On motion of Councilman Hough the ordinance was placed upon its second reading, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows; Ayes 2, Nays 3. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong & Hough. Councilmen voting in the negative were Branson, Furness and Nelson. Absent and not voting Councilmen Church, Crane & Reid. Less than a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the passage of the ordinance, the Mayor declared the ordinance rejected.

Amending water meter rates

#660

An Ordinance amending section 2, of Ordinance No. 655, of the City of Ottawa, the same being an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing rates for water to be supplied by the water & Light Department of the City of Ottawa, Kansas, and providing for the adoption of necessary rules and regulations to manage and control the same" and repealing said original section, was introduced and read the first time, whereupon Councilman Branson moved that the rules be suspended, that an Emergency be declared to exist, that the ordinance be now read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. The motion prevailed, all the Councilmen voting aye. The ordinance was then read the second time considered by sections and placed upon its final passage the question being shall the ordinance pass? On motion a vote was taken with result as follows, Ayes 5. Nays none. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Armstrong, Branson, Furness, Hough & Nelson. Absent and not voting Councilmen Church, Crane & Reid. A majority of the Councilmen Elect having voted in the affirmative the Mayor declared the Ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance relating to Billiard and Pool Halls and Bowling Alleys in the City of Ottawa, was introduced and read the first time and referred to the License Committee.

City atty to bring suit agst Gas Co

On motion of Councilman Branson the City Attorney was instructed to bring suit against the Ottawa Gas and Electric Co. for the amount of the fees claimed to be due the City by reason of said Co tearing up the paved streets to make repairs on their pipes or to make connections between their pipes and the property

along said paved streets. This suit to be brought as a test case to decide a disputed point between the City Council and the Gas Co.

The Mayor and Clerk were authorized to purchase the necessary blank bonds, for the paving bonds to be issued Janiy 1st 1907

On motion the Council adjourned

John Hallorun
Mayor

Attest:
F. H. Marcell
City Clerk