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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 2, 1859.

COMMON COUNCIL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.—This body held a regular session last night, President Nixon in the chair, all members present.

A communication from the Fiscal Agent submitted the monthly statement, which was referred.

A communication from the Comptroller called attention to an item of the budget, the "contingent account" which he suggested should be increased, as items of expense, that were not otherwise properly provided for during the last year, are carried to the "contingent account," the inadequacy of which was thus shown. Referred to Finance Committee.

A communication from the Assistant Board enclosed a number of resolutions returned concurred in.

The communication accepting the bid of Mr. Fulton, to supply meat to Work-house, was returned persisted in, and the Streets and Landings Committee appointed a Committee of Conference.

A communication from the Assistants invited concurrence in various resolutions: That authorizing payment of certain bills was concurred in; that authorizing the erection of steam engine in Mobile Landing, No. 2, was referred; that as to landing of fire-boat at foot of Gallatim street; that as to warrants in favor of Gallimore & Gaillard; that as to Jackson Square; that accepting adjudication of contract for repairs of Treme Market was concurred in; that instructing the Treasurer as to deficit in the 18th Ward funds accruing was concurred in; that authorizing the Mayor to have salaries fixed for the 18th February, 1860 was concurred in; that authorizing Mayor to have gas pipes laid in work-shops, was concurred in; preamble and resolution granting exclusive right to land anywhere in First Section of levee as may permit, was referred.

Resolution granting permission for six balloon ascensions from Congo Square was concurred in; that as to placing a curtainous crossing on Felicity Road and Josephine street was concurred in; that authorizing Mayor to have gas in Harbinger's office and other public offices, Third District, was referred; the anti-hand bill posting, etc., resolutions were referred; the resolution accepting adjudication of contract for making foot passage-ways on levee was concurred in; that authorizing Surveyor to notify Thomas Hines to forthwith commence his contract for filling Washington Square, was concurred in; that as to repair of levee between Claiborne and Marais, as amended and concurred in, and that back for concurrence as amended; that as to selling of old material of St. Mary's vegetable market was concurred in; that as to paving of streets fronting Market market was concurred in.

The budget adopted by the Assistant Board came up for concurrence, or other action, and was adopted. Mr. Lanauze moved to reconsider.

An invitation of Grand Marshal Marks, asking the Board to participate in the 4th of March celebration, was read and accepted.

The resolutions adopted last evening by the Assistants, appropriating certain sums of money to building of protection levee and draining machines of Fourth Section, was referred.

Alderman Willis offered a resolution to restrict the building of stalls in accordance with certain conditions prescribed, was adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Alderman Perstall offered a resolution to cause appointment of Commissary of Market on Orleans street, was referred.

Alderman Harrison offered a resolution authorizing the Mayor to receive the full price, in cash, from the purchasers of McDonogh property as wish to purchase.

Alderman Willis offered a resolution to cause the reservation from sale of certain lots of the McDonogh property for school sites and a public square.

Alderman Harrison offered a series of resolutions to cause the appointment of an inspector of beef suets and other butchers' stock. Referred.

Alderman Willis offered a resolution to cause ten lamp crossings on Goodchildren street. Referred.

Alderman Howell offered a resolution to prevent deposit of offal, etc., in front of the Second District, which was amended by Mr. Vennard, by the addition of the First District. Adopted and sent down for concurrence.

The Finance Committee reported upon the petition of B. Diger unfavorably, but granted one-fourth of what he prayed for; upon the petition of Market Master Belchmazdyr, favorably; upon the matter of the approval of claims by Council before warrants are issued the committee reported, making much the condition of their payment. Report adopted.

The Streets and Landings on Claiborne and Lafayette streets, favorably; upon the petition of Mr. Fox, favorably, offering a substitute providing for purchase of shells and the repairing of roads by the Street Commissioner; upon the concurrence in resolution for improvements on Dryades street, near new market, favorably, and amending it; upon concurrence in resolution to cause planting of oak trees on Claiborne street, favorably, and amending it; upon concurrence in resolution to cause crossings on St. Ferdinand and intersecting streets, favorably, and amending it.

Upon concurrence in resolution to cause ballast on south side of Claiborne Circle, favorably, recommended adoption of resolution to cause opening of streets through the McDonogh "McCarty" property. Recommended flag-stone banquette east side of Ninth street. Recommended extension of water-works into Magazine street Market. Recommended the closing of the "Globe Ball Room" as a nuisance. The report was taken up seriatim and adopted.

Mr. Vennard called up the "Pound Ordinances," laid over at a previous meeting. The ordinance revising ordinances defining pound limits, etc., was read, and, on motion, unanimously adopted.

The Board then adjourned to the chamber of the Assistant Aldermen to elect, in convention with them, two School Directors.

BOARD OF ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.—Present, Mr. Wolfe in the chair, and a quorum.

Mr. Whitney moved a reconsideration of the resolution forbidding Gaffney Bailey to sell at certain shipping places, under certain regulations, etc. Referred. He then explained his opinion as to the propriety of allowing flatboats to land in such places as the wharf allows might direct, and offered an amendment to the original resolution to that effect. The amendment was accepted, and the resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr. Kearny offered a resolution for changing the grades of the proposed city railroads. Referred to Committee on Streets and Landings.

Mr. Bansay, of the special committee appointed to consider the matter of a protection levee above the city, reported in favor of strengthening the old levee on Claiborne street and the upper line of the city, at the estimated expense of $10,000. The report also recommended the erection of a new draining engine at the intersection of Claiborne and Melpomene streets, and the repair of the old one. Resolutions for appropriating $25,000 to this purpose accompanied the report. The report and resolutions were read.

The Mayor sent in a message relative to the proposed removal of the capital of the State from Baton Rouge to this city. A resolution on the subject being received from the Board of Aldermen, the message was laid over.

The Comptroller reported a list of adjudications made of contracts for public works of different kinds, with names of buyers, securities, etc. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Surveyor reported a fund on hand of $70,223 43. Referred.

The Surveyor reported petitions for street improvements, and advised alteration of the city railroad ordinance, in different respects. Referred to Committee on Streets and Landings.

The Board of Aldermen reported concurrence in resolutions, and rejection of the resolution allowing a certain quantity of building material on the central ground of Transport street at Toulouse. The Board of Assistants persisted in this resolution, and appointed the Street and Landing Committee to confer.

The Board of Aldermen asked concurrence in a resolution for referring to a special joint committee the Mayor's message for the removal to New Orleans of the seat of the State Government. Concurred in, and Messrs. Phelps, Ranney, Moreno, and Leafe, appointed on the part of the Board of Assistants, and the President, Mr. Waldo, added on motion.

The Board of Aldermen asked concurrence in a resolution for appointing a joint committee to confer with a committee of the Chamber of Commerce, on the subject of removing the obstructions of the mouth of the Mississippi. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Board of Aldermen reported an amendment to the resolution for compelling the street contractor of that section to repair forthwith New Levee street from Race to Rodignac; the amendment being, that said contractor be required to repair all the streets included in his contract. The amendment was concurred in. The same Board's resolution for preventing the erection of stalls for more than two horses or two cows without permission of Council, was referred.

The Board of Aldermen entered Mr. James McConnell was elected to a vacancy in the First District School Board; Mr. M. Dodard to a vacancy in the Third District School Board; and Mr. S. Teichell to a vacancy in the Fourth District School Board. The Board of Aldermen then retired.

The Board of Aldermen's resolution prohibiting the deposit of offal or filth of any kind on the river banks, was concurred in.

Petitions were read by title, and appropriately referred.

The Grand Jury sent in a communication relative to an inspection of the beef sold in the city markets. Referred to the Police Committee.

A lengthy memorial from residents of Poydras street, between Magazine and Broad, complaining of the bad condition of the streets, of the encumbrance of the banquettes, of the police, and of members of the Council, was referred to the First District delegation. Mr. Hughes denounced the aspersions upon him, as chairman of the Street and Landing Committee, to be false; and another member asserted the falsity of the charges against the Street Commissioner, and of the charges against the Street Commissioner, and of the charges against the Street Commissioner, and