

Called Meeting City Council,
Austin, Texas, May 24th 1878.

Mayor De Groot presiding.

Roll Called. Present Alderman Croaker,
Raven, Sheehan & Strong.

No quorum present. Alderman Croaker
moved a call of the council. The call being
sustained by three aldermen the Marshal
was sent for the absentees.

Alderman Millett, Platt & Vaughan appeared
and answered to their name.

On motion Alderman Metz was excused and
the call suspended. *

An Ordinance levying taxes for the year 1878
and providing for their collection. That 1st time.
Alderman Croaker moved to insert in the
blank left for the rate of ad valorem tax
in section one, the words one per centum
and to add after the words 1878, the follow-
ing - "one sixth of which shall be set aside
for the redemption of city bonds."
Motion Carried.

On motion of Alderman Croaker the rules
were suspended and the Ordinance placed
on its second reading by the following vote:
Yeas Alderman Croaker, Millett, Platt
Raven, Sheehan, Strong & Vaughan - 7
Absent Alderman Crow, Metz & Hall - 3.

The Ordinance was read the second
time as amended and on motion the rules
were further suspended and the Ordinance
placed on its third reading by the follow-
ing vote. Yeas Alderman Croaker, Millett,
Platt, Raven, Sheehan, Strong & Vaughan - 7
Absent Alderman Crow, Metz & Hall - 3.

The Ordinance was read the third time and on
motion the rules were suspended and the
Ordinance passed by the following vote: Yeas
Alderman Croaker, Millett, Platt, Raven,
Sheehan, Strong & Vaughan - 7
Yeas none.

Absent Alderman Crow Metz & Hall - 3.
An Ordinance to regulate the assessment of

* The minutes of May 15th returned and approved

the property of Companies and Corporations within the City of Austin.

Read first time.

On motion the rules were further suspended to place the ordinance on its second reading by the following vote: Yes Aldermen Crow, Metz, Millet, Platt, Paron, Sheehan, Strong & Vaughan 7
Ayes none.

Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz & Stalle 3

The Ordinance was read second time. and on motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed on its third reading by the following vote: Yes Aldermen Crow, Millet, Platt, Paron, Sheehan, Strong & Vaughan 7
Ayes none

Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz, & Stalle 3

The Ordinance was read third time and passed by the following vote: Yes Aldermen Brooker, Millet, Platt, Paron, Sheehan, Strong and Vaughan 7
Ayes none.

Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz and Stalle 3

An Ordinance providing for the registration and numbering of City warrants and fixing the payment of taxes.

Read first time and on motion of Alderman Paron amended by adding to Section four the following words, "and after such notice shall have been given, they shall not draw any further interest."

On motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance placed on its second reading by the following vote: Yes Aldermen Brooker, Millet, Platt, Paron, Sheehan, Strong and Vaughan 7
Ayes none.

Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz & Stalle 3

The Ordinance was read the second time and on motion the rules were further suspended and the ordinance placed on its third reading by the following vote: Yes Aldermen Brooker, Millet, Platt, Paron,

Sheehan, Strong & Vaughan 7
 Says none.
 Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz & Stalle 3.
 Ordinance read the third time and on motion
 passed by the following vote. Yeas Aldermen
 Crooker, Millett, Platt, Raven, Sheehan, Strong
 and Vaughan 7

Says none
 Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz & Stalle 3.
 Petitions of Max Fehrmann & L. H. Dymock
 for license to retail liquors.
 Petitions granted.

An ordinance relating to Street Ramps.
 Read first time and motion to suspend the
 rules to place the ordinance on its second
 reading lost by the following vote. Yeas
 Aldermen Crooker, Millett, Sheehan
 Strong and Vaughan. 5

Says Alderman Platt & Raven 2.
 On motion of Alderman Crooker the per diem
 pay of the members of the Board of Appraisers
 and Equalization was fixed at three dollars.
 By Alderman Crooker.

A Resolution appropriating \$2000⁰⁰ to pay
 the Board of Appraisers & Equalization
 for their services.

Read first time and on motion the rules
 were suspended and the resolution placed
 on its second reading by the following vote:
 Yeas Aldermen Crooker, Millett, Platt, Raven,
 Sheehan, Strong and Vaughan 7

Says none.
 Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz & Stalle 3.
 Read second time and on motion the rules
 were further suspended and the resolution
 placed on its third reading by the following
 vote. Yeas Aldermen Crooker, Millett, Platt,
 Raven, Sheehan Strong & Vaughan 7.

Says none.
 Absent Aldermen Crow, Metz, & Stalle 3.
 Resolution read the third time and on motion
 passed by the following vote:
 Yeas Aldermen Crooker, Millett, Platt, Raven

Sheehan & Vaughan 1
 Says none
 About Aldermen Crow, Metz & Hall 3
 On motion of Alderman Sherwin the
 Council adjourned.

Approved

June 3rd 1878

L. M. Bradley
City Clerk.