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Offices: St. Charles Hotel Building, New Orleans, and 19 Wall street, New York. mar 24—tf

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A full assortment of Straw Goods
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With a large variety not mentioned above.

All wishing to avoid paying long prices will make money by calling and satisfying themselves. [mar 24—tf

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mar 24—

CITY COUNCILS.

CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
Monday, July 28, 1851.

Present: Messrs. Dove, Magruder, Bayly, Wilson, Borrows, Maury, French, (President,) Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, Morgan, and Page.

A communication was received from the Mayor, returning, with his reasons in writing, the bill originated in this Board entitled "An act to authorize Z. M. P. King to remove a frame house in lot 3, in square 199;" which, having been read—

Mr. MAGRUDER presented certain papers in favor of and against the measure. The question was then, "Shall the bill pass, the Mayor's reasons to the contrary notwithstanding?" which, being taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bayly, Borrows, Maury, and Page—4.
NAYS—Messrs. Dove, Magruder, Wilson, Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, Morgan, and French—8.

Mr. MAGRUDER, on leave, introduced an act to enable the Mayor to place guard-fences where they may be necessary; which was read three times and passed.

Mr. FRENCH introduced a resolution relative to the erection of the railroad depot in this city by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company; which resolution having been read—

Mr. MAURY moved to amend the same by striking out all except so much as directs the committee to report whether said Railroad Company has thus far complied with its agreement with the Corporation; and the question being taken by yeas and nays, it was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Dove, Bayly, Borrows and Maury—4.
NAYS—Messrs. Magruder, Wilson, Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, Morgan, Page and French—8.

The resolution was then adopted, and Messrs. Morgan, Wilson and Wirt were appointed the committee.

Mr. BORROWS, from the Committee on Unfinished Business, reported an act for the relief of James Nairn; and it was then referred to the Committee on Finance.

The resolution from the Board of Common Council referring to a joint committee the memorial of A. & T. A. R. Richards and others, in relation to the grading of South Capitol street, was taken up, and having been read—

Mr. WIRT moved to amend the same by adding "that the said joint committee be instructed to report a bill enacting that the privilege given to Samuel Byington to grade South Capitol street, from M to R streets, be repealed; and in lieu thereof each individual owning property on the line of South Capitol and First streets east, from K to P streets south, shall have the privilege of using the earth to the grade of said streets for the term of three years; provided the proprietors conform to grading said streets under the direction of the Commissioner of the Fifth and Sixth Wards, and two assistant commissioners, to be appointed by the Mayor from the neighborhood;" but before the question was taken on said amendment—

Mr. MORGAN moved to lay the whole subject on the table; which motion was negatived, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bayly and Morgan—2.
NAYS—Messrs. Dove, Magruder, Wilson, Borrows, Maury, Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, Page, and French—10.

The question was then taken on the amendment offered by Mr. Wirt, and decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, and French—4.
NAYS—Messrs. Dove, Magruder, Bayly, Wilson, Borrows, Maury, Morgan, and Page—8.

Mr. MAGRUDER then moved to amend the said resolution by adding, "and that they consider the propriety of authorizing the Mayor to put up at public sale, after proper notice, and sell to the highest bidder the privilege of grading and gravelling South Capitol street, from L to R street;" but before the question was taken thereon—

Mr. THORNLEY moved as an amendment to that amendment the following:

"That the said joint committee are hereby instructed to report, without delay, a bill suspending the joint resolution approved the 17th instant, authorizing South Capitol street to be graded; and also, if in their opinion it be necessary at this time to enact any law in relation to the grading and gravelling South Capitol street, or streets adjacent thereto, or streets intersecting the same; and if so, to report by bill or otherwise."

And the question thereon being taken by yeas and nays, it was decided in the negative, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, and French—4.
NAYS—Messrs. Dove Magruder, Bayly, Wilson, Borrows, Maury, Morgan, and Page—8.

The question was then taken on the amendment offered by Mr. Magruder, and carried in the affirmative.

The resolution was then adopted as amended, and Messrs. Magruder, Wilson, and Borrows were appointed the committee on the part of this Board.

Mr. WILSON, on leave, introduced an act for the improvement of H street north; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

Mr. WILSON, on leave, introduced the following bills and resolutions, which were severally read three times and passed, viz:

An act for the construction of a sewer on B street south, in the Second Ward.

An act for carrying water down 13th street west, to the northwest corner of E and 13th streets, and for fixing hydrants thereon.

An act for taking up the pavement, grading the sidewalk, and relaying the pavement on the north side of K street, between 12th and 13th streets west, and for other purposes.

A resolution in relation to the grade of 13th street west, at the intersection of K street north.

And a resolution in relation to the western outlet of the Washington canal.

On motion of Mr. WILSON, the Board took up the nomination of George Y. Bowen, as chimney sweep for the Second Ward; which was considered and rejected.

Mr. WIRT, from the Committee on Improvements, to which was referred the bill to construct a permanent guard wall on the west side of Tiber creek, and to grade 2d street west, from Pennsylvania avenue to C street north, reported by way of amendment a substitute for the same, which was considered and agreed to; and the bill as amended was then read the third time and passed.

Mr. BAYLY presented a petition from F. Dacy, for the remission of a fine; which was referred to the Committee of Claims.

Mr. THORNLEY, from the Committee of Claims, asked to be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of W. G. Ridgely; and they were discharged accordingly.

The resolution from the Board of Common Council authorizing a joint meeting for the election of a police magistrate for the third police district, was taken up, read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. WIRT, from the Committee on Improvements, reported without amendment the bill for the improvement of 7th street west; and it was then read the third time and passed.

The bill from the Board of Common Council making appropriations to defray the general expenses of the Corporation for the year ending 30th June, 1852, was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. DOVE, on leave, introduced an act for the relief of T. P. and M. Brown; which was read twice and referred to the Committee of Claims.

The bill from the Board of Common Council entitled an act in reference to the erection of gas-houses, and the laying of gas-pipes, was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Police.

And then the Board adjourned.

BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL,
Monday, July 28, 1851.

All the members present except Messrs. Downer, Ennis, Havenner, and Pepper.

A communication was received from the City Surveyor, in reply to the resolution of this Board of the 30th ultimo, embracing estimates of the cost of erecting permanent bridges across Tiber creek, in North Capitol street, and for grading said street from C street north to Massachusetts avenue; which was read and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

Mr. CALLAN presented a communication from L. H. Berryman, in relation to a petition presented to the last Council, respecting wood and coal yards; which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. CULL presented the petition of A. Addison, praying remission of a fine; which was read and referred to the Committee of Claims.

The bill from the Board of Aldermen for the relief of David Aikens was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee of Claims.

The bill from the Board of Aldermen to provide for grading and gravelling D street south from 7th to 11th street west, was taken up, read three times, and passed.

The bills from the Board of Aldermen entitled "An act to pay a balance due Daniel Linkins," "An act authorizing certain improvements in the northern part of the Fourth Ward," and "An act to extend the culvert on 10th street west, between G and H streets north," were severally read twice and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

Mr. MILLER, from the Committee on Public Schools, to which was referred the bill from the Board of Aldermen making appropriations for the salaries of the teachers and assistant teachers of the public schools for the year ending June 30, 1852, reported the same without amendment, and the bill was read the third time and passed.

Mr. CALLAN, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported a bill making appropriations to defray the general expenses of the Corporation for the year ending June 30, 1852; which was read twice.

Mr. CALLAN, from the same Committee, reported a bill making appropriations for the casual repairs of streets, avenues, bridges, and culverts, and for the removal of nuisances; which was read three times and passed.

Mr. CALLAN, on leave, introduced a bill entitled "An act authorizing the setting of the curb-stone and laying the pavement on the south front of square No. 284; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

Mr. MOHUN, on leave, introduced a bill entitled "An act authorizing the construction of certain cross-gutters;" which was read three times and passed.

Mr. MOHUN presented the petition of Wm. H. Gunnell and others for the setting of the curb-stone and paving the footway on the north front of squares No. 296, 264, and 263; which was read and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

The Board, on motion, resumed the consideration of the bill making appropriations to defray the general expenses of the Corporation for the year ending the 30th June, 1852, and, the bill having been read,

Mr. WANNALL moved an amendment reducing the appropriation for the compensation of the members of the two Boards; which, under a rule of the Board, the Chair decided not to be in order.

Mr. WANNALL then moved that the bill be laid on the table; which motion was negatived, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Easby, Wannall, Bryan, Mulloy and Hill—5.
NAYS—Messrs. Douglass, Kelly, Callan, Mohun, Brent, Morgan, Johnson, Wheeler and Van Riswick—9.

The bill was then read the third time and passed, with an amendment proposed by Mr. MILLER, striking out the appropriation for the out-door poor, as not being authorized by any existing law.

Mr. WHEELER, on leave, introduced a bill increasing the compensation of the Commissioner of the Seventh Ward; which was read twice and referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. MOHUN, from the Committee on the Fire Department, to which was referred the bill entitled "An act for the relief of the Anacostia Fire Company," reported the same without amendment, and the bill was read the third time and passed.

Mr. BRYAN, from the Committee on Improvements, to which was referred the bill for repairing a gutter in the Second Ward, reported as a substitute therefor "An act authorizing the taking up and relaying the gutter on the east side of 14th street west, between Pennsylvania avenue and F street north;" which was read three times and passed.

Mr. MOHUN submitted a joint resolution authorizing a joint meeting on Monday next, at 5 o'clock, for the election of a police magistrate in the third district; which was read and adopted.

Mr. CALLAN presented the petition of Joseph Walsh and others, praying certain modification in the laws licensing the sale of liquors; which was read and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. BRENT, from the Committee on Police, to which was referred, among the unfinished business, "An act in reference to the erection of gas-houses and the laying of gas-pipes," reported the same with an amendment, which was agreed to, and the bill was read the third time and passed.

And, from the same Committee, to which was referred the bill making an appropriation to complete vegetable stands in the Eastern market, reported the same without amendment.

And, from the same Committee, to which was referred the resolution in relation to the election of police magistrates, reported the same with an amendment.

And, from the same Committee, to which a resolution on the subject was referred, reported a bill entitled "An act to regulate the erection of scaffolding for buildings and other purposes;" which was read twice and laid on the table.

Mr. EASBY, on leave, introduced a bill entitled "An act to provide for an increase of the compensation of the first and second clerks in the Mayor and Register's offices;" which was read twice and referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

The bill, from the Board of Aldermen, to enable the Mayor to place guard-fences where they may be necessary, was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. MULLOY, from the Committee on Improvements, to which the petition was referred, reported a joint resolution authorizing James Casparis to widen an area in front of his premises in the Fifth Ward; which was read twice.

Mr. HILL submitted the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Police be instructed to inquire into the expediency of requiring the public scavengers, instead of using the open night-cart, to make use of tubs or vats, with screw or other closely-fitting lids, with which to attend to the back premises at night.

Mr. BRENT, on leave, introduced a bill supplementary to the act entitled "An act to regulate the weighing of hay, straw and fodder in the city of Washington;" which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Police.

On motion of Mr. BRENT the Board took up for consideration the bill supplementary to the act entitled "An act laying a tax on shops, porter-cellars, and confectionaries, and increasing the tax on ordinaries, retailers, and theatrical amusements."

Mr. BRENT then moved sundry amendments to the bill, which were ordered to be published with the proceedings, and the bill and amendments were laid on the table.

Amendments proposed by Mr. BRENT: After the word "certificate," in the seventh line of section 1, insert "the same to be made under oath, before a justice of the peace, or any other person or persons qualified to take acknowledgments and receive oaths within said city," and strike out "said certificate," in the seventh line, and in brackets, so as to read "and to be approved by the Mayor." To strike out the whole proviso to section 1st.

The Board then adjourned.

Items from the Morning Papers.

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