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...ed by the petition of Red River Fire Co. No. 16, for a new charter, report in favor of granting the same, and herewith present a charter for said company.

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An ordinance to establish and incorporate Red River Fire Co., No. 16:

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of New Orleans, That by virtue of authority vested in the Council by an act of the General Assembly of this State, entitled "An Act to Incorporate Fire Companies in the City of New Orleans, and for other purposes," approved March 22, 1842, Samuel Vosburg, John Walsh, Eugene Duprat, F. S. Morgan, F. J. Hyatt and B. L. Beauchman, and their associates and successors, are hereby created a body corporate, under the name of the "Red River Fire Co. No. 16," and as such are fully vested with all the powers, rights and privileges contemplated by the aforesaid act of the General Assembly, provided said company shall at no time consist of more than eighty members, none to be under eighteen years of age, provided, further, that said company shall belong to the Firemen's Charitable Association of New Orleans, and that at all times the members thereof shall be governed by, and shall comply with, the amended charter of said Association, as approved March 21, 1850. This charter to exist during the pleasure of the Council.

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred the petition of Volunteer Fire Co. No. 1, Columbia Fire Co. No. 5, and Hope Hook and Ladder Company No. 3, respectfully report the accompanying resolutions, all of which is submitted.

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Resolved, That the Finance Committee be authorized to purchase a suitable lot for the use of Volunteer Fire Co. No. 1, and when said lot is purchased, that the Committee be authorized to sell the lot now occupied by the company—both purchase and sale to be subject to the approval of the Council.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay, on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Columbia Fire Co. No. 5, eleven hundred dollars for the purchase of a new Engine, provided said warrant shall not be issued until the Engine is received and approved by the Surveyor.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Hope Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, eleven hundred dollars, for the purchase of a new truck; *provided*, said warrant shall not be issued until the truck is received and approved by the Surveyor.

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred the petitions of Fire Co.'s Nos. 11, 16, 17, 20 and 22, respectfully report the accompanying resolutions, all of which is submitted.

J. O. NIXON,
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Resolved, That the Treasurer pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Franklin Fire Co. No. 11, seven hundred and thirty-one dollars sixty cents, three hundred dollars being for a new Hose carriage, and four hundred and thirty-one dollars eighty cents for 508 feet of double riveted hose.

Resolved, That the Treasurer pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Red Rover Fire Co. No. 16, three hundred dollars for a new Hose-carriage; *provided*, that the warrant shall not be issued until the Hose carriage is received and approved by the Surveyor.

Resolved, That the Treasurer pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to James Gulick Fire Co. No. 17, one thousand one hundred dollars for a new Engine, and three hundred dollars for a new Hose-carriage; *provided*, that the warrants shall not be issued until the Engine and Hose-carriage are received and approved by the Surveyor.

Resolved, That the Treasurer pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Washington Fire Co. No. 20, one thousand one hundred dollars, for a new Engine; *provided*, that the warrant shall not be issued until the Engine is received and approved by the Surveyor.

Resolved, That the Treasurer pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Jefferson Fire Co. No. 22, three hundred dollars, for a new Hose carriage; *provided*, that the warrant shall not be issued until the Engine is received and approved by the Surveyor.

The Committee on Fire recommend the passage of the resolution reported by the Committee on Streets and Landings, authorizing the sale of a contract for Hose.

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The following report, presented by Mr. Nixon on behalf of the Fire Committee, was read twice, the rules being suspended, and adopted unanimously by yeas and nays:

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, appropriating $75 for a "Commode," for Jefferson Fire Company No. 15—a resolution appropriating $200 additional for the purchase of a lot for Hook and Ladder Company No. 1—a resolution appropriating $109, balance due by Jefferson Fire Company No. 22 for hose—a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to sell at auction the contract for repairs to house and stable of Neptune Fire Company No. 4—recommend that the above be concurred in.

A resolution appropriating $1200 to Orleans Fire Company No. 21, they recommend be amended by striking out $1200 and inserting $1100. A resolution granting a new charter to Liberty Hose Company for ten years, they recommend be not concurred in.

All of which is submitted.

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The said report being adopted, the following resolutions of the Board of Aldermen were read and concurred in:

Resolved, That the Surveyor be, and is hereby, authorized to place in the yard of Jefferson Fire Company No. 15 a "Commode"; provided the expense of the same be not more than seventy-five dollars.

Resolved, That two hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to Hook and Ladder Fire Company No. 1 (in addition to $1000 already appropriated) to purchase a lot of ground for said company.

Resolved, That the Treasurer pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to James Gulick Fire Co. No. 17, one thousand one hundred dollars for a new Engine, and three hundred dollars for a new Hose-carriage; *provided*, that the warrants shall not be issued until the Engine and Hose-carriage are received and approved by the Surveyor.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be, and is hereby, authorized to issue his warrant on the Treasurer, in favor of Jefferson Fire Company No. 22, for one hundred and nine dollars ($109), being amount due Cosgrove & Boyle, for balance of 552 feet of hose paid by said company.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be, and is hereby, authorized to sell at public auction, after ten days' notice, the contract for repairs to Neptune Fire Company No. 4 house and stable, as per specifications on file in the Surveyor's office. Said repairs to be paid for in cash when the work is completed and accepted by the Surveyor. Provided said contract be approved by the Common Council.

Resolved, That when said contract shall be accepted by the Common Council, and the work done and approved by the Surveyor, the Comptroller be, and is hereby, authorized to issue his warrant on the Treasurer for the amount.

The following resolution of the Board of Aldermen was amended and adopted as follows:

Resolved, That Orleans Fire Company No. 21 be, and is hereby, authorized to contract for a new fire engine, not to cost over eleven hundred dollars ($1100).

Resolved, further, That when said engine shall be received and accepted by the Surveyor, the Comptroller be, and is hereby, authorized to issue his warrant on the Treasurer for the amount of said engine, not exceeding the above amount of eleven hundred dollars.

And the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, granting a charter for ten years to Liberty Hose Fire Company, was rejected.

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