manner were Messrs Crane, Draper Peterson, Ransom, Semple and Ward Absent and not voting, Means Mandlin and Young

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

And thereupon Council adjourned

Hosea Smith
Mayor

Attest: Louise Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
January 4th 1893

Council met in Regular Session, the Mayor in the Chair.

Roll Called.

The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names.

Messrs. Crane, Mandlin, Peterson, Draper Ransom, Semple, Ward and Young.

Quorum Present

The Journal of last regular meeting Dec. 7 read and approved.

Bond and Application of J. B. Culver for a billiard License, on N. DeSoto St. presented and referred to Com. on License.

Ref. for 50 arc lights

A petition signed by Jno. Chenoweth and 19 others, for 50 arc lights, to be paid for by direct taxation of property owners, presented and referred to Com. on F. Ry. & L.

A petition signed by A. A. Walker asking the privilege of running a one horse dray without License, presented and referred to Com. on License.

The Report of the Police Judge for the month of December 1892. Referred to Com. on Police.

The Report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of December referred to Com. on Sidewalks.

Quarterly Report of the Ottawa Library for the quarter ending Jany 1st 1898 referred to Com. on Printing.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate Committees.

Bills presented	A Ronaldson	digging graves	Cemetery	13	50
	Journal & Triumph	Printing	printing		35
	Newman Warner	"	"	17	35
	The Republican	"	"	30	44
	Morris Lizmahan	Labor	a & a	13	50
	Joseph Walker	"	"	58	50
	A. P. Elder	mdse	"		50
	George H. Priest	Labor	"	13	88
	S. H. Watkins	"	"	13	88
	Waldo C. Smith	"	"	39	25
	James Lanning	"	"	15	87
	Job Harbison	"	"	13	37
	Willie Priest	"	"	14	38
	Robinson & Topping	mdse	"	41	08
	Ottawa Hdwe Co.	"	"	4	20
	Chas. S. Leyby	Labor	"	25	75
	George Shepherd	"	"	1	75
	Alfred Copple	"	"	11	00
	Wm Bolton	"	"	13	75
	S. C. Lemon	St. Com.	"	50	00
	Wm. Wilson	Blksmith	"	2	00
	J. H. Ransom	coal	F. H. & L.	14	92
	Ottawa Gas Co	light Engines	"	8	00
	Ottawa Water Works	lighting	"	76	25
	Ottawa Water Works	hydrant Rental	"	154	50
	A. N. Walker	Marking Hose	"	1	00
	Ottawa Hdwe Co.	mdse	"		75
to	Ottawa F. Dept.	Appropriation	"	100	00
	D. E. Allison		"	1	48
	E. G. Morgan	hay	"	7	70
	H. L. Hartshorn	driving F. team	"	45	00
	A. P. Elder	mdse	"	11	60
	Daniel Mohler	Oats	"	10	96
	C. H. Ransom	Lumber for park	Sidewalk	4	75
	H. J. R. Medaris	sidewalk rep	"	15	75
	Wells R. Manspa	" lumber	"	67	98
	Grant Smith	Night Watch	Police	45	00

	H. A. Richards	City Atty.	Police	25	00	
	E. Boltwood	City Marshal	"	63	00	
	J. H. Ransom	wood city clk	Claim	2	00	
	Ottawa Library	appropriation	"	100	00	
	Louise L Chapman	City Clerk	"	40	00	
Bills allowed	The Committee on Cemetery report on the following claims and recommend payment.					
	A. Rowated			13	50	13.50
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Printing report on the following claims and recommend payment:-					
	Lyceman Printing			17	35	
	The Republicans			30	44	47.79
	On motion this report was adopted					
	The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the following claims and recommend payment.					
	Victoria Linnahan			13	50	
	Joseph Walker			5	8 50	
	A. P. Elder				50	
	George H. Priest			13	88	
	S. H. Prattsing			13	88	
	Waldo E. Smith			39	25	
	James Canning			15	87	
	Job Harbison			13	37	
	Willis Priest			14	38	
	Robinson & Lapping			41	08	
	Ottawa Hdwe Co			4	20	
	Chas L. Leuby			25	75	
	George Shepherd			1	75	
	Alfred Cepple			11	00	
	Wm Bolton			13	75	
	S. E. Lemon			50	00	
	M. Wilson			2	00	932.6
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights report on the following claims and recommend payment.					
	J. H. Ransom			14	92	
	Ottawa Gas Co.			8	00	
	Ottawa Water Works			66	40	
	Ottawa Water Works			1547	50	
	A. F. Walker			1	00	
	Ottawa Hdwe Co.				75	

	Ottawa Fire Dept.			100	00	
	S. E. Allison			1	48	
	E. L. Morgan			7	70	
	W. F. Hackshaw			45	00	
	A. P. Elder			11	60	
	Daniel Mohler			10	96	1815.31
	This report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Sidewalks report on					
3.50	the following claims and recommend					
	payment.					
	J. H. Ransom	park		4	75	
	H. J. R. Fredaris			15	75	
	Milo R Harris	park 4 40		67	98	88.48
	This report was adopted.					
17.79	The Committee on Police report on the					
	following claims and recommend					
	payment:					
	Grant Smith			45	00	
	W. A. Richards			25	00	
	E. Boltwood			63	00	133.00
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Claims report on the					
	following claims and recommend pay-					
	ment:					
	J. H. Ransom			2	00	
	Ottawa Library			100	00	
	Louise Chapman			40	00	142.00
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights					
6 Pd. for 5	to whom was referred the petitions heretofore					
fire lights	presented, for fifty arc lights each to be placed					
referred back	in different parts of the City, beg to submit the					
	following report:-					
	"Referred back to Council without					
	recommendation"				A Peterson Ch.	
32.66	Each petition bearing the said report on motion					
	they reports were adopted.					
Daily Treas.	The Committee on Finance report on the					
Report.	report of the City Treasurer as follows:-					
	"Examined and found correct. The					
	"date of the payment of the accompany-					
	"ing orders authorized by the Council					
	"and issued by the Clerk have been					
	"duly entered upon the records.					
					Gr. L. Grant	
	This report was adopted.				Ch. Finance Com.	

And, also, on the Statement of the City Clerk as follows:-

"Examined and approved.
Wm. L. Ward. Ch. Fin. Com.

This report on motion, was adopted.

Bid S. B. Rohrbaugh for building sidewalks

The bid of S. B. Rohrbaugh for building deliverment sidewalks, referred to Committee on Sidewalks

Engine House Insurance

The Mayor informed the Council that he insurance on the engine house, having expired on the 1st inst. day of January, he had caused the insurance on said building to be renewed in the Germania of New York. And on motion of Councilman Ransom, that the action of the Mayor in causing the insurance to be taken, be approved, a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Upon motion of Councilman Ward the bills which had been cancelled were destroyed by fire.

The Mayor in behalf of Cap't Appointed to interview Co. Recruit stated to the Council that he had granted the Commissioners and asked them if they would give the city the privilege of occupying a couple of rooms in the new Court house, and on what terms; that the Commissioners desired the Council to make the proposition to them. This matter was left to the consideration of the council.

The Committee on License report on the petition of A. T. Walker as follows:-

"Recommend that the within request be not granted. D. L. Young
J. S. Braddock
Wm. Mapes.

On motion this report was adopted.

That same committee report on the bond and application of J. B. Deuber as follows:

Recommend that License be granted and Bond approved. D. L. Young
Chairman

This report was adopted.

Ottawa Librarian

The Committee on Printing report on the Quarterly Report of Ottawa Librarian as follows:- "Examined and approved.
Wm. L. Ward. Chairman

On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for Dec '92 as follows:-
"Examined and Approved believed to be correct. J. L. Franklin.
Chairman.
On motion this report was adopted.

Contract Electric Light Co.

The contract between the City and The Electric Light Co. being about to expire, Councilman Semple moved that the City renew their contract with the Electric Light Co. for the space of three years, as far as the Arc Lights on Grand Street are concerned, on the same terms, at $7.50 per month, with the privilege of adding to them at the same rate.
Councilman Hard moved, as an amendment to this motion, that one additional light be placed on 9th St in front of the College Campus. Upon this amendment, a vote was had and the motion prevailed.
The question now being upon the original motion, to renew the contract with the Electric Light Co., on the same terms, for 3 yrs. for 9 lights, a vote was had and the motion prevailed.
Mr Elder here addressed the council in favor of gas, offering to furnish 50 Lamp-posts for 22.00 per post, per annum, or 75 at 20.00 per annum, or 100 at 18.00 per post per annum.

Lighting Streets

Upon this, Mr Pollock agreed to furnish as many lights as required, of 32 candle power light for $12.00 a year apiece. All night lights, moonlight schedule.
Councilman Hard moved that the matter of lighting the outside portions of the city be referred to a special committee to consider the matter, and make report at our next meeting. This motion prevailed.
In pursuance thereof, the Mayor appointed Messrs. Hard, Semple and Crane as such committee.

Sidewalks

The bid of S. B. Rohrbough being the only bid for building delinquent sidewalks presented, was read; the substance of which was as follows:-

For 2 inch No. 1. Soft Pine walks with 2/4 Stringers not more than 2. ft. apart except at each 8. ft. a 4/4 Stringer shall be used @ 7¢ per Sq. ft.

For 1 inch No. 1. Soft Pine walks with three 2/4 Stringers under 4. ft. walks and four 2/4 Stringers under 5 ft. walks @ 5 1/4 ¢ per Sq. ft.

2 inch Stone walks @ 13 ¢ " " "

3 inch Stone walks @ 25 ¢ " " "

walks to be built in accordance with Ordinance 196.

Stone walks to be paid for on Completion of walks S. B. Rohrbaugh

Upon motion of Councilman Ransom that the bid be accepted, a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

The Committee on Sidewalks to whom was referred the report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of December 1892, submit the following Report.

" Have examined within
" report and find it cor-
rect.

H. D Crane.

Upon this report a motion was made that the report be accepted.

Motion Carried

an Appropriation Ordinance, appropriating the sum of $2572.74 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government was then read And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called (with the following result:- Yeas 8. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Crane, Franklin, Peterson, Snapes, Ransom Semple, Ward and Young.
And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

And thereupon council adjourned

Attest:- Louise L Chapman
City Clerk

Horace Smith
Mayor

Council Chambers
February 1st 1898

Regular Session

Council met in regular session. Mayor in the Chair. Roll called.
The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names:- Messrs Franklin Peterson, Snapes, Ward and Young.
Absent, Messrs Crane, Ransom and Semple.
Quorum Present.
The journal of last regular meeting Jany 4th read and approved.

Pet. Forest Park United Presbyterians

A Petition, asking the use of Forest Park for the purpose of holding the United Presbyterian Synod services from July 25th to August 2nd inclusive, presented and on motion, the request was granted.

Pet. H. T. Pickerell, ab. park on terrace

A Petition signed by Mr Pickerell for a street park or terrace of 20. feet on east and west, and 15 feet on South end of what is known as Pickerell Place presented and referred to Committee on Sts and Alleys.

pet. St. crossing Main St. from Court House

A Petition for a street crossing on Main Street from the West entrance of the new Court House. referred to Committee on Stds and Alleys.

Bond and Application of H. E. Smith for a Billiard room referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Report of the Police Judge for the month of January 1893, referred to Committee on Police.

Report of Street Commissioners for the month of Jan. and Dec. 1892, referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate Committees.

A. Rowited	digging graves	Cemetery	14	50
E. Bolthwood	City Marshal	Police	56	00
Grant Smith	Night Watch	"	45	00
C. S. Lusby	Working Pois.	S & A	21	25
John Lusby	Labor	"	12	50
Wm. Wilson	Blacksmith	"	3	40
Morris Kinnahan	Labor	"	8	13
A. Lapalle	"	"	8	50
P. Shinas	"	"	3	50
Willie Priest	"	"	11	88
S. H. Watkins	"	"	10	63
Job Garbiaon	"	"	9	25
Geo. H. Priest	"	"	14	62
Wm Bolton	"	"	11	25
George Shepherd	"	"	13	00
James Kinning	"	"	12	87
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	Grease	"	7	90
Joseph Walker	Labor	"	63	50
Ottawa Fdy. Co.	Grease	"	1	95
S. E. Lathrop	St Coal	"	40	00
A. P. Elder	Bay Fire Dept.	F. W. & L.	8	50
Ottawa Gas Co.	Lighting Eng. House	" "	7	40
S. A. Wells	hauling hose to fire	" "	4	50
J. G. Humphrey	mudsill	" "	6	60
Van Cornet & Ashley	Blacksmith	" "	6	45
Ottawa Fdy. Co.	Grease	" "	3	25
M. R. Avery	hauling hose to fire	" "		50
E. Dale	Labor	" "		75
Lee Phares	hauling hose to fire	"	1	00
F. A. Hartshorn	driving fire team	"	45	00
Ottawa Water Works			82	50

E. A. Hanes	refunding tax	Claims	57 35		
Louise Chapman	Salary Deily Clk	"	40 00		
L. L. Porter	Sup. of Engthouse	"	18 00		
T. V. Ashby	Park Keeper	Park	50 00		
L. R. Crawford	Bal. due Lgt. to 4.	Sewer	10 00		
The Committee on Cemetery report on the following claim and recommend payment:-					
A Rowated			14 50		14.50
On motion this report was adopted.					
The Committee on Police report on the					
Bills allowed	following claims and recommend payment.				
E. Boltwood			56 00		
Grant Smith			45 00		101.00
On motion this report was adopted					
The Committee on Streets and Alleys report					
on the following claims and recommend					
payment.					
C. B. Curby			21 25		
John Leahy			12 50		
Wm. Hilyer			3 40		
Morris Linnahan			8 13		
A. Cobble			8 50		
O. Shiras			3 50		
Willie Priest			11 88		
S. E. Watkins			10 63		
Job. Garbison			9 25		
George W. Priest			14 62		
Wm Bolton			11 25		
George Shepherd			13 00		
Jasper Lanning			12 87		
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.			7 90		
Joseph Walker			65 50		
Ottawa Fdy. Co.			1 95		
S. E. Denton			40 00		254.13
On motion this report was adopted.					
The Committee on Fire and Water report on					
the following claims and recommend					
payment.					
A P. Elder			8 50		
Ottawa Gas. Co.			7 40		
S. A. Wesler			4 50		
J. G. Humphrey			6 60		
Van Doren & Reuler			6 45		
Ottawa Fdy. Co.			3 25		
M. R. Avery			50		
E. Dale			75		

Lee Rhoades	1	00	
C. L. Maytubby	45	00	
Ottawa Water Works	78	25	162.20

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Claims report on the following claims and recommend payment.

E. A. Haines	57	35	
Louise Chapman	40	00	
L. L. Porter	18	00	115.35

This report was adopted.

The Committee on Parks being absent, on motion of Councilman Young the claim of

T. V. Ashby as Parkkeeper of	50	00	50.00

for December and January was allowed.

The Committee on Health report on the following claims and recommend payment.

L. R. Crawford	10	00	10.00

On motion this report was adopted

The street and Alley Committee offered the following report.

Ottawa Kansas Feb. 1. 98

Report of St. + Alley Com. filing Decemmarch St.

To Mayor and Council of City of Ottawa:-

Your Committee on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the petition of F. R. Ramsdell and 17 others, for tiling Decmmarch St. from Main, east, would report in favor of doing said work as requested.

O. H. Ransom
W. L. Ward.

On motion, this report was adopted.

The Committee on License report on the Bond and application of H. E. Davis for Billiard Room as follows:- "Recommend approval of Bond and License granted."

D. M. Young. Chairman

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the report of the Street Commissioner for the months of December and January as follows:- "Examined. O.K. W. L. Ward."

This report was adopted.

The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for the month of January as follows:- "Examined and found Correct."

J. G. Brandlin.

This report was adopted.

Lighting
Councilman Ward from the Special Committee
appointed to look into the matter of lighting
the side streets of the City, asked further time,
he being the only member of that Committee
present, was not prepared to report.

The Mayor stated to the council that he had
waited on the Co. Com. with reference to macadam-
ising the east half of the Block in front of the
Court House square and they agreed to pay one
half of what the other was which would be
$285.00, and asked the privilege of paying on
or before a year; would pay sooner if they
could.

Also, as one of the Committee appointed to look after
the matter of getting a couple of rooms in the
basement of the new Court House, that he had
waited on the Commissioners and made the pro-
position as they wished, That the Co. Com. would
lease two rooms in the basement for the term
of ten years, the city to finish them off, put
in heating and lighting fixtures and plaster
side walls of corridor and furnish their own light;
County to furnish janitor and steam heat.
County reserves right to terminate lease after
third year by giving 6 mos. notice in writing
and paying pro-rata share of expense for the
remainder of ten years.

On motion of Councilman Young that the
proposition of the County Commissioners, with privilege to occupy on Court House
be accepted, a vote was had and the motion
prevailed.

An Appropriation Ordinance, appropriating
the sum of $707.18 for the purpose of defray-
ing the expenses of the City Government was
then read, and the question being, Shall
the ordinance pass? The roll was called
with the following result:- Yeas 5. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were
Messrs Mandlin, Peterson, Staples, Ward
and Young.
Absent and not voting, Messrs Crane, Lau-
rom and Semple.
And so the Mayor announcing that a ma-
jority of the Councilmen elect having voted
in favor of the ordinance declared the ordi-
nance duly passed

Appropriation
$707.18

Executive Session

At the request of the Mayor, Council then went into executive session, with Councilman Young, as President pro-tem, in the chair.

Council rose from executive session and resumed its regular order of business, with the Mayor in the chair.

F. A. Gracell Assessor

Councilman Young made the following report:- Mr. Mayor:- I am pleased to inform you that the nomination of F. A. Gracell as assessor, has been approved.

Councilman Grandlin called the attention of the Council to the old sidewalk in front of the old street car barn as being dangerous, and Councilman Ward called attention to the condition of the walk on Ninth street between Cedar and Oak.

And thereupon, Council adjourned

Attest:- Louise Chapman
City Clerk

Horace Smith
Mayor

Council Chambers
Mar 1, 1893.

Reg. Session

Council met in Regular Session: Mayor in the Chair. Roll called The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names. Messrs Crane, Grandlin, Wilder, Ward and Young. Quorum Present.

The journal of last regular meeting read and approved.

U. P. Aug 1. to Aug 8.

A request by the United Presbyterian Synod, that the time of holding their services at Forest Park the coming year be changed from July 25, to Aug. 20, to Aug. 1, to 8, inclusive was by motion of Councilman Ward, granted.

Bond, Application A. P. Elder Plumbing

Bond and application of A. P. Elder for plumbing presented and referred to Committee on Police, on account of the absence of each member of the Health Committee.

Statement from Clerk

The statement of the City Clerk for the quarter ending 2nd Mar. 6, 1893, referred to Committee on Finance.

The report of the sidewalks repaired for the month of February, 1893, referred to the Committee on Sidewalks.

Report of the Police Judge for the month of February, 0893 referred to Committee on Police.

Report of St. Com. for the month of February, referred to Committee on Sts. and Alleys.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Bills presented

A Ronisted	digging gravel	Cemetery	32	50	
Morris Lynaham	labor Sts. a.	S. & A.	15	37	
George H. Priest	" "	"	15		
Frank Arnold	" "	"	10		
M Wilson	" "	"	3	80	
George Shepherd	" "	"	16	75	
Jeff. Garbison	" "	"	14	75	
Wm Bolton	" "	"	9	25	
Willie Priest	" "	"	13	12	
S. H. Watkins	" "	"	15	63	
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	Erase	"	12	95	
James Lirning	Labor	"	18	75	
Joseph Hackett	"	"	48	75	
Chas. S. Curby	working Sts.	"	25	63	
C. E. Lemon	Sts. Com.	"	40	00	
E. Chenoweth	rep. tools	"		50	
Grant Smith	Night Watch	Police	45		
E Boltwood	City Marshal	"	63		
J. A. Elwell	boarding Sts.		210	40	
M. R. Ivey	hauling hose	F. W. & L.		100	
J. C. Armstrong	mdse.	" "	3	45	
A. P. Elder	"	"	4	15	
Ottawa Gas. Co.	light Eng. H.	"	5	60	
H. H. Hartshorn	driving H team	"	45	00	
Ottawa Water Works	lights	"	78	70	
H. J. R. Medaris	sidewalk rep.	Sidewalk	21	00	
J. D. Ashby	park keeper	"	25	00	
A. P. Elder	mdse for park	"	18	58	
H. C. Branson	error sidewalk	"	2	14	
H. J. R. Medaris	sidewalk rep.	"	14	00	
F. H. Leuper	flower pots	"	1	00	

	Forbes Hdwe. Co	mdse for park sidewalk			42	
	Forbes Hdwe. Co.	" sidewalk	"	2	75	
	S. B. Rohrbaugh	Sidewalk delinq.	"	195	30	
	Fee bill Jelly vs. Shoaf		Claim	14	95	
	J. C. Shonyo	mdse	"	1	15	
	Lonias Chapman	Jelly Clerk	"	40	00	
Bills allowed	The Committee on Claims report on the					
	following claims and recommend payment.					
	Fee bill, Jelly vs. Shoaf			14	95	
	J. C. Shonyo	Stationery		1	15	
	Lonias Chapman			40	00	56.10
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Cemetery report on the					
	following claim and recommend					
	payment.					
	A Ronated			32	50	32.50
	This report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Sts. & Alleys report on the					
	following claims and recommend					
	payment.					
	Morris Linaham			15	37	
	George W. Priest			15		
	Frank Arnold			10		
	W. Wilson			3	80	
	George Shepherd			16	75	
	Job Garbison			14	75	
	Wm Bolton			9	25	
	Willie Priest			13	12	
	S. W. Watkins			15	63	
	Ottawa Hdwe. Co.			12	95	
	James Linning			18	75	
	Joseph Walker			48	75	
	Chas S. Emery			25	63	
	S. E. Vernon			40	00	
	E. Chenoweth				50	
	John Gay			10	00	270.2
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Police report on the follow-					
	ing claims and recommend payment.					
	Forest Smith			45	00	
	E. Boltwood			63	00	
	J. A. Elwell			210	40	318.4
	On motion this report was adopted.					
	The Committee on Fire, Water & Lights					
	report on the following claims and rec-					
	commend payments.					

	M. R. Ivey			1 00	
	J. C. Armstrong			3 45	
	A. P. Ecden			4 15	
	Ottawa Gas Co.			5 60	
	H. L. Hartshorn			45 00	
	Ottawa Water Works			78 20	137.40
	On motion this report was adopted.				
ert	The Committee on Sidewalks report on the following claims and recommend payment.				
	W. J. R. Meadows			20 00	
56.10	T. W. Ashby			25 00	
	A. P. Elder			18 58	
	H. C. Branson			2 14	
	W. J. R. Meadows			14 00	
	W. W. Geyer			1 00	
32.50	Forbes Have Co.			42	
	Forbes Have Co.			2 75	
the	S. B. Rohrbaugh	Trimming Farquhar Ave Oct 1st/94		195 30	280.19
	On motion, this report was adopted.				
Report Ed Light Com.	The Committee appointed to investigate the matter of street lighting made the following report: "Your special committee on devising some plan for lighting the outside portions of the City, would respectfully report that they have considered the propositions that were made in open council, by the managers of the Electric Light Company and the Gas Company respectively; and would recommend that the proposition of the Electric Light Company, be accepted, to-wit:- That thirty lights of 32 candle power, at twelve dollars per year each, be located at different points in the city where most needed.				
				Gr. L. Ward, H. D Crane	
170.25	On the suggestion of Councilman Young the matter was laid over. no action taken.				
Com	The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the petition for a street crossing from the west entrance of the new Court House as follows:- The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom this petition was referred, recommend that the request of the petitioners be granted on the same terms that other crossings				
Report of St. Com. for crossing from S. H. House					
918.40					

* The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the petitions of Wm. L. Pickerell, for a sewer on Rideau Place, as follows: "Recommend that the petitions be granted." (Sgd.) H. D. Crane. This report was adopted.

of the same kind have been constructed, that the City pay one half of the expense.

Wm. L. Ward.

This report was laid over. *

The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for the month of February, as follows: "Examined and believed to be correct"

J. A. Grandlin.

This report was adopted.

The Committee on Sidewalks report on the reports of the Sidewalk Repairer for the months of January and February as follows:- "Examined and approved"

H. D. Crane.

Each bearing the same endorsements on motion the reports were adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the report of the St. Com. for the month of Feb. as follows:-

"Examined and approved

Wm. L. Ward.

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Police to whom was referred the Bond and Application of A. E. Elder for Plumbers License, submit the following report:-

"Recommend bond be approved and license granted"

J. A. Grandlin

This report was adopted.

Comm. to Council re W. J. Pickerell Sewerage

The following communication was then read:- "To the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa:-

Gentlemen:- At this time of warning from many sources, on the subject of sanitation I wish respectfully to call your attention to the fact that there is no sewer connection for British property adjoining the Post Office, which is now occupied by a family for the lunch counter business, the closets from which, would be no greater if it was a hotel.

Your Honorable body should require that sewer connection be made at once for kitchen and closet. There is no sewer connection for kitchen closets for the Dot-

wiles of House. They are taken under ground in the ditch north across 1st St.
Very Respy. W. J. Pickerell.
This matter was referred to the Committee on Health.

Com. W. J. Pickerell

Also the following communication:-
3/1 " 93.
To the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa.
Gentlemen:- I have a large room 22 x 65 ft., the room formerly occupied by Kessler for his printing office, that I would be pleased to rent to the city for Council Room" etc, for $100.00 per year. It has six windows and is well ventilated
Respectfully submitted
W. J. Pickerell.
There was no action taken in this matter.

Ord. to regulate sale of certain drinks

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the sale of certain drinks offered by Councilman Young, and read the first time.
Councilman Ward moved that the rules be suspended, the ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed. Ordinance read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. And the question being Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result.
Ayes 5. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Orahe, Standlin, Mapes, Ward and Young.
Absent and not voting, Messrs Ransom Peterson and Semple.
And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect, having voted in favor of the ordinance, the ordinance was declared duly passed.

Ord. prohibiting junk shops from purchasing from minor.

An Ordinance entitled, "An ordinance prohibiting junk shops or second hand store keepers from purchasing any article in their line of business from a minor under 16 years of age" presented by Councilman Young. Read the first time and on motion of Councilman Young, the rules were suspended, ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas 4. Nays 1. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Crapie, Mandlin, Ward and Young. Negative, Councilman Grapes. Absent and not voting, Messrs Peterson, Rapson and Semple.

And so, the Mayor announcing that having failed to get a majority of the councilmen elect, the Ordinance had not passed.

Ord. specifying kind of pipe to use in water mains.

An Ordinance intitled "An Ordinance specifying the kind of pipe to be used for delivering water from the mains of the water works to the property line on a certain portion of main street and fixing a penalty for the violation of the ordinance. Read the first time.

Chief Fire Dept. report as to coil in certain engine

A. P. Elder, Chief of Fire Department appeared before the Council, and informed the Council that the coil in the Fire Engine had been disabled at the late fire, Mr. McKibbin's store, and that he had taken the responsibility of telegraphing for another immediately.

Appr. Ord. $1094.84

An Appropriation ordinance, appropriating the sum of $1094.84 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government, was then read, And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was read with the following result.

Yeas 5, Nays 0.

Gentlemen voting in the affirmative, were Messrs Crane, Mandlin, Grapes, Ward and Young.

Absent and not voting Messrs Peterson

Ransom and Semple.
And as a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance the Mayor declared the ordinance duly passed.

On motion of Councilman Young, council adjourned.

Horace Smith
Mayor

Attest:- Louise L Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
April 5th 1893

Reg Sess. Council met in regular session. Mayor in the Chair. Roll called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names. Messrs Crane, Mandlin, Mapes, Ransom Semple and Young. Ward came in later.

The Journal of the last regular meeting of March 1st 1893, read and approved.

Sidewalk S. side Fremont bet Main & Hickory

A Petition for a sidewalk on the South side of Fremont Street, between Main and Hickory, signed by William Pentz and 13 others presented and referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

Bond & Apl. Chas B. Oelkers

Bond and Application for plumbing signed by Charles B. Oelkers presented and referred to Committee on Licenses.

Forest Park Apr. 26. 93 Odd Fellows

Councilman Semple requested the use of Forest Park for a celebration of the Odd Fellows, on the 26th day of April, 1893. And on motion the request was granted.

The report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of March, referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

The Report of the Police Judge for the month of March 1893, referred to Committee on Police.

The Report of the Street Commissioner for the month of March 1893. referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

The Report of the Ottawa Librarian for the quarter ending March 1st 1893 referred to Committee on Printing.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate committees:

Morris Cunnahan	Labor 2 v.a.	S.t.A.	24	50
John Cuny	"	"	22	50
G. H. Grotzer	Appr. 9th St.	"	3	00
Frank Arnold	Labor S.t.A.	"	1	25
George W. Priest	" "	"	9	00
William Bolton	" "	"	2	50
J. W. Watkins	" "	"	1	25
William Priest	" "	"	4	00
Nils Anderson	" "	"	1	25
J. H. Evans	" "	"	1	25
J. H. Ransom	" "	"		50
J. S Stannard	" "	"	3	75
Chas. B. Ockers	mdse "	"	2	05
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	" "	"	9	43
Robinson and Lapping	" "	"	5	25
W. E. Fryer	Labor "	"	10	00
W. Wilson	Blksmith "	"		80
Lorne Pierson	Labor "	"	2	00
George Shepherd	" "	"	16	13
Joseph Walker	" "	"	103	50
James Lirning	" "	"	32	12
C. S. Crosby	" "	"	3	25
Jos. Garbutt	" "	"	1	50
W. A. Hartshorn	driving 2 team	T. W. & C.	45	00
VanDerment and Rumley	Blk Smithing	" "	2	40
E. A. Hanes	money adv.	"	21	00
J. H. Ransom	mdse + Labor	"	31	94
Ottawa Water Works	lighting city	"	79	67
J. H. Ransom + Co.	mdse	"	10	83
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	"	"	1	15
J. H. Vick	hay	"	6	71
J. C. Dimar	"	"	6	30
T. Walker	hauling hose	"	1	00
Ottawa Fire Dept.	Appropriation	"	100	00
A. P. Elder	mdse	"	21	80
Ottawa Gas Co.	lighting Eng. H.	"	6	00
J. W. Alexander	Blksmithing	Sidewalk	1	50
E. V. Colby	park keeper	"	25	00
F. M. Oakley	Labor in park	"	10	00
Chas. B. Ockers	mdse	"	8	05

J. H. Ransom		Sidewalk	1	90	
H. J. R. Friedairs	sidewalk rep.	"	22	70	
D. C. Wilkinson	trimming trees Cole park	"	11	25	
Milo R. Harris	lumber	"	66	90	
E. A. Warren	ref. sec. tax	Claims	55	50	
H. W. DeWolf	Clerk of election	"	2	00	
Geo. Anthony	Judge " "	"	3	00	
P. Foley	" " "	"	3	00	
Louise Chapman	Rent of Office	"	12	00	
D. Holaday	Judge of Election	"	3	00	
S. L. Rogers	" " "	"	3	00	
J. H. Ransom	wood for City Clk		6	00	
H. B. Fowler	killing animal	"	7	00	
Ottawa Library	Appropriation	"	100	00	
Louise Chapman	Salary	"	40	00	
Grant Smith	Night Watch	Police	45	00	
E. Boltwood	City Marshal	"	61	00	
A. Rounsted	digging graves	Cemetery	27	50	
The Republican	Printing	Printing	24	80	
W. A. Richards	City Atty	Police	125	00	
The Committee on Streets and Alleys, report on the following claims and recommend payment:-					
Morris Linnahan			24	50	
John Lacy			22	50	
H. C. Thorger			3	00	
Frank Axtell			1	25	
George H. Priest			9	00	
William Bolton			2	50	
S. H. Hatkins			1	25	
William Priest			4	00	
Fils. Anderson			1	25	
J. W. Evans			1	25	
J. H. Ransom				50	
J. S. Stannart			3	75	
Charles B. Calkins			2	05	
Ottawa Howe Co.			9	43	
Robinson and Lapping			4	75	
H. C. Foye			10	00	
H. Wilson				80	
Sore Pierson			2	00	
George Shepherd			16	13	
Joseph Walker			103	50	
James Lanning			32	12	
C. S. Curby			31	25	
Job Garbitson			1	50	298.28

On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Fire, Water & Lights report on the following claims and recommend payment.

C. L. Hartshorn	45	00
Van Lorman & Rowley	2	40
E. A. Manes	21	00
J. H. Ransom	31	94
Ottawa Water Works	69	27
J. H. Ransom & Co.	10	83
Ottawa House Co.	1	15
J. H. Vick	6	71
J. C. Degrar	6	30
A. Walker	1	00
Ottawa F. Dept.	100	00
A. P. Elder	21	80
Ottawa Gas Co.	6	00

On motion this report was adopted
The Committee on Sidewalks and Parks report on the following Claims and recommend payment.

J. W. Alexander	1	00
T. V. Ashby	25	00
F. W. Oakley	10	00
Chas. B. Oelkers	8	05
J. H. Ransom	1	90
W. J. R. Medaris	22	70
D. C. Wilkinson	11	25
Wilbo R. Harris	66	90

Report adopted.
The Committee on Claims report on the following claims and recommend payment:

E. A. Manes	55	60
H. W. De Wolf	2	00
Geo. Anthony	3	00
P. Fales	3	00
Louise Chapman	12	00
D. Holaday	3	00
S. G. Ferris	3	00
J. H. Ransom	6	80
W. B. Fowler	7	00
Ottawa Library	100	00
Louise Chapman	40	00

On motion this report was adopted

The Committee on Police report on the following
to Claims and recommend payment:-
Grant Smith 45 00
E. Boltwood 61 00 106.00
On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Cemetery report on the
following claim and recommend payment.
A Rompted 27 50 27.50
Report adopted.
The Committee on Printing report on the
following claim and recommend payment.
The Republican 24 80 24.80
Report adopted.
The Committee on Police to whom was
referred the claim of
H. A. Richards for 125 00 125.00
323.40 report as follows:-
"Referred back without recommenda-
tion" J. L. Mandlin Chairman
After some explanation on the part of the
City Atty with reference to the bill, referring
to two cases having been tried in Supreme
Court, City vs. Rohr Haugh and City vs. County
Commissioners, Councilman Semple moved
that the bill be allowed. Upon this motion a
vote was had and the motion prevailed.
595 The Committee on Finance to whom was
146.80 referred the Report of the City Treasurer
for the quarter ending Mar. 31st 1893, report
as follows:- "Examined and found
correct. The date of the payment by the ac-
companying orders, authorized by the coun-
cil, and issued by the Clerk, have been
duly entered upon the records."
M. L. Ward, Chm. Fin. Com.
On motion this report was adopted.
Upon motion of Councilman Ward, the
cancelled vouchers, coupons and Fire
Warrants, were destroyed by the Clerk, in
the presence of the council, by Fire.
The Committee on Police to whom was
referred the report of the Police Judge for
the month of March, 1893, report as follows:-
234.50 "Examined and found correct.
J. L. Mandlin.
This report was adopted.

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The Committee on Sidewalks to whom was referred the report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of March 1893 report as follows" Report Adopted"

H. D. Crane.

This report on motion, was adopted.

Pet. for sidewalk granted

And the same committee reports on the petition of Wm Krutz et. al. for sidewalk on the South side of Tecumseh bet. Grain and Tue. Sch. Main & Hickory, as follows: "Having examined the within petition I recommend the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

H. D. Crane

And on motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Finance report on the statement of the City Clerk for the quarter ending March 1st 1893, as follows:-

"Examined and found correct"

M. L. Ward. Ch. Fin. Com.

Report adopted.

The Committee on Printing to whom was referred the Report of the Ottawa Librarian for the quarter ending Mar. 1st 1893. submit the following report. "Examined and found satisfactory" M. L. Ward.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the Report of the Street Commissioner for the month of March. 1893 as follows:-

"Examined and approved"

J. M. Ransom St. & Alley Com.

This report was adopted

Report of Com on 9th Street

Councilman Ward from the Committee on Streets and Alleys report with reference to the opening of 9th Street, that the deed form Atkinson and wife has been executed, and is now in the hands of the City Clerk, and there is nothing now in the way of completing the work. And moved that the reports of the appraisers awarding damages to the different parties be adopted. On this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

A communication from A. P. Elder was then read as follows:-

Com. A. P. Elder

Ottawa, Kansas. Apr. 5. 1893

To the Mayor & Council.

Indicator Machine Shop whistles

We have been having a great deal of trouble and complaint about the inability of fireman to hear a fire alarm since the rebuilding of the bell tower. We have been compelled to suspend fires on this account. I have finally obtained permission from the R.R. Co. to use their whistle to sound alarms. But, to utilize it, we require an indicator which will cost $100.00. I think it very necessary that this piece of apparatus be procured and I would request your permission to order the same.

Yr. Truly A. P. Elder
Chief Fire Dept.

On motion of Councilman Draper, the matter of procuring an indicator in order to utilize the Machine Shop whistle for fire alarm purposes, was referred to the Committee on Fire and Water in connection with the Chief of the Fire Dept., with power to act.

A Communication from H. I. Pickerell reads as follows:

April 4th 93.

To the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa:

Gentlemen: At the last meeting of the council, you was informed of the necessity of sewer connection for the Mullinix and Occidental Hotel properties. One month of the best weather for such work has passed, and nothing appears to have been done. The urgency of this case makes delay criminal.

Respectfully
H. I. Pickerell

Com. H. I. Pickerell

This matter was referred to Committee on Health.

Councilman Young offered the following Resolution.

Council Room, April 5, 1893.

Resolution to draw orders to pay for property taken

Whereas, the report of the appraisers of property to be taken for the extension of Ninth Street has been adopted, Now Therefore,

Resolved, that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to draw orders upon the City Treasurer for the several amounts shown in the report of the appraisers and deliver the same to the several parties

entitled to them, upon their giving a receipt to the City in full for the property taken
D. E. Young
This resolution was adopted.

Councilman Crane offered the following:-

Resignation H. D. Crane

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Ottawa:- Gentlemen:-
By reason of my election to the office of Mayor, I hereby tender my resignation of Councilman for the Third Ward of the City.
Ottawa, April 5. 1893 H. D. Crane

It was then moved that the resignation of H. D. Crane be accepted. And the motion prevailed.

Councilman Semple moved that the Mayor be instructed to call a special election in the Third Ward for the purpose of filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr Crane.

Special elect. 3rd Ward

Motion prevailed.

The Mayor stated to the Council that one Emma Patterson had been arrested and sentenced to 30 days in the County jail, and after serving about half her time, she and her friends had applied for her release; that after consulting the Police Judge and City Atty., thought it would be in the interest of Justice to release her during good behaviour, and without waiting for the action of the council, had taken the opportunity to do so.

Emma Patterson

Councilman Young moved that the action of the Mayor be ratified.

Motion prevailed.

Ella Schroeder

Also another girl by the name of Etta Schroeder, arrested at the same time. Her father gave bond, and has paid $18.00 From what he had heard of the case he would recommend that the unpaid balance of the fine of Ella Schroeder be remitted.

Councilman Ward moved that the recommendation be adopted.

Motion Prevailed.

Mayor reports on rooms in basement in Court House

The Mayor reported that the Committee, appointed sometime ago by the council, had regarded to getting rent granters in the basement of the Court House, had entered into a contract with Mr Dimlbiss to finish off the rooms and with Mr Elder to put in the heating and lighting appiaratus. And that the Telephone & vault doors were not covered by these contracts.

Councilman Young made a motion that the Committee already appointed, be instructed to act further, with power to act in regard to the vault doors.

Motion prevailed

Ord. specifying the kind of pipe to be used for delivering water

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance specifying the kind of pipe to be used for delivering water from the main of the water works to the property line on a certain portion of Main Street and fixing a penalty for the violation of the ordinance"

Read the second time and considered by sections.

Councilman Hard moved to amend Section One, of this ordinance by inserting another section as a substitute for Section 1. Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

The Ordinance was now placed upon its final passage; and the question being Shall the ordinance pass? the Roll was called with the following result.

Yeas 6. Nays 0.

Gentlemen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Franklin, Knapek, Ransom Hard, Semple and Young.

Absent and not voting, Councilmen Crane and Peterson.

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

A manuscript from Gen. A. J. Sharp was presented to the Council by Councilman Ransom, and referred to Councilman Hard as Chairman of the Committee on Printing.

Apr. Ord $1276.28

an Appropriation Ordinance, appropriating the sum of $1276.28 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government for the ensuing year, and the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas Six (6) Nays 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Mandlin, Draper, Ransom Hard Semple and Young. Absent and not voting Messrs Crane and Peterson.

And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect, having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Thereupon Council adjourned.

Attest:- Lonias Chapman, City Clerk — Mayor

Council Chambers
April 7th 1893.

Board of Canvassers

Council met as a Board of Canvassers to canvass the votes cast at the Election of April 4th 1893.
The Mayor in the Chair. Roll called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names.
Messrs Crane, Mandlin, Semple, Hard and Young.
Quorum Present.
The Mayor then appointed Councilmen Semple, Hard and Young, as a committee to tabulate the votes cast on April 4th 1893.
At this point Councilman Draper took his seat.
The Committee appointed to canvass the votes submit the following report
Read by Councilman Semple.

Ottawa April 7th. 1893.

To the Mayor and Comncilmen of the City of Ottawa.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee appointed to canvass the votes cast at the election held on April 4th 1893, would report the following number of ballots as having been cast for the several candidates.

For Mayor:

H. D. Crane	received	611 Votes
A. P. Elder	"	439 do
J. M. Luce	"	85 Do

Plurality for H. D. Crane 172 votes

For Police Judge.

James Robb	received	607 Votes
S. F. Day	"	303 Do
D. H. McGhee	"	149 "
C. C. Wright	"	76 "

Plurality in favor of James Robb. 304 votes

For City Treasurer.

Frank R. Williams	received	634 votes
G. F. Easterly	"	424 "
C. C. Conklin	"	90 "

Plurality in favor of Frank R Williams 210 "

For Treas. of School Board.

J. C. Armstrong	Received	620 votes
G. C. Smith	"	422 do
L. L. Stacher	"	100 "

Plurality in favor of J. C. Armstrong 208 votes

For Councilman 1st Ward

D. K. Flinchpaugh	received	126 votes
Peter Kaiser	"	112 "
John Jeffries	"	12 "

Plurality in favor of D. K. Flinchpaugh 14 votes

Member of School Board 1st Ward

E. J. Thomas	received	129 votes
H. M. Ewing	"	114 "

Majority in favor of E. J. Thomas 15 votes

For Councilman 2nd Ward.

H. C. Branson	received	272 votes
J. L. Spencer	"	68 "
H. H. Keyser	"	34 "

Plurality in favor of H. C. Branson 204 votes

Member of School Board
2nd Ward.

W. R. Harris	received	256 votes
H. F. Sheldon	"	88 "
L. R. Grant	"	34 "

Plurality in favor of W. R. Harris 168 votes

For Councilman 3rd Ward.

Sanford Topping	received	283 votes
J. A. Purdy	"	81 "
O. L. Parkinson	"	28 "

Plurality in favor of Sanford Topping 202 votes

Member of School Board
3rd Ward.

Ed Chenoweth	received	261 votes
Levi Shaver	"	88 "
R. C. Henderson	"	30 "

Plurality in favor of Ed Chenoweth 173 votes.

For Councilman 4th Ward.

J. E. Byers	received	51 votes
J. L. Mandlin	"	49 "
August Johnson	"	7 "

Plurality in favor of J. E. Byers, 2 votes.

For Member of School Board
4th Ward

C. L. Cowdery	received	55 votes
F. C. Kettrick	"	45 "
Chas S. H. Byers	"	8 "

Plurality in favor of C. L. Cowdery 10 votes.

For Justice of the Peace

C. L. Robbins	received	572 votes
S. E. Cummings	"	514 "
J. H. Goodin	"	379 "
H. M. Saunders	"	244 "
R. S. Wood	"	49 "
A. D. Alderman	"	15 "

Messrs C. L. Robbins and S. E. Cummings received the largest number of votes cast and are elected as Justices of the Peace

For Constables.

H. B. F. Keller	received	838 votes
John Armstrong	"	544 "
H. Huskey	"	288 "
F. M. Allen	"	55 "
F. Wyatt	"	53 "

Messrs H. B. F. Keller and John Armstrong having received the largest number of votes cast, are elected Constables.

On the proposition to vote the sum of $15.000 in bonds for the purpose of constructing a School House, there was cast for the bonds 271 votes; against the Bonds 589 votes.

Majority against the Bonds 318 votes

Respectfully submitted

W. L. Ford

R. H. Semple

D. C. Young.

And thereupon the Mayor announced that the several candidates who had received the highest number of votes was declared duly elected.

And thereupon Council Adjourned.

Attest:- Louise Chapman
City Clerk.

Mayor

Council Chambers.
April 19th. 1893.

Regular Session. Council met in regular session. Mayor Smith in the Chair. Roll Called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names. Messrs [illegible]e, Braudlin, Brazis, Semple, Ward and Young. Quorum Present.

The Journal of last regular meeting of April 5th '93, and adjourned meeting of April 7th 93 read and approved.

The following bills were presented and referred to Committee on Claims

Clark Bros.	Stationery	Claim	3	75
O. M. Clark.	rent of auditorium	"	2	00
E. J. Ingert	judge of election	"	3	00
William F. Clarke	" "	"	2	00
A. H. Ingram	" "	"	2	00
A. H. Hutchison	" "	"	2	00
H. V. Bacon	" "	"	2	00
C. E. Latchem	" "	"	2	00
J. H. Agnew	" "	"	2	00
Henry Sanborn	" "	"	2	00
S. J. Semple	" "	"	2	00

The Committee on Claims report on the foregoing bills, and recommend payment. This report was adopted.

The Committee on License to whom was referred the Bond and Application of Chas. B. Calkins for gener plumbing and gas fitting submit the following report.

Bond + Application Chas B. Calkins

"Recommend Bond be approved and License granted. D. C. Young
Chm. Licens Com.

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Finance to whom was referred the Report of the City Treasurer to April 15th 1893. report as follows:-

I have examined the within report and find it correct. The date of the payment of the accompanying warrants have been duly recorded by the City Clerk. M. L. Ward
Chm. Fin. Com.

On motion this report was adopted.

Coun. to canvass votes.

The mayor then appointed Semple, Ward and Mapes as a Board of Canvassers to canvass the votes cast on April 17th/93 for a councilman in the 3rd Ward.

Councilman Semple, from that Committee made the following report:-

"Ottawa Apr. 19. 1893

To the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Ottawa, Ont.

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee appointed to canvass the votes cast at a special election for councilman held in the 3rd Ward of the City, on April 17. 1893, would report the following as the result of said election

Henry Ott	received	93 votes
A. P. Elder	"	72 votes
J. L. Keith	"	1 vote
J. A. Purdy	"	1 vote

Plurality in favor of Henry Ott, 21 votes

J. R. O. Semple
W. L. Ward
Wm Mapes.

4.75 Henry Ott elected Councilman

The Mayor then announced that Henry Ott having received a majority of the votes cast at the special election for Councilman in the 3rd Ward to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. C. D. Crane, was thereby elected.

The Mayor informed the Council that he had drawn an order on the County Clerk, for pauper permits, amounting to $52.00, and turned it over to the City Clerk. Also stated to the council that the street and Alley Committee had mailed on the 10th inst. some time ago with reference to macadamizing the east half of Main Street in front of the new Court House square and make an agreement with them to macadamize them

$52.00 pauper permits

Time Warrant Leo. to City $285.00

half of the block for $285.00 and they asked for time until the 1st day of January 1894

Have issued a time order for $285.00 due Jany. 1st 1894, which is deposited with the City Treasurer; also $4.05 for dirt sold County deposited with City Treasurer, and receipts

filed with the City Clerk.

The Committee on Printing to whom was referred the manuscript of A T Sharp report as follows:- "The Com. on Printing to whom was referred the communication of Gen. Sharpe, would report that the paper is not without merit, but considering the condition of the City's finances, they cannot recommend that it be published at the expense of the City

W. L. Ward

This report was adopted.

A. T. Sharp manuscript

Rec'd take May.

Com for

An appropriation ordinance, appropriating the sum of $24.75 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government was then read, and the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows:- Yeas (6) Nays (0)

Councilmen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Devine, Mondlin, Snapes, Semple Ward and Young. Absent and not voting, Messrs Peterson and Ransom.

App. Ord. $24.75

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Council were elected, having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed

The Mayor elect, H. D. Coombe, and the councilmen elect, Messrs. Byers, Barnson Flinch, Spaugh, Ott and Lofgring then took the oath of Office administered to them by the City Clerk.

Oath of Office Mayor elect + Councilmen

Mayor Devich then made a few remarks thanking the Council for the kindly treatment he had received at their hands, and for their ready assistance in all things and at all times, and closed by stating that the cash now in the City Treasury amounted to $6979.18; that the amount in the hands of the Co. Treas. and yet to be collected, was $9857. Total available for all purposes during the year $16.836.18

Mayor Devich thanks the council

H. D. Crane takes the Mayor's seat

H. D. Crane, then took the Mayor's seat and Council took up the regular order of business.

On motion of Councilman Lofping, D. C. Young was elected President of the Council.

The Mayor then appointed the following committees:-

Committees for 1893

"Committees of Council for 1893."

Streets and Alleys	Lofping, Byers & Young
Fire, Water and Lights	Brauson, Ott and Draper
Claims	Lofping, Draper & Flinchpaugh
Sidewalks	Byers, Brauson and Ott
Finance	Brauson, Byers and Peterson
Health	Young, Byers and Ott
License	Ott, Draper and Lofping
Printing	Peterson, Young and Flinchpaugh
Cemetery	Young, Peterson and Flinchpaugh
Police	Draper, Young and Brauson
Ordinances	Flinchpaugh, Lofping and Peterson

H. D. Crane

The Bond of Frank R. Williams for City Treasurer was presented and approved.

Executive Session

Council then went into executive session with Councilman Young as President of the council, in the Chair.

Report of Executive Com.

Council rose from executive session and resumed its regular order of business with Mayor Crane in the Chair.

The Council, through Councilman Young, President thereof, made the following report: Mr Mayor I have the honor to inform you that all your nominations have been confirmed with the exception of City Physician, to-wit:-

Appointments

City Clerk	Mrs Louise Chapman
City Marshal	E. Boltwood
City Attorney	H. A. Richards
Street Commissioner	Joseph Frankee
City Physician	Dr. J. F. Parsons, not confirmed
Park Commissioner	J. P. Harris
Park Keeper	Thomas Ashley

Right Hatchman A. B. Lowyr.
To Have charge of Coll. Park, H. F. Sheldon
On motion this report was adopted.

7-30 P.M. reg. hours council

It was moved and seconded that the regular hour for Council meeting be at 7-30 o'clock. Motion prevailed

Crane Lopping + Branson Com. to look after rooms in Court House

Councilman Lopping moved that the Mayor appoint two members of the council in place of Mr Smith and Peterson, who with the former committee with Mr Crane, to look after the rooms in the new Court house. In pursuance thereof, the Mayor appointed Messrs Lopping and Branson as such committee.

On motion of Councilman Young. Council adjourned.

Attest

City Clerk

H. D. Crane Mayor

Council Chambers
April 24th 1893.

Call meeting

Council met pursuant to a call from the Mayor, made and issued upon the written request of four council men to-wit:- Messrs Young, Ott, Branson and Draper.

Mayor Crane in the Chair.

Roll Called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names: Messrs Branson, Draper, Ott, Flinch, Spangler and Young.

Quorum Present.

The call was read as follows:-

"To the Mayor of the City of Ottawa:-

The undersigned Councilmen of said City, respectfully request that you call a Special meeting of the council to meet on Tuesday evening April 25th 1893, at 7½ o'clock P. M. to consider applications made to said council

for permission to make connections with the mains of the system of sewers of said city, and to fix the fee for making such connections.

D. C. Young
Wm. Otts
H. L. Branson
Wm. Drake

Application of C. A. Dunn et al. J. H. Ransom to connect Drain Sewer

The Application from C. A. Dunn for permission to connect Lots 22, 24, 26 & 28, in Block 99, with the main Sewer was presented through A. P. Egdeler Licensed Plumber and requesting that fee be fixed

Also Application of J. H. Ransom, to connect with main Sewer at corner of 7th and Walnut Street. These applications were referred to Committee on Health.

At this point Councilman Lofping took his seat.

Councilman Young, Chairman of the Committee on Health asked that the council resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the purpose of fixing fees for the aforesaid connections

Councilman Branson from the Committee of the whole then moved that Wm Dunn and Wm Ransom each be allowed to connect on the payment of $25.00

At this point Councilman Byers took his seat.

Councilman Lofping moved to amend that motion by referring the two applications under consideration tonight to the Committee on health with power to act, And also, by adding to that motion, that the Committee on Health may be charged with formulating some plan by which this matter can be remedied without calling an extra council meeting, and by which justice can be done to all parties by an equalization of the tax

Upon this amendment, a vote was had and the amendment accepted.

The question now being upon the motion as amended, Councilman Brawson accepted the amendment, and withdrew his motion, as the amendment covered the entire motion.

The committee on Health to whom this matter was referred with power to act, submit the following report.

"Your Committee beg leave to report,

D. L. Dimit Main Sewer $25.00

"That in case of Harry Dimm we recommend "that he be allowed to connect with the "main sewer for $25.00. And case of

Wm. Ransom Main Sewer $18.00

"Wm Ransom we recommend that he "be allowed to connect with the main "sewer for the sum of $18.00, with the "understanding that in case said lots "be assessed in future for sewer Lateral "that the said $18.00 so paid, to be credited "to said lots 32-34 & 36, Block 122.

D. L. Young
J. E. Byers
Henry Ott.

And on motion this report was adopted.

On motion of Comeilsman Brawson Council adjourned

H. D. Crane Mayor

Attest:- Louise L. Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers.
May 3rd 1893

Reg. Session Council met in regular session Mayor Crane in the Chair. Roll Called The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names: Messrs Byers Brawson, Flinchpaugh, Draper, Ott, Topping and Young. Gaboren Present.

The journal of last regular meeting April 19th 1893 and Ball Meeting of April 24th 93 read and approved.

Pet. D. M. Clark change the course of Shunk Run

A petition signed by D. M. Clark and 23 others, to the Council, asking the Council to take some measure to change the course

of the stream known as "Skunk Run", as it crosses the City Park, and also at other points, presented and referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Pet. G. J. R. Bredaris for damages from flood

A Petition signed by G. J. R. Bredaris and Pamelia Bredaris, for damages caused by water over-flowing on their premises on April 18th & April 22, 1893, presented and referred to Committee on Claims in connection with City Attorney.

Pet. to purchase 5 acres for add. to Hope Cem.

A Petition signed by S. B. Rohrbaugh and 66 others, asking the Council to extend the grounds of Hope Cemetery by purchasing at least five acres of land of G. L. Keirle presented, and on motion of Councilman Lopping, the Petition was referred to the Committee on Cemetery, and the matter was laid over to next regular meeting.

Sidewalk Rep. report

The report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of April, 1893, presented and referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of April, 1893, referred to Committee on Police.

The following bills were presented and referred to Committees on

Bills presented

Jas. A. Service	sewer connect.	Health	11	00
Ottawa Water Co.	mdse	Cemetery	3	00
A. Romsted	digging grave	"	5	00
D. H. McGhee	Bal. due, P. J.	Police	29	00
J. A. Elwell	Boarding Pris.	"	39	60
Grant Smith	Night Watch	"	30	00
A. B. Lower	" "	"	15	00
E. Boltwood	City Marshal	"	90	00
John Halloren & Co	mdse	S. & A.	80	50
James Lanning	Labor	"	27	12
Ottawa Water Co.	mdse	"	3	00
Phillip Lowery	Labor	"	3	75
Ed Chenoweth	rep. tools	"		20
Joey Adams	Labor	"	16	20
Bert Durrett	"	"	7	50
Chas. S. Lourby	"	"	18	00
Joseph Wacker	St Cons.	"	104	75
Geo. Shepherd	Labor	"	27	88

[redacted]

Morris Linnahan	Labor	S & A	26	25	
Charlie Fowler	"	"	9	75	
E. H. Allen	"	"	12	38	
J. B. Rohrbaugh	mdse	"	93	52	
J. B. Rohrbaugh	"	F. H. & L.	3	83	
Ottawa Water Works	Lighting City	"	82	50	
C. F. Avengring	Work for H Dept	"	2	75	
L. L. Becker & Co.	mdse	"	11	60	
E. C. Morgan	Hay F. Dept.	"	8	13	
M. R. Doty	Lighting Loze	"	1	00	
Ottawa Hdwe. Co	mdse	"		10	
H. N. Hartshorn	driving 2 teams	"	45	00	
Ottawa Gas. Co	lighting Eng. H.	"	5	20	
A. P. Elder	mdse	"	6	62	
E. B. Chandler	Fire Alarm Bud	"	100	00	
John Mallorent & Co	mdse	Sidewalk	64	07	
C. A. Alexander	rep. sidewalk	"	9	25	
H. J. R. Medaris	Sidewalk Rep.	"	55	55	
C. O. Bishop	rep. sidewalk	"	5	00	
Milo R. Harris	lumber	"	54	16	
P. J. Murphy	rep. sidewalk	"	7	50	
A. P. Elder	mdse	Claims		60	
E. Chenoweth	Clk Elect.	"	2	00	
Wm Mapes	Judge "	"	2	00	
Leg Rhodes	Rescuing people from flood	"	5	00	
John Mallorem & Co	rent H. office 2	"	4	00	
A. Graying	printing	Printing	5	75	
Louisa Chapman	Salary & Stamps	Claims	42	00	
Chas. H. Ridgeway	Clk Elect.	"	2	00.	
D. Dilford	" "	"	2	00	
H. C. Becker	" "	"	2	00	
J. C. Shomo	Stationery	"	1	70	
Ottawa Milling Co	rent of office	"	2	00	
Bills allowed	The Committee on Health report on the following claims and recommend payment.				
	Jas. A. Service		10	00	11.00
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Cemetery report on the following claims and recommend payment				
	Ottawa Hdwe. Co.		3	00	
	A. Rowsted		50	00	53.00
	It was moved the report be adopted. Carried				
	The Committee on Streets and Alleys, report on the following claims and recommend-				

mend payment.

John Galloren + Co.		80	50	
James Bissing		27	12	
Ottawa Hdwe Co.		3	00	
Phillip Lower		3	75	
Ed. Ehrenwarth			20	
Jocey Adams		16	20	
Burt Pippett		7	50	
Chas. P. Leurby		18	00	
Joseph Tasker		104	75	
Geo. Shepherd		27	88	
Morris Kinnahan		26	25	
Charlie Fowler		9	75	
E. W. Allen		12	38	
S. B. Rohrbaugh		92	32	429.60

This report was adopted.

The Committee on Police report on the following Claims and recommend payment:-

D. H. McGhee		29	00	
J. A. Elwell		39	60	
Gerard Smith		30	00	
A. B. Lower		15	00	
E. Boltwood		90	00	203.60

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights report on the following claims and recommend payment.

S. B. Rohrbaugh		3	83	
Ottawa Water Works		67	21	
C. F. Avenarius		2	75	
C. L. Beckert + Co		11	60	
E. C. Morgan		8	13	
M. R. Frey		1	00	
Ottawa Hdwe Co.			10	
W. F. Wallhorn		45	00	
Ottawa Gas Co.		5	20	
A. P. Elder		6	62	
E. B. Chandler		100	00	251.44

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Sidewalks report on the following claims and recommend payment.

John Galloren + Co		64	07	
C. A. Alexander		9	25	
W. J. R. Medaris		55	55	

H. Bishop	rep. sidewalk		5	00	
Milo R. Harris	lumber		54	16	
P. J. Murphy	rep.		7	50	195.53

On motion this report was adopted

The Committee on Claims report on the following claims and recommend payment.

A. P. Elder				60	
E. Ehrenwerth			2	00	
Wm Mapes			2	00	
John Halloren & Co			4	00	
F. Graving			5	75	
Louise Chapman			42	00	
Chas. H. Ridgeway			2	00	
D. Dyford			2	00	
Dr. H. Becker			2	00	
J. C. Thomo			1	70	
Ottawa Milling Co.			2	00	66.05

On motion this report was adopted.

Lee Phares claim rejected

The Committee on Claims to whom was referred the Claim of Lee Phares of $5.00 report as follows:- "Referred back without recommendation"

S. Topping.

The matter was laid over.

Resolution of St. A. with ref. to Sa. F. R.R.

Councilman Topping, from the Committee on Streets and Alleys, offered the following resolution:- Whereas, The water-way provided by the Missouri Pac. R.R., through its embankment on or near the alley between Walnut and Locust, is entirely inadequate to convey the water through said embankment causing great inconvenience and damage to property owners adjacent, therefore,

Resolved: That the Mayor be requested to notify said railroad company to enlarge said water-way to a proper size.

S. Topping, Chn. Streets & Alleys

On motion, this Resolution was adopted

Resolution of St. A. with reference to Santa Fe R.R.

Councilman Topping offered the following Resolution: Whereas, That the recent floods have determined that some measure must be taken for the relief of residents on Walnut St, adjacent to 7th, from overflow, Therefore, The Committee on Streets and Alleys would recommend that the Santa Fe be requested to make a large

culvert through R.R. embankment south of 7th Street crossing, in the best place to relieve danger of flood, and in order to determine such place, the Superintendent be requested to send the Santa Fe engineer to make proper surveys and determine the best place for such improvement.

D. Lopping, Chm.

On motion, this Resolution was adopted.

Councilman Young, from the Committee on Health offered the following report:-

Main Sewer

Report of Com. on Health with reference to connecting with Main Sewer

To the Hon. Mayor and Council,

Your Committee to which was referred the matter of connecting with the Sewer Mains, respectfully recommend the following: That whenever a written application shall have been presented to the Mayor and council to make connection with any sewer main; that the council ascertain as near as possible what the assessment would be on all contiguous lots owned by said person in the Block where the connection is desired, in case a sewer lateral should be constructed through said block, and that said applicant be required to pay the City 50% of such amount, for the privilege of connecting with the sewer main.

Provided: That if said lots are so situated as to be liable to be assessed for a sewer lateral in future, the owner of said lots enter into an agreement with the City that said lots may be so assessed, notwithstanding said connection. But that the amount already paid for sewer connection with said lots, be credited on such assessment.

D. C. Young
Henry Ott
J. E. Byers

It was moved the Report be adopted. Motion prevailed.

Comm. W. J. Pickerell

A Communication from W. J. Pickerell was read calling the attention of the council, for the third time, to the necessity of sewer connection with the Occidental Hotel for slop purposes, and the Mellinish property for all purposes and asked that the matter receive immediate attention. This matter was referred to Committee on Health.

To Appoint a Poll Tax collector

Councilman Topping from the Com on 2d & 3rd Alleys, asked the council to give them the power to appoint a man for the purpose of collecting poll tax and to assist the St. Com. Afd the Committee on 2d & 3rd Alleys were instructed to procure some good man for that purpose.

Report of Fire Dept.

The Fire Department submitted the following Report:-

Ottawa, Kan. 4/10. 1893.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council. I hereby inform you that the following named persons have been elected to active membership in the Ottawa Fire Company since Jany. 1893. Fred Mellinish, age 18, occupation Jeweller.

L. L. Porter, " 30, "

Insurance.

Names approved

L. N. Kelsey " 30 "

Butcher.

Yours Respt.

H. D. Cole, Sec.

Councilman Topping moved that the names be approved. Motion prevailed

Resolution for public dump

Councilman Branson offered the following Resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved: That the Committee on Health be requested to designate a proper place for a Public dump to deposit offal from Streets and Alleys, and from citizens of City.

H. L. Branson.

Motion prevailed. Resolution adopted

Rent of park for pasture

J. P. Harris, Park Commissioner appeared before the council, and stated that parties wanted to rent the North Park for pasturing, and suggested that it be referred to Committee on Sidewalks and Park with power to act.

On motion the matter was referred to committee on Sidewalks and Park in connection with the Park Commissioner.

Com. A.P. Elder. proposition for gas lamps

A communication from A. P. Elder, President of the Gas Company, was read as follows:-

Olathe Kansas, May 3rd 1893

To the Hon. Mayor & Council.

At the January meeting of your Honorable body, I was requested to make you a proposition to light the City. I offered to furnish 2000 C.P. Arc Lights for $60 per mo. or 100 Imp. Gas Lamps at $18.00 each per year.

75 " " " @ 20.00 " " "

50 " " " @ 22.00 " " "

The Electric Light Co. submitted a proposition to renew existing contract which was 75.00 each per mo. for Arc Lights, and upon motion of Mr Semple, their proposition was accepted. The reason given me for this surprising and unwarranted action, was, that the council believed it the best policy to give the main street lighting to the Electric Light people, and the lighting on side streets to the Gas Co. thus, inspiring competition to the citizens as well as the city. Of course, if this arrangement was carried out, it would be satisfactory to me, but, although several months has passed, I have been unable to get the matter in shape. We now have almost an entirely new council, who are unfamiliar with the matter. I would respectfully request that you would refer the matter to the Committee upon F. W. & L, as it is of the greatest possible importance to our Company that we know at once, whether we are to have any street lighting or not.

Respectfully

A. P. Elder Pres.

This matter was referred to the Committee on F. W. & L.

Report of Special Com. on Street Lighting

The report of special Committee appointed at a former meeting, to investigate the matter of street lighting, having been read at meeting of Mar. 1st 93 and on motion, laid over, was again read as follows:

"Your Special Committee on devising some

place for lighting the outside portions of the City, would respectfully report that they have considered the propositions that were made in open council, by the Managers of the Electric Light Company, and the Gas Company respectively, and would recommend that the proposition of the Electric Light Company be accepted, to wit:- That Thirty Lights of 32 Candle Power, at $12.00 per year each, be located at different points in the City where most needed.

(Sgd) W. L. Ward
H. D. Crane

Dr Herr City Physician

The name of Dr. Herr was presented to the Council, by the Mayor, for City Physician for the ensuing two years. Upon the motion of Councilman Young, that the name of Dr. Herr be confirmed, a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

A. de Titus, City Engineer

The Mayor presented the name of A. de Titus to the council, for City Engineer for the ensuing two years. Upon motion of Councilman Topping the name of A. de Titus for City Engineer for ensuing two years was confirmed.

4 ft. walk E. side King St.

Councilman Byers asked the council to allow a 4 ft. walk to be laid on the East side of King Street, between Logan and Powhattan. On motion of Councilman Topping, this matter was referred to the Committee on Sidewalks with power to act.

Vacancy on Com. on Cemetery filled by Mr Byers.

Councilman Young suggested that the vacancy in the Committee of Cemetery caused by the absence of Councilman Peterson be filled by someone, on account of important matters being referred to that committee.

In pursuance there of, Mr Byers was appointed to act in the absence of Mr Peterson, on that committee.

$1210.22 Appr. Ord.

An Ordinance appropriating the sum of $1210.22 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government was read. And the question being. Shall the ordinance Pass. The roll was called

as follows:- Ayes 7 Nays 0
Councilmen voting in the affirmative
were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh
Grapes, Ott, Topping and Young
Absent and not voting Mr Peterson.
And so the Mayor announcing that a
majority of the councilmen elect having
voted in favor of the ordinance, de-
clared the ordinance duly passed.

And thereupon council adjourned

Attest:- Lonnie Chapman H D Crane Mayor
City Clerk.

Council Chamber
May 24th 1893

Call Meeting Council met pursuant to a call of the Mayor made and issued upon the written request of three councilmen, to-wit:- Messrs D. C. Young, Henry Ott, and W. C. Branson.

Mayor Crane in the Chair: Roll called the following gentlemen were present and answered to their names,
Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Grapes, Ott, Topping and Young
Absent Mr. Peterson. Eleven Present.

The call was read as follows:

Call To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa:

You are respectfully requested to call a special meeting of the City Council on May 24th 1893, at half past Seven o'clock for the purpose of considering the matter of purchasing land for the purpose of enlarging Hope Cemetery.

Respectfully
D. C. Young
Henry Ott
W. C. Branson

The Committee on Cemetery to whom had

Comm. on Cemetery Report.

been referred the matter of purchasing land for the extension of Hope Cemetery made the following Report.

To the Mayor and Councilmen:-

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Cemetery to whom was referred the matter of purchasing land to enlarge Hope Cemetery, beg leave to report:

That they have given the matter careful consideration and find that there are about ninety unsold lots, the majority of which are not the most desirable: That in their opinion, the cemetery ought to be enlarged. We recommend that 200 ft. east and west, and extending from the highway on the south to the R.R. on the north, of land lying direct ly west of the Cemetery, be purchased from Wm Keith for the sum of $800.00; that being, as we understand it, his offer to your committee

Respectfully Submitted

D. M. Young

D. Flinchbaugh

J. E. Byers.

Recommendation adopted

Upon the motion of Councilman Branson that the report of the Committee with their recommendation be adopted, a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Mayor in connection with City Atty to enter into contract with Wm Keith for purchase of Cem-

Upon motion of Councilman Topping The Mayor, in connection with the City Attorney, was authorized to enter into a contract with Wm Keith for the purchase of the ground, at the specified sum, as per report of Committee on Cemetery.

Upon motion of councilman Branson, council adjourned.

M D Brane Mayor

Attest:- Louisa Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
June 7th 1893

Reg. Sess. Council met in Regular session. Councilman Young, President of the Council in the Chair. Roll called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names: Messrs Byers Branson, Flinchpaugh, Mapes, Ott, Stopping and Young.
Absent Mr Peterson.
Quorum Present.
The Journal of last regular meeting, May 3rd 93, and Call meeting of May 24th 93 read and approved.

Pet. sidewalk Blk 48 " 35. A Petition for a sidewalk on the North side of Lot No. 2. from Oak St. west along Pontiac to the alley in Block 48; also, from Pontiac along the west side of Oak in front of Lots 26-28 + 30 in Blk 35 City of Ottawa signed by H. C. Walker and 11 others referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

Pet. sidewalk 4 ft. Blks 3+5 Shaw + Buddington A petition for a sidewalk 4 ft. wide upon the east side of King Street bet. Powhattan and Red Jacket Sts adjacent to Blks. 3. + 5. in Shaw and Buddington's addition signed by Solomon Shoaff and 9 others. this petition was referred to Committee on sidewalks.

Pet. Rev. Greipsert to open certain Streets A petition signed by Geo. Greipsert and 31 others asking the Council to open Sycamore and Cherry Streets, bet. 8th + 10th; also, to open 10th street bet. Sycamore and Mulberry streets presented and referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Pet. Forest Park 4th July A petition for the use of Forest Park for a celebration on the 4th day of July 93 was presented, and upon motion, the request was granted.

Report side walk rep The Report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of May, referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

Police Judge report The Report of the Police Judge for the month of May referred to Committee on Police.

St. Com report The Report of the Street Com. for the month of May, 93. referred to Com. on

Streets and Alleys

Report City Treas. The Report of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending June 1st 1893, referred to Committee on Finance

Report City Clk. The Report of the City Clerk for the quarter ending June 1st 1893 referred to Committee on Finance.

Report Chief F Dept. The Report of the Chief of the Fire Dept. for the years of 1891 and 92 referred to the Committee on F. & W. & L.

Pet. H. L. Shaver overflow damages. A petition of H. L. Shaver for damages from overflow of water upon his premises during the late heavy rains, referred to Committee on Claims.

Pet. 50 gas lights. A Petition for 50 gas lights at $40.00 per annum, signed by J. B. Defford and 80 others, presented and referred to Committee on Fire, Water and Lights.

Report Fire Dept. A Report of the Fire Dept. was read as follows:-

Ottawa Kans. May 5th 1893.

"To the Honorable Mayor and City Council

At the regular meeting of the Ottawa Fire Dept. May 4-93, C. L. Kelsey and Chas. Washmuth were elected active members of said Company; Also, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year

M. D. Elder Chief
F. C. Branson Asst. Do
R. E. Thomas, Foreman of Hose No. 1.
W. H. Dairy " " " " 2.
J. G. Mandlin " " " No 3
J. J. Black " " " H & Ladder
W. D. Cole Secretary
J. G. Mandlin Treasurer

Respt. Submitted for confirmation
W. D. Cole Sec.

Upon motion of Councilman Mapes, the officers elected by the Fire Company were confirmed.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Claims presented

A. Ronsted	digging graves	Cemetery	38	00
Jas. A. Service	City Atty.	Health	5	00
W. H. Goodman	Repr. Fire Alarm	F. W. & L.	1	75
J. H. Ransom & Co.	Labor F. Dept.	" "	3	16

Chas. Bellchamber	Boorma F Dept	F.W.+L		80
C. J. Stephens	hay F Dept	" "	6	56
Ottawa Water Works	lighting city	" "	82	50
E. H. Tipton	rep. fire alarm	" "	2	50
D. A. McKibben	mdse F Dept	" "	1	53
W. F. Sherman	hay " "	" "	1	75
VanDoozery & Ramley	Blksmithing	" "	2	60
S. B. Rohrbaugh	mdse	" "	1	20
E. Dale	labor F Dept	" "	4	00
Western Elect. Co	supplies " "	" "	11	59
J. R. Newton	labor " "	" "	1	50
Ottawa Gas Co.	lighting Eng H.	" "	5	20
Gutta Percha + Rubber Mfg. Co.	mdse H Dept	" "	5	25
A. P. Elder	mdse " "	" "	2	55
S. B. Rohrbaugh	mdse " "	" "	3	78
W. F. Kaylsborn	driving Team	" "	45	00
Lee Chares	hauling hose	" "	1	00
E. B. Hammaduke	rep. Fire alarm	" "	8	00
Chas Arenarius	saddle horse	" "	2	00
F. M. Oakley	labor in park	Sidewalk	10	63
R. H. Freeman	" " "	"	6	88
T. V. Ashby	" " "	"	50	00
E. Richards	" " "	"	2	50
C. A. Alexander	rep. sidewalks	"	4	00
Frank Welsh	labor in park	"	10	00
J. H. Ransom + Co	hauling for park	"	2	00
W. J. R. Medaris	sidewalk rep.	"	35	00
John Mallorcum + Co.	mdse	"	5	18
Eyilo R. Harris	lumber		42	56
Geo. Shepherd	labor A + A	S. + A.	16	00
W. B. F. Keller	coll. poll tax	"	9	00
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	mdse	"	3	05
Chas. Fowler	labor	"	4	25
Rector Bell	"	"	1	25
Morris Linnahan	"	"	26	00
John Britt	"	"	2	50
E. Chenowith	rep. tools	"	2	90
E. V. Allen	labor	"	28	25
S. B. Rohrbaugh	mdse	"	66	91
Joseph Walker	St. Com	"	126	25
James Linning	labor	"	17	00
Geo. Bryngard	"	"	12	50
F. E. Foote	"	"	12	50
John Mallorcum + Co.	mdse	"	94	30
S. W. Dorman	judge clerk + revd	Claims	4	00
J. A. Purdy	" "	"	2	00

	P Fales	judge elect Claim		2 00	
	Miller & Porter	Jury on Lebennade	"	48 00	
	John R Barnett	Clk elect	"	2 00	
	Louise Chapman	Salary + Stamps	"	41 00	
	J H. Ransom & Co	Tarp + wood	"	2 50	
	Geo. D. Stinebaugh	Phys. on Dining	"	25 00	
	The Committee on Cemetery report on				
Claims Allowed	the following claim and recommend				
	payment.				
	A Romsted			38 00	38.00
	Report adopted				
	The Committee on Health report on the follow-				
	ing claim and recommend payment.				
	Jas. A. Service			5 00	5.00
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on S. W. & D report on the				
	following claims and recommend pay-				
	ment.				
	S. W. Goodman			1 75	
	J. H. Ransom & Co			3 16	
	Chas. Bellchamber			80	
	C. J. Stanbra			6 56	
	Ottawa Water Works			78 31	
	G. H. Tipton			2 50	
	D. A. McKibben			1 53	
	H. L. Sherman			1 75	
	Van Sorgen & Kinley			2 60	
	S. B. Rohrbaugh			1 20	
	E. Dale			4 00	
	Western Elect Co.			11 59	
	J. R. Newton			1 50	
	Ottawa Gas Co.			6 20	
	Gutta Percha & R. Mfg. Co.			5 25	
	A. P Elder			2 55	
	S. B. Rohrbaugh			3 70	
	H. L. Hartzborn			45 00	
	Lee Shares			1 00	
	E. B. Marmaduke			8 90	
	Chas. Avenarius			2 00	189.91
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Sidewalks and				
	Park report on the following claims and				
	recommend payment.				
	F. M. Oakley			10 63	
	R. H. Freeman			6 88	
	T. V. Ashby			50 00	

	J Richards	2 50	
	C.A Alexander	4 00	
	Frank Welsh	10 00	
	J. H. Ransom & Co	2 00	
	H. J. R Medaris	35 00	
	John Halloren & Co	5 18	
	Milo R Harris	42 56	168.75

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys, report on the following Claims and recommend payment:

38.00	Geo. Shepherd	16 00	
Clear	N. B. F Keller	9 00	
5.00	Ottawa Hdwe Co.	3 05	
	Chas. Fowler	4 25	
	Morris Linnahan	26 00	
	John Britt	2 50	
	C. Chenoweth	2 90	
	E. M. Allen	28 25	
	Joseph Tacker	126 25	
	James Lining	17 00	
	Geo. Bunyan	12 50	
	H. C. Foy &	12 50	260.20

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Claims report on the following Claims and recommend payment:

	H. O. Troutman	4 00	
	J. D. Purdy	2 00	
	Sales	2 00	
	Miller and Porter	48 00	
	John R Barnett	2 00	
	Louise Chapman	41 00	
	J. H. Ransom & Co.	1 00	
	Geo. D Stinebaugh	25 00	125.00

It was moved and seconded that the report be adopted. Carried.

The Committee on Police, report on the following Claims and recommend payment:-

189.95	A B. Lower	54 00	
	E. Boltwood	56 00	110.00

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the petition asking that the natural water course of "Skunk Run" be

Report Com. on S.W.& L. with ref. to "Skunk Run"

changed, submit the following report:-

The Committee on Claims to whom was referred the petition of D. M. Clark and others regarding the waterway practically called "Skunk Run", would report the same back to the council and recommend no action for the reason that the committee believe that if the said "Skunk Run" was properly cleaned out from 4th Street to its mouth, that the cause of complaint would be removed (signed) S Topping
Wm Staples
D. Flinchpaugh

This report was adopted.

Report Com. Claims H. J. R. Medaris Claim for damages from overflow

The committee on Claims to whom was referred the Claim and account of H. J. R. Medaris for damages caused by water over-flowing on their premises for April 18th & April 23rd 1893, submit the following report:

The Committee on Claims most respectfully report on the Medaris claim, that it be referred back to the council for consideration. The Committee think the Santa Fe R. R. Co. are responsible for whatever damages is done, and not the City.

(signed) S Topping
Wm Staples
D. Flinchpaugh

On motion, this report was adopted.

The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for the month of April '93, as follows:-

"Examined and found correct"
Wm Staples, Chairman

On motion this report was adopted.

Report Com. on F. W. & L. with ref. to street lighting

The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights to whom was referred the communication of A. P. Elder with reference to street lighting made the following report.

Ottawa Kansas, June 7th 1893

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

Gentlemen:-

We, your committee to whom was referred the communication of A. P.

Elder in relation to street lighting was referred, beg leave to submit the following report.

We would advise you to make a contract with the Gas. Co. for 50 lights south of the river, and with the Electric Light Co. for 30 lights north of the river, and in the 4th Ward south of the river, at the prices named by the two parties in their propositions. All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. C. Branson, Chairman.

In order to bring this matter properly before the Council, it was moved and seconded that the report of the Chairman of the Committee on F. & P. & L. be adopted.

After a general discussion with reference thereto, Councilman Branson, with the consent of the second to his motion, withdrew his motion, and moved that the report be laid on the table.

Upon this motion, that the report of the Chairman of the Com. on F. P. & L. be laid on the table a vote was had, and the motion lost.

Com on Health

The Committee on Health to whom was referred the communication of W. T. Pickell, with reference to sewer connection, report as follows:-

Com. W. T. Pickell

"Your Committee on Health have this day carefully examined the premises within mentioned, and find the alley and back yards, as to cleanliness, in a fair condition. May 17" 1893.

D. C. Young
Chairman

A motion was then made, that the report of the Committee on Health lay on the table. Motion prevailed.

Communication A. C. Titus

The President of the Council then read a communication from A. C. Titus, thanking the Council for the appointment of City Eng. but that, as he was at present engaged in the service of the R. R. he would be unable to accept, and didn't know when he could.

Comm. A. P. Elder with ref. Gas lights

A communication from A. P. Elder reads as follows: Ottawa Kansas June 1 1893
To the Common Fire, Water and Lights:
I awarded the contract for 50 gas lights at $900.00 per annum, I will immediately extend our mains from Tecumseh to Logan Street in North Ottawa and if the Council decide to locate any additional lights, I will put up and maintain gasolene lights (guaranteeing equal power and service at such points as the council may elect, and as the mains are extended will replace the gasoline with gas lights and if the City will contract for 75 lights will extend mains to Missouri St. A P Elder
The President of the Council then read communications from different parties in relation to Booths for Election. This matter was referred to Committee on Finance.

Booths for Elect.

Council in new Court House next regular meeting

The Com. having charge of the rooms in new Court House reported the rooms would be ready for occupancy of the council by the next regular meeting and that there should be some action taken to furnish the rooms. Councilman Branson moved that the committee be instructed to procure whatever furniture is necessary Motion prevailed.

The following was then read:

Ottawa Kansas. Apr. 6th 1893

To the Hon. Mayor and Council of the City of Ottawa.

A B. Lower light Watch resigns

Gentlemen:- I hereby tender my resignation as night watchman to take effect June 7th inst. A. B. Lower.

It was moved and seconded that the resignation be accepted. Motion prevailed.

Ordinance specifying pipe to be used Read 1st time

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance specifying the kind of pipe to be used for delivering water from the main of the water works to the property line for certain streets and Alleys, fixing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance and repealing Ordinance No. 258."
Read the 1st time

Col people use Park 9 June 93

Upon request, the colored people were granted the use of the park for a dance on Friday eve. June 9th 93 and also

Forest Park July 2nd 93

the use of Park on Sunday July 2nd 93 for religious services.

Appr. Ord. $896.90

An Appropriation Ordinance was then read appropriating the sum of $896.90 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result: Yeas. 7 Nays 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh Mapes, Ott, Lopking and Young. Absent and not voting Mr Peterson.

And so, the Presdt of the Council announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect, having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

John Service Night Watchman

The name of John Service was then presented to the Council for confirmation, for Night Watchman. And upon motion of Councilman Mapes, the appointment was confirmed.

motion to prepare Ord. for prohibiting sale cigarettes

Councilman Branson moved that any ordinance be prepared for prohibiting the sale of cigarettes, or for a very high license. Motion prevailed.

Resolution Notify Water Works Hydrant Rental

Councilman Lopking offered the following Resolution:

Resolved: That the City Clerk, be ordered to notify the Water Works Company, holding contract with City, that the Council will not appropriate any money to pay Hydrant for other rentals till they comply with the ordinances of the city for furnishing water for domestic use. It was so ordered.

City Atty complete contract with Electric Lt Co.

Upon motion of Councilman Lopking the City Attorney was instructed to do what is necessary to complete the contract with the Electric Light Company as per action of Council on January 4th 1893.

Upon motion of Councilman Mapes Council adjourned

D C Young
President of Council

Council Chambers at
New Court House.
July 5th 1893.

Council New Court House

Council met in regular Session.
Mayor Crane in the Chair.
Roll Called.
The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names. Messrs Byers, Branson, Mapes, Ott, Topping and Young.
Absent Messrs Hinchsaugh and Peterson.
The Journal of last regular meeting of June 7th 1893, was read and approved.

Bond + Appl'n O. E. Smith

The Bond and Application of O. E. Smith for Billiard License from July 1st 93 to December 31st 93. located on 4th Sec. St. in Hamblin Homes Blk. referred to Com. on License.

Bond + Appl'n Frank Peterson

Bond and Application of Frank Peterson for Billiard license from July 1st 93 to Dec. 31st 93. at No. 211 Main Street, back room, presented and referred to Com. on License.

Pet. protest. 78 names agst Billiards

Petition protesting against allowing Frank Peterson to open and operate a Billiard room in the City of Ottawa signed by W. D. Welsh and 77 others presented and referred to Com. on License

Pet. agst Billiards, 22 names

A petition signed by J. S. Spencer and 21 others asking the Council to refuse the application of Frank Peterson to open and operate a billiard room in the City of Ottawa presented and referred to Com. on License.

Pet. agst Billiards 119 names

A remonstrance against allowing Frank Peterson the privilege of opening and operating a Billiard room in the City of Ottawa signed by Mrs M. L. Ward and 118 others presented and referred to Com. on Licenses

Pet. Gas St. light cor Ced. + 4

A petition for a Gas street light on the corner of Cedar and 4th Sts signed by W. C. Braydon, referred to Com. on F. W. + L.

Pet. Gas light cor 5th + Elm

A petition for a Gas street light on the corner of 5th + Elm Streets, City to pay one half ($12.00) signed by A. P. Calder and E. H. Becker referred to Com. on F. W. + L.

Pet. for gas cor. 2nd + 1st

Petition for Gas street light on the corner of Cedar and 1st streets, City to pay One Half (12.00), signed by T. E. Gillet. referred to Com. on F. W. & L.

remonstrance sidewalk along Blk 48

A remonstrance against sidewalk being built along North side of Block 48. signed by Mrs. Anderson and 18 others, presented and referred to Committee on Sidewalks

The report of the sidewalk repairer for the month of June 1893, referred to Com. on Sidewalks.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of June 1893, Referred to Com. on Police.

Ottawa Libr

The report of the Ottawa Librarian for the quarter ending June 1st 1893, referred to Com. on Printing.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate Committees:-

Bills presented

A. Rounsley	digging graves	Cemetery	13	50
Excelsior Roller Mills	mdse	F. W. & L.	19	50
Ottawa Fire Dept.	appr.	" "	100	00
Ottawa Water Works	lighting city	"	80	00
Lee Phares	hauling hose	"	1	00
Ottawa Water Works	mdse	"	7	15
A. P. Elder	Gas + Steamfit. at house	"	115	00
A. P. Elder	mdse	"	4	15
Ottawa Gas Co.	lighting Eng. H.	"	3	60
Ottawa Perchat R. Mfg. Co.	mdse	"	2	05
W. L. Hartshorn	driving 2 team	"	45	00
E. B. Yarmouthe	labor Fire alarm	"	3	00
O. B. Keller	coll. poll tax	S + A	8	40
E. W. Allen	labor S + A	"	31	00
Jack Farrell	" "	"	9	50
Morris Grimshaw	" "	"	30	00
F. C. Foye	" "	"	40	00
Leo Bryan	" "	"	40	00
John Calhoun + Co	mdse	"	130	15
B. B. Rohrbaugh	"	"	123	38
A. P. Elder		"		90
Joseph Parker	St. Com.	"	131	25
Topping Howe Co	mdse	"	7	80
Excelsior R. Mills	" for park	Sidewalk	1	40
T. V. Ashley	Parkkeeper	"	25	00
F. M. Oakley	Labor in park	"	10	00

Topping Hdwe. Co.	mdse park Sidewalk		6	18	
H. T. Hymmer	labor in park	"	3	75	
H. M. Hunt	" " "	"	12	50	
Wilo R Harris	mdse "	"	14	09	
W F Sheldon	money ado. Dell park	"	17	25	
Topping Hdwe. Co.	mdse sidewalks	"	4	25	
W. J. R. Medaris	sidewalk rep.	"	29	75	
John Hallowell Co.	mdse	"	1	44	
Wilo R. Harris	"	"	27	48	
S Richards	labor in park	"	7	63	
J. A. Elwell	board city pris.	Police	71	20	
W. A. Richards	Leily Atty.	"	25	00	
John Service	Night Watch	"	45	00	
W. E. Thomas	special police	"	2	00	
E. Boltwood	Leily Marshal	"	54	00	
A. D. Kahn	special police	"	2	00	
Ottawa Library	Appropriation	Claims	100	00	
Lee Phares	hauling tables	"		25	
Henry Ott	tables & chairs	"	46	93	
F. R. Williams	ref. Cor. tax	"	9	50	
B. Taylor	Judge elect.	"	2	00	
Louise Chapman	Sale of desk to City	"	23	00	
" "	Salary	"	40	00	
F. Holpert	cleaning council rooms	"	2	50	
The Republican	printing	printing	1	75	
Ottawa Water Works	Hydrant rental	F. Pr + L.	154	50	
Bills allowed	The Committee on Cemetery report on the following claims and recommend payment:-				
A. Rousted			13	50	13,50
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on F. Pr. + L. report on the following claims and recommend payment.				
Excelsior R. Mills			19	50	
Ottawa Fire Dept.			100	00	
Ottawa Water Works			77	68	
Lee Phares			1	00	
Ottawa Water Works			7	15	
A. P. Elder			115	00	
A. P. Elder			4	15	
Ottawa Gas Co.			3	60	
Kutla Pzycha + R. Mfg. Co.			2	05	
H. F. Hartshorn			46	00	
E. B. Marsnadyke			3	00	378.1
	On motion this report was adopted.				

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the following Claims and recommend payment:-

H. B. F. Keller	8	40	
E. H. Allen	31	00	
Jack Farrell	9	50	
Morris Linnahan	30	00	
H. E. Foye	40	00	
Leo. Bynyan	40	00	
John Halloran + Co.	127	27	
S. B. Rohrbaugh	123	38	
A. P. Calder		90	
Joseph Tracker	131	25	
Topping Howe. Co.	7	80	549.60

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Parks and Sidewalks report on the following claims and recommend payment:-

Excelsior R. Mills	1	40	
J. O. Ashby	25	00	
F. M. Oakley	15	00	
Topping Howe. Co.	6	18	
F. J. Hampner	3	75	
H. M. Hunt	12	50	
Milo R. Harris	14	09	
W. F. Sheldon	17	25	
Topping Howe. Co.	4	25	
F. J. & Medaris	29	75	
John Halloran + Co.	1	44	
Milo R. Harris	27	48	
S Richards	7	63	165.72

Moved the report be adopted. Carried

The Committee on Police report on the following claims and recommend payment.

J. A. Ebright	71	20	
W. A. Richards	25	00	
John Service	45	00	
R. E. Thomas	2	00	
E. Boltwood	54	00	
A. H. Kuhn	2	00	199.20

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Claims report on the following Claims and recommend payment.

Ottawa Library	100	00	
Lee Shares		25	

Henry Ott	46	93	
F. R. Williams	9	50	
B. Taylor	2	00	
Louise Chapman	23	00	
F "Wolbert"	40	00	
	2	50	224.13

This report was adopted.

The Committee on Printing report on the following claims and recommend payment.

Ltd Republican	1	75	1.75

On motion this report was adopted.

Com. on F. & D. report on Hydrant rentals.

The Committee on F. P. & D. to whom was referred the claim of the Ottawa Water Works for Hydrant Rental report as follows: "Referred to Council without recommendation"

H. C. Branson Chairman

On motion this report was adopted.

Report of Com. on City Treas. Report.

The Committee on Finance to whom was referred the statement of the City Treas. for the quarter ending June 1st 1893 submit the following report:-

"Ottawa Kansas. July 5th 93.

I have examined the within statement and find it correct."

H. C. Branson, Chairman.

Finance Committee.

Upon motion of Councilman Branson the report of the City Treas. was laid over until the next regular meeting

City Clerk's report

The Committee on Finance to whom was referred the statement of the City Clerk for quarter ending June 1st 93 submit the following report:-

"Examined the written statement and find it correct"

H. C. Branson, Chairman Fin. Com.

On motion, this report was adopted.

Str. & Com. report

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the report of the Street Commissioner for the month of May, '93 as follows:-

"We certify the within report, correct to best of our knowledge. All Committee concurring. S. Topping Chm.

On motion this report was adopted

The Committee on Police to whom was referred the report of the Police Judge for the month of May 1893, report as follows:
"Examined and approved.
Wm Mapes, Chairman.
This report was adopted.

224.18

The Committee on Sidewalks report on the report of the sidewalk repairer for the month of April 1893. as follows:-
"Correct to best of our knowledge
J. Co. Byers.

1.75

This report was adopted.

as — Report Comm on pet. to open 10th & Cherry St.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the petition of Geo. Rexford and others. to open certain streets report as follows:- "Committee report, requesting more time for examination."
All Committee concurring.
S. Lopking, Chairman.
This report, on motion, was adopted.

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The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights to whom was referred the petition of J. B. Deford and others for 50 gas lights to cost $900.00 per year, submit the following report. "Respectfully submitted for Report of Comm. on F. W. & L. for 50 gas lights

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without recommendation, except that it be placed on file.
H. C. Branson, Chairman.
On motion this report was adopted.

Report of Com. on S & A on Shaver pet.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the petition of C. L. Shaver, heretofore referred to them, for damages from overflow, as follows:- "Referred back; same report as on Medaris Claim
All Committee concurring.
S. Lopking, Chairman.
Report adopted.

The Committee on Fire and Water report on the communication of A. P. Elder with reference to contract for 50 gas lights, as follows:- "Respectfully referred back to the council without any recommendation.
H. C. Branson, Chairman.
Report adopted.

Comm report on Chief Fire Dept report

The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights report upon the Report of the Chief of the Fire Department, as follows:-

"I would recommend that Hook and Ladder Truck be rebuilt under the supervision of the Committee on Fire, Water and Lights, in connection with the Chief of Fire Dept.

Respectfully, W. C. Branson, Chairman

On motion this report was adopted.

Verbal report City Atty with regard to ordinance prohibiting sale cigarettes

The City Attorney to whom was referred the matter of preparing an ordinance prohibiting the sale of cigarettes or requiring a very high license tax therefor, made a verbal report, the substance of which was as follows:- That upon a careful examination of the law with reference to cities of the second class in this state, he found, that we have no authority to levy a license tax upon the sale of cigarettes, and that whatever authority we have we get directly from the Legislature; and as this is a commodity which the Legislature has not undertaken to prohibit, the sale of, a ordinance to that effect, would be void.

Upon motion of Councilman Branson the verbal report of the City Attorney was adopted.

Councilman Branson offered the following resolution:- Whereas, the Council of the City of Ottawa believing that the Cherryvale Water Works or its assignees are not furnishing the quality of water required by the ordinances of said City which are part of the contract between said Company and the city - therefore

Resolved: That we do give said Cherryvale Water Works Company notice that we cannot pay their bills until said ordinance is complied with.

Resolution. Hydrant Rental

W. C. Branson
Henry Ott
Wm J Mapes

Upon motion of Councilman Topping. this Resolution was adopted.

Claim of Inter State Sunday School Ass. $2177.56

J. D. Harris appeared before the council in behalf of the Inter-state Sunday School Assembly, and presented a bill amounting to $2177.56, as money due the Association from the City for Repairs and improvements on buildings in Forest Park, as per contract entered into by and between the City of Ottawa and the Inter-State Sunday School Assembly on the 6th day of July. A.D. 1885.

This matter was Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Adjourn to meet two weeks

Councilman Byers moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet one hundred weeks from to-night. July 19th 1893. Motion prevailed.

On account of the absence of Mr Peterson, thereby causing a vacancy in the Committee on Finance, Councilman Mapes moved that Councilman Young be added to that Committee to investigate the matter of the Assembly Claim. Motion prevailed

com. with reference to filters and their effect upon water pressure for fire service

Communications were handed in by A. D. Elden and read to the council with reference to the filtering of water works; and its effect upon water pressure, especially with regard to the matter of fire service.

Councilman Lopping moved that the Committee on F. W. & L. be authorized to expend as much money as is deemed necessary, in a proper investigation of this water works matter. Motion prevailed.

coupons + vouchers destroyed.

Upon motion of Councilman Branson the coupons and vouchers accompanying the Treas: Report were destroyed by fire in the presence of the council.

Upon motion of Councilman Mapes the License for Billiard Halls were laid over until the next meeting.

Ord. specifying pipe to be used passed

An Ordinance entitled "an ordinance specifying the kind of pipe to be used for delivering water from the mains of the water works to the property line on

certain streets and alleys giving a penalty for the violation of this ordinance and repealing ordinance No. 258"
Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows: Yeas 6. Nays 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Mapes, Ott, Lofping and Young.
Absent and not voting, Flinchpaugh and Peterson.
And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having voted in favor of the Ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Appropriation Ord $1555.98

An Appropriation Ordinance, appropriating the sum of $1555.98 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the city government for the year then next ensuing, was then read, and the question being, Shall the ordinance pass, the roll was called resulting as follows:- Yeas 6. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Mapes, Ott, Lofping and Young.
Gentlemen absent and not voting Messrs Flinchpaugh and Peterson.
And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the Ordinance duly passed.

$24.00 refunded Mrs Chapman

The Mayor then called the attention of the council to the fact that during the first year of Mrs Chapman's services as City Clerk, she had paid per order rent amounting to $24.00, and asked the council to refund to her that amount. $24.00
Councilman Mapes moved that the amount be refunded and that it be added to the appropriation ordinance to night; upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

upon motion of Councilman Lofping Council adjourned to meet two weeks from to-night at 7 30 o'clock.

H D Crane Mayor

attest: Louise Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
July 19th 1893.

adjourned meeting — Council met pursuant to adjournment. Mayor Crane in the Chair. Roll Called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names: Messrs Branson, Chapleau, Ott, Lofping and Young.

Quorum Present.

Pet. to vacate alley in DeFords. Add. — A Petition signed by D. Defords, B.L. McQueston and Harriet Bowmfield, to vacate alley running east and west in Defords Addition to City of Ottawa, presented and referred to Committee on Sts. and Alleys.

Pet. to lay wood walk in front Pres. Church — A petition signed by B.L. McQueston Secy. of the Board of Trustees of the Presbyterian Church, asking permission to build a plank sidewalk instead of stone in front of Presbyterian Ch. property Dow Grain St. here to fore presented, bears the following endorsement. "We would advise that the request be granted."

G.E. Branson
Henry Ott
J.E. Byers.

On motion of Councillor Branson, the report of the Committee was adopted. Petition granted.

Pet. remonstrating agst Billiards — A petition asking the Council to refuse a license for the opening of another Billiard Hall, signed by Stephen Tripp and 85 others; another petition with the same prayer signed by Mrs Harriet Shade and 118 others, and also another with the same prayer, signed by J D. Henderson and 117 others, was

presented and referred to Committee on Licenses.

At this point Councilmen Byers and Slaughpaugh took their seats.

Protest. agst. Frank Peterson Billiard Hall

The petition protesting against opening Billiard Hall by Frank Peterson signed by H. O. Dalaff and 77 others, presented and read at a former meeting, was, by request, read again.

Report on F. E. Smith Appl.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the Application and Bond of F. E. Smith for Billiard Hall, on Sec. Ed. read, submit the following report:

"We would recommend that application of F. E. Smith would be granted

Henry Ott
S. Lofgren
Wm Engelen

And on motion this report was adopted

Pet. for Frank Peterson

A Petition signed by E. T. Snyder and 125 others, asking the Council to grant a license to Frank Peterson for a Billiard Hall in the Pickerell Building No. 211 S. Main St was presented and referred to Committee on Licenses.

Frank Peterson appl rejected

The Committee on License to whom was referred the Application and Bond of Frank Peterson for a Billiard License, report as follows:- We would recommend that Application of Frank Peterson would be granted

Henry Ott
Wm Engelen

Councilman Branson moved that the report of the Committee be rejected.

Mr. Villiers took the floor

Upon this motion receiving a second, Mr Villiers, Pastor of the Congregational Church, in behalf of Petitioners remonstrating against the application of Frank Peterson, addressed the Council setting forth reasons why Mr Peterson should be denied the privilege of opening a Billiard Hall in this City; and in support of his statements, offered to show to the Council facts gained from the records of this Co. Atty. &c. He was followed by others,

and after a long and general discussion of this subject, a vote was had upon the motion of Councilman Branson that the report of the Committee be rejected, and the motion prevailed.

Report rejected

Councilman Mapes then moved to reconsider the ballot on the Application of W.E. Smith for a Billiard Licence. Upon this motion a vote was had, and the motion prevailed.

Ballot of W.E. Smith re-considered

The question now being upon the original motion, viz: to reject the report of the Committee on Licence on the application of W.E. Smith for a Billiard Hall, be adopted; a vote was had and the motion lost.

Original motion rejected

Report rejected.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys, to whom was referred the petition of D. Dafoe and others to vacate alley reported favorably

Pet. to vacate alley reported favorably

running East and West in Dafoe's Addition to City of Ottawa, submit the following report:- "The Committee report favorably to granting the petition."

S. Lobb, D.C. Young and J.E. Byers.

On motion this report was adopted.

Report of Std Com. June 1893

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the report of the St. Commissioner for the month of June 1893, as follows:-

"Examined and found correct to best of my knowledge and belief.

S. Lobb
D.C. Young
J. Ed Byers

On motion this report was adopted.

Gas Lights on Lewis Cedar and 1st granted

The Committee on F. W. & L. to whom was referred the petition of J.E. Gillen and John Jeffries for Gas light on the Corner of Cedar and 1st St. report as follows:-

"We would advise that the request of the petitioners be granted."

H.C. Branson
Henry Ott
Wm Mapes.

This report was adopted.

H.C. Branson pet for gas light laid over

The Committee on F. W. & L. to whom was referred the Petition of H.C. Branson for

has light on corner of Cedar and 4th Sts. report as follows: "We would advise that the request of the petitioners be granted"

W.E. Branson
Henry Att
Wm Snapes.

Upon motion of Councilman Young, this report was laid over until the council could obtain further light on the subject with reference to prices.

Mayor report on Cemetery. 190 ft inteft of 200 for $800.00

The Mayor, from the Committee on Cemetery, made a report to the effect, that in pursuance to the instructions given him by council, he had had Mr Keith make out a deed for 190 feet of land for $800.00; being, as he understood it the amount of land required for three tiers of lots and Alleys and a fifty foot street on west side of the grounds. But as the report of the Committee calls for 200 feet, making the deed for 199 feet, illegal, according to the opinion of the City Atty, he would ask the Committee to remodel their report to correspond with the deed.

The report of the Committee was read, as spread upon the record of May 24th '93, on page 96 of this journal.

Upon motion of Councilman Topping, the matter was referred back to the Committee and the Mayor to make out the papers according to the orginal report.

Resolution to allow to work 100 days unless further time granted

The following resolution was then read. "Whereas: "An Ordinance specifies that the Street Commissioner shall not draw pay for over 100 days in any year, without consent of the council" The Committee on Streets and Alleys believe that the condition of said streets and Alleys require a longer time than the ordinance grants to do anything like justice to said streets and Alleys Therefore, Be it Resolved, That the council grant request of said committee to extend this time. Signed

S. Topping
J. E. Byers
D.C. Young.

Councilman Mapes asked that the extension of time requested in said Resolution, be limited.

Resolution laid on table

Upon motion of councilman Branson, the said Resolution was laid on the table.

Ord. to vacate alley in Dafordd Add.

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance vacating the alley running east and west in Dafordd addition to the City of Ottawa, read the First time.

On motion of Councilman Young, the rules were suspended, ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final Passage And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas. 7, Nays 0, Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchbaugh Mapes, Ott, Lobbing and Young Absent and not voting Mr Peterson.

And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

Claim Ass. laid over to next meeting

The Claim of the Ottawa Assembly against the City was again brought up for consideration on motion of Councilman Lobbing the matter was laid over to the next regular meeting.

The bid of S. B. Rohrbaugh for building delinquent sidewalks was presented and referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

On motion of Councilman Branson Council adjourned

H D Brane Mayor

Attest:- Louisa Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers.
Aug. 2nd 1893.

regular Sess. Council met in regular session.
Mayor Crane in the Chair.
Roll Called.
The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names: Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Draper, Topping and Young. Quorum Present.
The journal of last regular meeting of July 5th 1893, and adjourned meeting of July 19th '93, read and approved.

Pet. to open St. Mulberry bet. 2nd & 3rd. A petition signed by Morgan Wright and 20 others to open and improve Mulberry Street from Second to Third Streets referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Petition of John Armstrong for fees for arrests by him as Deputy Marshal referred to Committee on Police.

Pet. to extend Water mains on Massasoit St. A petition signed by J. H. Young and 29 others for the Council to pass a Resolution requesting the Salem Works Company to extend their main on Massasoit street east to Mulberry Street, thence north on Mulberry to Red Jacket, and to establish a fire hydrant at the junction of Massasoit and Mulberry and one at the junction of Mulberry and Red Jacket referred to Committee on Fire Water and Lights.

Report Police Judge. The Report of the Police Judge for the month of July 93, referred to Committee on Police.

" Sidewalk rep. The Report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of July, '93 referred to Com. on Sidewalks.

" St. Com. The Report of the Street Commissioner for the month of July '93 referred to Committee on Streets and Alleys.

The following bills were presented and referred to Appropriate Committees

Bills presented					
	A. Ronsted	digging graves	Cemetery	20	00
	The Republican	Printing	Printing	27	90
	D. Oford & Co.	mdse	F. D. & L.	1	55
	H. L. Carlstrom	Dyeing & Cleaning	"	45	00
	G. R. Poole	hay	F. Dept.	5	75
	J. H. Ransom & Co	mdse "	"	2	00
	Van Doren & Ramsey	Blksmithing	"	4	05
	A. Fowler	Draw	F. Dept.	2	00
	Lee Rhares	hauling hose	"	1	00
	Ottawa Water Works	Lighting City	"	82	50
	G. B. Ohrbaugh	mdse	"	6	24
	Wm. Dairy	Labor	"	2	25
	E. G. Morgan	hay	F. Dept.	6	00
	A. P. Eddy	mdse "	"	6	65
	Ottawa Gas Co.	Lighting engine	"	4	25
	A. D. Elder	steam & gas fitting	"	23	45
	F. J. K. Medaris	sidewalk repr.	Sidewalk	9	11
	John Halloren & Co.	mdse	"	22	88
	A. D. Elder	"	"	5	55
	S. B. Rohrbaugh			14	98
	T. O. Ashby	Park keeper	Park	25	00
	Daniel Baker	labor in park	"	2	00
	Jas. A. Service	" sidewalk	sidewalk	1	00
	Morris Linnahan	labor R & A	S. & A.	29	12
	E. F. Allen	" "	"	28	75
	John Halloren & Co.	mdse "	"	41	09
	Chas. A. Alexander	Labor "	"	3	00
	E. Chenoweth	Repr. tools	"	1	35
	Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	mdse	"	3	70
	E. E. Byers	Labor a. & a.	"	21	75
	G. B. F. Keller	Coll tax coll.	"	5	40
	S. B. Rohrbaugh	mdse	"	455	27
	D. E. Stelzriede	repr. tools	"	2	00
	Joseph Walker	Lt. Com.	"	123	75
	John Lacy	Labor a. & a.	"	16	75
	Wm. Dailey	Special Police	Police	4	00
	J. D. Keightley	" "	"	5	00
	R. E. Thomas	" "	"	4	00
	Grant Smith	" "	"	18	00
	J. C. Service	Night Watch	"	45	00
	E. Boltwood	City Marshal	"	59	00
	Clark Bros.	Stationery	Claim	3	30
	T. J. Harzen	damages Fire Loss	"	150	00
	Louise Chapman	Sal. City Clk	"	40	00
	D. C. Ober	mdse	"	2	90
	John Jeffries & Co	"	"	7	00

C D Graze carpets & matting Claim 65 25

Bills Allowed The Committee on Certificate report on the following claims and recommend payment of

A. Rowated 20 00 20.00

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Printing report on the following Claims and recommend payment of

The Republican 27 90 27.90

Report adopted.

The Committee on Fire, Wales and Lights report on the following claims and recommend payment of

D. Deford & Co. 1 55

A. F. Caldhorn 45 00

L. K. Foote 5 75

J. H. Ransom & Co. 2 00

VanLoonen & Kenley 4 85

A. Fowler 2 00

Lee Chares 1 00

Ottawa Water Works 81 47

S. B. Rohrbaugh 6 24

Opp Dairy 2 25

E. C. Morgan 6 00

A. P. Elder 6 65

Ottawa Gas Co. 3 95

A. P. Elder 23 45 191.36

Moved the report be adopted Carried

The Committee on Sidewalks and Parks report on the following claims and recommend payment.

W. J. R Guedaria 9 11

John Halloren & Co 7 83

A. P. Elder 5 55

S. B. Rohrbaugh 14 98 Car

T. V. Ashby 25 00 Ca

Daniel Baker 2 00

Jas. A. Service 1 00 65.47

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the following claims and Recommend payment.

Morris Limmaker 29 12

E. J. Allen 28 75

John Halloren & Co 41 09

Chas A. Alexander	3 00		
E. Chenowith	1 35		
Ottawa Hdwe Co.	3 70		
J. E. Byers	21 75		
W. B. & F. Keller	5 40		
D. E. Steelsmith	2 00		
Frazer Walker	123 75		
John Lang	16 75	276.66	

This report was adopted.

The Committee on Police report on the following claims and recommend payment.

Ottawa Dairy	4 00		
L. Kgirt	5 00		
P. E. Thomas	4 00		
Grant Smith	18 00		
J. C. Service	45 00		
E. Boltwood	59 00	135.00	

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Claims report on the following Claims and recommend payment.

Clark Bros.	3 30		
Louise Chapman	40 00		
D. C. Ober	2 90		
John Jeffries & Co.	7 00		
C. D. Crane	65 25	118.45	

It was moved and seconded the report be adopted. Motion Prevailed.

The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge as follows:

"Examined and found correct"

Fred Drake.

On motion this report was adopted.

Com A. P. Elder Chief Fire Dept.

A Communication from A. P. Elder, Chief of the Fire Department, was then read.

Councilman Branson moved the communication be received, placed on file and spread on the minutes. Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

The communication reads as follows:

Ottawa, Kansas. Aug 2. '93

To the Mayor and council.

At 12 40 P. M. July 30th an

alarm of fire was sent in for a small blaze at No 217 S. Locust St. The fire was promptly extinguished, but the water pressure was such that it would have been inadequate for a fire of any size. The highest pressure was 55 lbs. In fact, failure to furnish proper pressure has become of such frequent occurrence that I would recommend that a team and driver be procured and the steamer equipped for prompt service. In my Annual Report filed June 6th, you will note that out of 19 fires the past year at 8 the pressure was less than required by ordinance.

Respectfully Submitted
A. P. Elder, Chief Fire Dep't.

Ord. construct sidewalk

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the construction of a certain sidewalk."
Read the first time.
On motion of Councilman Topping the rules were suspended, ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.
And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas (7) Nays (0) Councilmen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Snapes, Ott, Topping and Young.
Absent and not voting, Mr Peterson.
And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the Ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

Deed J. L. Keith

The deed of J. L. Keith and wife to the City of Ottawa of 200 ft. of land west, in addition to Hope Cemetery, for the consideration of $800.00, was then presented to the council. The Mayor made a statement of the funds heretofore transferred from the Cemetery fund to the General fund, to-wit:- November 17th 1882, $260.00 May 7th 1885, $800, February 9th 1887, 87.00.

Councilman Branson moved that

$500.00 transfered from Genl fund to Cem.

$500.00 of the money belonging to the Cemetery Fund, be transferred from the General Fund for the present necessities of that Fund. Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Motion to Appr. $800.00 J.L. Keith

Councilman Young moved that an appropriation be made, out of the Cemetery Fund, of $800.00 to be paid to Mrs Keith for this land. Motion prevailed.

Upon motion of Councilman Lapping the Assembly adjourned until the next meeting.

Report of Com to Extend Mains

The Committee on F. W. & L. to whom was referred the petition to extend water main on Bruyere Street &c. report as follows:- "We would advise that the prayer be granted."

H. C. Branson
Henry Att.
Thos Chapleau.

It was moved the report be adopted. Motion prevailed.

Sidewalk Bids

The sidewalk Committee to whom was referred the bids for building delinquent sidewalks submit the following report.

"We accept the enclosed contract relating to wood sidewalks"

J. E. Byers
Henry Att.
H. C. Branson

On motion this report was adopted.

The bid reads as follows:- Ottawa Kansas July 19th 1893.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Ottawa.

I hereby submit the following bids for sidewalks to be built by the City for the remainder of the year 1893.

For 1 inch No. 1. Soft Pine walks with three 2/4 stringers under 4 ft. walks, and Four 2/4 " " 5" " " @ 4 3/4¢ per sq. ft.

For 2 inch No. 1. Soft Pine walks with three 2/4 stringers under 4 ft walks and Four 2/4 " " 5" " " @ 6 1/2¢ per sq. ft.

Extra charge for grading if required. For either class of above walks. Walks to be

built in accordance with Ordinance #196

Motion to allow Water Works Bill $1547.50

S. B. Rohrbaugh Councilman Wiggles from the Committee on F. & L. referring to the bill of the Water Works Co. for Hydrant Rental from January 1st '93 to July 1st '93, being referred back to council with recommendation made a motion that the City pay the Water Works this bill of $1547.50 and that we give the Water Works Co. notice that we will pay no more Hydrant rental until they give water according to the contract.

Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Appropriation $2382.34

An Appropriation Ordinance, appropriating the sum of $2382.34 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government, was read. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass the roll was called with the following result. Yeas. 6. Nays 1. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Flinchpaugh, Drakes, Ott, Topping and Young. Negative Mr. Branson. Absent and not voting Mr Peterson. And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

And thereupon Council adjourned

H D Branson Mayor

Attest Louise Chapman City Clerk

Council Chambers
At the Engine House
August 16th 1893.

Call Meeting

Council met pursuant to a call of the Mayor made and issued upon the written request of three councilmen to-wit:- H.C. Branson D.C. Young and S. Lopping.

The Mayor in the Chair. Roll Called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to the call Messrs Byers Branson, Hinchsiangh, Mapes, Ott, Lopping and Young.

Quorum Present.

The Call was read as follows:-

Call

"To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa: The undersigned Councilmen of said City respectfully request you to call a Special Meeting of the Council to meet at 7:30 o'clock P.M. Aug. 16th 1893 for the purpose of levying general and special taxes for the ensuing year, and to consider and act upon a resolution to be presented in reference to the paving of the alley in Block 84. and to transact such unfinished business as may come before the council.

H.C. Branson
D.C. Young
S. Lopping

The Committee on Finance made the following report:

Report of Finance Committee Levy 1893

Ottawa, Kansas. Aug. 16th 1893

To the Hon. Mayor and Council of the City of Ottawa: Your Committee to whom is referred the tax Levy for 1893 beg leave to make the following recommendations; That the tax levy for the General Fund be, — 8 Mills
On Streets, Bridges and Alleys — 3 Mills
For Interest — 4 Mills.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H.C. Branson
J.E. Byers

Motion to accept

Upon motion of Councilman Lopping the report was accepted.

After some general discussion with reference to this Levy, Councilman Brandon moved that the Tax Levy for 1893, remain as in the report of the Committee 15 mills for the three funds.

Motion to adopt

Motion to amend

Councilman Young moved to amend that report by making it 8 1/2 mills General Fund, 3 1/2 mills for the streets Bridges and Alley Fund, and 4 mills for the Interest Fund, upon this motion to amend, the ayes and nays were called for. And the roll was called with the following result. Yeas. 3. Nays 4. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Topping and Young. Gentlemen voting in the negative were Messrs Brandon, Flinchpaugh, Mapes and Ott. The majority having voted against the amendment the motion was lost.

The question now being upon the original motion, the ayes and nays were called for. The roll was called with the following result. Yeas 5. Nays. 2. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Brandon, Flinchpaugh, Mapes, Topping and Ott. Negative Byers and Young.

Motion prevailed.

Report Board of Education

The report of the Board of Education was then read as follows:

State of Kansas
Franklin County } SS.

I. F. A. Wilkinson, Clerk of the Board of Education of the City of Ottawa of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that at the regular meeting of said Board held on Monday evening August 7. 1893. it was voted by said Board to levy a tax of 12 mills on the dollar on all property real and personal within the City of Ottawa and the district attached to said City for School purposes, for the support of the schools of said City and district for the ensuing school year.

Seal

In witness my hand and the seal of said Board at the City of

Ottawa this 10th day of August 1893.

F. A. Dickinson Clerk

On motion of Councilman Ott. the report of the Board of Education was approved.

The following Resolution was then read.

Resolution to pave alley Blk. 84.

Council Rooms, Aug. 16. 1893.

Whereas, The alley in Block 84. of the City of Ottawa is after heavy rains almost impassable with heavy loads, and during much of the year is in a muddy and miry condition, now therefore:

Resolved That the council of said city do hereby declare it necessary that said alley should be paved with stone or brick in such a manner as to make it a good solid and lasting roadway.

S. Lofkping
D. E. Young
Henry Ott.

On motion of Councilman Branson this Resolution was adopted.

Ord. Levy

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance levying the general taxes for the year 1893" Read the first time.

Upon motion, the rules were suspended the ordinance read the second time considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows:-

Ayes: 7. Nays, 0.

Councillmen voting in the affirmative were Messrs, Byers, Branson, Hinchsbaugh, Hapes Ott, Lofkping and Young.

Absent and not voting Mr. Peterson.

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ord. Lat. 4 + 13

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance levying a special assessment to pay one fifth of the principal, and the second annual payment of interest on internal improvement bonds of the City of Ottawa issued for the purpose of paying the

cost of constructing the sewers in sewer districts numbers Four and Thirteen in the City of Ottawa, Kansas. Read the first time, and upon motion of Councilman Young the rules were suspended ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas 7. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Mapes Ott, Topping and Young.
Absent and not voting Mr Peterson.
And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ord. Levy on Lot. 11 + 12

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance levying a special assessment to pay one fifth of the principal and the third annual payment of interest on internal improvement bonds of the City of Ottawa, issued for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing the sewer in sewer district numbers Eleven and Twelve in the City of Ottawa, Kansas, Read the First time and on motion, the rules were suspended, ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called as follows:- Yeas 7. Nays 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were, Messrs Byers Branson, Flinchpaugh Mapes, Ott, Topping and Young. Absent and not voting Mr Peterson. And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect, having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ord. Levy sidewalks Rep

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance levying a special taxes upon certain Lots, to provide a fund from which to pay for

building and repairing sidewalks adjacent to such lots. Read the first time, and upon motion the rules were suspended, the ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.

And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass, the roll was called with the following result. Yeas 7. Nays 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchbaugh Snapes, Ott, Lopping and Young. Absent and not voting Mr Peterson. And so the mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

Apr. Ord. $800.00 Cem. Fund

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance appropriating the sum of $800.00 of the Cemetery Fund for the purpose of paying for land bought of J. L. Keith, for an addition to Hope Cemetery as per deed." was then read, And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas. 7. Nays 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson Flinchbaugh Snapes, Ott, Lopping and Young. Absent and not voting Mr Peterson. And so, the mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Embankment on Skunk Run Hickory St.

The question of making an embankment on Hickory St. to protect property owners from the overflow of Skunk River was discussed and Councilman Branson moved that the Chairman of the Committee on Streets and Alleys employ the City Engineer to make an estimate of the number of cubic yards of dirt that would be required for that purpose. Motion prevailed.

On motion council adjourned

Attest: Louise Chapman City Clerk. H D Brane Mayor

Council Chambers
Engine House.
Sept. 1st 1893.

Call Meeting — Council met pursuant to a call of the Mayor at the written request of three Councilmen to wit:- Henry Ott, D.C. Branson, S. Topping.
The Mayor in the Chair. Roll Called.
The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names
Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Snapes, Ott, Topping, Peterson and Young.
Ignorance Pleaded
The Call was read as follows:

To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa.

Call — The undersigned members of the council of said City respectfully request that you call a special meeting of the council to meet on Friday Eve. Sept. 1st 1893 for the purpose of considering and acting upon petitions for Billiard Hall licenses and of any unfinished business that may come before the meeting

Henry Ott
D. C. Branson
S. Topping.

Bond + Appl. Frank Peterson — An Application and Bond of Frank Peterson for a Billiard License in the back room of No. 211 Main St. presented and referred to Committee on License.

Bond + Appl. H. E. Smith — Application and Bond of H. E. Smith for Billiard license, room to be located on N. Sec St. in Hamblin Hoyt Block. referred to Committee on License.

Pet. 370 names agst H. E. Smith — Petitions signed by 370 persons asking the City Council not to grant H. E. Smith a Billiard license, as a person unfit for the reason of his utter disregard for city ordinances referred to Committee on License.

Pet. 327 names agst Lic. — Petitions signed by 327 persons asking the City Council to refuse to grant a license to H. E. Smith or Frank Peterson on account of general opposition to the operating of any Billiard Hall in the City, referred

To Committee on Licenses

Dep. Comm Frank Peterson

The Committee on Licenses report on the Bond and Application of Frank Peterson as follows:- "We would refer to council without recommendation"

Gerry Att
Van Grapes
S. Topping.

Comm. Report W. E. Smith

On motion this report was accepted

The Committee on Licenses report on the Bond and Application of W. E. Smith as follows:- We would refer to council without recommendation"

Gerry Att
Van Grapes
S. Topping.

Motion to grant W. E. Smith Carried

On motion this report was accepted.

Councilman Bowerson then moved that the prayer of W. E. Smith be granted. Upon this motion a vote was had and there being some uncertainty as to the result the ayes and nays were called for. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bowerson, Att, Topping, Peterson Young.

Negative Messrs Byers, Flinchbaugh and Grapes.

Motion Prevailed. License granted.

Councilman Grapes moved that the prayer in the Application of Frank Peterson be granted.

Motion to grant Frank Peterson Carried

On this motion, the ayes and nays were called for. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Byers. Flinchbaugh, Grapes, Att, Peterson and Young. Negative, Messrs Bowerson and Topping.

Motion Prevailed. License granted.

Unfinished business Utility eng. Creek Dam

On motion of Councilman Topping council here took up unfinished business, and Mr Silvis, City Engineer, by the assistance of a plat, explained to the council the work necessary to be done on Hickory St. for the improvement of Skunk River.

upon motion of Councilman Branson the Committee on Streets and Alleys was authorized to advertize for bids for this work, and let it to the lowest responsible bidder, also to have the culvert fixed in proper shape, work to be done under the supervision of Mr Silas, City Engineer.

Motion to advertize for bids for work on Hickory Street

The Committee on Sidewalk to whom was referred the petition of Solomon Shoaf and nine others for a sidewalk on the east side of King Street, bet. Powhattan and Red Jacket Blk 3 & 5. in Shaw and Briddington's Add. to Ottawa report as follows:- "We would recommend the building of the above named walks"

Sidewalk Pet. & side King. bet. Powhattan & Red Jacket Blk 3 & 5

J. E. Byers
Geo. Ott
H. C. Branson

On motion this report was adopted.

Council adopts report

Councilman Topping, Chairman of the Committee on Streets and Alleys notified the council, that the 100 days law, as fixed by ordinance, for street work, was up on the 17th of August, and that all work has been stopped on the streets since that time. and asked the council to extend the limit

Topping notifies council 100 days st. com. up 17th Aug.

After some discussion, Councilman Topping moved that the limit of time for the payment of St. Com. be extended indefinitely, according to the judgement of the Committee on Streets and Alleys and the Council. Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Motion to extend limit of time

Council adj. and thereupon Council Adjourned

H. D. Brown Mayor

Attest: Louisa Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
At Engine House.
Sept 6th 1893.

Council met pursuant regular session.
By Mayor in the Chair. Roll Called.
The following gentlemen were present
and answered to their names: Messrs
Byers, Flinchpaugh, Snapes, Ott, Lofping
and Young.

The journals of last regular meeting of
Aug 2nd, Call meetings of Aug. 16th and
Sept 1st '93, read and approved

Statement of City Clerk — The Statement of the City Clerk for the quarter ending Sept. 1st '93 referred to Committee on Finance.

Report of City Treas. — Report of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending Sept. 1st '93 referred to Comm. on Finance.

Report of the Police Judge for the month of August '93, referred to Committee on Police.

Report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of August, 93, referred to Comm. on Sidewalks.

Report of the Street Comm. for the month of August, 1893. referred to Comm. on Streets & Alleys.

Report of Supt. Water Works with reference to fire pressure — Report of the Supt. of Water Works with reference to fires from July 1st 92 to August 1st 1893. Referred to Comm. on F. W. & L.

The following claims were presented and referred to Committees.

Claims presented

A Rowsted	digging graves	Cemetery	5	50
David Bowers	hdlg for F Dept	F. W. & L.	11	22
J. H. Ransom & Co	freight & hauling hose	"	3	63
Ottawa Water Works	rents at Eng Houses	"	1	75
Ottawa Water Works	lighting City	"	82	50
C. F. Arrasmith	Livery	"	2	50
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	mdse			60
Geo. F. Brown	" F. Dept.		2	50
D. A. Hosler	hauling hose to fire		2	50
H. T. Hartshorn	driving F Team		45	00
P. O. Daughters	hay F. Dept.		3	00
Ottawa Gas Co.	lighting Eng H.		3	60
Western Elect. Co	mdse		14	00

	Wm Rosenburg	hay & Dakt	F. Pr & L.	2	54
	S. B. Rohrbaugh	supdse & t a	S. & A.	36	53
	S. B. Rohrbaugh	" "	"	455	27
	John Coghlin	labor "	"	7	50
	Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	mdse "	"	8	10
	John Halloran & Co	" "	"	25	00
	E. W. Allen	labor "	"	18	75
	J. S. Stannart	" "	"	7	50
	Morris Cunningham	" "	"	18	75
	Samuel Temperly	" "	"	3	75
	Joseph Walker	St. Com.	"	75	00
	A. C. Litus	City Eng.	"	8	00
	J. C. Service	Night Watch	Police	45	00
	D. A. Colwell	boarding city priz	"	63	80
	Grant Smith	Night Watch	"	46	00
	E. Boltwood	City Asphalt	"	54	00
	T. V. Ashby	Park Keeper	Sidewalk	25	00
	T. M. Oakley	labor in park	"	3	13
	Chas. B. Gilbert	mdse "	"	10	20
	Topping Hdwe. Co.	" "	"	7	50
	S. B. Rohrbaugh	delinquent sidewalk	Line Warrant	233	69
	Triplett & Harris	lumber sidewalk		52	14
	W. F. Sheldon	money adv. Cook Park		12	50
	S. S. Oakley	labor in park		3	13
	D. E. Steelsmith	rep. desk	Claims		35
	J. C. Simmons	recording deeds	"	2	20
	J. C. Thorp	stationery	"	1	85
	Louisa Chapman	Salary	"	40	00
	The Committee on Cemetery report on				
Bills Allowed	the following Claims and recommend				
	payment.				
	A. Ronsted			59	50
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on F. Pr. & L. report on the				
	following Claims and recommend				
	payment.				
	David Bowers			11	22
	J. H. Ransom & Co			3	63
	Ottawa Water Works			1	75
	Ottawa Water Works			81	85
	C. F. Avenarius			2	50
	Ottawa Hdwe Co				50
	Geo. F. Brown			2	50
	S. A. Geeslin			2	50
	W. F. Kaltshorn			45	00
	D. O. Daughters			3	00

59.50

	Ottawa Gas Co.	3	50		
	Western Elect. Co.	14	00		
	Mr Rosenburg	2	54	174	49
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Streets and Alleys re-				
	port on the following Claims and recom-				
	mends payment.				
	S.B. Rohrbaugh		36	53	
	S.B. Rohrbaugh		455	27	
	John Coplink		7	50	
	Ottawa Hdwe. Co.		18	10	
	John Gallagher & Co.		25	00	
	W.H. Allen		18	75	
	J.S. Stannard		7	50	
	Morris Bingham		118	75	
	Samuel Dempsey		3	75	
	Joseph Walker		75	00	
	A.G. Titus		8	00	664 15
	Report adopted				
	The Committee on Police report on				
	the following Claims and Recommend				
	payment.				
	J.C. Service		45	00	
	J.A. Gelwell		57	20	
	Grant Smith		46	00	
	E. Boltwood		54	00	202 20
	This report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Parks and Sidewalks				
	report on the following claims and re-				
	commends payment.				
	T.D. Osborn		25	00	
59.50	T.M. Oakley		3	13	
	Thos. B. Walters		10	20	
	Topping Hdwe. Co.		7	50	
	S.B. Rohrbaugh		28	56	
	W.J. Speddens		16	25	
	S.B. Rohrbaugh	June Pay Roll	233	59	391 00
	Cyrilo A Harris		52	14	
	W.F. Sheldon		12	50	
	S.S. Oakley		3	13	
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Claims report on the				
	following Claims and recommend payment				
	D.E. Steelman			85	
	J.C. Simmons		2	20	
	G.C. Shomo		1	85	

Louise Chapman 40.00 44.40

On motion this report was adopted.

Mr Young from the Committee on Cemetery asked the advise of the Council as to what should be done with the 200 ft. strip recently purchased and recommended that a street of 33 ft. and a tier of lots be laid off, and that they proceed to cut the Underbrush.

Councilman Topping moved that the Com. on Cemetery be authorized to make those improvements. Motion prevailed.

Com. on Cem. ask council advice as to 200 ft of land at Hope Cem.

The Com. on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the report of the Street Commissioner for the month of July 1893 report as follows.

"Report Approved"

S. Topping

On motion this report was adopted.

The Com. on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for the month of July 1893, as follows:- "Examined and found correct."

Wm Mapes
Chairman

This report was adopted.

The Com. on Sidewalks to whom was referred the report of the sidewalk repairers for the months of May, June and July 1893. report as follows.

"We find this report correct to the best of our knowledge"

J. E. Byers.

Each report bearing the same endorsement, it was moved the reports be adopted. Carried. Reports adopted.

Report on pet of Morgan Wright et al for streets

The Committee on Streets and Alley to whom was referred the petition of Morgan Wright and others for the opening and improving Mulberry St. from 2nd to 3rd and a crossing over Shunk Run on same st. report as follows. "Committee would report that no demand exists warranting the outlay necessary to open said street and build said bridge"

S. Topping
D. C. Young.

Report Adopted.

44.40

Report on pet of Geo. Weippert to open streets

The Committee on Sts. and Alleys to whom was referred the petition of George Weippert and others, to open Sycamore and Cherry sts. bet. 8th & 10th, and to open 10th street, between Sycamore and Mulberry Sts. submit the following report:" Committee on examination report the opening of streets asked for, not necessary.

S. Topping
D. C. Young.

On motion this report was adopted.

Report on pet. of John Armstrong

The Comm on Police to whom was referred the petition of John Armstrong for fees as Deputy Sheriff, submit the following report:" Examined and find he is entitled to no fee."

Geo Makes
Chairman.

On motion this report was adopted.

Grant Lynch Special Police

The Mayor stated to the council that he had been requested to appoint a special police for the protection of the banks, and in pursuance of that request had appointed Grant Lynch, and asked the advice of the council as to appointing him another 30 days.

Upon motion of Councilman Topping the matter was referred to the judgment of the Mayor.

Ord requiring the building of certain side walk

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance ordering build a certain sidewalk". Read the first time. On motion of Councilman Topping the rules were suspended ordinance read the second time, considered by sections, and placed upon its final passage. And the question being Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called, with the following result.

Yeas 6. Nays 0.

Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs, Byers, Hinchman, Makes, Ott, Topping and Young.

Absent and not voting Messrs Peterson and Branson.

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having

voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Upon request of Councilman Grapes the report of the Superintendent of Water Works with reference to fire pressure, was read. And Mr Pollock, Supt. Water Works asked the council to pass a resolution requiring Mr Miller, the housekeeper to sign his report of water pressure at the same time he does his own.

A blank book was then produced upon which to take a record of fire pressures at time of fires, making 3 copies at once

Record of Fire pressure to be kept and how.

Councilman Young moved that this record of fire pressure be kept upon these blanks by making the three copies and that they be signed by the housekeeper and the Representative of the Water Works and that one copy be furnished the Chief of the Fire Dept., one to the Manager of the Water Works, and that one be filed with the City Clerk. And that no report be considered complete unless it is signed by both.

Upon this motion receiving a second a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Test of Water Works ordered

Councilman Grapes moved that the council order a test of the Water Works Co. in accordance with ordinance in the recorded book of Ordinances. The time of this test to be left to the Committee on Fd. Pr. and to be in the presence of the Mayor, Councilmen and Chief of the Fire Department.

Councilman Grapes informed the council that the Baptist Brethren would like to buy the vacant lots, formerly used as a rock quarry, on the corner of Logan and Bedford streets, for the purpose of building a church and also as to what would be the probable cost.

Vacant lots formerly used as rock quarry

Upon motion of councilman Young Seconding Councilmen Grapes and Flinchpaugh were appointed a special committee to treat with those parties and get an offer from them for the purpose of getting it before the council.

Grapes + Flinchpaugh special committee to treat with Baptist Brethren.

Councilman Byers made a statement with reference to the deficiency in the sidewalk fund and offered the following resolution:

Res. to borrow $600 from Building Fund for Sidewalk Fund

Olathe Kansas. Sept. 6, 1893

Resolved: That Six Hundred Dollars be borrowed from the General Fund to meet deficiency in Sidewalk Fund.

J. E. Byers
Henry Ott.

This Resolution was adopted.

Mr Ridgway in behalf of the Agricultural Society asked the City Council to send their grader over to the track in Forest Park, and level it up for their use next week.

Upon motion of Councilman Topping the matter was left with Mr Byers.

Upon motion, the Bonds, Interest Coupons and vouchers were destroyed by fire.

Attention was then called to the bad leverage at the junction of King and Logan Street, and upon motion of Councilman Mapes, the matter was left in the hands of the Street and Alley committee.

A. De Lillis City Eng.

The Mayor then presented the name of A. C. Tatge as City Engineer for the balance of the year. And upon motion the appointment was approved.

Appr. Ord. $1535.74

An Appropriation Ordinance was read, appropriating the sum of $1535.74 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass the roll was called as follows:

Yeas. 6. Nays. 0.

Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Fleischpaugh, Mapes, Ott, Topping and Young.

Absent and not voting, Messrs Brannon and Peterson.

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Council men having voted in favor of the ordinance, the

ordinance was declared duly passed.
And thereupon council adjourned.

Attest: Lonzo Chapman Mc Donald Mayor
City Clerk.

Council Chambers
At Court House
Oct. 4th 1893.

Council met in regular session.
The Mayor in the Chair.
Roll Called.
The following gentlemen were present
and answered to their names.
Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh,
Draper, Ott, Topping and Young.
Quorum Present.
The journal of last regular meeting of
Sept. 6. 1893 read and approved.

Remonstrance against paving alley in Block 27

A remonstrance against paving
the alley in Block 27 signed by
W. F Shelton and 13 others was presented
ed and referred to Com. on St. and Alleys.

Pet. to release Mary Barnard from Co. Jail

A petition to release Mary Barnard
from imprisonment in the Co. jail.
was presented, and the Mayor made
the following report.

Report granting release.

"Gentlemen of the Council: My
attention having been called to the fact
of the imprisonment of Mary Barnard
a colored woman, for cutting another
woman with a razor, and that she has
been 32 days in jail, and is about to be
confined, I therefore, with your consent,
remit the fine that she may be dis-
charged. W. D. Evans
Mayor.

Petition to extend fire limits

On motion this report was adopted.
A Petition signed by W. D. Evans & Co.
and 5 others to extend the fire limits
so as to include the west half of Block
33. the east half of Block 19. and West

half of block 20 presented and referred to Committee on Z. W. & L. and that Com. reported at once as follows: "We would advise that the prayer of the petitioners be granted." Pet granted

O. L. Branson
Geo. Mapes
Henry Ott.

On motion this report was adopted.

The report of the sidewalk repairer for the month of September '93 presented and referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of September presented and referred to Committee on Police.

Ottawa Librarian for quarter ending Sept 1st 93

The report of the Ottawa Librarian for the quarter ending Sept. 1st 93. referred to Committee on Printing.

The report of the Street Commissioner for the month of September '93, referred to Committee on St. and Alleys.

Report of Secy of Fire Dept

A report of the Secy. of Fire Department reads as follows:- To the Hon. Mayor and City Council:- Since the last report of the Ottawa Fire Dept. May 1st 1893, the following have been elected active members of said Co.

Miller
C. C. Fruzides.
Asst Eng Gas Works
Chas. Cashman,
Plumber
L. Lepis,
Miller
Ed. C. Daugsdell,
E. F. Murphy.

The following resignations were accepted.

Resig. Submitted
F. F. Perkins
E. F. Murphy.
F. D. Cole
Sec.

Orders confirmed

On motion of Councilman Branson the above orders were confirmed.

The following bills were presented and referred to Appropriate Committees.

A Rogisted	digging graves	Cemetery	44	88
The Republican	Printing	Printing	36	00
Newman Waring	"	"	2	50
John Collins	labor a+a	S. + A.	4	20
Henry Anderson	"	"	12	12

[redacted]

Morris Linnaham	Labor & t a.		S. t. A.	26	88
P. J. Murphy	"	"	"	11	62
John Fields	"	"	"	5	00
Ottawa Gas Lig.	mdse	"	"	3	00
D. B. Rohrbaugh	"	"	"	68	24
John Taylor	Labor	"	"		63
J. S. Stannard	"	"	"	9	00
Thomas Clark	"	"	"	2	75
Ben Bunyan	"	"	"		63
E. W. Allen	"	"	"	25	88
G. Parker	"	"	"	2	75
Lew Sparks	"	"	"	3	13
John R. Kennedy	"	"	"	4	25
Joseph Bracken	Dt. Com.		"	111	75
Bunyan + Forye	Grading on Hickory St		"	117	50
Geo. J. Bunyan	Labor & t & t		"	1	25
John Mallonee + Co.	opdse	"	"	25	55
Geo. C. Tytus	Atty Eng.		"	30	25
John C. Service	Night Police		Police	45	00
Eq. M. Clark	Special	"	"	8	00
C. A. Richards	Atty Atty.		"	25	00
David Moore	Special Police		"	8	00
J. S. Mandlin	"	"	"	4	00
Grant Smith	Night watch		"	45	00
Eq. Baldwood	Atty Marshal		"	61	00
H. F. Hartshorn	driving fire team		F. W. + L.	45	00
A. P. Elder	mdse		"	2	40
Ottawa Gas Co	lighting Eng.		"	5	00
E. H. Tipton	rek. for F. Dept.		"	2	50
Ottawa F. Dept.	Appr.		"	100	00
Ottawa Water Works	Lighting city		"	82	50
M. K. Avery	hauling fire to city		"	2	00
Gutta Percha Rubber Mg.	mdse		"	7	50
L. H. Cornell	Hay fire dept.		"	3/4	13
Wilo R. Harris	Lumber		Sidewalk	37	16
J. M. Sims	labor in park		"		93
L. L. Hudson	"	"	"	1	43
L. L. Oakley	"	"	"	2	50
F. M. Oakley	"	"	"	4	38
F. V. Ashley	Park-keeper		"	25	00
J. M. Coleman	labor in park		"	1	25
Mr. J. R. Medaris	sidewalk rek.		"	35	00
Ottawa Library	Appropriation		Claim	100	00
L. Topping	mdse		"		75
Ransom + Co	freight on Ballot Box		"	1	20
Louise Chaparman	Atty Clerk Sal. + rent			52	00

88		Michigan Ballot Box Co:	Ballot Boxes	Claim	18 80	
52		Ed Cheyowith	Booths for elect	"	104 25	
10		F. C. Kerr	Services for Leity Ry.	"	31 91	
10		The claim of F. C. Kerr was laid over.				
7		The Committee on Cemetery report on the				
3		following claims and recommend pay-				
0		ment:				
5	Bills Allowed	A. Ronsted			44 88	44.88
3		On motion this report was adopted.				
18		The Committee on Printing report on the				
15		following claims and recommend				
3		payment:-				
5		The Republican			36 00	
15		Newman Baring			2 50	38.50
0		On motion this report was adopted.				
5		The Committee on Streets and Alleys				
5		report on the following claims and re-				
5		commend payment:				
0		John Collins			4 25	
0		Henry Anderson			12 12	
0		Boffis Linnahan			26 88	
0		Ed Murphy			11 62	
0		John Gillett			5 00	
0		Ottawa Valve Co.			3 00	
0		S. B. Rohrbaugh			68 24	
0		John Taylor			63	
0		J. S. Stanyeart			9 00	
0		Thomas Clark			2 75	
0		Ben Runyan			63	
0		E. F. Allen			25 88	
0		H. Parker			2 75	
0		Leo Sparks			3 13	
0		John R. Kennedy			4 25	
3		Joseph Walker			111 75	
6		Runyan & Joyce			117 50	
3		Leo Runyan			1 25	
3		John Halloren & Co			25 55	
0		A. C. Titus			30 25	466.43
8		On motion this report was adopted.				
0		The Committee on Police report on				
5		the following claims and recommend				
0		payment:-				
0		John C. Service			45 00	
5		E. M. Clark			8 00	
0		H. A. Richards			25 00	
0		David Moore			8 00	

J. L. Standish	4	00	
Grant Sornit	45	00	
E. Boltwood	61	00	196.00

This report was adopted.

The Committee on F. M. & L. report on the following claims and recommend payment.

F. A. Gallahorn	45	00	
A. E. Calder	2	40	
Ottawa Gas Co.	5	00	
E. H. Tipton	2	50	
Ottawa F. Dept.	100	00	
Ottawa Water Works	80	58	
Jas. R. Ivey	2	00	
Kuhla Preparation Robert Mfg		75	
L. H. Conrad	34	13	279.11

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Sidewalks and Park report on the following claims and recommend payment.

Milo R. Harris	37	16	
O. M. Sirrine		93	
L. L. Hudson	1	43	
S. S. Oakley	2	50	
F. M. Oakley	4	38	
T. V. Ashby	25	00	
J. C. Coleman	1	25	
J. F. R. Medaris	35	00	107.65

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on Claims report on the following claims and recommend payment.

Ottawa Library	100	00	
Topping		75	
Ramour & Co.	1	20	
Louise Chapman	52	00	
Michigan Ballot Box Co.	18	80	
Ed Chenoweth	104	25	277.00

On motion this report was adopted

The Com. on Health to whom was referred the Claim of Jas. A. Service of $4.00 recommend that it be laid over. and on motion it was so ordered.

The Committee on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the report of the Com. for the month of August '93 report

as follows: "Report examined and found correct to best of our knowledge.

S. Topping.

This report was adopted.

Police Judge report for month Aug. 93

The Committee on Police to whom was referred the report of the Police Judge for the month of August report as follows:-

"Examined and found Correct."

Wm Hughes

Chairman

This report was adopted.

Raymond range and Alley in Blk 84 Comm. Report

The Committee on Sts and Alleys to whom was referred a remonstrance signed by H. F Sheldon et al, against paving Alley in Block 84, Sub Addition the following report "Referred back to Council without recommendation"

S. Topping

D. C. Young

J. Ed Byers

This report was adopted.

Councilman Branson moved the report of the Committee be received and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

Councilman Branson moved that its the sense of the Committee that that alley be paved Motion prevailed.

Councilman Branson moved that the City Engineer be instructed to make the preliminary survey to establish the grade for the paving of that alley between 3rd & 4th, west of Main, and to estimate the cost of it.

City Eng. to make survey and est. grade in alley Blk 84.

Councilman Topping moved to amend the motion of Councilman Branson by having the estimate made for paving with stone the same as alley north of 3rd St. and also for macadamizing and also for paving with brick.

Councilman Branson accepted the amendment, And a vote was had upon the motion and the motion prevailed.

Cost for paving granite dashes on tripoli

The Mayor then asked the council to consider the matter of macadamizing 4th St. from Main to Railroad.

City Eng. to make est. to macadamize 14th St. from Main to R.R.

Upon motion of Councilman Topping the City Engineer was requested to make an estimate as to the cost of macadamizing 14th Street from Main to Railroad and to submit it to the council

Mayor asks to change Fire alarm

The Mayor asked the council to put a Fire Alarm between Main and Tecumseh on the North side of the river.

The following Resolution was then read:-

Council Rooms
Oct. 4, 1893.

Resolution with regard to Fire alarms

Resolved, That the Fire Department of the City be directed to establish fire alarm boxes at the following named places to wit:- At the corner of Oak and Red Jacket streets, and at the corner of Porphallow and Mulberry streets or as the council may direct.

Henry Ott
Hans Mapes

Councilman Bodmer, in order to get the question before the council, moved that the Committee on F. M. & L. in connection with the Chief of Fire Dept. be instructed to purchase one #75.00 fire alarm box and locate it on Main and Tecumseh, and take the one at Logan and Main, and move it to within one block of the School House, north of the river. A vote was then had, and there being some doubt as to the result, the raising of the hands was called for. The motion then was lost.

Motion to buy 1 @ $75.00.

Councilman Mapes moved that the Committee buy one Fire Alarm box and leave it with the Committee on Fire and Water in connection with the Chief of the Fire Dept. to locate it.

Mr Felder Chief of Fire Dept. asked the Council if he would still be required to make a report in writing of any deficiency in water pressure, as per resolution passed at former meeting.

Councilman Topping moved that the Chief of the Fire Department be required to make report according to orgidal resolution. Motion Prevailed.

Councilman Topping offers the following Resolution and moves its adoption

Resolution to notify Cherryvale Water Co to supply fire plugs

Resolved: That the Mayor be instructed to communicate with the owners of the Cherryvale Water Works, and inform them that the City demands that they at once take steps to fulfil the original contract to furnish the City water fit for domestic use. D. Topping.

This Resolution was adopted.

Councilman Brayson moved that the Committee on Streets and Alleys be instructed, after the expiration of one week from this date to discontinue any street work. Upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Ord. Fire Alarm System

An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance to prevent interference with any part of the Fire Alarm System of the City" Read the First time.

Upon motion of Councilman Brayson the rules were suspended, ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result.

Yeas 7. Nays 0.

Gentlemen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Byers, Brayson Flinchbaugh, Knapes, Ott, Topping and Young.

Absent and not voting Mr Peterson.

And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Approp. Ord. $1409.57

An Appropriation Ordinance appropriating the sum of $1409.57 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government was then Read.

And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows:- Yeas 7. Nays 0.

Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh Snapes, Ott, Lofping and Young Absent and not voting Mr Peterson. And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect, having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

And thereupon Council adjourned

Attest:- Louise Chapman
City Clerk

H D. Evans Mayor

Council Chambers
November 1st 1893.

Reg. Session Council met in regular session. The Mayor in the Chair. Roll Called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names:- Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Snapes, Ott, Peterson, Lofping and Young. Gentlemen Present.

The Journal of last regular meeting of Oct. 4th 1893, read and approved.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of October 1893 referred to Committee on Police.

The Report of the Sidewalk Repairer for the month of October, 1893, referred to Committee on Sidewalks.

Report Chief Fire Dept. testing water works. A Report of the Chief of the Fire Department with reference to testing the capacity of the Water Works, and also recommending that a team be procured, and that the steam Fire Engine be fully equipped for use in case of fire.

On motion this report was referred to committee on F. Fr. & P.

Pet. asking exclusive control of old council chamber for fireman A petition was presented asking the council to allow the Fire Dept. the exclusive control of the old council chambers to furnish and fit up for a parlor and sleeping room for fireman. On motion this petition was granted.

Claims presented. The following bills were presented and referred to the appropriate committees

A. Donated	Seylon	Cemetery	42	25
A. C. Titus	plotting Cem.	"	12	00
J. B. Kessler	Printing	Printing	5	25
E. H. Allen	Labor S.+A.	S. + A.	8	13
Morris Linnahan	" "	"	6	88
J. S. Stannard	" "	"	15	00
Henry Anderson	" "	"	8	13
C. J. Grimsby	" "	"	7	50
John Willis	" "	"	14	38
Peter Moore	" "	"	3	13
Joseph Walker	St. Cem.	"	42	50
Jos. Garberson	hauling stone to fire	F. W. + L.	1	00
A. C. Troutman	Labor for Eng. D.	"	3	40
J. Walker	hauling stone	"	1	00
J. F. Elwell	" "	"	2	00
Ottawa Milling Co.	Grade	"	2	50
L. C. Rice	rep. fire alarm	"	2	15
W. Wilson	Blacksmithing	"	2	00
Ottawa Water Works	Lights	"	82	50
Dawson + Rumley	Blacksmith	"	2	95
N. F. Castleman	driving 2 team	"	46	00
J. J. Black	work at Eng. D.	"	6	55
Ottawa Gas Co.	Lights	"	7	82
A. C. Elder	Grade	"	16	47
A. C. Titus	excavating water Cart	"	2	00
E. Baldwood	City Marshal	Police	54	00
Frank Arnold	Lake of Pickman	"	14	00
John Willis	" " "	"	14	00
Grant Smith	Special Police	"	6	00
J. E. Elwell	boarding City Pris	"	86	80
J. C. Service	Night Police	"	45	00
C. Johnson	rent for Pickman	"	5	00
J. M. Ashby	Park-keeper	Sidewalk	25	00
Dr. J. R. Wheeler	Sidewalk Insp.		35	00
Geo. C. Washburn	Supt. work in Cem.	Claims	21	87
Clark Bros.	Stationery	"	9	20
Louise Chapman	City Clerk	"	40	00
J. F. Elwell	moving city clerk off.	"	2	50
W. Freeden	rep. desk		2	00
D. R. Crawford	error in sewer Ex. Bd. of Health		8	91
A. W. Adams	" " " "	"	3	60
Baptist Church	" " " "	"	13	84
Volk C. +	" " " "	"	2	59
A. C. Titus	Ext. grade in alley	Claims	14	00

Claims Allowed

Jas. A. Service making sewer com. Health 3.00
The Committee on Cemetery report on the following claim and recommend payment:
A. Rowatt 42 25
A. C. Titus 12 00 54.25
On motion this report was adopted
The Committee on Printing report on the following claim and recommend payment.
J. B. Kessler 5 25 5.25
This report was adopted.
The Committee on Streets and Alleys report on the following claims and recommend payment.
E. W. Allen 8 13
Morris Linnahan 6 88
J. S. Stewart 15 00
Henry Anderson 8 13
E. J. Murphy 7 50
John Willis 14 38
Peter Groove 3 13
Joseph Walker 42 50 105.65
On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights report on the following claims and recommend payment.
Jos. Garbenoth 1 00
A. W. Troytman 3 40
A. Walker 1 00
J. F. Elwell 2 00
Ottawa Milling Co. 2 50
L. C. Rice 2 15
Wm. Wilson 2 00
Ottawa Water Works 78 64
VanBorgen and Brandley 2 95
H. F. Carlstrom 45 00
J. T. Black 6 05
Ottawa Gas Co. 7 82
A. P. Elder 6 47
A. C. Titus 2 00 162.98
It was moved and seconded the report be adopted. Motion prevailed
The Committee on Police report on the following claims and recommend payment.

E. Bostwood 54 00
Frayk Arnold 14 00
John Willis 14 00
Grant Smith 6 00
J. Eg. Edwall 86 80
J. E. Service 45 00
B. Johnson 5 00 224.80

On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Sidewalks and Parks, report on the following Claims and recommend Payment.

T. D. Ashby 25 00
W. J. R McCaria 35 00 60.00

On motion this report was adopted
The Committee on Claims report on the following Claims and recommend payment of

Leo. A. Ashburn 21 87
Clark Bros. 9 20
Louise Chapman 40 00
J. F. Edwall 2 50
Wm. Foeden 2 00
John Nelson 6 00
A. E. Titus 14 00 95.57

On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Health report on the following Claims and recommend payment.

L. R. Crawford 8 91
A. W. Adkins 3 60
Baptist Church 13 84
Polk Estate 2 59
Jas. A. Service 3 00 31.94

On motion this report was adopted
The Committee on Finance to whom was referred the report of the City Treasurer, for the quarter ending Sept 1st 1893 report the following report:- "We recommend the within report is correct. The vouchers were destroyed before the report was handed to me.

W. C. Beaman
Chairman.

On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for the month

of September 1893 as follows:-
"Examined and approved."
Wm Snapes
Chairman.
On motion this report was adopted.

Sidewalk rep. rept for Sept. 93.

The Committee on Sidewalks to whom was referred the Sidewalk Repairer's report for the month of September 1893 report as follows:- "We find the report correct to the best of our knowledge"
J. E. Byers.
On motion this report was adopted.

com. ch. F. Dept. Fire alarm boxes

A Communication from the Chief of the Fire Department with reference to Fire Alarm boxes, and the cost of the same was read and on motion of Councilman Topping was referred to the Committee on Fire, Water and Lights.

com. J. P. Harris vacant building beside Park fence

A communication from J. P. Harris with reference to a vacant building on the North side of the Park fence, on the 17 acre tract, advising that the building be sold or taken down, was read, and on motion of Councilman Topping, the Park Commissioner was authorized to dispose of the building to the best interest of the city and report to the Council.

The following communication was then read.

Resignation of E. Boltwood City Marshal

Ottawa, Kansas Oct. 21st 1893
To the Honorable Mayor and Council:
Having made arrangements to leave the state within a few weeks, I hereby tender my resignation as City Marshall to take effect. November 20th.
Very Respectfully Yours
E. Boltwood.
On motion of Councilman Topping, this resignation was accepted.

City Atty calls attention to rock at work house

The City Attorney called the attention of the council to the fact that there was two rock roughs out to be broken by prisoners, and that the Work-house pits were well filled with broken rock; that it should be taken away and more rock supplied, as there is about four prisoners in the jail who ought to be at work

Councilman Branson suggested that the prisoners be taken to the quarry to break rock in suitable weather and on Councilman Byers calling the attention of the council to a certain place needing macadam very badly, Councilman Branson moved that the Committee on Streets and Alleys be instructed to take the stone out of the Work-house, and do the repairing on the street that is absolutely necessary, upon this motion a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

And on motion, the matter of appointing a suitable person to take charge of the prisoners while working at the quarry, and at the work-house in bad weather was referred to the Committee on Police.

Councilman Branson asked the council to allow the F. & F. Committee to buy three or four more poles for the erection of alarm boxes, over the river, And upon motion of Councilman Topping the F. & F. Committee were authorized to make the necessary purchase.

Councilman Young offered the following Resolution: Resolved, That, Whereas, by an error in the assessments against certain Lots in Sewer District No. 4. for the taxes of the year 1893, causing an excess against Lots now owned by L. R. Crawford of $7.38, Baptist Church, $11.10 A. W. Adams $2.93, Polk Estate $2.13, on exhibiting to the City Clerk a receipt in full, by said named parties for their taxes for said Lots for 1893, An order be drawn to refund said amount viz:-

L. R Crawford	$7.38
Baptist Church	11.10
A. W. Adams	2.93
Polk Estate	2.13

D. C. Young.

This Resolution was adopted.

Councilman Topping moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet in one week from this date, from 8th ult 1893

may have a hearing in regard to paving alley

that the citizens may have a hearing in regard to paving the alley first west of Main Street between Third and Fourth, and also to dispose of any other unfinished business.

Ord. defining fire limits

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Amending Sec. 1. of ordinance No. 201, defining fire limits of the City.

Read the first time.

Upon motion of Councilman Branson the rules were suspended, the ordinance read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result:

Yeas 8. Nays 0

Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Fleischmann, Mapes, Ott, Peterson, Topping and Young.

And so the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect, having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ord. est. grade of Fourth St. bet Main & Walnut

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Fourth Street between Main Street and the R.R. track on Walnut Street, together with the curb grade along the South side of Block 84 to west side of Alley.

Read the First time

with reference to platting addition to Hope Cemetery

Councilman Young from the Committee on Cemetery made the recommendations with reference to platting the new addition to Hope Cemetery and upon motion of Councilman Topping the matter was referred to the Committee on Cemetery with power to act.

$100.00 transferred from Genl fund to Sidewalk fund

Councilman Branson moved that $100.00 be transferred from the General Fund to the Sidewalk Fund. Motion Prevailed. Upon Councilman Mapes objecting to prisoners using blasting powder in quarrying rock, it was ordered that the matter of blasting rock by the prisoners be left

with the Committee on Police.

Exception Prevailed.

The Mayor then presented the following names for Judges and Clerks of Election of Nov. 7th 1893 for confirmation:

First Ward		Second Ward
P. Kaiser		D. Holaday
D. Flinchpaugh	Judges	E. M. Sheldon
F. S. Crenshaw		L. C. Fright
Geo. Harris	Clerks	F. A. Markell
Ed Thomas		L. Alfinaz
Third Ward		Fourth Ward
C. L. Robbins		H. I. Rickrell
Ed Fiske	Judges	Matt Semple
J. M. Lucas		Aug. Johnson
E. A. Becker	Clerks	J. A. Elgroyd
Dan DeFord		H. P. Sherman

On motion of Councilman Brauson these names were confirmed.

An Appropriation Ordinance appropriating the sum of $740.44 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government was then read. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows: Yeas 8 Nays 0.

Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bogers, Brandon, Flinchpaugh, Knapes, Ott, Peterson, Topping and Young.

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

The Main and Locust St. Bridges being in need of repair and there being good reason to which was liable for the cost thereof the County or the City, the Mayor informed the council that Commissioner Hawkins had suggested that the City order the work done, the work to cost $150.00, and when the bill was presented to have it contested and that he had done so and men were now at work.

Council adjourned

Thomas Chairman. Attest City Clerk.

Council Chambers
Nov. 3rd. 1893

Call Meeting — Council met pursuant to a call made and issued by the Mayor upon a written request of five councilmen to-wit:- J. E. Byers, D. Topping, Wm Mapes, G.C. Branson, and Henry Ott.

The Mayor in the Chair. Roll Called The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names. Messrs Byers, Branson, Mapes, Ott, and Topping. Bridgens Present.

The call was read as follows:-

Ottawa Kansas, Nov. 3, 1893

Call — To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa

The undersigned councilmen of said city respectfully request you to call a special meeting of the council on Friday eve at 7:30 P.M. to audit the accounts of L. H. Divelbiss and draw a requisite Appropriation ordinance

Signed

J. E. Byers
D. Topping
Wm. Mapes
G. C. Branson
Henry Ott

upon motion of Councilman Branson the bill of L. H. Divelbiss amounting to $431.91, Draft allowed.

Divelbiss bill $431.91 — $431.91

An Appropriation ordinance appropriating the sum of $431.91, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government as per said read. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas 5 Nays 0

Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Mapes, Ott and Topping

Absent and not voting, Messrs.- Flinchpaugh Peterson and Young.

And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elected, having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

upon motion of Councilman Branson
claims amounting to $28.94 errorin
favor tax of extemption of Lateral No. 4. were
paid out of the General Fund.
And thereupon Council adjourned.

H D Crane Mayor

Attest:- Louise Chapman
City Clerk.

Council Chambers
Nov. 8th 1893.

Council met pursuant to adjournment
Mayor Crane in the Chair.
Roll Called.
The following gentlemen were present
and answered to their names. Messrs
Byers, Branson, Mapes, Ott, Peterson and
Topping.

Engineers Report.

The City Engineer made a report to the
Council with reference to the grading of
Fourth Street, between Main St. & Walnut
and of the Alley first west of Main
street between Third and Fourth Streets
also an estimate of the cost for paving the same.
Councilman Topping moved the
report be received and placed on file
Motion prevailed.

Upon motion of Councilman Branson, the consideration of the paving of this
alley between Third and Fourth Streets
was postponed until next March.

Councilman Branson moved that
the fire alarm box that has been at
the corner of Logan and Main streets, be
removed to the corner of Cedar and Mason
streets, and that 36 that is now at
the corner of Main and First streets, be
removed to Keokuk and Main, and 31,
the new one, be put at First and Main.

Upon this motion a vote was had and
the motion lost.

It was moved and seconded that the
Committee on Streets and Alleys, be instructed
to procure or lease from Mr Rohrbaugh

a lot for storing lumber on and also to get the use of the old building next the Engine House to store tools in.
Motion prevailed.

Councilman Mazes informed the council that a colored man who was sentenced to work on the streets and now in jail, positively refuses to work claiming to be sick, and upon receiving assurance from Dr. Davis, that the man would be taken off at work on the street than in the jail, he move d that the Marshall be instructed to see that this man is put on a bread and water diet, and remove so far from the other cells that food can not be furnished him by the other prisoners. Motion prevailed.

motion to put man on bread & water to enforce work

Council then went into executive session, Councilman Lopping in the Chair.

Executive session

Council rose from Executive session and resumed its regular order of business. Mayor Crane in the Chair.

Councilman Lopping then made a report as follows:- Mr Mayor, I have to report as the action of the council that the name of Geo. Farron for Deity Marshall is rejected. Report adopted.

Deity Marshal Geo. Farron rejected

Council then went into Executive Session again with Councilman Lopping in the Chair.

Council rose from executive session and resumed its regular order of business. Mayor Crane in the Chair.

Councilman Lopping made the following report:- Mr Mayor, I have to report that the council confirmed the name of Thomas Pyle for Deity Marshall. Report adopted.

Thomas Pyle confirmed

Upon motion of Councilman Brandon council adjourned.

Attest:- Lorina Chapman
Deity Clerk

H. D. Crane Mayor

Council Chambers
Dec 6th 1893

reg. session — Council met in regular session. Compilapan Young, President of the Council in the chair. Roll called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names:- Gilbert, Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Utt, Drakes, Peterson, Lofgren and Young. Quorum present.

Petition signed by W. A. Drum and 65 others, asking the Council to appoint an additional man on the night police force during the winter, presented and referred to Com. on Police.

Bond and Application of Frank Peterson for a billiard license presented and referred to Com. on Licenses.

Bond and Application of H. E. Smith for a Billiard license presented and referred to Com. on Licenses.

The report of the sidewalk repairer for the month of November A. D. 1893 referred to Com. on Sidewalks.

The report of the Police Judge for the month of November '93, referred to Com. on Police.

The report of Street Commissioner with reference to flushing sewers referred to Com. on Sts. & Alleys.

Statement of the City Treasurer for the quarter ending Dec. 1st, 1893 referred to Committee on Finance.

Statement of the City Clerk for the quarter ending Dec. 1st, 1893, referred to Committee on Finance.

A report of the City Marshal with reference to impounding horses during the month of Nov. was read and referred to Committee on Police.

The following bills were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Bills presented	A Rowated	digging graves	Cemetery	27 50
	A. C. Titus	grading cem.	"	15 00
	John Halloran & Co.	slakes for "	"	7 20

Wiath Sweet	lumber	L.T.a.	122	81
A. le. Lilie	running levels	"	5	00
Topping Hdwe Co	mdse	"	7	35
S. B. Rohrbaugh	"	"		50
Forayth Arnfield	labor	"	1	88
E. F. Allen	"	"	8	13
J. S. Stqueart	"	"	11	25
John Willis	working fire	"	21	88
Joseph Walker	St. Com.	"	72	40
Henry Anderson	labor	"	4	38
John Halloren & Co	mdse	Sidewalk	2	28
J. E. Forbes & Co	"	"	11	09
Emilo R. Harris	"	"	85	34
Ottawa H.dwe. Co.	"	"	3	00
Topping Hdwe. Co.	"	Park	6	17
J. D. Ashby	Park-keeper	"	25	00
Stilson & Dick	Labor on Conservatory	"	36	00
S. B. Rohrbaugh	mdse	"	3	44
Topping Hdwe Co	"	Sidewalk	8	72
Dr. J. R. Medaris	Sidewalk Kept.	"	35	00
A. P. Edes	mdse F Dept.	F. W. & L.	2	84
Ottawa Gas Co.	lights	"	6	95
E. B. Quarnadine	Rep. Fire alarm	"	9	00
Dr. F. Carlthorn	driving F. Team	"	45	00
J. G. Mandlin	coal for eng. house	"	13	00
M. R. Ivey	painting hose to fire	"	1	00
Ottawa Water Works	lighting city	"	82	50
Ottawa Hdwe. Co.	mdse	"		60
S. B. Rohrbaugh	"	"	6	26
Daniel Mohler	hay Fire Dept	"	6	75
Geo. J. Brown	mdse " "	"	3	85
Geo. Claypool	labor on fire alarm	"	1	00
J. E. Forbes	numbering dog tags	Police	1	05
D. A. Elwell	boarding city Pris	"	70	40
E. Boltwood	City Marshal	"	33	33
John C. Syrvice	Lights Watch	"	45	00
Beckford Stamp Co.	Stamps for election	Claims	2	00
A. P. Elder	rods for Courts	"	13	26
Wm Broderick	lettering transom	"	1	50
Newman Waring	stationery	"	1	25
Louise Chapparau	Salary J.	"	70	00
D. M. Clark	Stationery	"	4	40
Purdy and Thayer	rent of room	"	2	00
P. McCamlin	" " "	"	2	00
F. R. Williams	ref. occ. tax	"	50	00
Col. Thompson	painting c/s Courts	"	13	25

	J. F. Dafford Asst City Atty. Claim			25	00
	The Committee on Cemetery report on the following claims and recommend payment:				
Bills allowed	A. Rowsted			27	50
	John Hallorenn			7	20 34.70
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on streets and Alleys report on the following claims and recommend payment:-				
	Matt Ewert			122	81
	A. G. Liles			5	00
	Lobring Howe Co.			7	35
	S. B. Rohrbaugh				55
	Frazier Arnold			1	88
	E. F. Allen			8	13
	J. S. Stayeart			11	25
	John Fielding			21	88
	Frazier Walker			72	40
	Henry Anderson			4	38 25.58
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Sidewalks and Parks report on the following claims and recommend payment				
	John Hallorenn Co			2	28
	Milo R Harris			85	34
	Ottawa Howe Co.			3	00
	Lobring " "			6	17
	T. O. Darby			25	00
	Gibson & Dick			36	00
	S. B. Rohrbaugh			3	44
	Lobring Howe Co.			8	72
	H. J. Rhedaris			35	00 204.95
	On motion this report was adopted.				
	The Committee on Fire, Water and Lights report on the following claims and recommend payment:-				
	A. P. Elder			2	84
	Ottawa Gas Co.			6	95
	E. B. Marmaduke			9	00
	H. F. Hartshorn			45	00
	J. S. Grandlin			13	00
	Mr. R. Frey			1	00
	Ottawa Water Works			81	99
	Ottawa Howe Co.				60
	S. B. Rohrbaugh			6	26

Daniel Grohler 6 75
Geo. T. Brown 2 35
Geo. Clayfool 1 00 176.74
On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Police report on the following Claims and recommend payment:-
J. E. Forbes 1 05
D. A. Colwell 70 40
E. Boltzwood 33 33
John C. Service 45 00 149.78
Report adopted.
The Committee on Claims report on the following Claims and recommend payment:-
Bedford Stamp Co. 2 00
A. P. Elder 13 26
Wm Brodderick 1 50
Freeman Harring 1 25
Louise Chapman 40 00
D. M. Clark 4 40
Purdy & Moyer 2 00
C. Applebee 2 00
F. R. Williams 50 00
Ed Greenough 13 25
J. H. Deford 25 154.66
On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Streets and Alleys to whom was referred the report of the street Commissioner for the month of September '93, submit the following report. "Report examined and found correct, best of our knowledge."
S. Popping Chm.
On motion this report was adopted.
The Committee on Police report on the report of the Police Judge for the month of October 1893, as follows:
"Examined and found correct."
Jno Mapes, Chairman.
The Committee on Sidewalk and Parks to whom was referred the Claim of the Inter-State Sunday School Ass. for use of com. State Sunday School Assembly, ask the following report. "Your Committee to whom was referred the Claim of Ottawa Assembly would report in favor of allowing the following amounts on a Piano

Time Warrant 572.46

Warrant due Jan. 1/95.
Amount for Painting, actual cost $334.00
176.74 Also appropriate 238.46
$572.46

Provided said Assembly, in accepting such amounts, relinquish all farther claims on the city under the original contract made with them.

D. C. Branson
J. C. Byers
D. C. Young & Henry J. Ott

Moved the report be adopted

Councilman Branson moved as an amendment to the report of the Committee that two Time Warrants be drawn; One for $272.46 to be paid on January 1st 1894, and one for $300.00 payable on the 1st day of January 1895. The question on the being upon the amendment to the report, a vote was had, and the motion prevailed

The question now being upon the report of the Committee as amended, a vote was had and the report adopted.

Mayor Pro Tem to sign lease with Tillabaugh

Councilman Lapping moved that the Mayor Pro-Tem be authorized to sign a Lease with Mr Rohrbaugh for the ground and 54.66 building, according to the terms of the contract entered into some month ago.

Motion Prevailed

Councilman Lapping, from the Committee on Streets and Alleys made a report giving reference to the flushing of sewers in the city, stating that the hose hydrants were out, and that considerable expense was attached to the work every month; that Mr Haines to flush sewers with sprinkler

Mr Haines, the street sprinkler, had offered to make an attachment to his wagon, and flush the sewers at a apparently little expense to what the city has been paying heretofore, and asked the consent of the council for the Com. on Streets and Alleys to contract with Mr Haines for this work

It was then moved and seconded that the Committee on Sts and Alleys be authorized to contract with Mr Haines to flush the sewers out of his water cart

Motion Prevailed

Ord. est grade of sidewalks on Main st. 1st time

An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance establishing the grade of the sidewalks on Main Street North of the river." Read the first time.

Ord. repealing No. 141 read 1st time

An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 141. and establishing the grade of Main street from the north end of the bridge crossing the Marias Des Cygne river, to the north side of Wassaworth Addition." Read the first time.

Ord. amend. ord. 1 United coal and oil gas Co. 1st time

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance amending Section One of an ordinance granting to The United Coal and Oil Gas Company, the privilege of laying its mains through the streets, alleys and public grounds, of the City of Ottawa, Kansas." Read the first time.

Ord. Ind. Gas 1st reading

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting to James M. Guffey, and John H. Bailey (co-partners doing business in the name and firm) of Guffey & Bailey of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, their successors and assigns, the privilege of using all streets, alleys, roads and other public grounds, in the city of Ottawa, Kansas, for supplying to the said city of Ottawa, and its inhabitants natural gas for heat and light, and all other purposes, for which natural gas is used." Read the first time

Ord. est. grade 2nd st. bet. Main and Walnut 2nd reading

An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance establishing the grade of Fourth Street between Main Street and the R.R. track on Walnut Street together with the curb grade along the south side of Block 84, to west side of alley." Read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows. Yeas. 8. Nays. 0. Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Bowman, Flinchbaugh Ott, Mapes, Peterson, Tokping and Young. And the Mayor announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared

the ordinance duly passed.

Councilman Brandon moved that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet two weeks from tonight. Motion prevailed.

The Committee on License to whom was referred the Bond and Application of Frank Peterson for a Billiard License submit the following report: "We would recommend that the within license be granted."

Henry Ott
S Topping
Wm Hayes

On motion this report was adopted.

The Committee on License also report on the Bond and Application of F. E. Smith for a Billiard license as follows:

"We would recommend that the within license be granted."

Henry Ott
S Topping
Wm Hayes

Accompanying Mr. Smith's Bond and Application was a claim against the City of $11.70, amount claimed for account of being closed six weeks after paying License.

Councilman Hayes moved the amount claimed by Mr Smith be refunded upon this motion receiving a second. An informal discussion arose and upon referring to the Ordinance, No. 242. Section 9. Councilman Hayes with the consent of his second withdrew his motion.

And on motion the report of the committee as read was adopted with the understanding that Mr Smith make his check $50.00.

The Committee on Police to whom was referred the petition asking the council to appoint and extra night police, submit the following report: "Your committee would recommend the prayer of petitioners be granted by the appointment of an extra night police."

Wm Hayes
Chairman

On motion this report was adopted.

$1548.87 Appr. Ord.

an Akpprokriation Ordinance, akpprokriating the sum of $1548.87 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the City Government, was then read and the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? the roll was called resulting as follows:
Yeas 8. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in favor of the ordinance were Messrs Byers, Branson, Flinchpaugh, Ott, Drake, Peterson, Topping and Young
And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of the councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.
On motion of Councilman Topping Council adjourned.

A D Young
Pres't of Council

Attest:- Louise Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
Dec. 11th 1893

Call Meeting Council met pursuant to a call of the Mayor made and issued upon the written request of three Councilmen to-wit A Peterson D. Topping and H. C. Branson.
Mayor Crane in the Chair.
Roll Called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names:-
Messrs Branson, Peterson, Ott, Topping and Young. Quorum Present.
The Call was read as follows:-
To the Hon. Mayor of the City of Ottawa:
Call. The undersigned councilmen of said City respectfully request you to call a special meeting of the Council, to meet on Monday evening, at 7³⁰ P. M. for the purpose of considering what disposition shall be made of the City Prisoners, and also, to make such arrangements as shall be necessary to test the validity of the City Ordinance #231, also Sec 17 Article 2. Ordinance #p. 232, and any other unfinished business that may come before the council.
A Peterson

S. Topping
C. C. Branson

The City Marshall then made a statement
ing regard to the prisoners now lying in
the jail at the City's expense and refus-
ing to work, stating that the Sheriff who
upon had them in his charge required
special orders from the Council to en-
force, Sec. 3 of Ord. No. 231., providing that
such offenders be kept in close confinement
and fed on bread and water until will-
ing to work.

A general discussion then followed
with reference to the validity of this ordi-
nance, and also, Sec. 17. Art. 2. of Ordinance
No. 232.

Councilman Topping in order to bring the
matter before the house, considering the fact
that the ordinance of the city has been called
in question, and has been passed upon by the
Probate Judge as in-valid, moved that the
Committee on Police in connection with
the City Attorney, bring a test case before
the District Court, as soon as possible, to test
the validity of this ordinance, and to em-
ploy such Counsel as they think necessary
in connection with the City Attorney.

This motion receiving a second a vote
was had and the motion prevailed.

There followed a long and general
discussion during which Councilman
Young was excused, leaving the Council
without a quorum, and upon motion of
Councilsman Topping, Council adjourned

H. D. Greene Mayor

Attest:- Louisa Chapman
City Clerk

Council Chambers
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Adjournment — Council met pursuant to adjournment. Councilman Young, President of the council, in the Chair.
Roll called. The following gentlemen were present and answered to their names: Messrs Byers, Brandon, Mapes, Tompkins and Young.
Quorum present.

Ord. est grade st. of river — An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance establishing the grade of the sidewalks on Main Street north of the river" read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage.
And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5. Nays 0.
Gentlemen voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Byers, Brandon, Mapes, Tompkins and Young.
Absent and not voting, Messrs Flinchbaugh, Peterson and Ott.
And so, the Mayor pro tem announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed.

Ord. nat. gas — An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting to James M. Duffey and John F. Bailey (Co-partners doing business in the name and firm) of Duffey & Bailey of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania their successors and assigns, the privilege of using all streets, alleys, roads and other public grounds in the City of Ottawa Kansas, for supplying to the said City of Ottawa and its inhabitants natural gas for heat and light, and all other purposes, for which natural gas is used. read the second time, considered by sections and Councilman Brandon moved to amend the ordinance by inserting Section 6, making the section read as follows: "That nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as giving or allowing any claims for

for expenses or damages to which they may be subjected in consequence of establishing or changing the grades of any street or alley along which they have their premises. Upon this motion to amend, a vote was had, and the motion prevailed. The ordinance was now placed upon its final passage, and the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called resulting as follows: Yeas 5. Nays 0. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Brandon, Mapes, Topping and Young. Absent and not voting Messrs Flinchbaugh, Peterson and Ott.

And so the Mayor pro tem announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance amending Section One of an Ordinance granting to the United Coal and Oil Gas Co. company the privilege of laying its mains in, along the streets, alleys and public grounds of the City of Ottawa, Kansas." read the second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the ordinance pass? The roll was called with the following result. Yeas 5. Nays 0. Councilmen voting in favor of the ordinance, were Messrs Byers, Brandon, Mapes, Topping and Young. Absent and not voting, Messrs Flinchbaugh, Peterson and Ott.

And so the Mayor pro tem, announcing that a majority of the Councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance declared the ordinance duly passed. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 141 and establishing the grade of Main Street from the north end of the Bridge crossing the Marias-des-Cygnes river to the south side of Massachusetts Street" read the

second time, considered by sections and placed upon its final passage. And the question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? the roll was called with the following result: Yeas 5. Nays 0. Councilmen voting in the affirmative were Messrs Byers, Branson, Mapes, Topping and Young.
Absent and not voting Messrs Flinchbaugh Peterson and Ott.
And so, the Mayor announcing that a majority of councilmen elect having voted in favor of the ordinance, declared the ordinance duly passed.

Motion that the Mayor get legal advise in regard to Water Works contract

Councilman Branson, from the Committee on F. Pr. & L. with reference to the report of the Chief of Fire Departments report on the water test, made a motion that the Mayor be instructed to get additional legal advise as to what is best to do in view of the fact that the Yale Works Company are not coming up to their part of their contract, and to report at the next regular meeting.
Upon this motion receiving a second a vote was had and the motion prevailed.

Safe in Engine House

Mr. Elder suggested to the council that some disposition be made of the safe in the Engine House belonging to the City. Upon motion of Councilman Byers that a committee be appointed to look after the matter, with power to sell the safe if thought proper. This motion prevailed, and thereupon the Mayor appointed Councilman Byers, Topping and Mapes as such committee.
Upon motion of Councilman Topping Council adjourned

D. S. Young
Pres't of Council

Attest:- Louise Chapman
City Clerk