

New Orleans Republican

OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE UNITED STATES CITY COUNCIL-OFFICIAL REGULAR MEETING.

The Council met this day at twelve o'clock M., in regular session.

Present-Administrators Bertoli, Brown, Bouy, Burke, Landry, McCarthy and Pilsbury; Mr. Pilsbury presiding.

The Mayor entering, occupied the chair. Communications from the Mayor and Administrators.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following communication from the Administrator of Waterworks and Public Buildings, which was received:

In response to an advertisement, inviting proposals for the sale to the city of three tons of coal (Pittsburg), which will be delivered within the Waterworks Inclosure, Messrs. P. & R. DeVerge being the lowest bidders, at thirty-nine cents per barrel.

Also, the following communication, which was referred to the committee of the whole: NEW ORLEANS, April 16, 1875.

For and on behalf of the American Bond Funding and Banking Association, Limited, of London, England, and other European holders and owners of the bond indebtedness of the city of New Orleans, I beg to submit to you the following proposition:

I have the honor to be, gentlemen, your most obedient servant, JOHN W. MACKINNON, Attorney, etc., American Bond Funding and Banking Association, Limited, and others.

Mr. Brown called up the ordinances described as follows, which having been read twice, were now on third reading, and they passed unanimously, the yeas and nays having been called on each, and all the members present at roll call voting:

An ordinance providing for the payment of the several accounts therein named, beginning "G. Casanave, recorder of births and deaths," etc.

A resolution accepting the proposition of the agent and attorney of various steamboats, by Mr. Bouy, and adopted: Favorably, by resolution, on petition for reduction of assessments, by Charles Chauvier, Mrs. John Russell and E. T. Merrick;

Unfavorably on petitions of E. Dazoret, Mrs. M. A. Timberlake, C. Carlos, Mrs. G. C. Osborne, Dr. W. B. Woods, John H. Fredericks, J. Gros, G. F. Sturms, Mrs. A. Pepin and Mrs. Julia Bar.

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Reports of City Surveyor on engine house No. 20, and engine house of Brooklyn No. 2, also, were referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Burke made the following report, and moved that it be spread upon the minutes, stating that he wished the public to know that the committee had been very earnest in their endeavors to secure such legislative reform as the times required.

In behalf of the committee appointed to prepare and present such laws as may be requisite for the relief of the city, the following report is respectfully submitted.

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