

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 8th day of May 1872.

[Signed]

Wm Campbell	Inspector 1st Ward.
Joseph Baskill	Inspector 2 ^d Ward.
Joseph Robinson	Inspector 3 ^d Ward.

I, T. D. Brown Clerk of the City of Crawfordsville, Certify, that on the eighth day of May, 1872 I delivered to Wilson H. Layman, Mayor elect, T. D. Brown Clerk elect, William Burbridge Treasurer elect and M. S. Smith Marshal elect of said city, and to Paul Hughes, Councilman elect for the first ward, William H. Vanardale, Councilman elect for the second ward and to D. H. Lewis, Councilman elect from the third ward of said city, certificates of election according to the law of the State of Indiana in such case made and provided.

Witness, my hand, this 8th day of May 1872
T. D. Brown
Clerk elect.

Friday Evening
May 10th 1872.

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Esten, Councilmen Foote, Bryant, Esperow and Porter.

On motion an order was directed to be drawn in favor of Jesse W. Cumberland for two dollars for cash advanced for labor on Market Street.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

T. D. Brown
Clerk elect.

W. Esten

Friday Evening May 10 1872

The Council met. Wilson H. Layman Mayor elect R.D. Brown Clerk elect William Burbridge Treasurer elect, W.S. Smith Marshal elect. Paul Hughes Councilman elect from the first ward - William S. Vanarsdall Councilman elect from the second ward and H.A. Ward Councilman elect from the third ward appeared and filed with the City Clerk their certificates of election endorsed by their oaths of Office.

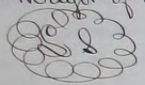
The Council was called to order by Mayor Layman, Present Councilman Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Hartz and Crist.

The Mayor presented the following certificate which was ordered taken as of record.

State of Indiana, ss.
Montgomery County, ss.

I Isaac W. Vance Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County State aforesaid hereby certify, that Wilson H. Layman has this day filed his official bond as Mayor of the City of Crawfordsville in my office.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court hereunto, affixed at the City of Crawfordsville this 10th Day of May A.D. 1872
Signed J. W. Vance Clerk.



The Mayor announced the Standing Committees for the ensuing year:

- Ordinances: Foote, Bryant, and Crist.
- Petitions and Ordinances: Crist, Hughes and Vanarsdall.
- Schools and Public Buildings: Bryant, Crist and Foote.
- Fire Department: Foote, Vanarsdall and Crist.
- Accounts: Bryant, Hughes and Hartz.
- Printing and Stationery: Vanarsdall, Hughes and Hartz.
- Finance: Hartz, Bryant and Foote.
- Judiciary: Hughes, Vanarsdall and Hartz.

The following resolution was presented by Mr Foote: -

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville that the bond of the Mayor be fixed at the sum of Three thousand dollars, that of the City Clerk at Five hundred dollars - that of the Treasurer at Twenty thousand dollars and that of the City Marshal at Five hundred dollars.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilman Foote, Hughes, Vanarsdall, Bryant, Hartz and Crist. Total

W.S. Smith presented his official Bond in the sum of Five hundred dollars with Warren D. Ashley and D.M. Millholland as securities which was accepted by the Council.

On motion the Marshal was instructed to report to the Council at its next regular meeting, at what price ground for a stray year can be had.

On motion James D. Watson was allowed Fifty dollars for making copy of Real Estate for duplicate.

On motion, the committee on accounts was instructed to examine and report at the next regular meeting, upon the condition of the retiring Mayor.

On motion the Clerk was instructed to issue warrants in the usual amount to the Election Boards at the late City Election.

On Motion the Council adjourned to meet May 20th.

Attest:
R.D. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, May 26th 1872

The Council met. Present Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Root, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Harts and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted.

The committee on accounts asked and were granted further time to report on the books of Mayor Alston.

The Clerk presented his official bond in the sum of five hundred dollars with Paylor Ruffington and R. K. Brown as securities which was accepted by the Council.

The following Ordinance was introduced by Mr. Root:

An Ordinance fixing the Salaries of the Officers of the City of Crawfordville.

- Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville, that the salaries of the officers of said City shall be as follows:
- Sec. 2. That of the Mayor shall be five hundred dollars and the fees of his office.
- Sec. 3. That of the Clerk shall be three hundred dollars per annum.
- Sec. 4. That of the Marshal shall be four hundred dollars per annum and the fees of his office.
- Sec. 5. That of the Treasurer shall be two hundred dollars per annum.
- Sec. 6. That of the City Attorney shall be two hundred dollars per annum and the fees of his office.
- Sec. 7. That of the Street Commissioner shall be two hundred dollars per annum.
- Sec. 8. That of the City Engineer shall be at the rate of two $\frac{1}{2}$ Dollars per day for time actually employed.
- Sec. 9. That of City Council shall be fifty dollars per annum, each.
- Sec. 10. That of the Board of Public Improvements shall be twenty-five dollars per annum in addition to their pay as members of the Council.
- Sec. 11. All of said salaries shall be payable quarterly and it shall be the duty of the City Clerk to issue his warrant on the Treasurer of said City on the first days of July, October, January and April for said salaries.

Sec. 12. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage.

The Ordinance was read a first time and under a suspension of the rules a second and third time, and adopted, those voting in the affirmative were Councilmen Root, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Harts and Crist. Total 6.

The following Ordinance was presented:

An Ordinance prescribing some of the duties of the Street Commissioner and also of the Mayor of the City of Crawfordville:

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville, that it shall hereafter be the duty of the Street Commissioner to pay over to the City Treasurer all moneys which he may receive as commutation money for the two days road labor due the City of Crawfordville from any of the Citizens thereof and all other moneys received by him from any other source for the City, as soon as the same is received by him and take from said Treasurer a receipt therefor, and at each regular meeting of the Common Council of said City, report to said Council all moneys so received and paid over.

Section 2. That at each regular meeting of said Council, the Street Commissioner shall report to it, all material used and all labor performed under his direction in the improvement, construction, alteration or repairs of any of the streets, alleys, sidewalks, gutters, culverts or bridges of said City together with the cost thereof, and so much thereof as shall be just and in accordance with their previous orders shall be audited and allowed and the City's warrant for the amounts so allowed shall be ordered to be drawn on the City Treasury, in favor of the party or parties furnishing the same to the City.

Section 3. That it shall be the duty of the Mayor of said City to account for

and pay over to the City Treasury all moneys by him collected as commutation money for the two days road labor annually due the City from any of the citizens hired in the same manner as he is required to pay over moneys collected by him as fines, penalties and forfeitures due the City.

Sec 2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

The ordinance was read a first time. On motion, the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second and third time and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on its adoption, were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Darter and Crist. Total, Six.

The following Ordinance was presented by the Mayor:—

An Ordinance defining certain misdemeanors and prescribing punishment therefor.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradford, That it shall hereafter be the duty of the City Marshal to provide a sufficient number of stars made of white metal to supply himself his deputies and other Police officers with one each, to be worn by them upon their left breasts at all times while on duty, in such a manner as to be easily seen, and any one of said officers found on duty without such stars, so worn as a badge of his office shall be deemed guilty of having committed an offense and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any amount not exceeding fifty dollars.

Section 2. If any person other than the City Marshal, his Deputies or other duly qualified Police Officers of the City of Bradford shall be found guilty of wearing on the left breast or any other portion of his body the policeman's badge of office as described in the foregoing section, or shall in any manner falsely personate or represent themselves as the City Marshal Deputy City Marshal, or other Police Officer, by exhibiting any pretended badge or ensigns of office, or any false authority or evidence of office, or by any other act or word attempt falsely to personate any officer of the City of Bradford within the jurisdiction of the same shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars to which imprisonment not exceeding thirty days may be added.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the City Marshal to assign stands or places to be occupied in the management of their business to all persons licensed by the City of Bradford, publicly to sell any goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities at auction by hawking or by public outcry, and also to assign to all licensed side shows and exhibitions grounds to be occupied by them. And any person so licensed found carrying on their said licensed business at any stand or place upon any of the streets, side walks, alleys or public places within said city, different from that assigned them for that purpose, by said City Marshal, or any person found occupying any street, side walk, alley or public place for the purpose of giving any exhibition, show, concert, test of lung shooting, gallery, bowling, alley, gift enterprise, chuckers luck, selling patent rights, or any other business likely to cause a congregation of people at and about such places without having first secured permission of the City Marshal so to do, shall upon conviction thereof be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and due publication.

The Ordinance was read a first time and on motion, the rules were suspended and it was read a second and third times and adopted, those voting in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Darter and Crist. Total, Six.

The following Ordinance was read a second time. On motion the ordinance suspended and it was read a third time and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on its adoption were Councilmen Toole, Vanarsdale, Bryant, Hart and Crist Total 5. Mr Hughes voted no. Total 1.

Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville

sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for the Street Commissioner to have any pecuniary interest in or to work or use any mule or mules, or wagon or anything whereby the City may become indebted to him for said work or labor

sec. 2. Where by an emergency existing for the speedy taking effect of this Ordinance, all rules hindering the same are hereby suspended and the same shall be in force on and after its passage.

Ex Mayor Cleator presented receipts for moneys from the City and County Treasurers, which was referred to the Committee on accounts

On motion an order was directed to be drawn in favor of Henry Bradford for \$21.⁰⁵ for rent account in full.

D. W. Paul presented an account of \$ 1.00 for removing two dead dogs & one hog. Referred

W. Watts presented an account of .50 for removing dead dog. Referred

On motion a warrant was directed to be drawn in favor of William Camp-
bell for \$30.⁰⁰ for Semi-annual interest on Bond No 3.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:-

That of Eli Compton for Labor on Streets of \$ 12.25

That of Thos J. Ross for Labor on Streets & services as Street Commissioner. \$ 31.50

That of George Ross for 3 days labor on streets of 2.25

On motion of Mrs. Bryant Councilmen Hart, Vanarsdale and Hughes were appointed a committee to advise with the school trustees of the city in regard to school building tax.

On motion the Council proceeded to ballot for the following officers:

For City Attorney John W. Cowan received five votes and was declared duly elected.

For Street Commissioner W. D. Smith received five votes and was declared duly elected to fill said office

For City Engineer D. B. Rodrick received five votes and was declared duly elected.

For Chief Engineer of the Fire department Warren St. Ashley received five votes and was declared duly elected.

For Commissioners to assess damages and benefits William Campbell, William W. Epperson, John S. Campbell, Taylor Buffington and E. L. Briffette each received five votes and were declared duly elected such Commissioners.

For Board of Health W. S. May, J. W. Sayne and D. W. Duran each received five votes and were declared duly elected.

For Board of Public Improvement on the first ballot, S. A. Toole received three votes; D. Hart received three votes; R. E. Bryant received two votes W. A. Vanarsdale received five votes; D. H. Crist received two votes. S. A. Toole, D. Hart, and W. A. Vanarsdale having received the highest number of votes each were declared duly elected Board of Public Improvement.

On motion an Order was directed to be drawn in favor of the City of Terra Haute for five hundred dollars in payment for five engines

On motion an Order was directed to be drawn in favor of the S. H. B. for twenty dollars in payment of freight bill on Engines.

On motion the bond of the Street Commissioner was fixed at the

sum of One thousand dollars.

Moved By Mr. Roote that when the Council adjourns it adjourns until May 21st at three O'clock P.M.

On motion the committee on Public Improvements were instructed to have a stray pen constructed on the City Lot.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:
Edw. Brown,
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Tuesday, May 21st 1872.

The Council met Present Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Roote, Hughes Vanarsdale, Darter and Oist.

William Burbridge, City Treasurer, presented his official bond in the sum of Twenty thousand dollars with N. F. Elston, Geo Downley, W. J. Raney W. W. Eperson and John R. Robinson Jr. as securities which was accepted by the Council.

W. S. Smith, Street Commissioner presented his official bond in the sum of One thousand dollars with T. Moffett and James Deaton as securities which bond was approved and accepted by the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest
Edw. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening June 3^o 1872

The Council met. Present, His Honor Mayor Daymon, Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Carter and Crist

The minutes of the preceding regular and special meetings were read and approved
The committee on accounts made the following report:

To the Mayor and common Council of the city of Craufordsville:

The Committee on accounts have thoroughly examined the records of the Ex Mayor W. F. Elston with the following results:

The records have been kept without any regard to the requirements of the Statute - in many cases they are not signed officially, while in a large number of cases, judgments have been rendered and the records fail to show what became of the defendant - no writs issued or anything further done - in some case bail for stay of execution has been taken and nothing further done. Some of these judgments are over one year old. In taxing up costs the same are not separately specified as the law requires, but entered in gross on the margin, in a large number of cases all the fees for Mayor, Marshal and City Attorney are paid, while the penalty and jail fees are lost to the city. Where the record shows Executions to have been issued to the City Marshal they fail to show any returns of the same and your Committee are unable to ascertain what the results have been.

We find a judgement rendered on the 24th day of Oct 1870 against John J. Jones penalty and cost amounting to eleven dollars and eighty five cents. Execution was stayed for 30 days by Morris Carroll. On the 6th day of Dec 1870 the Mayor received this judgement six dollars which the record shows was subdivided as follows: the Mayor rec'd 1.75 Marshal 1.95 Attorney 2.00 all in full leaving 30% unaccounted for, while the City has 20 for lost the penalty of \$3.00 and paid out \$3.15 for jail fees. The Bail bond with several others, yet remains unsatisfied, and are regarded perfectly good.

Your Committee recommend that the Mayor be instructed to go over the records for the past two years and proceed at once to collect all judgements yet unpaid as well as all balances due on judgements rendered, which is the only way in our opinion that satisfactory information can be had concerning them. We further recommend that the Committee on accounts be authorized to examine the Mayor's records at the end of each quarter, that the Council may be kept well informed in regard to the business of his office

We find that Ex Mayor W. F. Elston has paid all money received by him as Mayor of Craufordsville so far as we have been able to ascertain from the records of his office.

[Signed]

R. E. Bryant
J. Hughes Com.

On motion the report was received and the recommendation concurred in.

D. W. Paul presented an account for one months salary as Marshal which was referred to the Committee on accounts.

The Committee on accounts reported the account of D. W. Paul of one dollar for removing dead animals, correct and recommended its payment. Adopted and a warrant directed to be issued.

The Mayor made the following report:-

Mayor's Office, Craufordsville, June 3^o 1872

To the Common Council of the City of Craufordsville.

Dear Sirs,

I have the honor to report to you that during the month of May 1872 I assessed judgments as fines and

penalties in City cases amounting in the aggregate to five dollars. That the total amount of fines collected by me during that period has been two dollars and that the fees received have amounted to two dollars and forty cents. That the whole amount of moneys received by me from all sources for the city has been four dollars and forty cents - that the same is covered by the City Treasurers receipt herewith transmitted.

That during the same period I have assessed and collected fines in favor of the State only to the amount of one cent. That no liability whatever has been created by my Office for jail fees during the period covered by this report.

All of which is respectfully submitted

Signed Wilson M. Seymour, Mayor
City of Lewisburg, Tenn.

The City Clerk reported the return of the Assessment list for the year 1872 amounting as follows

Assessments on Real Estate-	1,123,145.00
Assessments on Personal Property.	631,210.00
Total, Real and Personal:	1,753,355.00
Number of Polls	552
" " Male Dogs	90
" " Female "	7

On motion the Council was directed to give legal notice of the return of the Assessment list and that the Common Council will on the say of June sit at the Mayors Office as a Board of Equalization to hear and decide all complaints and appeals from the acts of the Assessor.

On motion, the Committee on Public Improvements was instructed to have a sewer constructed on the most suitable ground at the lowest price.

The Treasurer reported as follows.

Receipts for May	\$ 1472.60
Expenditures	1651.82
Balance subject to warrant	\$ 5017.73

The Chief Engineer of the Fire department requested permission to organize a Fire Company of forty members.

W. M. Scott presented a petition asking the privilege of erecting a water tank on Springs street near the S. T. & O. rail road. also the corner of Maurice Carole, G. W. Allen and D. P. Hays to the erection of such tank.

On motion of Mr. Martin said William M. Scott was granted permission to erect a water tank at the eastern end of Spring street near the S. T. & O. Rail road and to maintain the same during the pleasure of the Council.

The roll of Niagara Fire Company was reported by the secretary of said Company, and is as follows:

Lewisburg June 2^d 1872

To the City Council

Gents, Enclosed find List of members of Niagara Fire Company

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|------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Ashley W. H. | Lesier J. H. | Elliot John | Hector James Jr |
| Brown S. D. | White J. | Gerard Abner | Hughes Paul |
| Brown W. | Johnson John | Gerard Charles | Hughes J. S. |
| Beck B. S. | Carrington Paul | Galey Charles | Hartman D. W. |
| Beatty Nathaniel | Winn David | Hills Est. | Harris John |
| Conway John | Foy W. S. | Johnson John | Hull Alex |

Hander N. B.
 Melchland David
 Morgan Wm
 Orbanon Martin
 Raper N. J.
 Stout R. S.
 Smith M. L.
 Sumner Austin
 Taylor Henry
 West W. V.

Jos. Eph
 Metzger Jacob
 Newell A. C.
 Postle Geo
 Ramsay N. S.
 Smith M. V. B.
 Scott N. W.
 Sherman Charles
 Vandiver Sam

Johnson John
 McWally R. D.
 Nickerson John
 Posy Wm
 Robinson Sam
 Smith Wm
 Simpson Mart
 Thorp Harry
 Wilcox E. B.

Kerac John T.
 Martin Perry
 Naylor Geo
 Parris Bra
 Ramsey S. W.
 Smith George
 Shepherd Perry
 Tolson John
 Wilkinson Noah

Respectfully submitted

Signed W. W. Scott Secy

On motion of Mr Bryant the Committee on Ordinances were instructed to report an Ordinance regulating the keeping of dogs in the city of Crawfordville.

The following accounts were allowed and warrants directed to be issued:

That of A. S. Duckworth for Road receipts returned for	\$2.10
That of John Brown for labor on streets for	3.50
That of C. P. Rife for Rent of Mayor's office to June 1 1872, 3 months.	30.00
That of Burbridge and Hauser for hardware	9.70
That of W. W. Ashley for Expenses of Election	35.40
That of F. W. Sayne for rent of Office for Election	5.00

The following accounts were referred:-

That of W. W. Jernison for Ground out for Engine house	15.00
That of A. L. Jernison for Services as Engineer	5.00
That of S. C. Cisminger for Services as Axman	1.00

On motion of Mr Vassar all the property owners on Market street were directed to construct a side walk on the south side of said street between Water Street and the public road running north from Market Street to the County farm said side walk to be constructed within 20 days from this date and to be constructed of Gravel or plank as the property owners may elect. The width of walk and the depth of gravel to be directed by City Engineer.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:
 J. D. Brown
 City Clerk.

Wilson L. Layman

Monday Evening
June 17 1872

The Council met Present Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Boyce
Vanarsdale, Hartis and Christ.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted.

The Committee on Public Improvements made the following report which was adopted:

To the Mayor & Common Council of the City of Bradfordville

We the Committee on Public Improvements would report that we have just in temporary repair the wash at the foot of Washington Street. — That they laid out work for the Street Commissioners, in the way of having the streets and alleys cleaned up obstructions removed, crossings repaired and repairs in streets, but find that but little has been done. — We would say that it is not our duty, as we understand it, to have to hunt up and instruct the Street Commissioners every time any little matter requires his attention and hope that he will not wait to be told his plain duty. There are many and well grounded complaints from the citizens in regard to the condition of our streets and alleys and we hope this may be attended to at once. We know that it requires to put the streets and alleys of our city in order and keep them so and we think we are paying a sufficient amount for that purpose.

We would further report in regard to the stray pigs, that we found that the part of the city lot that we had intended to use for that purpose was covered by manure from the living stable adjoining, and which gave us much trouble to have removed and which was not done in time to complete the pens and further that until we have the streets and alleys cleaned and kept clean we think that it is for the benefit of the health that we have such scavengers as the hogs make. We hope that we shall be able to report at the next meeting that the condition of the city is better than at present.

[Signed]

S. A. Foote

D. Hartis

William Vanarsdale

The Committee on accounts asked and were given further time to report on the accounts of W. W. Garrison, A. L. Garrison, S. S. Eschminger and D. W. Paul

The Street Commissioners made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to report to you that since your last meeting in the street work of the city I have employed the following named persons and the city is indebted for street work done by them in the several amounts set opposite their names:

William Brown worked 9 days at 1.75 per day	\$ 15.75
Samuel Branch " 3½ " " 1.75 " "	6.12½
William Bratton " 1 " " 1.75 " "	1.75
Jacob Stule " ½ " " 1.75 " "	87½
Crubb & Martin with team 9½ " " 3.50 " "	33.25
Total amount of Labor	\$ 57.75

In addition to the above labor I bought of

Henry Sperry 1 pile of lumber for about foot of Washington Street 982 feet at 1.75 per 100

Total amt labor and materials

and 21
\$ 74.96

All of which is respectfully submitted

Signed

W. B. Smith

Street Commissioner

June 17 1872

On motion the rules were suspended and the accounts of the street commissioners were allowed.

The following ordinance was reported by the committee on Ordinances:

An Ordinance to Restrain Dogs From running at large in the City of Crawfordsville.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville, that from and after the first day of August, 1872 it shall be unlawful for any person owning or harbouring any animal of the dog kind to suffer or permit such animal to run at large in any of the streets, alleys, public squares, market spaces or commons of the city without having obtained a license therefor from the City Clerk and complied with the provisions hereinafter stated.

Sec. 2. That the Clerk shall issue or cause to be issued, to each applicant, on demand, a written or printed license, whereby the dog or bitch owned or kept by the applicant shall be licensed to run at large within the limits of the city one year from and after the date of such license. The Clerk shall furnish to each applicant a check of brass or copper marked and numbered from number 1 up, with the number corresponding with the license. He shall also cause a register to be kept of the name of the applicant and number of license and check. For each license and check, the applicant shall at the time of issuing, such license and of the renewal thereof, pay over to the Clerk the sum of One dollar, if for a dog, and two dollars if for a bitch; he shall retain twenty five cents as his fee and pay the balance over to the City Treasurer.

Sec. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person owning or harbouring any animal of the dog kind to allow the same to run at large without a substantial collar of leather, iron, copper, brass or other durable material, to which shall be attached the licensed check hereinafter referred to; and it shall be unlawful for any such person to suffer or permit such animal to wear any other license check than the identical one issued by the Clerk. In case of loss, a duplicate check will be issued by the Clerk at the expense of the applicant.

Sec. 4. It shall be unlawful for any person to remove either the collar or check from any animal of the dog kind, except upon the consent or order of the owner, or the party to whom the license is issued.

Sec. 5. It shall be unlawful for any person to entice any animal of the dog kind away from the premises of the person owning or harbouring the same; and it shall be unlawful for any one to entice from any street alley or public common any licensed animal of the dog kind with the intent to deprive the owner or the possessor of such animal.

Sec. 6. That it shall be unlawful for any person to beat, ill-treat, abuse, or injure any animal of the dog kind in an immoderate or unnecessary manner; that it shall be unlawful for any person to open or keep dog pens or other places for the purpose of causing or permitting dogs to fight; that it shall be unlawful for any person to cause or set dogs to fight.

Sec. 7. That it shall be unlawful for any person to throw or deposit any poisoned meat or other poisonous substance in any of the street alleys or commons of the city for the purpose of destroying any animal of the dog kind.

Sec. 8. That it shall be unlawful for any person owning or harbouring any bitch to permit the same to run at large when in heat.

Sec. 9. That it shall be unlawful for any person to harbour or keep any animal of the dog kind which, by loud and frequent or habitual barking, howling and yelping, shall cause serious annoyance or disturbance to the neighborhood. Any person who shall allow any animal of the dog kind habitually to remain and be lodged unless within his or her house, store or enclosure shall be considered as harbouring the same within the meaning of this ordinance.

Sec 10 That it shall be the duty of the Marshal, his deputies or Policemen of said city, to kill all dogs found running at large after the first day of August, 1872. unless the owners of the same have complied with the provisions of this Ordinance, and for every such dog or hteb killed they shall be entitled to receive from the city the sum of twenty-five cents.

Sec. 11 That any persons or persons offending against any of the provisions of this ordinance shall for each violation, upon conviction before the Mayor of the City of Grand Rapids be fined in any sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars, together with the costs of prosecution.

Sec 12 All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec 13 This Ordinance to take effect and be in force from and after its legal publication.

The Ordinance was read a first time and under a suspension of the rules a second and third times and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Forto, Hughes, Bryant, Martin and Crist. S. M. Yarnardall voted.

McLain & Talbot were allowed \$15.25 for printing and warrant ordered.

On motion the Clerk was directed to draw a warrant on the School building fund for three thousand dollars in favor of the City School Trustees.

On motion the clerk was instructed to procure a sufficient number of dog license checks.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Wilson W. Raymond Mayor

Attest:
S. O. Brown
City Clerk.

The Council met Present his Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen
 Booth, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, and Carter.
 Monday Evening, July 1st 1872

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and adopted

The following remonstrance was presented:
 "To the Hon. City Council of Cranford, N. J.:

The undersigned respectfully represent that a few months ago, by direction of your Honorable body, Mr. Jemison then City Engineer, surveyed the street (Market Avenue) in front of our respective properties, and established the grade of the same; that at very considerable expense, we cut and filled to the grade of the side walks, so established along our properties and proceeded to build new fences upon the same; that the present City Engineer, Mr. Rodrick, has lately made another survey of the said street from the Methodist Church east, and established another grade which, if observed by the Street Commissioners will not only make the work already done by us useless, and compel us to rebuild our fences, but will occasion us extraordinary and unnecessary expense, and irreparably ruin our grounds and depreciate the value of our residences. To be more definite, the new grade in front of Mrs. A. H. Deans will require an average fill of twenty-nine inches; of front of Mrs. F. B. Hanna and Mrs. S. Wallace's the new grade will require a fill along those stations of about forty-four inches; and in front of Mr. George Brown's property the fill will average thirty six or forty inches. Wherefore, we protest and remonstrate against the continuance of the works now being done under the said survey of Mr. Rodrick, and pray your Honorable Body to order and direct the said City Engineer to restore the grade established by Mr. Jemison.

Signed: Mrs. F. B. Hanna
 Susan E. Wallace

Helen E. Deans
 Sarah E. Brown

On motion the remonstrance was received and referred to the Committee of Public Improvements and the Committee was empowered to take such action in the premises as may be deemed necessary.

The Committee on Public Improvements reported the stray yard completed.

The Committee on accounts made the following report:-

The Com on accs respectfully report having examined the accounts of A. L. Jemison for \$5.⁰⁰ S. S. Cusminger for \$1.⁰⁰ Mrs. Jemison for \$15.00 and find the same correct and recommend their payments

Signed

R. E. Bryant
 P. Hughes

On motion the report was received and the accounts were allowed.

The Com on accs having examined the claim of W. R. Paul for services rendered as City Marshal from the first day of April 1872, to the 10th day of May, 1872 at the rate of fifty dollars per month respectfully recommend the payment of the same.

Signed

R. E. Bryant
 P. Hughes

On motion the report was received and a warrant ordered.

Mr. Vanarsdall from the committee on the printing reported that C. H. Bowen had proposed to print Ordinances at the rate of (23) twenty three cents per inch and that the contract to print the ordinances in regard dogs had been awarded to said Bowen. Concurred in.

On motion the committee on schools and public buildings were directed to have plans and specifications for a singing house, prepared, and presented at the next meeting.

The Treasurer made his report of receipts and expenditures for June, showing a balance in Treasury subject to warrant of \$2994.98.

The Street Commissioner made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

The undersigned respectfully reports that up to the 29th day of June 1872 two hundred and forty-five persons have been warned out to work on the streets of this city, of which number, nine persons have performed labor—twelve persons have paid their commutation money amounting to \$26.⁰⁰ which amount has been paid over to the City Treasury.

M. S. Smith Street Com.

The Mayor made the following report:

To the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen; I have the honor to report to you that during the month of June I have assessed the following fines

In City Cases amounting to	\$21.00	
Collected in City Cases and paid Treasurer		2.00
Fines in State cases	\$4.00	
Fines collected and paid County Treasurer in State Cases		2.01

I have issued executions in all cases due on docket

All of which is respectfully submitted

July 1 1872

Wilson H. Saymes Mayor
City of Bradfordville

The Board of Health made the following report:

To the Hon Board of Councilmen of Bradfordville:

In view of the importance of the health of our citizens and in view of the duty and great responsibility of our officers in promoting the interest of our citizens in regard to health and in all other respects within their jurisdiction, the undersigned Board of Health made a general inspection of our city some weeks ago and reported verbally that in many localities the alleys etc. were in a filthy, offensive condition, such as to destroy comfort and injure health and as that report seems to have passed unheeded, we would again urge upon your honorable body the great importance of immediate and prompt action in cleaning up and placing our town in a healthy condition. We apprehend considerable and serious sickness even—more especially among our infantile population unless this matter is attended to and we think you have the authority and the means and will very properly incur the displeasure and censure of our people if you continue to neglect so important a matter. Do! or don't pretend to do!—let, or critic upon the honor and emoluments already imposed upon you by virtue of your high position.

We are willing to use all the limited powers in our possession in cooperation with our excellent Street Commissioner and able board of public improvements in removing causes of disease and promoting public health, but our effort require too much exertion and our time is too precious to be spent in vain. Therefore if you conclude to do your whole duty, please to exhibit a little more evidence of your good intentions

Most respectfully submitted;

signed

W. S. May
J. W. Purviance
J. W. Saynes
Board of Health.

On motion the report was received and ordered to be recorded.

For Keeney presented an account of \$2.⁰⁰ for painting. On motion, the rules were suspended and the account allowed.

Gen Keeny submitted the following, written proposition, which was referred to the committee on printing and stationery:

"Star Office, Bradfordville July 1st 1872

Board of Councilmen.

Sir, I agree to print in the Star for two successive weeks, each, any and all advertisements under your direction for the said City for 20 cts per inch. This is quite as low as such work can be done for
Yours etc.

[Signature]

Gen Keeny

Mr Hughes introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville, that the City Engineer be directed to make and report at the next meeting of this Council, the proper and necessary surveys of that portion of Main Street in said City which lies between the west line of West Street and the Corporation line of said City on the west, with a view to the opening and widening of said portion of said Main Street. On the adoption of which resolution those who voted aye, were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant and Hart. Total 4. Mr Varnardole voted no.

Edward W. Straight presented a petition for permission to erect a plaining mill on lot No. 145 in the original plat of the City. Said over under the rule.

On motion the Clerk was directed to draw warrant for the quarterly salary of Officers of the City.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest

Ed Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson K. Leonard Mayor

Monday Evening, July 15th 1872.

The Council met Present, honor Mayor Seymour Councilmen Foots, Hughes, Vanarsdall, Harker and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. Councilman Crist was excused for absence from the last meeting. Chillion Johnson presented to the Council, road receipts, unpaid, to the amount of nine dollars and twenty nine cents and asked a warrant for the amount. Referred to the Committee on accounts.

Mr Foots moved that when the Council adjourns it adjourns to meet three day evenings, July 18th. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Foots, The Engineer was directed to establish the north line of Market street immediately, and that he be allowed to call in such assistance as may be necessary.

The Street Commissioner made the following reports:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids:

I have the honor to submit to your honorable body, the following, as my bi-monthly reports:

32 men have commuted their 2 days labor at 3.	\$ 102.00
71 men worked their 2 days labor " 3.	213.00
8 " returned Election Certificates " 3	24.00
113 Men relieved aggregating	\$ 339.00

The following amounts are due the parties named for labor & materials:	
Mark Sullivan for labor	\$ 15.80
Jerry Burk " "	9.25
Alex. Staff 15 1/4 days with team at \$ 3.50	65.62
Henry Sperry Lumber for bridge	36.43
	<u>\$ 127.10</u>

I have paid into the city Treasury One hundred and two dollars commutation money for the two days road labor as per city Treasurer's receipt, herewith returned to you.

All the men owing two days labor have been notified except a few, who, so far, I have been unable to find. This time for all to work out their time will expire this week and after that I will have little or no labor under my control. I would therefore suggest that if any improvements of any amount are to be made, necessary steps should be taken under the ordinance to place it under contract.

[Signed] Mirick S. Smith
Street Commissioner

On motion the report was received and warrants directed to issue for the amounts reported due by the Street Commissioner

The Engineer reported plat and survey of Main Street from West street to the next corporation line which was on motion referred back to the Engineer with instructions that he report an estimate of the cost of constructing said portion of said street.

The application of Straight and Posey for permission to erect a machine shop on the corner of New and Spring streets was taken up and on motion such permission was granted.

On motion the committee on Public Improvements were instructed to construct a fire cistern of three hundred barrels capacity, on east Colby leg street.

Burbridge and Hansen presented an account of six dollars for

two hundred dog checks. On motion the rules were suspended and the account allowed.

D. B. Redricks was allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for services as Engineer. The following Ordinance was introduced:

An Ordinance to protect the purity of the water in wells, water tanks, Cisterns, Streams, Dams and Tanks in the City of Crawfordsville.

Section 1st. Be it Ordained, by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville, That any person who shall corrupt any of the public or private wells, cisterns, dams, tanks, water-tanks or streams within the City of Crawfordsville, by depositing therein any animal, vegetable or other substance, or any person who shall go in bathing, or lead, drive, ride or deposit any animal dead or alive in any of the water works dams or streams in the said City, or deposit or cause to be deposited therein any animal or vegetable matter or any other substance or thing, calculated to render impure or unfit for family use any water therein, upon conviction thereof before the Mayor shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars to which, imprisonment not exceeding thirty days may be added.

Sec. 2^d This Ordinance shall be in effect from and after its passage and legal publication.

The ordinance was read a first time and under a suspension of the rules a second and third times and passed. Those who voted in the affirmative on its passage were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Vanarsdall, Hart and Crist total 5.

Mr. Criss introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville, That the City Engineer be directed to report at the next meeting of the Council the proper surveys and profile of a street or streets contemplated being opened from a point on Main street in said city where by running due south it will unite with the north end of Plum street on College street and to be continued south until it connects with the Danville road. All of said street when opened to be known and designated as Plum Street and to be fifty feet in width. And that said Engineer also report an estimate of the cost of constructing said street.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Vanarsdall, Hart and Crist. Total, five. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned until Thursday evening July 18, 1872

Attest:

E. O. Brown City Clerk

Wilson H. Lazzard Mayor

Adjourned meeting Thursday Evening July 12, 1872

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen Post, Hughes, Vanarsdall, Hart, Crist.

The Committee on Schools and public buildings presented plans for an Engine House and Mayor's Office prepared by Chas. B. Carrington.

On motion of Mr. Hart the report of the Committee was received and the plans adopted and the Clerk was directed to advertise for bids for the erection of the house according to the plans and specifications presented, to be received until 12 o'clock, noon on the 1st day of August 1872, reserving the right to the Council to reject all bids not deemed to be in the interest of the City.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Wilson R. Layman Mayor

Attest
J. H. Brown
City Clerk.

Monday Evening, July 29th 1872

The Council met - present His Honor Mayor Layman Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Carter and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

Mr Bryant was excused for absence from the last meeting.

The following petition was presented and referred to the Committee on Public Improvement.

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

Your petitioners who are property holders in said City and residents of said City humbly pray that you will make an order to open and to have opened a certain street in said city - Beginning in Nabash Street in said city running thence west along and upon the lands of Joseph McIligaw and William McIlleland, said Street to terminate at the east line of Taylor Buffington's lot.

And your petitioners will ever pray as in duty bound

Names
W. W. Taylor S. Lipsom New Woodfork.
Cual. Baly John Jordan.

The Street Commissioners made the following report which was received and adopted except the amt reported as a Rominger which was reduced to three dollars and fifty cents per day.

City of Bradfordville, July 29th 1872

Hon. Mayor and Common Council: I have the honor to make the following report

26 men have worked out their time	\$ 3.	\$ 78.00
A Rominger Hauling dirt 34 days at "	\$ 4. [Redacted]	11.37
B. M. Skinner 7/8 days labor		1.00
John Garrett 9 1/2 days labor with team		33.25
Alex Huff 4 1/4 "		33.62
James Demeeu 7 1/2 " with shovel		13.00

Marks Sullivan	6	"	"	"	10.40
James Bick	2 $\frac{3}{4}$	"	"	"	8.25
				But Labor on Streets	\$190.55
7 new committed at		\$3.	Each		\$21.00

for which I return you City Treasurers receipts

I would further report that the stray pen is too small for the purpose of holding the stray logs, and besides it should be divided into two departments, so that logs in the pen may be secured whilst impounding others. I would also the privilege of moving it on ground suited, and to rebuild it upon a larger scale.

Ms. D. Smith Street Cornic.

The Engineer made the following report of surveys, profiles and estimates on Main and Plum streets which was received and ordered to be made of records:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Your Engineer would respectfully submit the following surveys of Main and Plum streets with plots and estimates of the same as ordered by your honorable body.

Survey of Main Street 66 ft. wide.

Beginning at the point where the south line of Main Street extended west crosses the east line of N. A. Dunn's land, runs thence west 7° 30' south 1200 feet to Marshall Street as plotted by Caleb Mills in his addition; thence west 6° 35' south, 1250 feet to the Corporation line. The north line of the proposed extension of Main street west, begins at a point on the east line of N. A. Dunn's land 66 feet north of the initial point of the above described south line and runs thence west on the same bearings to the Corporation line. Both lines are plainly staked and marked.

The proposed extension of Main Street west, cuts off and appropriates to the use of said street the following tracts of land: an irregular tract of land belonging to N. A. Dunn, containing 1.21 acres more or less; a tract of land 33 feet wide by 290 feet long, belonging to John Simpson, containing .20 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 94 feet long, belonging to M. B. Smith containing .01 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 94 feet long, belonging to M. B. Sipe containing .01 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 234 feet long, belonging to Caleb Mills containing .03 acres more or less; also a tract of land 66 ft wide by 298 ft long, belonging to Caleb Mills containing .70 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 ft wide by 221 ft long, belonging to John Pursell containing .03 acres more or less; also a tract of land belonging to Caleb Mills 221 ft. long by 6 ft wide containing .03 acres more or less.

Survey of Plum Street 50 ft wide.

Beginning at the point where the west line of Plum Street extended south crosses the D. B. & N. R. R. runs thence south 5° 35' west 550 feet to the centre of the Danville road. The east line of the proposed extension of Plum Street south, begins at a point 50 feet east of the initial point of the above described west line and runs thence south on the same bearing to the centre of the Danville road. Both lines are plainly staked and marked. The proposed extension of Plum Street south, cuts off and appropriates to the use of said street the following described tracts of land; a tract of land 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide by 125 feet long, belonging to Abram Johnson, containing .07 acres more or less; a tract of land 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide by 105 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet long, belonging to Dr. Samuel Purviance containing .06 acres more or less; a tract of land 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide by 102 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet long, belonging to W. Hutchinson containing .05 acres more or less; a tract of land 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide by 158 feet long, belonging to George Porter containing .08 acres more or less; a tract of land 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide by 151 feet long, belonging to the heirs of A. Hamilton, containing .08 acres more or less.

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdell the City Engineer with the assistance of Mr. Bucks, County Surveyor was directed to establish the North and South lines of Market Street from Green Street to West Street.

On motion of Mr. Harten the Engineer was directed to establish the grade of the side walks on the south side of Market Street from Washington to West Street and to set the proper grade stakes thereon.

A Communication was received from the School Trustees requesting that an order be drawn on the school building funds for Five Thousand dollars for the partial completion of the City School houses. On motion the order as requested was directed to be drawn.

The said School Trustees also submitted the reports of William M. Espersons Deputy Superintendent, giving an estimate of the value of materials on hand and already in the building at \$23,100.00. Ordered to be filed

On motion of Mr. Harten, the City Engineer was directed to establish the North and South lines on Main from the crossing of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Rail way to the crossing of the Logansport, Crawfordville and South western Rail way.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of Bean, Eyle & Co., for work on No. 2 Engine	16.10
That of D. G. Rederick for Services as Engineer & Assistant	38.00

On motion of Mr. Harten the City Engineer was directed to make a survey of the North End of Washington Street and furnish an estimate of the cost of making the same available for travel and providing a free and safe passage for the water of said Street.

On motion the Engineer was directed to purchase a compass and line.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet Monday Evening August 1st

Attest
 Edw. Brown
 City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Thursday Evening, August 1st, 1872

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Seymour Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Darts, and Crist.

The Engineer made the following report which was on motion, adopted;

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville;

The following report of the survey of Market Street made by your Engineer, assisted by Mr Buckle, is respectfully submitted.

Assuming the Richardson house on the north west corner of Green and Market Streets and the Synn building on the south west corner of Green and Market Streets and also the Richardson house on the north east corner of Market and Washington Streets and the Carroll building on the south east of Market and Washington Streets, to be correct and ascertaining the centre of Market Street therefrom, and running west on the bearing of the street thus obtained, the point where the centre of Market Street crosses the east line of West Street was ascertained, and measuring thence north forty nine and one half feet the point where the north line of Market Street crosses the east line of West Street was ascertained and marked, measuring thence south forty nine and one half feet the point where the south line of Market Street crosses the east line of West Street was ascertained and marked.

[Signed]

D. B. Rodricks C.E.

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdall the lines of Market Street as fixed by Mr Rodricks City Engineer and Mr Buck County Surveyor were declared to be established as the lines of Market Street.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Crist.

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville. That the City Clerk be and he is directed to issue to the free City Commissioners immediately the proper legal notice for them at the expiration of twenty-one days from the date of the service of said notice to appraise and assess the damages and benefits accruing to the different owners of lots through which that portion of Plum Street is proposed to be constructed that is embodied in the line of said proposed street as surveyed by D. B. Rodricks, City Engineer and that he also serve a like notice to each of the owners or agents of lots upon or through which said proposed street is to be made, giving each of said owners or Agents of lots twenty one days notice of the time said Commissioners will meet to appraise and assess the damages and benefits accruing to said owners of lots.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Darts and Crist. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Hughes:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville Indiana, that it is proposed to condemn and appropriate to the public use, for the purpose of extending Main Street from its present western terminus to the Corporation line west of said city the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at the point where the south line of Main Street extended west crosses the east line of A. A. Dunn's land, thence west 7° 30' south 1200 feet to Market Street as stated by Caleb Mills in his addition, thence west 6° 25' south 1250 feet to the Corporation line. The north line of the proposed extension of Main Street west begins at a point on the east line of A. A. Dunn's land 66 feet north of the initial point of the above described south line, and runs thence west on the same bearing to the Corporation line. Said proposed extension of Main Street west, set off and appropriated to the use of said street.

the following tracts of land; an irregular tract of land belonging to N. D. Dunn containing 1.21 acres more or less; a tract of land 33 feet wide by 290 feet long, belonging to John Simpson containing .20 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 92 feet long, belonging to M. V. B. Smith containing .01 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 94 feet long, belonging to William B. Syle containing .01 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 234 feet long, belonging to Caleb Mills containing .03 acres more or less; also a tract of land 66 feet wide by 298 feet long, belonging to Caleb Mills containing .70 acres more or less; a tract of land 6 feet wide by 221 feet long, belonging to John Pural containing .03 acres more or less; and a tract of land belonging to Caleb Mills 231 feet long by 6 feet wide containing .03 acres more or less; as shown by the report of the City Engineer, and be it further Resolved that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to notify the Commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits to meet at the Mayor's Office in said City on the twenty-sixth day of August A.D. 1872 to assess the damages and benefits accruing to the owners of land adjoining by reason of the opening of Main Street from the present western line or terminus of said street to the Corporation line on the west and that he also notify Caleb Mills, Nathaniel D. Dunn, M. V. B. Smith, William B. Syle, John Pural and John Simpson of the time and place of the meeting of said Commissioners and of the matters then and there to be considered.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted aye were Councilmen Hugh B. Bryant, Vanarsdall, Martin and Crist. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdall the bids for the construction of an Engine house were opened. Said bids were as follows:

Alexander & Whitsett	Bricks work
Alexander & Whitsett	Entire job
E. J. Brundage	Stone work
N. Daniel & J. S. Hill	Entire job
J. H. Colburn	Entire job.

On motion the bids were referred to the committee on schools and public buildings to report at the next regular meeting.

Mr. Bryant introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that the finance committee prepare a loan for the purpose of obtaining money to build an Engine house and also for the completion of the public school building, said loan not to exceed twenty-one thousand dollars.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted aye were Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Martin and Crist total 4. Mr. Vanarsdall voted no. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

E. W. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening August 12th 1872

The Council met. Present his Honor Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Hughes, Vanarsdall, Bryant, Harts and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted.

The committee on accounts reported the account of C. Johnson of \$9.⁸³ for road tax receipts unpaid correct and recommended its payment. Adopted.

Mr Bryant from the same committee reported in favor of allowing William Watts the sum of twenty dollars for injuries received while acting as a special policeman under orders of the Mayor. On motion the amount was allowed.

The Mayor made the following report.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville

I have the honor to report that during the month of July fines in city cases have been assessed to the amount of \$36.25

Fines Collected in City Cases	\$ 8.00
Jail fees Collected	<u>240</u>
Total Collections paid City Treasurer	\$10.40

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Crawfordville Ind W signed Wilson W. Laymon Mayor
August 1st 1872 B City of Crawfordville

The Treasurer made the following report for July 1872

Receipts for the month of July 1872.

Balance in Treasury July 1 st 72	\$ 9597.58
Recd. from Signor Licenses	120.00
" " Peddlers "	2.00
" " Hacks "	675
" " Dog Licenses	100.00
" " Tax 1871	64.36
" " Fines and Jail Fees	4.00
" " Commutations for road labor	<u>159.00</u>
	\$ 10053.69

Expenditures

Interest on School bonds	1500.00
Election Expenses	18.00
Material and labor on Streets	259.90
Printing	3.00
City Engineer and Seal	116.15
Ground Rent	15.00
Repairs on Engine	16.70
Officers Salary	<u>629.15</u>
	3558.25
Sinking Fund	\$1972.58
Bal of interest fund	<u>1130.12</u>
	7495.14
	<u>3102.70</u>
	\$4392.74

On motion the report was read and ordered to be placed on file.

The street Commissioner made the following report which was received and the amounts as reported due therein were directed to be paid:

Crawfordville August 12th 1872
To The Hon Mayor and Common Council.

The undersigned respectfully submits the following report for the preceding two weeks. The following sums are due and owing to the persons named for labor done by them on the public streets of this city:

Ed. Conner	8 days	at 175	14.00
James Deew	9 days	175	15.75
Martin McWormy	8½	175	14.87
Jacob Stale	7	350	24.50
John Barrett	11¾	350	40.75
Mark Sullivan	9	175	15.75
James Lewis	2¼	175	2.93
Alex Huff	1½	350	14.37
A. S. Duckworth	5½	350	17.87
William Brown	1½	175	
			<u>262</u>
			163.41

38 men have labored each two days on the streets of the city

(Signed) W. S. Smith Street Commr.

The City Engineer submitted report of profile and estimate of Washington street from North street to the creek which was ordered to be filed.

On motion of Mr Vanarsdall the Street Commissioner was directed to collect all money due for road labor without delay.

On motion of Mr Bryant, the Marshal was directed to enforce the dog ordinance immediately.

On motion, the City Engineer was directed to set gutter stakes on Market street between Green and Washington streets and the Street Commissioner was directed to notify the property owners adjoining said part of said street to boulder the gutters in front of their respective lots within 20 days from the date of said notice.

The following ordinance was presented read a first time - the rules suspended and it was read a second and third times:

An Ordinance authorizing the issuing of the bonds of the City of Crawfordville to the amount of twenty-one thousand Dollars (\$21000.) for the erection of an engine house and other necessary buildings

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville in the State of Indiana, that the Mayor and Clerk of said City shall prepare and issue Bonds of said City to the amount of twenty-one thousand (21000) Dollars, with interest at the rate of ten (10) per cent. per annum payable semi-annually at the Treasurer's office of said City, for the term of ten years from the first day of September 1872. Forty-two Bonds for Five Hundred (500) Dollars each, to become due and payable at the office of the Treasurer of said City on the first day of September 1882, the said City reserving the right to redeem said bonds from and after the first day of September, 1877 as fast as money may be available for that purpose. Said Bonds with the interest coupons attached thereto shall be signed by the Mayor and Clerk of the City of Crawfordville and placed in the hands of the Treasurer of said City to be negotiated and sold by him under the direction of the Common Council to provide means for the purposes specified in the title of this Ordinance.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance to take effect from and after its passage.

The question being on the adoption of the foregoing ordinance these who voted in the affirmative were councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Stantes and Lewis. Total 5. and the ordinance was declared adopted.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of McLean and Talbot for printing of	\$ 10.00
That of D. S. Rodricks for services of self and assistant (Engineering)	9.50

On motion, an order was directed to be drawn in favor of J. B. Johnson for \$20.00 on account of bouldering gutter crossing across Market street.

On motion the City Engineer was instructed to set gutter stakes and the street Commissioner was directed to notify the property owners on the south side of Main street between Washington and Walnut streets to boulder the gutter in front of their respective lots within twenty days from the date of notice, also,

To make a survey of the gutter on the south side of College street between Brown and Water streets and devise some means to get rid of the water at that point.

On motion the Street Commissioner was directed to notify the property owners on the north side of Main street and between Water street and the next alley west, to plant or lay with bricks or stone, the sidewalk in front of the property on said portion of Main street, within twenty days from the date of notice.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. A. Brown

City Clerk

[Handwritten flourish]

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, August 26, 1872.

The Council met. Present, Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vansdall, Hartie and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

Mr. Foot was excused for absence

A petition from Caleb Mill for others praying that the width of main street in Mills addition be retained at sixty feet instead of sixty six was referred to the Committee on Petition and overtures.

A petition from the city school trustees asking the issue of a warrant for four thousand dollars for estimate on school building, was received and on motion the Clerk was directed to issue said warrant for said amount

The Committee on Schools and public Buildings reported

That the bids offered for the erection and completion of the Engine house as advertised for be entered upon the record and that it is not to the interest of the City to accept either of the bids offered.

R. E. Bryant
W. K. Crist
S. A. Foot

[Signed]

On motion the report was adopted.

The Street Commissioner made the following report:
Crawfordsville Aug. 26.

Now Mayor and Common Council

The undersigned Street Commissioner of the City of Crawfordsville begs leave to make the following report.

Work done on last Wabash Avenue for which I am indebted to the following named persons:

Jacob State	10 days	at \$ 3.50 per day	\$ 35.00
A. Huff	9 1/2 days	\$ 3.50 per day	\$ 33.21
A. Duckworth	14 3/4 days	at \$ 3.50 " "	\$ 51.61
John Garrett	1 day	3.50	\$ 3.50
Neil Conner	12 days and 7 hours with shovel	at 1.75 per day	\$ 22.22
James Verew	12 and a half days with shovel	at 1.75 per day	\$ 21.57
Walter Sullivan	12 days at 1.75 per day with shovel		\$ 21.00
James Lewis	7 days and 6 1/2 hours at 1.75 with shovel		\$ 13.30
P. Kearn	repairing Culvert		\$ 1.75
John Gant	3 days Carpenter work building City pound at \$200 per day		6.00
			<hr/> 209.46

Sixty six persons have paid commutation for which I return you the Treasurers receipt for \$ 162.00

W. D. Smith Street Commissioner

On motion the report was received and warrants directed to issue to the parties named therein, to whom the City stands indebted.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of J. B. Johnson	for estimate for bouldering crossing on Market Street	\$ 20.00
That of Warrs Lowrey	for Blacksmith work for Street Commissioner	\$ 7.40
That of D. G. Rodrick	for services as Engineer	5.00
That of John S. Leaphite	for assistance to Engineer	3.00
That of N. Carbol	for digging cistern on East College St.	25.00
That of Nanner Wilhite	for fuel fees	40.80
That of John Finn	for 1 1/2 days as tender at Cistern	3.00
That of James Dew	for 2 " " " " "	4.00
That of George Robinson	for 2 " " " " "	4.00

On Motion the Street Commissioner was directed to take up so much of the flooring of the bridge across the Louisiana, New Albany and Chicago rail way on Washash Avenue, as may be necessary to stop travel across said bridge which is considered dangerous for the passage of teams.

On motion the Clerk was directed to issue a warrant in favor of J. B. Johnson for forty six dollars and eleven cents being balance in full for paving gutter crossing on Market Street.

On motion the Engineer was directed to set gutter grade stakes on the west side of Washington street between Pike and Main and should the Committee on Public Improvements deem it proper, the property owners on said portion of Washington street shall be directed by the Street Commissioner to raise the bouldering of said gutter to accord with such survey.

John Talbot was unanimously elected Assistant Engineer to serve during the unexpired term of D. G. Rodriguez.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Bryant and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Foote, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Martin and Criss. Potat 5. Mr Hughes voted no. Vote 1. and the resolution was declared adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby ordered to report at the next regular meeting the names of all persons who have performed road labor, also the names of all persons who have paid their Commutation money—the names of all persons against whom suit has been brought for amount due on account of labor on public streets, also the names of all persons who have been warned to labor and who yet owe road labor, also the amount paid into the City Treasury with vouchers for such payment and that the resignation of M. S. Smith as such Street Commissioner be accepted upon a final settlement of his accounts with the City as such Street Commissioner and the acceptance by the City Council of such report and settlement.

On motion of Mr Bryant: That the members of the City Council wish to convey to Mr. S. Smith City Marshal the fact that they are not satisfied with his actions as Marshal of this City; the feeling is not alone with them but daily complaints are made to them by the Citizens generally that the laws and Ordinances of the city are not enforced as they should be, that disturbers of the peace of the city are not arrested — and that unless a change is made in the management of the office of City Marshal they will feel it to be their duty to proceed as the laws direct to remove him from office.

The following was presented by Mr. Foote:

To the Hon Board Common Council of the City of Crawfordville Gentlemen: We the undersigned agree to erect and complete according to plans and specifications by Col. Carrington Engine House and City Prison for the sum of Eight Thousand Five hundred Doll. 8,500.

[Signed]

Alexander & Whitsett.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Foote:

Resolved, By the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville that the bid of Alexander & Whitsett for the building of the Engine house, City Hall &c. for the sum of Eight Thousand & Five Hundred Dollars be and is hereby accepted according to the plans and specifications by Col. Carrington and that the Comt. on Schools and Public Buildings be ordered to immediately perfect the contract by entering into a written agreement with the said parties.

Mr Bryant offered the following as an amendment.

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for an Engine house as submitted by Col. Carrington to this Council are not regarded as practicable in

now of the financial condition of the City, and that Col. Harrington be requested to modify the plans so as to maintain the same arrangement of rooms and bring the cost of the building within six thousand dollars if the same can be done.

The question being upon the adoption of Mr. Bryant's amendment those who voted 'aye' were Councilmen Bryant and Warton. Total 2. Those who voted 'no' were Councilmen Hughes, Foote, Vanarsdale and Crist. Total 4. The amendment was declared lost.

The question then being upon the adoption of the original resolution by Mr. Foote, those who voted 'aye' were Councilmen Foote, Hughes and Crist. Total 3. Those who voted 'no' were Councilmen Vanarsdale, Warton, and Bryant Total 4. This being a tie vote the Mayor voted 'aye' and the resolution was declared adopted.

The City Treasurer was, on motion, directed to advertise for sale twenty one thousand Dollars of City Bonds.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:
J. A. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson G. Layman Mayor

Called Meeting.

Monday Evening, September 2^d 1872

The Council met in special session called by the Mayor. Present His Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Warton and Crist.

The call was stated to be for the amendment of an Ordinance.

The following ordinance was introduced:

An Ordinance to amend Section 1 of an Ordinance passed August 12th 1872 entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the issuing the bonds of the City of Crawfordsville, to the amount of twenty one thousand dollars (\$21,000) for the erection of an Engine House and other necessary buildings.

Section 1. Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville that section 1 of the above entitled ordinance which reads as follows, viz:
Sec 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville in the State of Indiana, that the Mayor and Clerk of said City shall prepare and issue Bonds of said City to the amount of twenty one thousand (\$21,000) Dollars, with interest at the rate of ten (10) per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually at the Treasurers office of said City for the term of ten years from the first day of September, 1872, Forty two bonds for Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars each, to become due and payable at the Office of the Treasurer of said City on the first day of September 1882 the said City reserving the right to redeem said bonds from and after the first day of September 1877 as fast as money may be available for that purpose. Said Bonds, with the interest Coupons attached thereto shall be signed by the Mayor and Clerk of the City of Crawfordsville, and placed in the hands of the Treasurer of said City to be negotiated and sold by him under the direction of the Common Council, to provide means for the purposes specified in the title of this Ordinance, &c and the same is so amended as to read as follows:

Sec. 1. Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville in the State of Indiana, that the Mayor and Clerk of said City shall prepare and issue Bonds of said City to the amount of twenty one thousand (\$21,000) Dollars with interest at the rate of ten (10) per cent.

per annum payable semi-annually at the Treasurers office of said City, for the term of ten years from the second day of September 1872. Forty-two bonds of Five Hundred Dollars each, to become due and payable at the office of the Treasurer of said City on the second day of September 1882, the said City reserving the right to order said bonds from and after the second day of September 1877 as fast as money may be available for that purpose. Said bonds with the interest coupons attached thereto shall be signed by the Mayor and Clerk of the City of Lawfordville and placed in the hands of the Treasurer of said City to be negotiated and sold by him under the direction of the Common Council to provide means for the purposes specified in the title of this Ordinance.

Section 2^d: This Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

The Ordinance was read a first time and under a suspension of the rules a second and third times and passed. Those who voted "aye" on its passage were Councilmen Fort, Hughes, Bryant, Davis, and Crist. Seta 5.

The following was presented by Col. Carrington

Lawfordville, Ind. Sept. 2^d 1872.

To the President & Common Council of Lawfordville, Ind.

The block of lots on which the new building will be erected should be 165 feet square. Its front exceeds this by a few inches. Its cross section at rear of the City lot is hardly 164, if ten feet be allowed for alley.

The street in front is also less than the established width.

The block of lots to the south is in excess of 165 feet, the lot on the alley crop, going into the alley a foot or more.

In order not to infringe upon the 165 feet, of the north block, it will be necessary to make the alley narrower than ten feet, and, at the rear of the City building to bring it below nine feet. There is no alternative unless the city purchase a foot to the north, which in view of the present expenses does not seem best.

Respectfully Submitted,

[Signed]

Deany B. Carrington Col. U.S.A.

Arch & Civil Engineer

Mr Bryant moved that sufficient space be taken from the alley on the south side of the City lot to give to the city its full quantity of ground 38 by 89 feet leaving the square to the north of the City lot 127 feet making the entire square 165 feet from north to south—there being an error in the location of the Driskie building which will remain for future adjustment should such adjustment become necessary. Adopted.

A memorial was received from Charles B. Masterson asking permission to maintain a truck stand near the corner of Main and Washington Street which was laid over.

On motion of Mr. Bryant, the Committee on Public Improvement was authorized to construct a cistern in the Engine house.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest

L. D. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, September 9th 1872

The Council met. Present, His Honor Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Fort, Hughes, Bayant, Vanarsdall and Hart.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

The committee on petitions and overture asked further time to report on the petition of Mills and others.

The mayor made the following report, which was accepted and ordered to be recorded
To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Crawfordville.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to report that during the month of August I have collected and paid into the City Treasury, Fine amounting to \$ 11.50 as per his receipt herewith filed.

Respectfully etc.

Wilson W. Saymon Mayor
City of Crawfordville.

The clerk made the following report:

Crawfordville, Sept. 9 1872

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville.

I respectfully report that the Commissioners to assess damages and benefits filed with me, on the 24th day of September 1872 their report of Damages and benefits, accruing to owners of property adjoining by reason of the opening of Main street from its present western terminus to the Corporation line on the west. Also the report of said Commissioners of the damages and benefits accruing to the owners of property adjoining by reason of the opening of Plum Street south till it intersects with the Danville road.

Respectfully Submitted

J. H. Brown Clerk.

Said Report on Main Street is as follows:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawford-

ville:

The undersigned Commissioners of the City of Crawfordville duly elected and qualified to appraise damages and assess benefits accruing to the owners of lands and lots through which any street is proposed to be constructed or altered or any building thereon appropriated do, would respectfully report, that on the 24th day of August A.D. 1872 in pursuance of a notice to us directed by the Clerk of said City, we entered upon and examined the lands and lots lying along and adjoining that portion of Main Street in said City which lies between the west line of west street and the Corporation line of said city on the west, with a view to the opening and widening of said portion of said Main Street, and then and there made an appraisement of the value of lands and lots to be appropriated in making said improvement and of the damages and benefits accruing to the owners of lands and lots lying along and adjoining and through [which] said street is to be extended and improved. All of which is fully set forth in a schedule hereunto annexed and made a part of this report with the amount in dollars and cents of the value of lands and lots appropriated and of the damages and benefits accruing to the owners thereof each set opposite the name of the owners of such land or lot appropriated under its respective head and damaged and benefited by reason of such extension.

The amount of damages accruing to the lands and lots and the owners thereof along and adjoining said street exceeds the amount of benefits assessed to the amount of Sixty five dollars (\$ 65.00) and we are clearly of the opinion that the opening and extension of said street

as proposed will be of great general benefit and of public utility to the city fully bearing fitting the city at large to the amount of said sum of sixty five dollars and therefore we recommend your honorable body that the said deficit of sixty five dollars be paid out of the city treasury in compensation for said general benefit to the city and that such further proceedings may be had by your honorable body as your judgement and wisdom may determine.

For a full and complete description of the lands and lots appropriated, damaged or benefited by reason of the opening, extension and establishing of said street you are hereby referred to the report of the city Engineer of the survey of said street made by him, which said report is herewith attached and made part of this report.

All of which is respectfully submitted

Signe

Taylor Buffington
 William W. Casperson } Com. mtr
 William Campbell
 John S. Campbell

Schedule referred to in the foregoing report:

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Value of Property Appropriated	Damages to Property	Benefit to Property	Remarks
Robert Ramsey	(1) None Taken	\$ 00	\$ 00	50 00	Side of Street
A. D. Dunn	$\frac{21}{100}$ Acre	750 00	700 00	950 00	North & South
John Simpson	$\frac{20}{100}$ "	80 00	00 00	150 00	South
Calb Mills	$\frac{23}{100}$ "	15 00	00 00	50 00	North & South
Calb Mills	$\frac{100}{100}$ "	0 00	0 00	150 00	North
W. Syle	$\frac{81}{100}$ "	15 00	5 00	75 00	North
M. V. B. Smith	$\frac{01}{100}$ "	15 00	5 00	75 00	North
T. H. B. McCain	$\frac{01}{100}$ "	0 00	0 00	75 00	South
John Purcell Jr	$\frac{03}{100}$ "	15 00	60 00	70 00	North
Thomas Stiles	$\frac{01}{100}$ "	0 00	0 00	200 00	South
Calb Mills (Private)	$\frac{23}{100}$ "	15 00	0 00	60 00	North
Calb Mills (Through)	$\frac{72}{100}$ "	350 00	0 00	100 00	
		\$1255 00	\$770 00	1960 00	

Assessment on Main Street
 Sand Taken \$1255.00 Damages \$770 = \$ 2025.00
 Benefits 1960.00
 Amount to be provided for \$ 65.00

The report on Plum Street is as follows:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:
 We the undersigned Commissioners of the City of Bradfordville duly elected and qualified to appraise damages and assess benefits accruing to the owners of lands and lots through which any street is proposed to be constructed or altered or any building thereon appropriated do, would respectfully report that on the 26th day of August 1872 in pursuance of a notice to us directed by the clerk of said city, we entered upon and examined the lands and lots lying along and adjoining that portion of Plum street contemplated being opened from a point on Main Street in said city where by running due south it will unite with the north end of Plum Street on College Street and to be continued south until it connects with the Danville road. All of said street to be fifty feet in width and to be known as Plum Street and then and there made an appraisement of the value of lands and lots to be appropriated in making said improvement and of the damages and benefit accruing

to the owners of lands and lots lying along and adjoining, and through which said street is to be extended and improved all of which is fully set forth in a schedule hereunto annexed and made a part of this report, with the amount in dollars and cents of the value of lands and lots appropriated and of the damages and benefits accruing to the owners thereof, each under its respective head set opposite the name of the owners of such land or lot appropriated and damaged or benefitted by reason of such extension, the amount of damages accruing to the lands and lots and the owners thereof along and adjoining said street exceeds the amount of benefits assessed to the amount of Fifteen Hundred and sixty five dollars (\$1565.00) which said sum of (\$1565.00) is entirely unprovided for. For a full and complete description of the lands and lots appropriated, damaged or benefitted by reason of the opening, extension and establishing of said street, you are hereby referred to the report of the City Engineer of the survey of said street made by him which said report is hereunto attached and made part of this report.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

[Signed]

Taylor Buffington
William W. Esperson
Wm Campbell
John S. Campbell
E. C. Griffiths
} Committee.

Schedule Referred to in the foregoing report:

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Value of Property Appropriated	Damage to Property	Benefits to Property	Remarks
Elston Land		\$1000 00	\$160 00	\$500 00	
Samuel L. Wilson		250 00	60 00	150 00	
Andrew Synes Heirs		250 00	40 00	150 00	
Priscilla Powers		200 00	25 00	125 00	
Michael Barnes		15 00	10 00	15 00	
James Heaton Jr.		220 00	180 00	100 00	
Abraham Johnson		75 00	10 00	0 00	
Saml Purviance		40 00	10 00	50 00	
Wm Dutchman		50 00	25 00	50 00	
George Porter		75 00	75 00	0 00	
Heirs of Hamilton		20 00	5 00	25 00	
Saml Vanclive				25 00	
Unknown				25 00	
Smith				15 00	
		\$2195 00	\$600 00	\$1230 00	

Whole value of lands appropriated \$ 2195.00

Whole addition damages 600.00

2795.00

Whole amount of benefits 1230.00

Amount unprovided for \$ 1565.00

On motion of Mr Bryant the consideration of the foregoing reports of Commissioners on Main and Plum Streets was postponed until the 16th day of September.

The Street Commissioners made a report which was rejected and a report was required from him in accordance with a resolution of Council adopted on the 26th day of August 1872.

The Treasurer made a report of the receipts and expenditures

for the month of August 1872 as follows:

Balance in Treasury Aug 1 72	7495.24
Amt. from Taxes	230.56
" " Fines	10.40
" " Liquor License	30.00
" " Shows	32.00
" " Commutation for Road Labor	160.00
" " Peddlers	14.00
" " Auctioneers	6.00
" " Dracks	10.00
	\$7980.40

Expenditures

Amt Paid work on streets	479.24	
" " Officers	12.50	
" " Police	20.00	
" " Printing	10.00	
" " Work on listerns	36.00	
" " Election Expenses	5.00	
" " Engineer	14.50	
" " Jail Fees	20.80	
	618.04	

Sinking & Interest Fund

Balance

\$7362.36
3102.70
\$4259.66

On motion a warrant was directed to be drawn in favor of Crawford for \$2.11 being amount of overwork in road district no 24 over which the city Corporation limits have been extended.

Mr A. S. Duckworth acting for the Street Commission made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville I have the honor to report the following as the names of persons who have labored on the streets and the amount due each for his labor.

Edward O'Conner	9 1/2 days work	175	16.62
Martin Sullivan	10 " "	175	17.50
Alex Huff	with team 8 " "	3.50	28.00
Jacob Steele	" " 1/2 " "	3.50	2.62
A. S. Duckworth	" 10 " "	3.50	35.00
James Hensen	9 " "	175	15.75
Total due for Labor on Streets.			\$115.50

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[Signs]

A. S. Duckworth

On motion the Clerk was directed to draw warrants in favor of the parties named in the foregoing report for the aunts due them.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Vanarsdall:

Resolved: That the City Clerk advertise for bids for graveling Mabash Avenue from Water Street to its Crossing of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Rail road. Said gravel to be washed or river gravel and to be put on sixteen feet wide sixteen inches deep in the center and six inches on each edge thereof. Said bids to be opened on the 23rd day of September 1872 and contracts awarded should it be deemed proper by the Council.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted 'aye' were councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, and Carter total 5. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of S. S. Duckworth for 32 1/2 days labor on streets of	56.23 1/2
That of Blair, Eyle and Smith for Cistern Castings	12.15
That of David Divine for Cistern ladder	2.00
That of Harvey Thorpe for 4 mos service as messenger for Engineer house	25.00

On motion the Marshal was instructed to demand the flag belonging to the city, which is said to be in the hands of persons not authorized to keep it in custody.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:
J. D. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Adjourned Meeting

Monday Evening, September 16, 1872.

The Council met. Present Vice Mayor Layman, Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall and Carter.

On motion of Mr Foote, the report of the Commissioners, on the opening of Main street was taken up.

On motion of Mr Bryant, the said report on Main street was rejected.

The following protest was presented, received and ordered to be recorded:

To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville.

The undersigned residents and tax payers of said city, upon information that Commissioners have been appointed to view and appraise damages for opening Plum Street north of Wabash Avenue, and that a serious effort toward opening that portion of said street is to be made, respectfully protest and remonstrate against any action by your honorable body to that end.

Mrs M. E. Elston has submitted to you a written proposition offering to give the city right of way for a broad and ample avenue around the eastern side of the grove through which said Plum Street is proposed to be opened. As the object of the proposed street is to make a highway to the junction of our railroads, where a union depot will ultimately be built, and where the I. B. and W. B. way Co is by contract bound to establish its depot, we think Mrs Elstons offer is in every respect most advantageous to the public: it makes the opening of the part of Plum street north of Wabash Avenue unnecessary, by giving the same if not greater accommodations to the public. The grove which is now one of the chief ornaments of the city, will be spared irreparable injury; the city will continue to have the use of a convenient woods as a park for recreation, and the several societies, Odd-Fellows, Masons &c. and the Sunday schools, a beautiful grove, the only one now about the place for celebrations: and the people already suffering from taxation will be saved a needless outlay of money.

Wherefore, we submit this remonstrance, with an earnest appeal that the said liberal offer of Mrs Elston be accepted.

J. S. James

James

S. H. Gregg

J. S. Brown
 T. L. Kelley
 J. A. Paxton
 William Mount
 James Busenbark
 E. Potter
 John See
 E. H. Dinsford
 Geo R Brown
 Ernest Steig
 W. M. Crawford
 C. W. Gregg
 James Sumas
 B. W. Ramsay
 Blair Ramsay Stee
 John W. Blair
 J. S. Braden
 Henry Campbell
 Theo A. Bustin
 Albert C. Fenwick
 E. J. Row
 Chas H Brown
 C. S. Hildebrand
 T. T. Scott
 Michael Price
 Henry Deart
 Saml S. Thomson
 W. H. Raymond
 C. Hauser
 B. J. Vance
 A. Emmons
 Eli Kahn
 Cornelius Smock
 J. V. Kuraw
 S. D. Hurley
 Z. B. Richardson
 C. H. Davidge
 J. S. McCalland
 John B. Coons
 Joseph T. Tuttle
 J. L. Elston

J. P. Campbell
 Henry Barrington C. E. U. S. A. Civil Engineer
 W. H. White
 Saml L. Brown
 A. Barney
 George Munnis
 J. B. Bryner
 E. Datcher
 J. B. Druley
 W. Crawford
 R. M. & R. C. Lockhart
 Joseph M. Deligan
 W. H. Ashley
 John Schulltz
 W. B. Burbridge
 W. B. Robertson
 Tho. T. Craig
 F. B. Guthrie
 J. B. Morgan
 William S. See
 P. B. Simpson
 W. A. McGille
 W. H. Wallace
 Brown & Son
 W. P. Raney
 E. B. Curtis
 John Sims
 S. T. Hills Sen
 J. S. Miller & Co
 Warren Davis
 W. W. Scott
 Saml W. Austin
 W. C. White
 Geo. Safford
 J. W. Kelsey
 B. B. Briggs
 E. E. Barrett
 W. Williams
 A. Thomson
 Maria & Elston

On motion of Mr. Fost the report of the Commissioners on the opening of Plum Street was taken up.

On motion of Mr. Bryant the terms of said report were rejected.

On motion of Mr. Bryant the office of Assistant City Engineer was declared vacant.

On motion Albert C. Fenwick was elected Assistant City Engineer. The Street Commissioners made a report in accordance with the resolution of Council adopted on the 26th day of August, 1872, which

report was referred to the Committee on accounts.

The committee on Schools and Public Buildings made the following report, which was received and concurred in.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradford

The undersigned respectfully report that as directed by you we have contracted with Mr Alexander for the erection and completion of the Engine House in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted by Col D. B. Carrington, for the sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000) five hundred dollars. The contract binds Mr Alexander to complete the building, within ninety-five working days, in case of delay the city has the right to proceed with the work at the expense of the contractor and no material is allowed to be moved from the ground until the building is accepted by the city. Should any dispute arise in regard to any matter relating to the building, the decision of the Architect is to be absolute and final. With the Contractor payments are to be made as follows: 80 per cent of the estimate to be paid when the foundation is complete, 80 per cent on all materials furnished, 80 per cent when the upper joists are laid in position, 80 per cent when the roof is ready for covering, and 80 per cent with the 20 per cent balances to be paid on the completion of the whole building, and its acceptance by the city. Security to the amount of \$ 3,000, is given for the faithful performance of the contract by Mr Alexander.

In addition to the above contract we have found it necessary to have the entire north wall of the Engine house started on a level with the coal cellar to avoid any danger to the building, should the owner of the lot north of the city lot improve that property. This additional work will cost two hundred and fifty dollars Mr Alexander agreeing with your Committee to do the work for that sum.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

[Signed]

R. E. Bryant.
S. A. Fort.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of Braden & Burford for printing City building bonds	\$ 35.00
That of Braden & Burford for tax lists & duplicates	20.25
That of Jero Keene for printing	11.00

On motion the improvement of West Market street was referred to the committee on Public Improvements.

On motion the Council Adjourned.

Attest:
T. O. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson B. Raymond Mayor

Monday Evening, September 23rd 1872

The Council met. Present, His Honor Mayor Seymour, Councilmen Everts, Hughes, Vancordall, Bryant, Martin and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

Mr Crist was excused for absence from the last meeting.

The following report from the committee on accounts was read and on motion the recommendations therein contained were adopted.

"The undersigned members of the Com. to examine the condition of the Street Commissioners acct respectfully submit the following: Viz: We find nearly one half the names that should have been notified have not been seen and many others who being notified have neither worked on the streets nor paid neither have suit been brought against them. No good reason is assigned that we think would be at all satisfactory to the Council for such neglect, and we therefore recommend that the Street Commissioners report be laid on the table for the present, and that the Council proceed at once to secure the appointment of another Street Commr who shall at once proceed to notify all the remaining parties and to collect without delay all outstanding claims that should have been collected by the present incumbents and that the settlement with Mr Smith be deferred till such work is performed and that he be held responsible to the city for any loss that may result from such neglect on the part of Mr Smith. All of which is respectfully submitted: (Signed) D. Martin } P. Hughes } Comr."

On the recommendation of the committee on accounts a warrant was directed to be drawn in favor of Col H. B. Carrington for the sum of Two hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents for plans and specifications for Engine house for city

The following report was received and warrants directed to issue to the parties named therein:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville: Gentlemen: - I have the honor to report that since last report the following is the work done on Mabash Avenue and the amount due thereon for the same

Martin McMurree	7 days shovelling	175	11.25
Jacob Stile	9 1/2 .. with team	350	33.25
J. Darter	6 hours with team		2.10
James Sullivan	3 days shovelling	175	5.25
James Vancordall	5 1/2 days with team	350	19.25
Edward Oconnor	10 1/4 days shovelling		14.93
James Deneen	2 1/2 days shovelling	175	3.75
Mark Sullivan	9 1/4 days shovelling	175	16.18
A. S. Duckworth	10 1/4 days with team	350	35.83
Total due			\$ 141.79

All of which is respectfully submitted (Signed) A. S. Duckworth

Bradfordville Ind Sep 23 1872

The following report was received and on motion the warrant was directed to issue:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville: The undersigned respectfully request that a warrant be drawn on the city Treasurer for five hundred dollars in favor of Alexander Whittall for work done on Engine House and supplies furnished to date, which is in accordance with the estimate of Col H. B. Carrington, architect in charge

of the work.

Signed

R. E. Bryant
P. Hughes

The account of R. M. + W. C. Lockhart of \$60.⁵⁴ for lumber was ordered.
Carvey Thorpe was on motion, allowed \$5.⁰⁰ for repairing hose and cleaning

engine.

The following resolution was introduced by the Committee on Finance

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville
That the following taxes be levied on the taxable property of the City of Crawfordville
for the year 1872.

For General purposes	15%	on each	\$ 100. ⁰⁰
" Interest on School Bonds	20 Cents	on each	\$ 100. ⁰⁰
" Sinking fund for "	15 "	" "	\$ 100. ⁰⁰
" Interest on Engine house Bonds	10 "	" "	\$ 100. ⁰⁰
" Sinking fund "	10 "	" "	\$ 100. ⁰⁰
Total			\$ 100 on each one hundred dollars.

Also 75 cents on each pole, One dollar on each male dog and two dollars on each female dog in the city. The dog taxes to be paid by obtaining checks of the City Clerk in accordance with the ordinance now in force.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen W. H. Dugless, Poryaur Van Arsdale, Master and Crist. Total six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following bid for the graveling of Wabash Avenue was opened and considered.
Crawfordville Ind. Sept. 23 1872

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:

I will gravel Wabash Avenue according to the published specifications at 49 cents per running foot.

[Signed]

John Sullivan

On motion of Mr Poryaur the bid for the graveling of Wabash Avenue presented by John Sullivan was accepted.

Mr Poryaur moved that the resignation of Mr. S. Smith as Street Commissioner be accepted; the City holding him and his securities liable for any losses that may accrue to the city from the failure of said Mr. S. Smith to prosecute persons warned to labor by him and who failed to obey such warning. Also for any other losses that may accrue from his failure to discharge his duty as the law directs. Adopted.

On motion, a warrant was directed to be drawn in favor of William Mount for \$3.⁰⁴/₁₀₀ for taxes erroneously collected from him.

The City School Trustees made a written request for the appropriation of the sum of Three Thousand dollars for the payment of an estimate to D. D. Jones Contractor of the City School building. On motion The Clerk was directed to issue the warrant for the said amount of Three thousand dollars in favor of said School Trustees.

On motion the City Treasurer was directed to take the proper legal steps to immediately collect the benefits now due by mason of the opening of Jefferson Street.

The following appointment was presented for the concurrence of the Council
On motion said appointment was concurred in.

State of Indiana, 3

Montgomery County, 3

J. William Burbridge treasurer of the City of Craw-

fordsville in the County and State aforesaid, by the authority and concurrence of the Common Council of said City, do hereby appoint Cornelius Vanarsdall deputy Treasurer of said City, to continue in office as my said deputy, during my term of Office unless sooner removed.

(Signature)
W. S.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and the seal of said City, the 23d day of September A.D. 1872
Wm Burbridge Treas.

On motion of Mr Bryant the Council met into the election of a Street Commissioner by ballot. On the first ballot Alvin S. Duckworth received six votes and was declared duly elected Street Commissioner to serve the unexpired term of W. S. Smith, resigned.

Mr Fote moved that when the Council adjourns it adjourn to meet September 24th at 9 O'clock A.M. Adopted.

Mr Bryant offered the following resolution.
Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville, That so much of the Ordinance now in force, regulating the duties and prohibiting the said Commissioners from owning, and using, his own team while acting as such Street Commissioners to and the same is hereby suspended.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Fote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Harto and Crist. Total, six. The resolution was declared adopted.

The Council adjourned to meet September 24th at 9 O'clock A.M.

Attest:
W. S. Brown City Clerk.

Tuesday Morning, 9 O'clock, Sept. 24th 1872

The Council met Present His Honor the Mayor, Councilmen, Fote, Hughes, Vanarsdall Harto and Crist.

Alvin S. Duckworth appeared and filed his certificate of election as Street Commissioner endorsed by his oath faithfully to discharge the duties of his said Office.

The said Alvin S. Duckworth also filed his bond in the sum of One thousand dollars conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties as Street Commissioner, with Jacob Stale and J. B. Duckworth as securities, which bond was approved and accepted by the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:
W. S. Brown City Clerk

Wilson B. Layman Mayor

The committee on accounts reported the account of B. M. & N. C. Lockhart for \$62.54 for lumber for Street Commissioners, correct and recommended its payment. The report was adopted.

The Mayor made the following report:

To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:

D. C. Bate has made proof to me that he was the owner of one black and white spotted hog impounded and sold by the Marshal of said City. And it appearing that said Marshal had paid into the City Treasury One dollar and twenty five cents the net proceeds of said sale, I therefore recommend that you authorize a warrant to be drawn on the Treasury in his favor for said sum of \$1.²⁵

October 7th 1872.

Signed

Willow H. Saymon Mayor

On motion a warrant in favor of D. C. Bate for \$1.²⁵ was directed to issue.

The Mayor made the following report:

To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:

Deut: I have the honor to report the following receipts of the Mayor's office for the month of September A.D. 1872.

Total fines collected \$14.00
" Jail fees collected 2.40 = \$16.40

All of which has been paid into the City Treasury as per receipts herewith filed. (signed) Willow H. Saymon Mayor.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of James Parr for 6 1/2 days labor on estimates \$13.75
That of James Lewis for 3 days labor on estimates 5.25

P. F. Kennedy presented an account of fifty dollars for legal services in the case of Willow ^{vs} City.

On motion of Mr. Toole a warrant for \$25.⁰⁰ was directed to be drawn in favor of P. F. Kennedy for legal services in the case of Willow ^{vs} City that amount being the contract price agreed upon for said services.

Leob. H. B. Harrington Architect of City building made the following report: Crawfordville, Sept 27. 1872

To the City Council

Pursuant to contract between your Hon. Body & Messrs Alexander & Whitcomb for erection of City Hall, Engineer Drown & Co. providing for payment of "Eighty per cent of estimate made by Architect when the foundations are in place together with eighty per cent of Materials then upon the ground." I have the honor to recommend the following payment upon first estimate, not including superstructure above joists which belongs to next estimate.

Brick in place	28,372 M	368.36
Stones " " ordered		119.00
Lumber do	5860 Feet	117.20
Excavation		108.00
Brick on hand	85 M	637.50
Carpenters work		276.25
		<hr/> \$1626.31

Less 20 per cent reserved

325.26

1301.05

Add special contract for (12 M) north wall completed
Less Cash

250.00 = \$1551.05
500.00

\$1051.05

[signed]

Respectfully Submitted
Henry B. Clearington Civil Engr
Works & Engineer.

On motion the warrant for the audit of the estimate was directed to be issued.
The City Engineer made the following report:

Survey on Main Street south line

Beginning at a point on the east line of the land now owned by Nathaniel A. Dunn where the south line of Main Street extended west crosses said east line running thence west through said Nathaniel A. Dunn's land 553 feet to John Simpson's north east line thence still west 291 feet through said John Simpson's land to the north east corner of Prof. C. Mills' land, being part of the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31 Town 19 N. R. 4. W. thence still west following the dividing line between said Prof. Mills & N. A. Dunn's land 137 ft. to the east end of Main Street as platted in Prof. Mills' addition to Grandfordville, thence still west following the south line of said platted street, along the north line of the above described tract 389 ft. to Marshall Street as platted in said addition, thence across said street 60 ft. to the N. E. corner of lot No. 5 in Mills' addition owned by S. H. B. McCain, thence along the north line of said lot 208 ft. to the North east corner of lot No. 29. in Nabash College's 2nd to Grandfordville, thence still west along the north ends of lots No. 29, 30 & part of 31 of said College addition owned by The State 570 ft. to the west end of Main Street as platted in Mills' addition, thence still west along the north ends of lots No. 32, 33 and part of 31 in said College addition, owned by The State to West line of Corporation of the City.

North line of Main Street extended west.

Beginning at a point on Nathaniel A. Dunn's east line just 66 ft north of the initial point of the south line above described at a point on R. M. Ramsey's south line just 175 feet west of said Ramsey's south east corner running thence west parallel with the above described south line, along the dividing line between the said R. M. Ramsey and N. A. Dunn 84 feet to said Ramsey's south west corner thence west 968 feet to the east end of Main Street as platted in Prof. C. Mills' addition, thence offsetting 6 feet south run west with the north line of said platted street 379 feet along the south line of the said Mills' unplatted land, being a part of the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31 Town 19 N. R. 4. W. to the South east corner of lot No. 4 in said Mills' addition owned by W. B. Sarge thence with the north line of said platted st. along the south end of said lot No. 4, 94 feet to the south east corner of lot No. 3 in same addition owned by W. V. B. Smith, thence with the north line of said st. along the front of said lot No. 3, 94 feet to street thence across said st. 60 feet to the south east corner of lot No. 14 in said addition owned by Geo. Purad, thence still with said st. along the south line of said lot No. 14 220 feet to an alley 10 ft wide crossing said alley to the south east corner of lot No. 15 in said addition owned by John B. Kohl and Henry Kohl thence with the south line of lot No. 15 in said addition 220 ft. to Blair St. as platted in said addition, thence across said street 60 feet to the east side of C. Mills' unplatted land - being a part of the west $\frac{1}{2}$ of the S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 31 S. 19 N. R. 4 west thence west across said described tract 120 feet to the west corporation line of the city.

The above described lines of street cut off and appropriate to the use of Main St. extended west the following sized tracts of land belonging to the following persons: A tract of land of an irregular shape 66 ft wide at the east end and 33 ft wide at the west end and 105 2 ft long on the north line and 553 ft long on the south line containing 1.17 acres more or less belonging to Nathaniel A. Dunn.

Also a tract of land 33 ft wide by 291 long containing 0.22 acres more or less belonging to John Simpson, also a tract of land 120 feet long by 60 feet wide containing 0.6 of an acre more or less belonging to Prof. C. Mills.

Respectfully Submitted

A. C. Garrison A. C. E.

Mr Bryant moved to lay the report of the Engineer on the table. Lost.

Mr. Hughes offered the following resolution:

Whereas it is proposed to condemn and appropriate for the public use for the extension of Main Street from its present western terminus to the corporation line of the city of Lewisport on the west - so much land as may be necessary to accomplish said object; Therefore - Be it Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Lewisport that the following described property or land be and the same is hereby condemned and appropriated to the public use for the extension of Main Street in said city from its present western terminus to the corporation line of said city on the west, to wit:

"Beginning at a point on the east line of the land now owned by Nathaniel S. Dunn where the south line of Main Street extended west crosses said east line running thence west through said Nathaniel S. Dunn's land 553 feet to John Simpons north east line thence still west 291 feet through said John Simpons land to the north east corner of Prof. L. Mills' land being part of the N 2 of S. E 4 of Section 31 Town 19 N. R. 4 W thence still west following the dividing line between the said Prof. Mills & N. S. Dunn's land 137 ft. to the east end of Main Street as platted in Prof. Mills' addition to Lewisport, thence still west following the south line of said platted street along the north line of the above described tract 389 ft. to Marshall St. as platted in said addition thence across said street 60 ft to the N. E. corner of lot No. 5, in Mills' addition owned by P. H. B. McLean thence along the north line of said lot 208 feet to the North east corner of lot No. 29 in Nabab Colleges 2nd addition to Lewisport, thence still west along the north ends of lots No. 29, 30 - part of 31 of said College addition owned by The Duke 570 ft. to the west end of Main Street as platted in Mills' addition. Thence still west along the north ends of lots No. 32, 33, part of 31 in said Colleges addition owned by The Duke to west line of the Corporation of the City.

North line of Main St. Extended west. - Beginning at a point on Nathaniel S. Dunn east line just 66 ft north of the initial point of the south line above described - at a point on R. M. Ramsey's south line just 175 feet west of said Ramsey south east corner - running thence west parallel with the above described south line along the dividing line between the said R. M. Ramsey and N. S. Dunn 84 feet to said Ramsey south west corner, thence west 968 feet to the east end of Main Street as platted in Prof. L. Mills' addition, thence offsetting six feet south runs west with the north line of said platted 379 feet along the south line of the said Mills' unplatted land being a part of the N 2 of S. E. 4 of Section 31 Town 19 N. R. 4 W. to the south east corner of lot No. 4 in said Mills' addition owned by W. B. Syle thence with the north line of said platted St. along the south end of lot No. 4, 94 feet to the south east corner of lot No. 3 in same addition owned by W. C. Smith, thence with the north line of said St. along the front of said lot No. 3, 94 feet to street, thence across said St. 60 feet to the south east corner of lot No. 14 in said addition owned by Geo. Purcell, thence still with said street along the south line of said lot No. 14, 220 feet to an alley 10 ft wide, crossing said alley to the S. E. corner of lot No. 15 in said addition owned by John B. White and Mary Kohl, thence with the south line of said lot No. 15 in said addition 220 ft. to Blair Street as platted in said addition, thence across said St. 60 ft. to the east side of L. Mills' unplatted land, being a part of the N 2 of the S. E. 4 of Sec 31 T. 19. N. R. 4 West thence west across said described tract 120 feet to the west corporation line of the City.

The above described lines of street cut off and appropriate to the use of Main Street extended west the following sized tracts of land, belonging to the following persons:

A tract of land of an irregular shape 66 ft wide at the east end and 33 ft wide at the west end and 1022 ft long on the north line and 553 ft long on the south line, containing 1.17 acres more or less belonging to Nathaniel S. Dunn. Also, a tract of land 33 ft wide by 291 long containing 0.22 acres more or less belonging to John Simpons. Also a tract of land 420 feet long by 60 feet wide containing 0.6 of an acre more or less belonging to Prof. L. Mills.

And be it further resolved that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to notify the commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits in such case provided to

met at the Mayor's office in said City on the fourth day of November, 1892, at 10 o'clock, A.M., to assess the damages and benefits accruing to the owners of land adjoining or through which said street will run by reason of the opening of Main Street from its present western terminus to the corporation line of said City on the west and that he also notifies Nathaniel Dyer, R. M. Ramsey, Thomas Steele, John W. Pines, F. H. B. Wain, W. B. Sife, M. V. B. Smith, Edith Miller, John Simpson, Henry Holt and John B. Holt of the time and place of the meeting of said commissioners and of the matters then and there to be conducted.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution those who voted "aye" were Councilmen Fouts, Hughes, Warts and Cisar total 2. Councilmen Bryant and Vassar total votes "no" total two. And the resolution was declared to be adopted.

On motion, the matter of a bridge across the Louisville New Albany and Chicago Rail road on Walnut Avenue was referred to the Committee on Public Improvements and the City Attorney.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest
Edith Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening,
October 21 1872

The Council met Present His Honor Mayor Seymour Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Carter and Crist

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted.

Mr Bryant offered the following:

Whereas, It having been proposed by John W. Blain to furnish the necessary timber for the erection of four bents of a bridge at the rear end of Market Street, said bents to be twenty feet long each and also to furnish the spars for said bridge and to pay for the erection of the said four bents leaving the City to furnish the joists and flooring of said bridge, therefore Resolved, that the above proposition of John W. Blain be accepted and the bridge erected as soon as possible.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution there was voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Vanarsdale, Crist, Bryant and Carter, and the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdale the question of allowing Mrs. Binfort to repair the burnt buildings on Green Street was referred to the City Attorney.

On motion of Mr. Crist the City Marshal was directed to notify the owners of the bulletin board on the lot adjoining the Elston Bank building on the east that such bulletin board in its present condition is a nuisance, and that it must be taken down or rendered secure.

The Street Commissioner made the following report.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to report the following as the

business of my Office during the last two weeks

Jacob Steele worked with team	3 1/2 days	3 50	\$12.25
Same " " Shovel	1 1/2 "	1 75	2.62
A. S. Duckworth with team	11 days	3 50	\$14.87
at - - - - -			<u>38.50</u>
			\$53.37

October 21st 1872.

A. S. Duckworth

Street Commissioner

On motion the accounts were allowed and warrants were directed to issue.

The City Engineer made the following report:

Crawfordsville, Ind., Oct 21st. 1872.

The undersigned would report that he has examined the graveling on East Wabash Avenue between Water Street and the S. W. A. H. R. R. tracks and finds that it is in every respect fully up to the specifications and would recommend its acceptance by the Council.

Signed Albert C. Ferriss A. C. E.

On motion the report was concurred in and an assessment list ordered to be issued to the contractor.

The Architect of the City buildings made the following report:

Crawfordsville, Ind., Dec 9 1872.

I respectfully submit estimate upon City Hall to wit Eighty per cent of estimate made by Architect when the joists are laid for the upper floor with material then delivered.

Brick work and material laid not included in previous estimates or previous material

752.23

Bricks delivered	40 Ms.	320.00
Stow		75.00
Carpenter Work		75.00
Frame etc.		175.00
Joists & Lumber		164.00
Iron work		30.00
		<hr/> 1591.23

Less 20 per cent

318.24

\$1272.99

Respectfully Submitted

Henry B. Carrington Esq. U.S.A.
Arch & Engr.

Crawfordsville, Ind. Oct 11 1872.

To the Hon Common Council, Crawfordsville Ind.

In the progress of the City Hall and the necessity of the Contractors buying and working on the cash basis, I advise that the 20 per cent on first Estimate be paid the contractors under the provision of the contract that upon any estimate, the amt withheld under the last previous, may be paid when approved by the Architect

Yours Respectfully

Henry B. Carrington Esq. U.S.A.
Arch & Engr. Dupl.

Jeff. W. Scott reported an error in favor of Jos Britton in assessment of personal property of One hundred and twenty five dollars. On motion an order for one dollar was directed to be drawn in favor of Joseph Britton.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of J. J. Francis for Road scrapers, of	\$16.00
That of McEain & Talbot for Printing, of	8.00
That of M. B. Woodworth for labor on Cisterns & Street	8.50

J. B. Johnson presented an account of \$32.25 for bouldering on Market Street. On motion a warrant was directed to be drawn in favor of J. B. Johnson for \$7.75 less One dollar and fifty cents, value of boulders furnished by City.

On motion of Mr. Bryant, the question of widening west market street was referred to the Committee on Public Improvements.

On motion of Mr Bryant the amount of seventy five dollars due the city from John Sullivan on compromise on cisterns was directed to be transferred to Samuel W. Willson, to be by him credited by him on the judgement held by him against the city, said credit to date from the time of the rendering of said judgement. (Enactment created by SC Willson November 26, 1872)

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdall, the Street Commissioner, was directed to notify Barnabas Kennedy, to secure a mill in the side-walk in front of his property on Market street.

On motion the Council Adjourned

Attest:
E. J. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson W. Laymon Mayor

Monday Evening, November 14th 1872

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Poole, Hughes, Bryant Vanarsdall and Wartin, and Crick

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read, and on motion adopted.

On motion of Mr Bryant the question of the construction of a culvert on west market street was referred to the Committee on Public Improvements with power to act.

On motion of Mr Vanarsdall the Clerk was directed to issue an assessment against the owners of property on the north side of market street between Green and Washington, in favor of J. B. Johnson.

On motion of Mr Wartin the City Engineer was directed to set the boundary grade stakes on the south side of west Market street through the property of J. Johnson

A communication was read from B. C. Minty, general Superintendent of the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago Railroad stating that the bridge over said road (or over Nabask Avenue) would be built as soon as possible.

The Treasurer made the following report.

Receipts for month of Oct 1872.

Balance in Treasury Oct 1/72	\$ 11,312.35
Amount from Delinquent Tax	800.00
" " City building bonds	6,500.00
" " Peddlers	15.00
" " Liquor Licenses	25.00
" " Auctioneers "	5.00
" " Commutation for road labor	195.52
	\$ 18,852.87

Expenditures.

Amount for Hardware	6.00
" " Rents	30.00
" " Election Expenses	3.00
" " Labor and Material on Streets	241.67
" " Printing	63.25
" " Officers Salary	254.50
" " Labor and Material on Cistern	35.50
" " Estimate on Engine House	2999.74
" " Attorney (Willow Case)	25.00
	3,858.66

14,994.21

Less interest and sinking fund

Balance to draw

\$ 11,891.51

Signed Wm Burbridge Treas.

The Mayor made the following report;

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids, Gentlemen:

I have the honor to report that during the month of October 1872.

I have collected fines to the amount of	\$ 18.00
" " " Jail Fees "	2.10
" " " 2 days road Tax "	24.00
Total amt collected in October	\$ 44.10

The Treasurer's receipt for the same is herewith filed.

Total jail fees assessed since Aug. 29 1872 to Nov 4 1872 and not reported heretofore \$ 26.30

\$ 8.00 of this amount is worthless and the rest is secured
All of which is respectfully submitted

Nov. 4. 1872.

Signed

Wilson H. Gaymon Mayor

Mr. Foot's introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordsville
That the owner or owners of all lots fronting on the south side of Market Street between
Washington and West Streets be and are hereby ordered to remove their fences according to
the report of Engineer of the date of Aug. 1872 and also to grade and gravel their side
walks according to the survey of City Engineer and should they fail or neglect to make
the same in twenty days from notice then the Street Commissioner be and is hereby ordered
to complete the same at the expense of the owner or owners of said lots.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were
Councilmen, Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hart and Crist. And the resolution
was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Vanarsdale.

Resolved, by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordsville

That the City Engineer be directed to set the stakes and establish
the grade for side walks on both sides of Washburn Avenue from Water Street to the
crossing of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago rail road. Said side walks
to be made with either gravel or plank as the property owners may elect, the
gravel, when used, to be six inches in depth, and that the Street Commissioner be
authorized to notify property holders to make their side walks within twenty days
after said grade stakes shall be set.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those
who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale,
Hart and Crist. Total six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules

That of W. A. Scott of \$12.00 for filling fire cistern.

That of B. E. Bryant of 5.15 for lumber and making culvert.

That of J. M. Nelson of \$17.98 for Coal, Lime and cement.

That of John Christie of 7.50 for cleaning eastern corner Main and Green Streets.

John Sullivan presented an account of \$12.15 for Labor on Streets. Referred.

A warrant was directed to issue in favor of S. J. Francis for \$7.00 for dirt delivered
on Market Street.

The following estimate was read and the issue of the warrant Concurred in.

Bradfordsville Ind. Oct. 26 1872

To the City Council, Bradfordsville Ind.

I have the honor to state the 3^d estimate upon City hall building, to wit: that requiring
the payment of eighty per cent of estimate made by Architect when the roof trusses and gables are
in place, with the same provision as to materials then delivered.

Lumber	{ 2115.00 2000.00 }	\$ 4115.00
Brick		\$ 590.51
Brick on hand	20 M	\$ 150.00
Carpenters work		\$ 240.00
Labor		\$ 54.00
Iron		\$ 190.00
Hardware		\$ 64.00
Freight		\$ 48.00
		<hr/> \$ 7751.51

Less 20 per cent

Amount Due

\$ 300.00
\$ 7451.51

I have the honor to state, that with favorable weather the roof will be ready for the slate during the ensuing week; that much of the interior main setting and base boards are ready to put in place; - the main stairway is in position, and in my judgment, with the exception of delay for want of time for which there is no excuse, the work progresses up to the estimate; and in quality of material the estimate is fully borne out.

Respectfully submitted;

[Signed] Henry B Carrington Ch. W.S.A.
Arch & Engineer.

Mr. Bryant moved to refer the matter of numbering the houses in the city to the committee on Public Improvements.

Mr. Foot moved to amend by referring the subject to the committee on Ordinances.

The amendment was lost and the question recurring to the original motion, it was, also, lost.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest
J. W. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, November 18, 1872.

The Council met. Present: His Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen, Foot, Bryant, Van
arsdale, Hart and Criss.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted.

On motion the Committee on accounts were allowed further time to report on the account of John Sullivan.

The first Assistant Engineer of the fire department reported that on the 18th inst. he made an examination of the engine belonging to the city and found them both frozen and that by and with the advice and consent of the Committee on fire department he caused the engines and hose carts to be removed to the room owned by James Miller & Son on Washington Street.

On motion the action of the Assistant Engineer was concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Hart the Mayor was requested to issue his proclamation requesting citizens to use extra precautions with regard to fires.

The following report was read

Crawfordsville Nov 15 1872

To the Honorable City Council, Crawfordsville Ind.

I have the honor to state certain facts respecting the City Hall having upon its progress. That progress is fully up to the spirit of the contract; the material an excellent and no fluctuation of the weather has seriously retarded work. The present emergency requires that the work should be accommodated to the cold weather. I have purchased stones suitable for ultimate use (the largest in the city) but if not approved by the Council I will take them for other purposes. I have referred the same to the proper committee.

The slating is not entirely done on the south roof, but the work is progressing with the Mercury 19° above zero and I expect to have the work done in one more day the north side being well done.

With use of the stones, there will be no delay of inside work whatever the weather.

Of exterior masonry there remains but three and a half days labor for two masons besides the coal vault. If the weather does not moderate to give that time, boiling water will be used for tempering purposes so as to push the work.

I have applied to the proper committee for an advance to the Contractor of One thousand dollars upon next estimate. That estimate will be due when the slate shall be on the main roof. Reference is had to the matter herein before presented as to progress in slating. This sum is required to settle for labor and current work so that the work shall not be interrupted and is necessary and is largely within 80 per cent of amount due Contractor.

Respectfully Submitted

[Signed]

Henry B. Carrington

Col. U.S.A. Arch. Eng. Dep.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bryant:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville that the Board of County Commissioners be respectfully requested to repair the public well at the south west corner of the public square at an early day - said well being a public convenience to both city and county and that his honor the Mayor furnish a copy of this resolution to said Board of Commissioners.

On the adoption of the resolution those who voted "aye" were Councilmen Foot, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hart and Criss. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion of Mr. Bryant, the Committee on Public Improvement were empowered to expend on the well on Walnut street near Davis stable and on the well on Washington street near National block, ten dollars each and on the well on Main street near Gregg's store not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

On motion, Geo. Henry was allowed nine dollars for printing.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet December 2^d at 6^o O'clock.

Wm. S. Brown City Clerk

William H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, December 29 1872

The Council met Present His Honor Mayor Gaymon Councilmen Fode, Hughes, Conquest, Vanarsdale, Harten and Crisp

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and adopted.

Councilman Hughes was excused for absence from the last meeting.

A petition was received from Chas. W. Sapsford asking a permit for the erection of an addition to the pump factory owned by him on lots seven and eight in Carlys addition said addition to contain an engine and boiler. Said over under the rule.

The Committee on accounts reported in favor of the payment of the account of John Sullivan of \$12.15. Adopted and the amount ordered to be paid.

The Mayor made the following report which was accepted.

To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to report that during the month of November

1872 I have collected

Fines and penalties amounting to	\$ 12.00
Jail fees	1.65
Two days road labor tax	45.00
Total amount collected in Mayor's Office	\$ 58.65

For all of which the City Treasurers receipt is herewith filed.

There has been no jail fees taxed against the city during the month of November All of which is respectfully submitted

(Signed) Nelson W. Gaymon Mayor.

The City Treasurer made the following Report of

Receipts and Expenditures for the month of Nov. 1872.

Balance in Treas Nov 1 1872	\$ 14,994.21
Amount from delinquent Taxes	300.00
" " Peddlers	13.00
" " Fines and jail fees	37.50
" " Commutation for road labor	65.50
	<u>\$ 15,401.21</u>

Expenditures

Amt paid Officers	\$ 12.50
" " Over charge in taxes	1.00
" " Lime, Cement and Coal	17.98
" " Water for fire Cisterns	13.00
" " Cleaning fire Cisterns	7.50
" " Making fire Cisterns Engine House	143.25
" " Labor & material on Street	66.65
" " Estimate on Engine House	2081.45 = <u>\$ 2,324.33</u>
	13,066.88
Less Interest & Sinking Fund	<u>2103.70</u>
Balance to draw	\$ 9964.18

Signed W. B. Burbridge Treas.

The Clerk reported the return of the Assessment list in favor of J. B. Johnson for building gates on Market Street. Defective for want of Affidavit

The following Ordinance was introduced from the Committee on Ordinances

Sec. 1. Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville, that any person or persons who shall take water out of any of the cisterns belonging to the said city, for his or

(Copied)

their private use, shall for each offense, forfeit and pay a penalty, not exceeding fifty dollars and not less than five dollars.

Sec. 2. Where an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance - therefore it is further Ordained that this Ordinance shall be in force from and after its adoption.

The Ordinance was read a first time and on motion, under a suspension of the rules, read a second and third times and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Fote, Hughes, Bergant, Vanarsdall, Haste and Crist. And the Ordinance was declared adopted.

Upon the written request of the City School Trustees to the Finance Committee of the Council upon motion, a warrant was directed to be issued in favor of said Trustees for two thousand dollars for the purpose of enabling the contractor to pay for iron-work, slate and gutters for the city school building.

Upon the written request of the City School Trustees, directed to the City Clerk, on motion, a warrant was directed to be issued in favor of said School Trustees for eight hundred and seventy-five dollars for labor and material for city school building.

J. M. Vance, clerk of the Circuit Court, presented a bill of \$75.30 for costs in the case of City vs Guthrie. Referred to Committee on accounts and City Attorney.

Worth & Leckie were allowed \$2.50 for printing.

S. A. Fote was allowed an account of \$52.²⁵ for Books and Stationery.

T. D. Brown was allowed \$50⁰⁰ for making Tax list and delinquent list.

On motion a warrant was directed to issue in favor of J. Bailey for \$3.⁰⁰ being amount of Tax erroneously collected from him.

The following Estimate was read and action concurred in.

Crawfordsville, Ind Nov 20 1872
To the Hon Common Council
Crawfordsville, Ind

I have the honor to state estimates of work and material for City Hall the main roof having received the slate.

Bricks work	382.62
Carpenter "	500.25
Sathing and materials	95.00
Slate	203.00
Galv. Iron	265.00
Sum of all kinds	590.00
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	\$ 2235.87
With held 20 per cent	447.17
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	\$ 1788.70
Less cash advanced	1000.00
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	788.70

Respectfully Submitted
Henry B. Barrington
Clerk W. S. D. Sch. Bldg. & Sup

The following Estimate was read and the action of the Committee concurred in.

Crawfordsville, Ind,
Nov. 28th 1872

To the Hon City Council
Crawfordsville, Ind

I have the honor to state that estimate to be made in favor of contractors for new City Hall

weekly after the slate roof shall have been put on main building

Bricks work	\$ 71.50
Plastering and lath	120 00
Carpenters	80.00
Lumber	128.00
Sash & Glass etc.	160.00
Freights on slate & br	35.00
Iron	25 00
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	\$ 639 50
Less 20 per Ct.	127.90
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	\$ 511 60

Respectfully Submitted
Henry B. Barrington
Capt US A Arch. Eng. & Sup.
Crawfordsville Ind Nov 30 1872.

To the City Clerk, Crawfordsville.

Please issue warrant upon City Treasurer in favor of Alexander & Whitsett, City Hall Contractors, for two hundred, ninety two ¹⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars to pay for glass & Labor on account of Estimate \$ 292. ¹⁵/₁₀₀ signed B. E. Barrington S. A. Root No No Clerk Building Com.

On motion the Council Adjourns.

Attest
Edw Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Called Meeting

Crawfordsville, Ind., December 7 1872

Upon call by the Mayor the Council met. All the Council men present. The object of the meeting was stated to be to consider the propriety of accepting an order drawn by Messrs Alexander and Whitsett upon the City for a balance owing by them to Mr. V. D. Irwin. The following paper was presented by Col H. B. Barrington and directed by the Council to be recorded.

Crawfordsville Ind. Dec. 6 1872

Messrs Alexander & Whitsett
Contractors City Hall.

The departure of Mr Whitsett from the City and the neglect by him to appropriate properly certain funds drawn by him on account of the City Hall and Engine House, has besides unwarrantable delay, involved the City to an amount beyond the contract price for the whole work, and made a necessity for the City to take charge of the work upon said building under provision "seven" of Articles of Contract.

In addition to this as you are aware, Mr B. E. Whitsett, security on said contract desired that the City should act upon the provision where he was here the 25th instant. In accordance with said provision, acting on behalf of

the city, I take charge of said work, assuring you that all regard will be paid to your rights and interests which may be involved in completion of said building and final settlement therefor.

I am very respectfully
Your Obedt Servt

Henry B. Harrington
Col U.S.A.
Arch Eng & Capt in Charge

A true copy of paper furnished Mr Alexander representing the firm of Alexander & Whitsett as Contractors on City Hall building.
(signed) Henry B. Harrington
Col U.S.A. & Co.

Dec 7 1872

Above copy served by me upon Mr Alexander this 7th day of Dec. 1872
Signed Winick L. Smith
City Marshal.

After discussion of the subjects under consideration the Council adjourned to meet upon call by the Mayor.

Attest
Edmond
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Called Meetings

Monday Evening December 9th 1872.

Upon call of the Mayor the Council met. All the members were present.

Mr Bryant moved that no action be taken upon the order presented by V. D. Irvine from Alexander and Whitsett, for the present in accordance with advice of the City Attorney. Said motion was adopted.

Col H. B. Harrington presented the following report:
Crawfordsville, Ind. Dec. 9th 1872

To the Honorable Council
City of Crawfordsville, Ind.
Gentlemen

I have the honor to state that the engine room at the City Hall building will require but one days work to prepare it for use after the bed of plaster mortar is used. This can be done and the bell put in place the present week.

The wages of Carpenters, to complete the work required of them to finish the Building will be less than \$100.

If it be deemed best to use the floor of the old engine house a substantial road way can be prepared for entrance to engine room and City Hall

The coal vault is completed.

The eels have been laid today.

All windows are in place and all outside doors will be hung by three hours work.

Such small stones as shall be permanently needed are needed at once, in the rear rooms, to secure prompt completion of plastering.

All the skim coat of white finish is ready for application to the upper rooms. To save this a fire should be kept up at night, hence the economy of

housing the engines and saving extra expense of fuel and out.

The slate and galvanized iron work is done except patching the borders of the cornice and the tower, this latter is indispensable to the protection of the plaster work and its protection.

The men are ready to complete it

The sub contractors for that work urgently press the payment of \$ 800. to meet liabilities due to-morrow. I recommend its payment. Their work has been well done, and within the estimates originally made to the council. The estimates they made have worked out practically and demonstrate that the contract price was a reasonable one in time and amount. The number of days left being sufficient for completion of the building

Respectfully Submitted

Henry B Carrington

Civil & Mechanical Engr. & Super Charge

Mr Bryant offered the following resolution

Resolved that as an act of justice to all persons who may have furnished material for the City Hall, that no payments for such material be made until the building shall be completed and the claims for such materials be properly adjusted and the city found to be legally bound by law for their payment.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Martin and Crist total five. Mr Foot voted no.

On motion of Mr. Bryant The building committee was authorized to put down the road way to the Engine House and to put up such stones as may be necessary to protect the property.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:

J. A. Brown

City Clerk

Handwritten flourish or signature mark

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, December 16th 1872

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Seymour, Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Hart and Vanarsdall.

The minutes of the preceding meeting and two called meetings were read and no motion adopted.

The following remonstrance was presented:

We the undersigned Citizens and property holders in the City of Bradfordville would respectfully represent to the Common Council of said City that we are informed and believe that one Charles W. Sapperfield is erecting, or about erecting, a furnace, engine and engine house on lot No. in said City to be used in boring pumps and like purposes, being extra hazardous and likely to take fire from accumulation of shavings and such like combustible materials - that said engine, furnace, and engine house or building is in the midst of frame dwelling houses, the safety of which would be greatly endangered from fire, and the citizens of the immediate neighborhood greatly annoyed by the smoke from said establishment particularly if coal should be used as fuel in said furnace. They therefore ask that such measure may be adopted by the Council as will prevent the further construction or erection of said engine, furnace, building, &c.

[Signed] Thomas Moffett

John Rice

H. Williams

W. Bortton

B. Nasson

Wania S. Waylor

Silas S. Wheeler

John Danner

Emma Miller.

W. Nasson

J. Eusminger

Corneilus Smock

Chas. Sidener

On motion the remonstrance was received and ordered to be recorded.

Mr. Foot moved that when the Council adjourn it adjourn to meet Friday Evening, next and that the petitioners be notified by the Marshal of the time of such meeting, and of the matters and things then to be considered.

The committee on accounts reported against the payment of the account of J. M. Vance for costs in the case of the City vs. Guthrie. Adopted.

The city Clerk reported the return of the assessment list for the bulldozing of the gutter on the north side of Market street between Green and Washington streets showing the following amounts due from the persons named.

Robert Day or Catharine Day $W\frac{1}{2}$ lot No 108 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft Curbing \$16.00

Julia V. McCullough $E\frac{1}{2}$ lot No 108, 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft Curbing \$16.00

Supported by the affidavit of J. B. Johnson, the Contractor that the amounts so reported remain unpaid.

On motion, the report was received and precepts were directed to issue against the parties delinquent, named in said report.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bryant.

Whereas, parties have expressed a desire to be accommodated with offices in the city Building, as a final answer thereto:

Be it Resolved that the city building has been built solely for City purposes, that no rooms therein will be rented to private parties or permitted to be occupied for any but city purposes.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Hart and Cris. Total

And the resolution was declared adopted.

B. W. & W. L. Lockhart presented an account of \$34.90 for lumber. Referred.

Dunn & Scher presented an account of \$39.⁰⁰ for brick for fire Cistern. Referred.

W. H. Scott presented an account of \$10.⁰⁰ for mats for engine house Cistern. On

motion the rules were suspended and the account allowed.

The following reports were read and concurred in.

Crawfordsville, Ind. Dec. 5 1872

City Committee of Council, Schools & Public Buildings,
Crawfordsville, Ind.

Gentlemen

Emerson & Beam, Indianapolis, Sub. Con

tractors of Mr Strait have drawn upon me for \$75. for front doors of Engine house. This amount is to be credited on Strait's contract with Alexander and Whitait and charged to them.

Please execute accompanying warrant

Yours respectfully

Henry B. Carrington

Col U.S.A. Arch: Engr & Supt in Charge

Crawfordsville Ind. Dec. 7, 1872

To the Hon Common Council, City of Crawfordsville.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to state estimate

upon City Hall work for the week ending this day, not including Galvanized Iron work:

Carpenter's work	61.37
Mason work	11.00
Labor on wages	32.65
Brick furnished	37.00
Hauling Sand	6.00 = \$145.02

The above has been done under my personal direction, requiring my action under section seven of contract with the contractors Alexander and Whitait one of whom has left the city after misappropriating funds drawn upon Estimates, and draws expressly to meet Liabilities incurred by Contractors on account of said building.

On Wednesday, Mr C. E. Whitait (security) visited the city and while proffering that I should take charge of the work, under said section, assured me that he stood in the place of B. E. Whitait, the absent contractor and would guarantee that the city should suffer no loss on that account; while he assumed to meet fully without such all his responsibilities as such security. Respectfully Submitted:

(signed)

Henry B Carrington Col U.S.A.

Arch: Engr & Supt in Charge

Crawfordsville Ind. Dec 14 1872

To the Common Council, Crawfordsville, Ind.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to state Estimate of work

done under resolution of Council during the past week.

First: City Hall:

Carpenters	\$ 48.25	
Senders and Labor	\$ 32.40	
Glass & Painting	\$ 67.03	
Sonights on Iron	\$ 7.00	
Hauling	6.25	
3 Barrels for white coat	75	
Night watch and fire	\$ 10.00	\$ 171.63
22 plank		Bill not rendered
Iron		" " "

Second: Plank Pavement: Moving Bell etc

\$18.50

Carpenters

Labor \$24.50
 Drayage \$ 2.75 - \$ 48.75
 Plank Side not ordered.

Respectfully Submitted
 Henry B. Harrington Clk W.S.C.
 Asst. Sec. Dept. in Charge

William Watts presented a charge of Incompetency with specifications against Myrick S. Smith City Marshal.

On motion the time for the trial of said Myrick S. Smith upon said Charges was fixed for Monday night, December 23d. 1872 and the Mayor was directed to issue process for the attendance of witnesses.

Complaints having been made against S. J. Francis for the erection of a Drivng in an unduly public place, On motion, the matter was referred to the Committee on public Improvements.

Messrs Brown and Beck presented a petition for the erection of a flouring mill on Lot No 147 Original plat. Said Over under the rule.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest
 F. D. Brown
 City Clerk

Wilson W. Layman, Mayor

Special Meetings

Monday Evening
December 23^d 1872

The Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville met Present, His Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen Frote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Stantz and Crist.

In the matter of
William Watts

Charges against said Myrick S. Smith

Comes now the said Complainant William Watts by William S. Brush his attorney and presents the following charges and specifications by way of complaint:

Charges and specifications profered against Myrick S. Smith City Marshal of the City of Crawfordsville in the County of Montgomery and State of Indiana, before the common Council of said city sitting as a Court.

Charge 1st. Incompetency

Specification 1st. That on the 23d day of November A.D. 1872 the said Myrick S. Smith as the Marshal of the City of Crawfordsville in said Montgomery County State of Indiana while on duty as such City Marshal in said City, was called upon to arrest one William Baldwin upon a charge of disorderly.

That the said City Marshal found the said Baldwin on the corner of Main and Brew Streets. That the said Baldwin fled to avoid being arrested by him, whereupon the said City Marshal pursued him and in violation of law and in utter disregard of law and duty showed his incompetency to perform the duties of a City Marshal by drawing a revolver and firing at the said Baldwin while he was fleeing in utter disregard of the lives of said Baldwin and other citizens on the streets at said time.

Specification 2d.

That the said Myrick S. Smith as said City Marshal while

upon duty as such City Marshal of the City of Crawfordsville, on the 29th day of November A.D. 1872 was called to the Indianapolis Bloomington and Western Rail way depot in said city to arrest and disturb the peace - that the parties who had then and there disturbed the peace and quiet of the city were all pointed out to the said City Marshal - that these parties were William Schools Benjamin Sparks and two other persons were not residents of the said City of Crawfordsville and whose names are to this affiant unknown. That the said City Marshal having been thus duly informed of the disturbance and of the parties creating it and being then and there fully in their presence and in possession of every assistance necessary to enable him to arrest and bring to justice all these offenders against the peace and good order of said city of Crawfordsville in violation of duties of his office did decline to arrest any of these violators, but on the contrary did permit them all to go without arrest contenting himself with taking only a verbal promise of the two who were strangers and whose names are unknown to affiant to return to the city on the next day to answer any charge before the Mayor, that this might be made against him

Specification 3d. That whereas on the 26th day of November A.D. 1872 at the said County of Montgomery and State of Indiana and within the corporate limits of the City of Crawfordsville, One William Watts then and there being did then and there unlawfully and in a rude insolent and angry manner touch strike and beat one John Hulley in violation of the provisions of Section 3d of an ordinance of said City adopted by the Mayor and Common Council thereof on the 13th day of October 1865 - that the said Myrick S. Smith City Marshal of said city was then and there present and did then and there view this violation of said section of said Ordinance and in violation of law and of his duty as such City Marshal, did decline then and there to arrest the said William Watts and take him before the Mayor of said City to answer for the violating of said section of said Ordinance. That the said Watts did then and there tell said Smith the said City Marshal, that by God if he did arrest he would lick him and make use of other language in contempt of said City Marshal and his authority as such City Marshal. Whereupon the said City Marshal did decline and refuse to arrest the said William Watts thereby showing his entire inability and incompetency to discharge the duties of the office of said City Marshal of said City

Specification 4th. In this, that whereas on the 6th day of June A.D. 1872 at the County of Montgomery and State of Indiana and within the corporate limits of the said city of Crawfordsville One Edward Seopard had been arrested by John Dill and William Watts was by them being conveyed along Green Street in said City to the County Jail and while he the said Edward Seopard was in the custody as aforesaid of the above named parties the said Myrick S. Smith then City Marshal of said City without cause palliation or justification ran up behind the said Edward Seopard and struck him a most violent blow upon the head with a heavy walking cane in the hands of said Myrick S. Smith City Marshal, and would have proceeded to inflict other severe injuries upon the person of the said prisoner Edward Seopard had he not been restrained by the bystanders who felt that a great outrage had been perpetrated by the City Marshal without cause.

State of Indiana
Montgomery County ss.

William Watts being first duly sworn upon his oath says that the matters and things alleged in the foregoing charge and Specifications are true as he verily believes

[Signed]

W^m Watts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of December 1872

[Signed]

William S. Brooks
Notary Public.

Witness

El. Compton

W^m Watts

W^m Baldwin

W^m Schools Jr

John Hill

Henry Conrad

Benjamin Sparks

Newton Bannsey

And also come the defendant Myrick S. Smith in person and by his Attorneys

W. D. White and George W. Husley,

And the said defendant by his attorneys moves the court to dismiss the charge and specifications on the ground of insufficiency

Which motion was overruled by the Council. Whereupon the plaintiff asked leave to amend the complaint by filing additional specifications, which leave was granted by the Council and the said plaintiff was required to file said additional specifications on or before the 26th instant.

By consent of parties this cause was continued until Tuesday morning, December 31st 1872 at 9 o'clock A.M. and witnesses were required to attend without further notice

The Council Adjourned

Attest

J. W. Brown

City Clerk

Monday Evening, Dec 30th 1872

At the regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Lewisburg, there were present His Honor Mayor Gayman, Councilmen Fort Hughes, Boyant & Vanardal Hartu and Criss.

In the matter of
William Watts

(vs)
Mirick S. Smith

Come now W. T. Brush prosecuting the charge against Mirick S. Smith City Marshal preferred by William Watts and moves the Common Council for leave to withdraw said charge and the specifications under the same.

On motion such leave was granted and said charge and specifications were withdrawn

Attest

J. W. Brown

City Clerk

Wilson H. Gayman, Mayor

Monday Evening, Dec. 30 1872
Council new Fort. Indiana

The council met. Present Hon. Mayor Sawyer Councilmen Fort. Indiana, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Hart and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting and special meeting were read and adopted.

The committee on Fire department reported that the Chief Engineer with the consent of committee had employed George Porter to take care of the Fire Engines and Hose at the rate of One hundred dollars per annum from December 25th 1872.

The question of taking possession of the Engine room was on motion referred to the judiciary committee and the City Attorney.

The committee on accounts reported the account of Irwin and Scher, correct to the amount of Seven dollars and fifty cents. Adopted.

The same committee reported the account of R. W. & W. C. Sockhart for Sums for Street Commissioner of \$ 24.90 correct and recommended its payment. Adopted.

On motion the question of putting iron shutters on the west end of the City Hall, and of putting lightning rod on the same and of insuring the building was referred to the committee on schools and Public Buildings.

The charges against Myrick D. Smith City Marshal having been withdrawn the following resignation was presented and on motion, accepted by the Council.

To the Honorable The Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville.

Gentlemen I herewith tender to you my resignation of the office of City Marshal of the City of Crawfordsville. Said resignation to take effect upon the acceptance of this resignation by you

Crawfordsville, Ind.,
December 30th 1872

Respectfully,
Myrick D. Smith

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules.

- That of A. S. Joslin for stove pipe and shovel for his department of \$ 2.50
- That of J. W. Kelsey for lead of \$ 9.79
- That of M. W. Jennison for ground out of Engine house of \$ 12.50
- That of Eli Coome for repairing lead pipes to extent of \$ 3.50
- That of Warner White for jail fees of \$26.90 less 2.50 = \$ 24.80

A. C. Jennison presented an account of \$ 1500 for services as Engineer. Referred on motion, the petition of C. W. Sappenfield for the erection of a pump factory on lots No 7 & 8 hereby addition was taken up and the same was made the special order Thursday evening next.

The petition of Brown and Beck for the erection of a flouring mill on lot No 147 Original Plat, was taken up and the prayer of the petitioners granted.

Mr. Hughes moved that when the council adjourns, it adjourns to meet December 31st 1872 at 6 1/2 O'clock P. M. and that the election of a City Marshal to fill the unexpired term of Myrick D. Smith, resigned be made the special order for such adjourned meeting. Adopted.

On motion the matter of furniture for new Mayor's office was referred to the committee on schools and Public buildings.

Col. H. B. Barrington, architect in charge of the City Hall building made the following reports, and the action of the Committee was concurred in:

Crawfordsville, Ind.,
Dec. 21 1872.

To the Hon. Common Council

I have the honor to state pay roll and anti payables

to-day on account of City Hall and chargeable to Alexander and Whitest Contractors.

Carpenters	\$ 69.00
Plasterers (on acct)	50.00
Tenders & Labor	19.80
Sand	5.50
Plaster of Paris	5.00
Drayage	3.35
7 Barrels for lime	1.75
lumber for Engine room	20.66
slates	10.00
Hauling slate	2.00
Water Conductors etc. (Jostlym)	50.00
Match & fire	<u>12.00</u>
	\$ 249.06

Lockhart for pavement lumber

\$ 28.88

Respectfully Submitted

[signed]

Henry B. Carrington Col. U.S.A.
Arch. Eng. & Sup.

Account of banim Boots also rendered after this statement was made is correct

signed

Henry B. Carrington
Col. U.S.A. Arch. Eng. & Sup.

City Clerk

Please issue warrant in favor of banim Boots also for 68.⁰⁰ Note chargeable to Alexander & Whitest Contractors for City Hall.

signed

R. E. Bryant
S. W. Frost } Com on Schools &
D. N. Crist } Pub. Buildings.

Crawfordsville, Ind. Dec 28 1872

To the Hon. Common Council, Crawfordsville

I have the honor to state estimates of present work

Carpenters	\$ 45.17
Match and fire at night	\$ 14.00
Tenders	20.00
Smights Gab. Iron	.75
Expres & Drayage	<u>4.15</u>
	\$ 84.07

Bid of Straight Posey for material chargeable to contractors

43.53

Rinford Bros Plaster of Paris

7.95

M. D. Lott (water) renders a bill for \$ 12.60 He has equalized rates so that this will be in full for all demands

\$ 136.15

12.60

\$ 148.15

Respectfully Submitted.

[signed]

Henry B. Carrington Col. U.S.A. Arch. Eng. & Sup.

James W. Evans presented a petition for permission to erect a Dam on that piece of ground lying south of Market street and east of the Louisville New-Albany & Chicago rail road. Referred.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:

L. O. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman, Mayor

Called Meeting

December 31st. 1872

The Council met Present 21st. Mayor and all the members of the Council.

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting to be the election of a City Marshal to fill the unexpired term of Mirick & Smith resigned.

On motion the Council proceeded to ballot. On the first ballot

W. B. Riley received four votes

John W. Ross received One vote

William Britton received One vote

William B. Riley having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly elected Marshal of the City of Lawrenceville to serve the unexpired term of Mirick & Smith and until his successor is elected and qualified

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest

E. D. Brown

City Clerk.

Thursday Evening January 2 1873

Pursuant to adjournment the Council met Present 21st. Mayor and all the members of the Council.

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting to be to consider the petition of C. W. Sappenfield for permission to erect a Sump factory on lots 7 & 8 in Banks Addition and the remonstrance against the same.

Col. S. C. Wilson attorney for Mr. Sappenfield, moved to dismiss the remonstrance. The Council, on vote, failed to sustain the motion to dismiss.

W. D. White and W. B. Britton Attorneys for the remonstrants moved to postpone the further consideration of the matter on account of the absence of important witnesses.

On motion further proceedings in this case were postponed until Thursday evening, January 9th, 1873, at 6 1/2 o'clock.

William B. Riley City Marshal elect filed his certificate of election and took his oath faithfully to discharge the duties of said office.

The said William B. Riley City Marshal elect also filed his official bond in the sum of five hundred dollars with James See and J. W. Kelcey as his securities which bond was taken and accepted by the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet January 9th 1873.

Attest:

E. D. Brown

City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Adjourned Meeting:

Thursday Evening, January 9th 1873

The Council met. Present His Honor the Mayor and all the members of the Council.

The object was stated to be the consideration of the following petition:

To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Bradfordville in the County of Montgomery & State of Indiana.

The undersigned a resident and free holder of said city, would respectfully petition your Honorable body for permission to enlarge his facilities in the pump making business which he is now carrying on in said city, on lots seven & eight in City's addition to said City in the following manner to wit: Your petitioner desires and asks permission to add to his present shop an addition on the east of a one story building, of twenty by forty feet with a cellar underneath the addition eight feet deep and he desires permission to put into operation in said cellar, a steam engine of about 12 horse power with furnace & boiler. He is willing to make said improvements under the direction & supervision of the Board of Public Improvements in your Honorable body; the City Engineer, or of such other competent person as may be designated by your Honorable Body so that the proposed improvement may not endanger by fire or otherwise the property of adjacent property holders. The one story is to be a frame building & the cellar on two sides is to be walled with brick in the neighborhood of the furnace and the other two sides are to be walled with timber. The smoke from the furnace and boiler is to escape under ground into a brick smoke stack some 12 feet high and some 8 feet at a right angle with the furnace making the top of the smoke stack some 2.8 feet from the furnace & at least one hundred feet from any adjoining building. The probable cost of said improvement will be about One thousand dollars.

Nov 26 1872

[Signed]

C. W. Sappenzield.

Each party agreed to pay the costs severally incurred by them.

W. H. Staley, C. W. Sappenzield, W. R. Smith, Robt Deaie and J. W. McConnel were examined on behalf of the petitioner.

James Booth, W. Britton, Geo Griffith Henry Mason John Rice and Thos Moffitt were examined on behalf of the respondents.

Arguments were limited to fifteen minutes to each party.

After hearing witnesses and arguments of Council the Council adopted the following

Resolution which was introduced by Mr Bryant

Resolved that a permit be granted to C. W. Sappenzield to erect an addition to the building now used by him as a Pump Factory, to place therein and use a steam engine for the purpose of aiding in the making of such pumps, said building to be constructed under the supervision of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department - that the fire room shall be carefully made protected on the sides by brick walls and well ceiled over head, also that the steam shall be escaped into the smoke stack - that no shavings or other fuel shall be allowed to remain over night in the fire room and at the close of each day after using steam the said fire room shall be put down with water and made perfectly secure against fire - and that the roof over said building shall be made fire proof by paint and sand or as the Fire Engineer may direct - also that the said smoke stack shall have two screens or spark arresters to be put in said smoke stack under the direction of said Fire Engineer and that if such directions are not fully and strictly complied with, then the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department shall report the facts promptly to this Council for their action and that a copy of these resolutions be furnished C. W. Sappenzield for his acceptance.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted aye were Councilmen Booth, Staley, Bryant, Hart and Christ Total five. Mr Yarnsdall voted no. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest
Ed Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

January 10th 1873. The same was read over to a copy of the same in all the terms by me.

Monday Evening
January 13th 1873

The Council met Present His Honor Mayor Seymour, Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Martin and Brist.

The minutes of the preceding regular and three adjourned meetings were read and on motion adopted.

The committee on accounts were allowed further time to report on the account of W. L. Johnson

The Mayor made the following report:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville

I have the honor to report to you that during the month of December 1872, the receipts of my office has been as follows

For fines collected	\$26.00
" Jail Fees Collected	1.20
	<u>\$27.20</u>

For which the City Treasurer's receipt is herewith filed.

No jail fees have been either assessed or incurred during the month of December.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

[Signed]

Wilson W. Seymour Mayor
City of Bradfordville.

The City Treasurer made the following report of receipts and expenditures for the month of December 1872.

Receipts and Expenditures for December 1872.

Balance in Treas Dec 1'72	\$13066.88
Am't from Delinquent Tax	300.00
" " Fines and Jail Fees	13.65
" " Road labor	45.00
" " Peddlers License	24.00
" " Signor License	250.00
" " Taxes 1872	90.25
" " Hack License	6.00
" " Show do	3.00
	<u>\$13798.78</u>

Expenditures

Labor and material on streets	47.05
Labor on Cisterns	3.50
Jail Fees	24.80
Estimates on Engine House	857.33
City Auditor	50.00
Water for Fire Cistern	10.00
Labor and material on Side Walk	74.63
Printing	11.50
Books and Stationery	54.45
School Trustees	2875.00
Hogs sold by marshal	1.25 = \$4009.51
	<u>9789.27</u>
Less interest and sinking fund	3102.70
	<u>\$6686.57</u>

(Signed) Wm. Burbridge
Treasurer.

The committee on Ordinances reported the following Ordinance

An Ordinance providing for the appointment of a Wood Measurer, preventing frauds in the sale of wood and regulating a stand for Wood, Hay and watermelon wagons.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Cranfordville, that the Common Council shall, at the first regular meeting of the same, after the adoption and publication of this Ordinance, elect one Wood Measurer who shall hold his office until the first regular meeting after the first Tuesday in May 1873, and at said meeting and from year to year thereafter at each remaining regular meeting after the first Tuesday in May, shall elect a person as Wood Measurer who shall hold his office for one year.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of said Wood Measurer to measure accurately all loads of wood exposed for sale in the City of Cranfordville, and furnish to each owner or person in charge of such load, a ticket having inscribed legibly thereon, the owner's name the date of said measurement and the number of cords and number of cubic feet of wood contained in such load, together with the signature of said Wood Measurer.

Sec. 3. If the owner or person having charge of any load of wood as aforesaid shall sell the same without previous measurement as herein provided, on the place in this ordinance designated for the sale of wood or at any other place which may hereafter be designated by the common Council as a wood market, or if any owner or other person shall in any way obstruct, hinder or prevent, by intimidation or otherwise, said wood measurer in the performance of his duties, the said owner or other person so offending, shall on conviction before the Mayor, be fined in any sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars.

Sec. 4. Any Wood Measurer who shall furnish the owner or any other person having charge of any load of wood with a ticket as aforesaid which shall indicate a greater or less number of cubic feet or cords of wood than are actually contained in said load, shall on conviction thereof be fined in any sum not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars.

Sec. 5. Said wood measurer shall be allowed to receive from the owner or other person having charge of each load of wood for services rendered in measuring the same as aforesaid, the sum of ten cents for each load of wood.

Sec. 6. Any person selling, or offering wood for sale within the corporate limits of the city of Cranfordville who shall knowingly make false representations as to the quantity of any wood contained in any load offered for sale, with intent to defraud any person who may purchase the same, or who shall fraudulently construct any load of wood which may be exposed for sale, so as to conceal therein inferior or unsalable wood and different from the parts exposed to view, with intent to defraud any person who may be the purchaser thereof or who shall fraudulently resort to any trick or artifice by concealment or misrepresentation, to deceive any purchaser and thereby defraud him or her either as to quality or quantity of such load of wood, shall upon conviction thereof before the Mayor be fined in any sum not less than two dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Sec. 7. - That one third (measuring from the curb stone) of the two streets bordering on the Court House square to-wit: one third of Main Street on the north side, between Washington Street and the first alley east of the Court House and one third of Washington Street on the east side between Main Street and the first alley north of the Court House in the City of Cranfordville be and the same are hereby designated and established as the market place in the city for the sale of wood, hay, straw and watermelon. Provided, that this section does not prevent the sale of any article from any wagon yard or when passing along the streets of said city. Any person or persons violating this section, shall, on conviction before the Mayor, be fined not less than one nor more than ten dollars.

Sec. 8. This Ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage and legal publication. The Ordinance was read a first time - the rules suspended - and it was read a second and third time and passed. Those voting in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Forté Hughes Bryant Hartley and Linet. Total five. Mr. Vanarsdall voted "no". And the Ordinance was declared adopted.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules.
 That of Burbridge and Trauer for Materials, of \$ 22.48
 That of William Burbridge for City assessment for grading, on Market Avenue 18.37 1/2
 That of William Burbridge for cash advanced for making road receipts 1.00
 John O Burch presented an account for drayage of \$ 2.60 Referred.

The following estimates and reports from Col W.B. Carrington were presented and the action of the Committee concurred in

Crawfordsville Ind. Jan 20th 1873

To the Hon Common Council Crawfordsville, Ind.

I have the honor to state this weeks estimates for City Hall work

Carpenters	60.00
Watches and Tools	14.00
Lumber (Wants)	4.00
Lock and Express on same	4.00
25 Extra Keys (outside Contract)	5.00
Drayage	3.15
Sabor	17.80
Plaster Sundry	5.40
Plaster Paris (Kroets)	3.40
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	\$ 116.75

Also the following Accts for materials since December 1st

Burbridge from above ac.	\$ 99.11	
Kelsey, Sims, Sath and Coal	\$ 30.12	
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	\$ 129.23	\$ 116.75
Darris & Braden load	27.00	
Sims & Smith Iron & work	72.95	
Bishops work in Iron	21.80	\$ 250.98
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		\$ 367.73

Respectfully Submitted

Henry B Carrington Col W.S.A. Arch Eng & Sup in Charge

Very Respectfully

Please issue warrant in favor of Col W.B. Carrington Supr of for Three hundred Sixty seven 2/3 above estimate chargeable to acct of Alexander's Whitest Contractors for new City Hall

signed

W. H. Geist } Com on Schools &
 B. E. Boyant } Public Buildings
 S. A. Fouts

Crawfordsville, Ind. Jan. 7 1873

To the Hon. Common Council Crawfordsville, Ind.

I have the honor to state that the slating and Galvanized work upon the city hall has been finished according to contract and specifications leaving due to Johnson & Brothers as follows, after deducting freight and charges

I Upon main Building	\$ 949.57
II Upon Tower	\$ 167.10
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	\$ 1116.67

Respectfully Submitted

Henry B Carrington Col W.S.A. Arch. Eng & Sup in Charge.

Very Respectfully

Please issue warrant in favor of Col W.B. Carrington for One hundred Sixty seven & 2/3 Dollars to meet contract in full made by him in behalf of the city with Johnson Bros for slating tower of City Hall

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B. E. Boyant } Com on Schools &
 S. A. Fouts } Public Buildings
 W. H. Geist

Lawfordsville Ind. Jan 11 1873

To the Town Common Council, Lawfordsville

I state estimate for the work and that final report will be made on Monday next when the City hall will be ready for occupation.

Carpenters	\$39.74
Stone for Chimneys	54.75
Painters	176.75
Iron (by Bishop)	7.95
Sands	2.00
Night Watch + Licks	10.00
Sabor 15.30 2 years glass 1.50	13.80
Plasterers 54 83 1 year glass	54.08
Drayage	3.75
Boots (Lumber + Exchange of Doors)	11.75
Hinges for Court Room	2.00
Iron + Hardware Burbridge	16.95
Masons	18.75
Self 36 days as builder at \$5.00	180.00

Respectfully Submitted

\$592.27

Henry B. Carrington let U.S. Arch. Eng. & Sup in Charge

Lawfordsville Ind. Jan. 11 1873

The City Clerk will please issue his warrant upon the City Treasurer for Five Hundred Ninety Two $\frac{27}{100}$ Dollars in favor of let H. B. Carrington Sup^t in charge of City Hall erection for estimate of work ending this day.

\$ 592. $\frac{27}{100}$

H. E. Barnhart

S. A. Sooty

W. W. Birch

Let on Schools + Pub Buildings

Lawfordsville Ind. Jan 13. 1873

To the Town Common Council Lawfordsville

I have the honor to report the City Hall Building as ready for your occupation there remaining only the following work to be done

4 locks for Prison doors (already ordered)	5.00
Capping + Raising chimneys	50.00
7 Ventilating registers ordered	14.00
Oak door Marshalls room	5.00
Pipe for Bed ropes	8.00
Finishing tin work on north wall not to exceed	10.00
	\$92.00

Due Davis + Braden Coal

\$15.00
\$107.00

The cost is stated thus.

Payments to Date

Add

Total Paid + due

\$5462.91

107.00

\$8571.91

The Contract was let for

\$8500.00

The supplemental Contract was

\$250.00

Total

\$8750.00

Not for

\$8571.91

To credit of Appropriation

\$178.09

The Liabilities of Contractors as claimed by the creditors are as follows

Sumbers (Boots Stearns)		\$ 58.65
do Straight & Peay	See Note 1.	181.34
do Sockhat & Co		217.04
Stone Brundage		181.34
Iron work Sigs & Smith	See Note 2.	75.22
do Bishop		21.80
Tin Foselyw		70.00
Sims Lacey		3.16
Hardware Dunbridge	See Note 3	112.28
Coal Odarris & Braden		16.00
Slate & Johnson Bros.		949.57
Brick Leo		77.00
do Irwin	See Note 4.	1027.50
do Barr		454.00
	Total	<u>\$ 3,244.90</u>

Cost Fund \$3,444.90

Less Credit 178.09

Liabilities of Contractors \$3,266.81

(Note 1) Deduct as Claimed by Contractors	\$ 50.00
(Note 2) Deduct 97 th Iron delivered too late for use	4.85
(Note 3) Tools for mechanical use & 1 door	14.00
(Note 4) Cash paid from City Hall fund and diverted to other credit	<u>\$ 700.00</u>
	<u>\$ 768.85</u>

There is due for water pipes to cistern and stone footings for Columns to credit of Contractors

Total

\$ 15.00
\$ 793.85

If these claims are recognized the liabilities outstanding which would be subject matter of Lien amount to

\$ 2,482.96

Respectfully Submitted

Henry B. Harrington Sec'y U.S.A. Arch & Eng'g Sup in Charge.

On motion the Council agreed to meet Col Harrington and examine the City Hall, tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

On motion of Mr Bryant the Committee on Finance was instructed to prepare and submit to the Council some measure by Ordinance or otherwise for the investment of the sinking fund now in the hands of the City Treasurer so that the interest may be saved to the city and the principal made perfectly safe.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:

J. D. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Payson Mayor

Monday Evening, Jan 27 1873

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Seymour, Councilmen Fort, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall and Curtis.

The clerk being unavoidably absent the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, was dispensed with

The Committee on Public Improvements reported the bridge over the Louisville, Kendallham and Chicago rail road on Wabash Avenue complete.

The committee on accounts reported the account of John O. Burch correct to the amount of Two dollars and few cents. Concurred in and warrant ordered for that amount

The committee on Finance asked and was granted further time to report on funding interest.

J. M. Kelsey presented an account of \$15.75 for coal which was approved by the committee on accounts who recommended its payment. Concurred in.

Col H. B. Harrington presented an account of \$213.75 for superintendence of City Hall being two and one half percent on the contract price. Referred.

The following report was presented and the action of the Committee endorsed.
Crawfordsville Ind. Jan. 25 1873

To the Hon Common Council, City of Crawfordsville
I have the honor to state expense accounts for city State in connection with

last report:	
4 Nail Socks	\$ 5.00
Bats & Hooks for prison door	2 40
Work on North Gate	6.00
Flashing for deck of Sookout	7.84
Tin for flashing of coping	3.96
Registers at 40c	2.80
Sumter for door in Marshals Office	2.25
Drayage	.25
Carpenter & Other work	12.37
Nails & Fines	10.00
Material for repairs	4.00
Cleaning snow from roof	4.50
Mason cutting brick for flashing	3.50
Fare to Indianapolis to see security of contractors & States	3.50
Iron pipe & Box for bell rope	5.30
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	\$ 73.77

Respectfully Submitted
Henry B Harrington Co U.S.A. Arch Eng Supl in charge.

Crawfordsville Ind. Jan 25. 1872

The City Clerk will please issue warrant in favor of Col H. B. Harrington for Seventy three 7/100 Dols as per accompanying estimate & Report

R. C. Bryant } Committee on Public Schools
S. A. Fort } Buildings
H. H. Ernst }

The City School Trustees asked for an appropriation of twenty five hundred (2500.00) dollars for the new School Building

Mr Bryant introduced the following resolution
Resolved That the School Trustees now erecting the new City School Building be and they are respectfully requested to state to the City Council for their information the amount of money expended on said building, the amount of work done thereon and the amount due to parties who have furnished material and labor for the construction of said

buildings and the names of such parties holding such unpaid claims.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall and State. Total 5. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Mayor was authorized to receive his docket in cases of street labor where parties produce receipts for the year 1871.

On motion the Council proceeded to the election of road measurer.

On the first ballot William B. Riley received four votes and was declared duly elected.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest:

Edw Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson K. Layman Mayor

January 30 1873

Adjourned meetings

The Council met on call of the Mayor. All the members present except Mr Bryant.

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting to be to hear a report from the School Trustees. Said Trustees submitted the following from W. D. Jones, Contractor.

Contract for Brick work	14 150.00	
Extra Brick work	543.96	
Amount paid on brick work		13.044.00
Accepted orders to be paid on the completion of brick work		690.00
To finish brick work will cost	300.00	
Contract for Stone work	7 200.00	
Extra Stone work	458.60	74
Paid on Stone work		74 65.60
To finish Stone work	\$ 200.00	
Contract for Cornice & Roofing	6900.00	
Paid on Cornice & Roofing		3438.41
Contract for Lumber	5011.16	
Paid on Lumber		5011.16
On other materials such as Nails, Iron & Glass including drayage and labor performed	3981.44	
Paid on same		3981.44
	\$ 38254.20	\$ 32620.16

Subtract the amt to be paid on completion of brick work from amt paid out.

690.00
\$ 31930.16

On motion the Council was directed to issue a warrant in favor of the City School Trustees for two thousand five hundred dollars.

An Ordinance authorizing the Finance Committee of the City of Bradfordville to loan on real estate security the School House Bond and City building bond sinking funds and regulating the manner in which said loans shall be made was read a first time.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest

Edw Brown
City Clerk

Wilson K. Layman Mayor

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdall the City Attorney, and John W. Butler were directed to enter suit against Mr. E. Whitsett the security of the contractors of the City Building.

The clerk reported the returns of the precepts issued to the Treasurer for the sale of the west half of lot No. 108, Original plat, belonging to Catherine May and the east half of said lot No. 108 belonging to Julia V. McCullough for the payment of the assessment against said owners for the bordering of the gutter in front of said lot No. 108. and that said west half of said lot had been offered for sale by the Treasurer on the day of and that no sale was made on account of a want of bidders. Said over until the next meeting.

Warren D. Ashley, presented an account of five dollars for opening cisterns and hauling coal for fire department. On motion, the rules were suspended and the account allowed.

James R. Evans was on application granted a permit to erect a saw mill on that piece of ground lying east of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Rail road and south of Market Street.

Mr. Vanarsdall was excused for the remainder of the evening.

The following Ordinance was read a second time:

An Ordinance authorizing the Finance Committee of The City of Crawfordsville to loan, on real estate security, School House bond and City Building bond Sinking funds and regulating the manner in which said loans shall be made.

Section 1. Be it Ordained, By the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville, that whenever there shall be the amount of One thousand dollars of the sinking funds provided by the City of Crawfordsville for the redemption for the City School Building Bonds or the City Building Bonds, in the City Treasury of said City, it shall be the duty of the Finance Committee of the Common Council thereof, to loan the same in sums of One thousand dollars each, to any party or parties, firms, company or corporation, subject to the restrictions and regulations contained in the following section.

Section 2. The said sinking funds with several accrued interests thereon, shall be loaned upon Real Estate security in sums of one thousand dollars each for the period of one year at a time, with ten per cent. interest thereon payable annually in advance, evidenced by note of hand, payable to the City of Crawfordsville without relief from valuation or appraisement laws and secured by mortgage upon Real Estate of double the value of the amount so loaned and with a clear title in fee simple, without encumbrance and not derived through any Executor's or administrators sale, or sale on execution or sale for taxes. the said finance committee to be the judges of the value of the real estate so mortgaged.

Sec. 3. In making such loans the inhabitants of said city shall have the preference, if the Real Estate offered shall be deemed adequate security, and in no event shall land be received as security that is not located in Montgomery County, Indiana.

Sec. 4. Any party or parties, firm, company or corporation desiring to borrow any of said money shall be required to file with the Finance committee hereinbefore described, a particular description of the Real Estate proposed as security for the same together with a complete abstract of the title to the same under the certificate of the County Recorder of Montgomery County Indiana, accompanying therewith, the official certificate of the clerk of the Court and the County Recorder of said County, that there is no encumbrance on said land in either of said offices. In estimating the value of Real Estate so offered as security for loans, the said Finance Committee

shall exclude from the value thereof, the value of all improvements thereon, and the mortgagor shall pay all the expenses attending the exhibition of title and the execution and recording of the mortgage.

Sec. 5. Moreover, the said Finance Committee in the discharge of their duties under the provisions of this ordinance shall make a loan of any of said money to any party, parties, firm, company or corporation. They shall certify to the City Clerk the name of the party, parties, firm, company or corporation to whom such loan has been made, with the amount thereof accompanied with an order for the loan. Upon the receipt of said order, the Clerk shall draw his warrant upon the City Treasurer in favor of the party, parties, firm, company or corporation for the amount so ordered, upon him, her or them filing with said Clerk the note and mortgage hereinafore provided for which warrant shall be attested by the City Clerk and signed by the Mayor of the city.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

On motion the rules were suspended and the ordinance was read a third time and passed. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Council men Foote, Hughes, Harts and Crist, Total four. And the Ordinance was declared to be adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

T. D. Brown,
City Clerk

Wilson W. Raymond Mayor

Regular Meeting

Monday Evening, February 24th 1873

The Council met Present His Honor Mayor Raymond, Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Boyant, Vanarsdall, Harts and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

Mr. Boyant was excused for absence from the last meeting.

The following petition was presented and on motion referred to the Committee on Public Improvements:-

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen,

Your petitioners, citizens interested in, and compelled to travel Water and Franklin streets in said city, represent to you that the condition of Water street and a portion of the sidewalks bordering thereon and the sidewalks on Franklin street at the head of Water street is in a condition urgently demanding immediate attention. A portion of said Water street should be at once graded and gravelled, and a good crossing made at the intersection with Franklin street and almost all of Water street from Main to Franklin needs to be cleaned and gravelled. A large amount of the west side-walks along said portion of Water street is worn out and should be at once made with plank or gravel. At the intersection of Water and Franklin, the sidewalk has never been lowered to conform to the adjoining grade. It blocks up passage on sidewalks driving the people to the gutter, which is in as bad condition as it could be. A large number of people find this their natural route to travel in going to and from the heart of the city and they respectfully demand of your honorable body that it shall be placed in condition fit to travel over.

Names
 John W. Brist
 Alexander Duff
 R. J. Vance
 Samuel Johnson
 Alfred Dickey
 Weldon Patterson
 James A. White
 W. H. Ryker
 Thomas Craig
 J. A. Brown

Names
 D. D. Smith
 J. Hauser
 W. H. Raymond
 W. S. Smith
 John B. Robinson Jr.
 J. B. Farmer
 E. W. Leansow
 W. C. White
 R. H. & W. C. Lockhart
 W. A. Foscy

G. R. Porter
 Jere Keeny
 A. Thomas
 S. B. McWilliam
 S. W. Vanclase
 Abrans Johnson
 T. B. Bell
 F. W. Niang
 Jacob Davis

The committee on Accounts made the following report which was concurred in:-
 To the Hon Mayor and Common Council:

The undersigned, to whom was referred the accounts of Col D. D. Barrington, Architect of the City, do hereby respectfully report back the account to the Council for its action, the evidence not being sufficient, that the building was constructed in a good workmanlike manner.

(Signed) R. E. Bryant
 D. Hester
 P. Hughes.

The following accounts were presented, and on motion, allowed;—

That of Warren D. Ashley on account of Fire department of \$6.35
 That of Jere Keeny for Printing of \$12.00

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Brist:—

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

That the City Treasurer be directed to proceed at once to collect the assessments of benefits due the City by reason of the opening of Jefferson Street.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolutions, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Fouts, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hester and Crist. Total, Six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following was read and the action of the Committee concurred in:—
 Crawfordsville, Ind. Feb 7. 1873

To the Hon. Common Council, Crawfordsville, Ind.

I have the honor to state that the chimneys of the City Hall have been completed to their proper height and capped. The work was done for the estimate made, which is as follows:

Masons, Lenders and Materials as per contract made with Mr. Mann \$ 50.00
 2 Chimney Caps \$ 7.00
 \$ 57.00

Respectfully Submitted

Demp. B. Barrington Col. U. S. A.
 Arch. Engr & Supt. in Charge.
 Crawfordsville, Ind. Feb 7 1873

City Clerk.

Please issue a warrant in favor of Col D. D. Barrington U.S. Architect & Supt for Fifty seven dollars as per estimate for City Hall.

R. E. Bryant } Com on Schools
 S. A. Fouts } Public Buildings
 H. H. Lewis }

On motion a warrant was directed to be issued in favor of J. B. Johnson for six dollars being part of assessment against Julia V. McCallough for building gutter on Market Street

On motion the Marshal was directed to enforce the dog ordinance and the City Clerk was authorized to procure additional checks or the necessary means for making the same.
 On motion, a warrant was directed to be issued in favor of Genl Geo Wallace for balance due on city lot bring Two Thousand dollars and accumulated interest,
 On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:
 Ed Brown
 City Clerk

Wilson H Layman Mayor

Called Meeting

March 5th 1873.

Upon call of the Mayor, the Council convened. Present, His Honor the Mayor Councilmen Fouts, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, and Criss.

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting, and presented the following communication:
 Crawfordsville Ind. M^{ch} 5 1872

His Honor, The Mayor of Crawfordsville,
 Dear Sir:

I have the honor to say that I have visited the city of Indianapolis to see Mr. L. E. Whitsett, Security of Alexander and Whitsett, contract, and had a satisfactory interview with him and his attorney. At such early time as you can convene the City Council I will be able to remove any objection to their immediate, complete occupation of the building. It will also be of personal interest to me to have my own accounts settled and the charge of said building surrendered; adding, that whatever may be desired of my services in any details that may need attention I shall always render. The grating of the prison windows and any other improvements desired can now be made without embarrassment of the city.

Respectfully Yours
 Chas B. Barrington Col. M.S. Army
 Arch & Sup in Charge.

The following paper was presented and ordered to be made of record:

Whereas under a contract made with Alexander and Whitsett by the city of Crawfordsville the said parties undertook to construct an engine house for said city, and whereas the architect Col. Ch. B. Barrington deems it proper for the protection and preservation of said building, that possession and use be taken of said building.

Now I, L. E. Whitsett who became security on said contract dated August 29th 1872 of Alexander & Whitsett with said city, do hereby agree and consent, that possession full complete and entire may be taken by said city of said building, and it is expressly agreed and understood, that the taking possession by said city of the said building shall not be construed as a waiver on the part of the said city of any legal right or claim whatever against me as the security of said Alexander & Whitsett. And that nothing herein contained shall be construed as the waiver of any right whatever on my part nor as creating against me any liability whatever, nor as admitting any liability.

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 Attest

[Signature]

L. E. Whitsett

H. B. Barrington.

Col. Barrington forwarded a communication from R. H. Elliott Attorney for Mr L. E. Whitsett - filed.

Mr Bryant offered the following resolution:

Resolved: By the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:
 That the City take possession and occupy the City Hall, under the
 agreement signed by Mr. Whitst giving the said City of Bradfordville the right to
 occupy said premises, the said City retaining or relinquishing no right that she may now
 have for such damages as have accrued or may accrue by reason of the failure of the
 Contractors Messrs. Alexander & Whitst in completing said building according to contract
 or for any other cause:

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative
 were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant and Const. Total four. Mr. Van-
 arsdale voted in the negative. Total 1. And the resolution was declared
 to be adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest
 Edw. Brown
 City Clerk

Wilson H. Laymon Mayor

Regular Meetings

Monday Evening,

March 10th 1873

The Council met: Present his Honor Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Foote,
 Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hart and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

The following petition was read and referred to the Committee on Public Improve-
 ments with power to act in the case:

Petition.

Susaw E. Wallace respectfully petitions the Common Council for
 permission to change a portion of the drainage of Mabask Avenue from the
 west end of her grounds, (where the ditch water now runs) to the east boundary of
 her property, she agreeing to make the drainage perfect, to keep within her own
 grounds, and have the work done entirely at her own expense.

(Signed)

Susaw E. Wallace

March 10th 1873.

Mr. D. White presented a petition asking for the construction of a side
 walk on Market Street. Referred to the Committee on Public Improvements.

On motion of Mr. Foote the order passed on the third day of June 1872 directing
 the construction of a gravel or plank side walk on the south side of Market Street east
 of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Rail road was revived and the Marshal
 was directed to notify such parties as have not complied with such order to do so imme-
 diately.

Mr. Bryant offered the following motion:

That the Committee on Schools and Public Buildings
 be and are hereby authorized to supply the Council room with such additional furniture
 and make such improvements in platforms and desks for the preservation of the records of
 the Mayor and Clerk as they may think necessary. Adopted.

The Mayor made the following report for the month of February:

To the common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to report that during the month of February 1873 the collections of my office have been as follows:

Amount of fines collected	\$ 22.00
" " jail fees "	2.10
Total collections	\$ 24.10

All of which have been paid into the city Treasury as your receipt filed.

Jail fees amounting to \$2.20 have accrued against the city during the month of February, \$2.00 of which has been paid and the remainder hopelessly lost.

All of which is respectfully submitted:

March 10 1873

Wm Nelson Attest Mayor
City of Bradfordville

The City Treasurer made the following monthly report:

Receipts and Expenditures Feb. 1873

Amt. in Treas Feb. 1st	\$ 13,554.55
Amt Recd from Taxes 1872	291.98
" " Shows	22.00
" " Delinquent Tax	200.00
" " Liquor License	100.00
" " Pedlers do	2.00
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	\$ 14,170.53

Expenditures.

Amt Expended on Streets	8.10
Estimate on Engine House	57.00
Fire Department	15.15
Officers Salary	12.50
City Engineer	17.50
Coal for Office & Engine House	15.75
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	14,044.53
Less Sinking fund	1,972.58
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	\$ 12,071.95

Feb. 10 '73

signed Wm Dunbridge Treas.

On motion, the clerk was directed to have the aud for the city let recorded.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Foster:

Resolved, that the City Marshal be and is hereby allowed the use of the N. E. rooms on the second floor in the city building for a sleeping room, subject to the use by proper persons for a consultation room.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foster, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Harto and Cris Total Six, and the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr Harto introduced the following resolution:

Whereas the rapid extension of our city eastward and westward makes the size of the wards unequal; Therefore

Resolved, that the boundary of the 2nd ward be so changed as to make Walnut St. the boundary on the west and Water St on the east.

The following motion was introduced by Mr. Bryant

That questions of damage likely to arise between the city and the contractors, makes it necessary in the opinion of the Council to postpone the adjustment of the claim for superintending the erection of the City Hall until a final settlement with Mess. Dezsauz and Whitist contractors with the city. Adopted.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of Bromley and Grist for 3 mos rent of rooms for Engine house of	\$ 50.00
That of W. M. Ashley for moving coal and Engines	2.25
That of R. S. Kroat for lamps	4.65
That of W. M. Scott for cleaning city buildings	10.00
That of John Wallace Jr. for putting smoke stacks on chimneys	5.00
That of Debus Smith for rent of Office for holding elections	15.00

Robb and Mahorney presented an account of \$134.00 for stores brought by Col. Carrington and smoke stack for chimneys.

On motion of Mr. Roote an order was directed to be drawn in favor of Robb and Mahorney for \$6.²⁵ and due for smoke stack and the remainder was referred to the committee on accounts.

On motion, the City Treasurer was authorized and directed to satisfy the judgement and costs in the case of Millson vs The City of Lancaster. S. M. Vance presented a cost bill amounting to \$26.00. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Bryant, Mr W^m Epperson was authorized to place the roof gutters in such condition as will secure the City Hall against damage from leaking— also, to superintend the placing of iron shutters and grate bars over windows— also the ironing of the jail doors— the expense to be borne by the City. Adopted.

On motion the council adjourned.

Attest
J. A. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, March 24th 1873

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Seymour Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant Vanarsdall, Hartis and Crist

The minutes of the proceedings meeting were read and on motion adopted.

The following petition was presented and on motion referred to the committee on Public Improvements to the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville

The undersigned citizens of Bradfordville owning property along and compelled by business to travel Plum street lying between College and Franklin streets represent to you that said portions of said street and the side-walks along the same is unimproved and are often almost impassible. We therefore pray you to order the grading and graveling of that portion of said street and also for the grading and paving with planks the side-walks bordering the same.

[Signed] Geo. A. Newton

J. B. Johnson

Mass. Redstack

J. B. Sumner

A. Johnson

F. B. Stays

W. J. Leanol

Stormes Sullivan

E. D. Purviance

G. A. Lowrey

G. Hightower

E. B. Porter

W. D. Kelly

R. B. Wilson

J. S. Wilson

Ab. Rominger

W. S. Ramsey

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bryant as report of Committee on accounts:

Resolved: That the sum of Twenty five dollars now in the hands of the City Treasurer belonging to Robert Stays and by him offered in settlement of the Precept and costs in the case of the City vs. Leathernus Hays amounting to \$28.12 be accepted and as release of said property granted. On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Hartis and Crist. Total six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The Committee on Ordinances made the following report, which was adopted.

The Committee on Ordinances to whom was referred the motion of Mr. Hartis to change the boundaries of the wards, would respectfully report that in their judgement, no change is necessary or desirable at this time.

[Signed]

S. A. Foot

R. E. Bryant

W. H. Crist

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Crist:

Resolved: That the City Engineer be instructed to set the grade stakes on Main street from J. S. Brown's east line on the north side and P. E. Dornville's on the south side to the crossing of the Sogansport, Bradfordville and South western Rail road - said side walks to be constructed with plank - to be four feet wide, and built under the direction of the Board of Public Improvements. Said walks to be constructed within thirty days from this date - and that the Street Commissioner notify the property owners on the completion of the survey and proceed to complete the same in accordance with this resolution and to report the expense of the work to the City Clerk.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Hartis and Crist. Total six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following Resolution was introduced by Mr. Hartis:

Resolved: That the City Engineer be instructed to set the grade stakes for the side walks on Plum street between College and Franklin St. preparatory to grading and graveling said street. On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Hartis and Crist. Total six.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Foote:

Resolved that the Street Commissioners be ordered to notify the owners of the small houses to repair their side-walk at the north end and also to so alter or change the water spouts on the front of the said houses as to prevent their being a nuisance to persons passing during a rain. On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Harten and Crist. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Foote:

Resolved that the Street Commissioners be ordered to notify the owners of the property on the south side of Market Street between Washington and West streets, to proceed within ten days to make good and substantial side-walks of one and one half inch planks - not less than six feet wide according to the surveys heretofore made - to be constructed under the direction of the Street Commissioners, and should they neglect or refuse to comply with this order, then the Street Commissioners shall immediately proceed to complete the said side-walks at the expense of the said owners. On the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Harten and Crist. Total six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bryant:

Resolved that the City Engineer be instructed to set the grade stakes for a side-walk on the south side of Main Street between the building occupied by Bentley & Brothers to corner on Water Street on the east - said side-walk to be constructed with brick - ten feet wide to be made within thirty days from this date - that the property holders be notified of the same and on their failure to construct the walk, the Street Commissioners shall proceed to complete the same in accordance with the resolution and make the proper returns to the City Clerk.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Harten and Crist. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bryant:

Resolved that the City Engineer be instructed to set the grade stakes for a side-walk on the south side of Main Street from Brown and Ramsay's building on the corner of Washington Street on the east to Walnut Street on the west, said walk to be made with plank not less than six feet wide - plank to be oak and not less than one and a half inches thick - to be made within thirty days from this date - that the owners of property be notified and on their failure to construct the walk - the Street Commissioners proceed forthwith to complete the same in accordance with this resolution and make the proper returns to the City Clerk.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Harten and Crist. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bryant:

Resolved that the property owners at the north west corner of Main and Washington streets be notified to construct a plank side-walk from the corner of said property to the intersection of the plank side-walk on Main Street at the west end of said property - plank to be of oak and not less than one and a half inches thick - said walk to be made within thirty days and on failure of said owners the Street Commissioners shall proceed at once to build said walk in accordance with this resolution and make the proper returns to the City Clerk.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Harten and Crist. Total six.

And the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr Bryant, moved that the office of City Engineer be declared vacant and that the Council proceed to the election of a suitable person to act as City Engineer. Adopted.

On the first ballot J. W. Thompson received six votes and was declared duly elected City Engineer to fill the unexpired term of D. S. Rodriels.

Mr Voots introduced the following resolution:

Resolved that the name of Plum Street in Thompsons addition be, and the same is hereby changed to that of Chestnut Street. On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Voots, Duglas, Bryant Vanarsdale, Martin, and Crist. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr Bryant moved that the City Clerk be authorized to draw an order for the payment of the bill of chairs purchased for the use of the Council room and the amount of the freight on the same the exact amount not now known. Adopted.

On motion of Mr Voots, the committee on accounts were authorized to examine the accounts of Robt and Mahorney and if any part thereof is found correct, to direct the City Clerk to issue a warrant on the Treasurer for the amount so found.

Mr Vanarsdale reported the sale of the old engine house to Capt Geo. Hightower for the sum of Sixty dollars.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of Crist and Ashley	For Provisions of	\$ 1.30
That of W. S. Ashley	for delivering lumber for City building of	\$ 1.00
That of W. D. Ramsey	for Spittars for Wagon Office of	\$ 2.95
That of W. H. Raymond	for Furniture for Marshal's Office	\$ 13.50

W. W. Ritchie presented a petition asking the city to subscribe for any number of copies of a map of the city being prepared by him.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. W. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Hazman Mayor

Called Meeting.

March 31st 1873

Upon call of the Mayor the Council convened. Present His Honor the Mayor, Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale and Denton.

The following Ordinance was presented:

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville, That the Board of Health chosen by said Council, as directed by the Charter of said City, shall have power to take measures, whenever by them deemed necessary, for the security of said City, to prevent the introduction therein of contagious or infectious diseases, and to cause the immediate and safe removal of any person found infected therein with any such disease; and the Mayor, Marshals, and all other officers of said City, are required to aid said Board of Health in discharging the duties hereby imposed on them.

Sec. 2. Said Board of Health, whenever by them deemed proper, shall recommend to said Council such measures as they may think necessary to prevent the introduction of contagious, infectious, malignant and dangerous diseases.

Sec. 3. Said Board of Health shall have power to select and report to said Council, such temporary hospitals and other preparations as they may deem necessary to be established or taken, in anticipation or in consequence of the prevalence of any epidemic, infectious, contagious, or malignant disease; and in case of urgent necessity, said Board shall have power to select and establish such temporary hospitals as the emergency may require and report such proceedings to the next regular session of said Council, for their concurrence.

Sec. 4. Said Board of Health shall have power to establish, publish, and enforce all by laws, rules and regulations necessary for exacting the observance, by all inhabitants and visitors of said City, of all such sanitary regulations and restrictions as may be deemed by said Board best calculated to prevent the prevalence or spread among them of such diseases as aforesaid; for requiring all inhabitants of said City, who may not have had the Small pox, or not protected against it by vaccination, to report or submit themselves to said Board, or to some regular physician for vaccination, and also for prohibiting all children not so protected from admission into any public school of said City.

Sec. 5. Said Board of Health, whenever they may deem such publication proper shall announce in one or more newspapers of said City, the prevalence therein of any disease such as aforesaid; shall take means to ascertain its extent, and make report thereof through said paper or papers.

Sec. 6. Said Board of Health shall report to said Council all expenses necessarily incurred by them, in discharging the duties required of them by this Ordinance and such expenses shall be allowed by said Council, and paid out of the Treasury of said City.

Sec. 7. That any person convicted before the Mayor of the City of Crawfordville of having violated any of the By-laws, rules, regulations or restrictions adopted by the Board of Health of said City, in pursuance of the power granted to said Board by any of the provisions of either of the foregoing sections, shall for every such violation forfeit and pay a fine therefore not exceeding the sum of Fifty dollars.

Sec. 8. Whereas, in the opinion of the Common Council of said City, there exists a question requiring the immediate operation of this Ordinance, it is therefore declared that it shall take effect as soon as proclamation is made thereof and posted at five public places in each of the wards of the City and that the Mayor is hereby directed to issue said proclamation in the name of the Common Council of said City.

The Ordinance was read a first time, and the rules being on motion, suspended a second and third times and adopted. Those voting in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale and Denton Total 5. And the ordinance was declared adopted.

On motion of Mr Bryant the Committee on Printing and Stationery were instructed and authorized to furnish to the boards of health such blank forms as may be required to carry out the ordinances providing for the better sanitary condition of the city.

Mr Bryant offered the following resolution:-

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradford:

That Edw. D.D. Carrington U.S. A. and Architect of the City Hall is respectfully requested to communicate to this Council in writing whether the city Hall has been constructed by Messrs Alexander and Whitest contractors with the city in accordance with the contract and specifications signed by them and if not to state wherein they have failed to fulfil their contract and the damage, if any, sustained by the city in consequence of such failure. On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Fote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall and Darter. Total 5.

And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

W. Brown
Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Regular Meeting.

Monday Evening, April 7, 1873

The Council met: Present Edw. D. Mayor Layman, Councilmen Fote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdall, Darter and Christ.

The minutes of the preceding regular and called meeting were read and on motion adopted.

The Committee on Public Improvements made the following report:

The Committee on Public Improvements to whom was referred the petition of Susaw E. Wallace asking permission to change the culvert on College Street so as to conduct the water through her premises from the west to the east side of her house, respectfully represent that they have had said petition under consideration and recommend the granting of said petition on the fulfillment of the agreement of Susaw E. Wallace heretofore made to the city giving right of way for drainage through her grounds. Concurred in.

Mr Bryant from the Committee on accounts made the following report:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradford:

The undersigned having examined the accounts of M. S. Smith late Street Commissioner find nineteen names named to labor but nothing further done to enforce payment or obtain the work, which at \$3. each makes \$57.⁰⁰ allowed from Mr. Smith's accounts which has to be paid or properly accounted for to your Honorable body.

(Signed)

B. E. Bryant

On motion, the report was received and Mr Smith was allowed until the next meeting of the Council to adjust the claim against him.

Mr A. S. Duckworth Street Commissioner presented a statement of his account showing a balance due him of Sixty one dollars and Seventy five cents. Upon which statement, the Committee on accounts made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

The undersigned having examined the accounts of A. S. Duckworth Street Commissioner find the same correct as above stated and recommend the payment of the balance due him for sixty one dollars and seventy five cents.

(Signed)

R. E. Bryant
D. Hughes
D. Martin

On motion the report was adopted.

The Mayor made the following monthly report:

To the Common Council of the City Bradfordville
Gentlemen:

I have the honor to report that the receipts of the Mayors Office during March 1873 were as follows:

For fines	\$22.00
Jail Fees	00.00
Total receipts	<u>\$22.00</u>

I have no jail fees to report as being created against the city.

April 7th 1873.

Very Respectfully
Wilson H. Saymon Mayor
City of Bradfordville.

On motion the report was received.

The City Treasurer made the following reports of receipts and expenditures for March, 1873

Receipts and Expenditures March 1873.

Balance in Treasury for March 1873	\$14,014.53
Am't received from Taxes	1,860.95
" " " Peddlers	4.00
" " " Shows	12.00
" " " Sale of Engine House	60.00
" " " Fines and jail fees	40.10
" " " Road Labor from Mayor	6.00
" " " Express Wagon	4.00
" " " Dist Sold by Street Commissioner	69.00
" " " Days Receipt	25.00
	<u>\$16,125.58</u>

Expenditures.

Interest on City Building bonds	\$650.00
Am't paid S. C. Willson (Judgment)	600.00
" " Printing	12.00
" " Fire Department	2.25
" " Cleaning City building	10.00
" " City Lot and interest	2,080.00
" " Furniture for Marshals Office	18.50
	<u>3,372.75</u>

Less Drinking fund

\$12,752.83
1,972.58
\$10,780.25

April 1. 73

Wm. Burbridge, Treasurer.

On motion the report was received and ordered to be recorded.

The City Marsh filed the following
State of Indiana, Montgomery County, I.D.

I, William B. Riley Marshal of the city of Bradfordville in said County do solemnly swear that on the second day of April A.D. 1873, I posted up in five public places in each one of the wards of said City, the Mayor's Proclamation together with the City Ordinance of said City adopted by the Mayor and Common Council thereof on the 31st day of March 1873 organizing the Board of Health, investing them with powers to regulate the sanitary condition of the city, and providing penalties for the violation of the rules, regulations and restrictions established therefor.

[Signed]

W. B. Riley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of April 1873.

[Signed]

Wilson H. Seymour Mayor
City of Bradfordville

On motion a warrant was directed to issue in favor of W. B. Riley for six dollars for payment of night watch.

The Street Commission made a report of progress showing an amount of \$21.75 due now for Street work and on motion the report was received and a warrant directed to issue to Mr. Duckworth for forty one dollars and seventy five cents.

A communication was received from James M. Thompson declining to accept the office of City Engineer.

On motion the City Clerk was directed to issue warrants to members of Niagara Fire Company No. 1, equalizing their credits on the Tax duplicate to the amount of five dollars each.

On motion the City Clerk was authorized to procure Assessor books and Tax list and duplicate for 1873.

Mr. Bryant moved that the Board of Public Improvements be authorized to provide for the passage of the water now passing through the property of Thomas Stul- to be passed through tile or roadway culvert through said property, or thrown upon other streets as in their judgment may seem best. Adopted.

On motion the Council proceeded by Ballot to elect three School Trustees for said City.

On the first ballot
R. H. Krout received six votes,

J. J. Darts received six votes,

E. C. Griffith received six votes,

Ephraim C. Griffith, John J. Darts and Robert H. Krout were declared duly elected School Trustees for said City to serve until their successors are elected and qualified.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules.

That of Hightower and Ramsey for Blacksmith work of \$ 2.25

That of George R. Porter for work on City Buildings and Hauging bill of 40.00

That of J. D. Apperson for Lumber of 3.50

That of Straight and Posey for Moulding and Machine work for City Hall 5.65

That of W. H. Seymour for Insurance 87.50

That of Campbell & Darts making for Mayor's Office & Sundries for Marshal's Office 78.00

That of S. A. Foote for Stationery of 21.45

On motion the Clerk was directed to issue warrants to the Commissioners to assess damages and benefits by opening streets in the sum of dollars each.

A petition was presented by Mrs. Mary C. Allen asking the removal of the water tank at the east end of Spring Street near the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago rail road.

Mr. Foote moved that when the Council adjourns it adjourn to meet

Monday evening, April 14th 1873 at 7 o'clock for the purpose of hearing, sworn evidence on the petition of Mrs Mary C. Allen and of attending to such other business as may be presented for the consideration of the Council

On Motion the Council adjourned

Attest:
J. D. Brown,
City Clerk.

Wilson & Layman Mayor

Adjourned Meeting.

Monday Evening, April 14, 1873.

The Council met Present His Honor Mayor Layman Councilmen Deight, Bryant Vanarsdall, Carter and Crist.

Upon requests of Council the petition of W. R. Scott - the consent of Maurice Canol, G. W. Allen and G. S. Hays to the erection of the water tank, and the petition of Mrs Mary C. Allen for the removal of said tank were read.

On motion, the Mayor was authorized to give legal rulings in the case on hearing.

After hearing evidence and argument of counsel, on motion of Mr Darter the council reserved a decision until Tuesday evening April 15th at 7 o'clock.

Thomson and Pictin presented a petition asking for the opening of Pike street westward.

On motion the petition was referred to the Committee on the judiciary.

The following was received:

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:

The undersigned would respectfully represent to your Honorable Body, that the School Trustees, elected at your regular meeting on the 7th day of April, 1873, met in the public school room in Darter's Building, in said city, on the 10th inst and organized under the law enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, and approved March 28th, 1873. The respective terms, or length of time each Trustee should serve as such, was determined by lot as provided by law, with the following result, to-wit: it was determined that Ephraim C. Griffith should serve as School Trustee for the term of three years; it was determined that John J. Darter should serve as School Trustee for the term of two years; and it was determined that Robert K. Kroust should serve as School Trustee for the term of one year.

The undersigned would further represent, that in effecting the organization of said City School Board, that Ephraim C. Griffith was elected President, John J. Darter was elected Treasurer and Robert K. Kroust was elected Secretary of said Board of School Trustees.

Given under my hand, this 11th day of April A.D. 1873

R. K. Kroust, Secretary
of Board of School Trustees.

The following request was presented:

J. D. Brown Esq., Clerk of the City of Crawfordville, Ind.:

The undersigned School Trustees for said City would respectfully request through you, that the Committee on Finance for said City make an appropriation of the sum of Fifteen Hundred dollars to be paid to J. D. Jones on contract for the erection and partial completion of a school Building for said City.

Given under our hands this 14th day of April A.D. 1873

R. K. Kroust,
J. J. Darter,
School Trustees

On motion, the Clerk was directed to issue a warrant in favor of the City School Trustees for Fifteen Hundred dollars (\$1500.⁰⁰)

The following Ordinance was introduced:

An Ordinance for the Regulation, Management and Control of Places where intoxicating liquors are sold, bartended or given away And for the Keeping and using Billiard tables and providing penalties therefor.

Sec. 1. Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

That any person who shall appear in any street, alley or common or other public place within the corporate limits of the city of Bradfordville, in a state of intoxication, shall on conviction thereof forfeit and pay a penalty of not exceeding five dollars and costs for each offense. Any person convicted of intoxication may be required upon the trial to designate the persons or persons from whom the liquor in whole or in part was obtained. In default of so designating, such person he or she, in addition to the penalty above mentioned for said offense, be imprisoned in the city prison not less than one day nor more than ten days at the discretion of the Mayor trying the cause.

Sec. 2. Any person who shall within the corporate limits of the City of Bradfordville, sell intoxicating liquors, either with or without license, on Sunday or upon the day of any State, County, Township or Municipal Election - (held in said City of Bradfordville) or upon Christmas day, or the fourth day of July, or upon Thanksgiving day, or upon any holiday - or between the hours of nine O'clock P. M. and six O'clock A. M., shall upon conviction thereof forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than Five dollars nor more than Twenty-five dollars and costs, for each and every such sale made in violation of this Section.

Sec. 3. Any person who shall by himself or agent, within the corporate limits of the said city of Bradfordville, sell, bartend, or give away intoxicating liquor to any minor, or to any person intoxicated or to any person who is in the habit of getting intoxicated, shall on conviction thereof forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than five dollars nor more than Twenty-five dollars and cost, for each and every offense.

Sec. 4. Any person who shall within the corporate limits of the city of Bradfordville, buy for or furnish to any person who is at the time intoxicated, or in the habit of getting intoxicated, or buy for, or furnish to any minor, to be drunk by such minor, any intoxicating liquor, shall upon conviction thereof forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than Five dollars, nor more than Twenty-five dollars and costs.

Sec. 5. Any person owning or keeping any billiard table or tables for the purpose of gain or hire who shall by himself or agent, permit or allow any minor or minors to play any game or games upon his or her billiard tables or tables, or permit or suffer any minors to congregate or remain in the room or place where the said billiard table or tables are kept as aforesaid, within the corporate limits of the city of Bradfordville, shall upon conviction thereof forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than Five dollars nor more than Fifty dollars and cost.

Sec. 6. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and legal publication

The Ordinance was read a first time. On motion the rules were suspended and it was read a second time. On motion the rules were suspended and it was read a third time and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hart and Crist. Total 5

On Motion the Council adjourned.

Attest
D. D. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson K. Layman Mayor

Adjourned Meeting

Tuesday Evening, April 15 1873.

The Council convened. Present His Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen Hughes Bryant Vanarsdale, Martin and Crist

Mr Hughes introduced the following resolution:

Whereas, It having been ascertained since the meeting of the Council on last evening, that it is the intention of the proprietors of the water tank to remove the same to another location as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made, therefore,

Resolved, That it is inexpedient at the present time to order any change made, as the temporary removal would involve heavy expense to the owners of said tank and those dependent on it for water to own this machinery as also to seriously incommode a large class of the citizens of the city

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Martin and Crist, total 5. And the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr. Bryant offered the following motion:

That all persons residing near the water tank be and they are hereby requested to report to his Honor the Mayor, any improper conduct at the water works by drivers of teams or others that is calculated to annoy or disturb those living in its immediate vicinity, that a prompt remedy may be applied and the guilty punished and that this Council may take such measures for its speedy removal as may be necessary to protect the citizens annoyed. Adopted

On motion the council adjourned

Attest:
J. H. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Regular Meeting

Monday Evening April 21st 1873

The Council met: Present His Honor Mayor Seymour, Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant Vanarsdall, Hart and Criss.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion adopted.

Mr Foot was excused for absence from the meetings of April 14th and 15th.

William Posey and others presented a petition asking the improvement of Franklin street between the Depot of the Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western railway and the Danville road crossing, which was on motion referred to the committee on Petition and Controversies.

The Judiciary Committee reported back the petition of Thomas Ristin and Kenyon and asked further time to report, which was on motion granted.

Mr Bryant from the committee on Accounts reported verbally in favor of the payment of the account of Robt and Mahorney. On motion of Mr Vanarsdall the report was laid on the table.

The Street Commissioner made his regular bi-weekly report showing due on his pay roll the amount of forty-four dollars. On motion the report was received and a warrant directed to issue for said amount of forty four dollars.

Mr Bryant moved that the City Marshal be instructed to remove the Truck stand from the corner of Main and Washington streets. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Foot, the tax of N. A. Dunn was reduced to thirty dollars.

On motion the Council proceeded to the election of a city Engineer to fill the unexpired term of D. S. Bodinick resigned: - On the first ballot Stephen C. Campbell received six votes and was declared duly elected.

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rules:-

That of Peter Mick for cleaning and curbing, mill of	\$ 8.75
That of R. K. Strous for vaccine virus of	\$ 3.00
That of W. B. McDonald M.D. Vaccinating under Board of Health	\$ 8.00
That of C. W. Lawan M.D. Vaccinating under Board of Health	\$ 8.00
That of W. S. Johnson M.D. Vaccinating under Board of Health	\$ 10.00

The following accounts were presented and referred to the Committee on accounts:

That of Blain, Syle & Smith for repairing Fire Engine & two mule of	\$ 9.15
That of J. M. Kilsey for Coat of	\$ 15.70
That of B. W. & W. C. Lockhart for Sums of	\$ 41.61

On motion the Council adjourned

Attest

W. W. Brown }
City Clerk }

Wilson W. Seymour Mayor

Called Meeting April 25th 1873.

Upon call of the Mayor the Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Layman Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hartu and Crist.

An Ordinance for the regulation of Omnibus and hack drivers and Hotel runners was read and referred to the Committee on Ordinances

An Ordinance defining certain offenses was read and referred to the Committee on Ordinances

No motion the Council adjourned to meet Monday evening April 28 1873

Attest:

Edw. Brown 3
City Clerk 3

Adjourned Meeting.

Monday Evening, April 28 1873

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Layman Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hartu and Crist.

Mr. Foot from the Committee on Ordinances reported the following:

An Ordinance to establish Public stands for Licensed Public Hacks, Omnibusses, Carriages, Express wagons or other Vehicles, kept or used for the purpose of transporting passengers, Baggage, Freight or other articles to and from the Rail road depots in the City of Bradfordville for hire or pay - to prohibit Express Wagons and drays from standing in front of business Houses, and to preserve peace, order and public morality at Rail road stations and depots, and providing penalties for violations thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville, That one Depot Deputy Marshal shall be appointed for each of the rail road depots within the city of Bradfordville, who shall take the same official oath and be subject to the same rules and regulations prescribed for other Deputy Marshals, so far as the same are applicable and said Depot Deputy Marshal are hereby authorized to exercise police powers in and within two squares of their respective Depots, and to arrest and bring before the Mayor with or without warrant all violators of the laws of this State and the ordinances of this City and their compensation therefor shall consist solely in the fees taxed in cases where they make arrests.

Sec. 2. Said Depot Deputy Marshal shall exercise at and about their respective depots and within the distance of two squares therefrom all the powers of police officers and they, or in their absence, the City Marshal of said City, shall have the power of prescribing, at their respective Depot Stations, the place and manner of locating any Omnibus, Hackney Coach, Wagon, Cart, Dray or other vehicle kept for the transportation of passengers, baggage freight or other articles to or from any railroad depot in said City for hire or pay, so as to keep the streets, alleys and vacant grounds bordering thereon open sufficiently for the passage of horses and carriages and the sidewalks, plat forms and passage-ways for passengers and baggage open, for their free and uninterrupted passage.

Sec. 3d. That it shall be unlawful for any driver of any Omnibus, Hackney Coach, Wagon, Cart, Dray or other vehicle to leave the same standing, on any street, alley or open lot, or at any stand assigned him, in accordance with the 2^d Section of this ordinance, without having full control of the horses or animals attached thereto. That it shall be unlawful for any driver of any such vehicle to solicit pas-

sengers, when they shall arrive on any railroad train at any depot within said city, except at the stand assigned for such vehicle. Any one violating any of the provisions of this section on conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding Fifty dollars.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the several Depot Deputy Marshals to assign stands at each of their several Depots to all Hotel runners. It shall be the duty of every hotel runner to wear a badge conspicuously displayed, showing the name of the house for which he is runner when on duty at any of the depot stations. It shall be unlawful for any hotel runner, boarding house runner or any other person connected in any manner with any hotel or boarding house, to board any train or occupy any platform at any of the Depots of said city, or to station himself, at any other place than that specially designated to him as his special stand at such depot, by the Deputy Marshal of said Depot, for the purpose of soliciting guests or boarders - or to solicit them to go to any such hotel or boarding house. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 5. Every public licensed vehicle and Omnibus transporting passengers baggage or freight to and from any of the Depots in said city, shall have its place at such Depots assigned it by the Depot Deputy Marshal, or in his absence by the Marshal of the city. That it shall be unlawful for any owner, manager or driver of any public vehicle or Omnibus to locate his said vehicle or Omnibus at any other place near either of the depots in said city than that assigned for such vehicle or Omnibus by said Depot Deputy Marshal or City Marshal. No driver of any such vehicle or omnibus, nor any hotel or boarding house runner, nor any other person, shall in any way interfere to direct, solicit or persuade any passenger to go to any one, rather than another hotel or boarding house, or take passage in any one rather than another vehicle or Omnibus, except as herein after provided for, but shall simply explain the location of any hotel or boarding house, selected and named by such passenger, except such hotel runner, boarding house runner and solicitor for passengers may, at the stands designated as hereinbefore provided for, solicit passengers or guests and may exhibit cards and recommend the houses for which they run, by doing the same in a quiet, quieted and orderly manner. It shall be unlawful for any person to discourage any one from taking passage in any vehicle or omnibus occupying any stand provided for in this Ordinance, or from going to any public hotel or boarding house, or in any way deny any public vehicle, hotel, or boarding house, or in any way by act, word, cards or caricatures, interfere with any person coming or going on the trains at any of said depots. Any one violating any of the provisions of this section shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 6. If any person shall, about, at or near any of the depots within said city or at any other place within said city, or within two miles thereof use toward any other person any, angry, abusive, threatening, violent, loud, obscene or blasphemous language, or shall in any manner by boisterous language, rude and ungentlemanly conduct, or by harsh and disagreeable noise, disturb any citizen or traveler, or shall impudently solicit customers for any vehicle, Omnibus hotel or boarding house or shall in any manner produce or attempt to produce a disturbance of the peace, or shall participate in any such disturbance, shall be deemed guilty of disorderly conduct, and on conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 7 That it shall be unlawful for any boot-blacker, peddler of provisions or hawker of goods or notions or vendor of any articles, in pursuit of their avocation of boot-blacking, peddling, hawking or vending, to come within either of the Depot road depots in said city, or upon any of the platforms or sidewalks or passages in front of, or adjoining said depots, for the purpose of pursuing any of said avocations. Any one violating any provision of this section shall be fined in any sum not to exceed fifty dollars.

Sec. 8. The parent or guardian, as the case may be, of any minor or minors, shall

to liable for any fine legally imposed on such minor or minors for any offense against any of the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 9. Said Depot Deputy Marshal and the Marshal of the city, and all Police officers of this city are hereby empowered and commanded to maintain order and quietness and to protect from impertinent interference and annoyance to all travelers at and around said depots and to make arrests with or without warrants, and file complaints before the Mayor of the city against any and all persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance. It shall be the duty of such officers to keep the passage for ingress and egress to and from said depots free from all persons impertinently interfering with, or striving to hinder, delay, or influence the movements of such travelers and any persons who shall resist, hinder, bother, or delay any Depot Deputy Marshal or the Marshal of the city in the execution of any duty devolving upon them under the provisions of this Ordinance, or any person failing to yield quiet obedience promptly to any order or command of any Depot Deputy Marshal or the City Marshal in the execution of the duties of their offices as such Depot Deputy Marshal or City Marshal, shall, on conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding Fifty dollars.

Sec. 10 That it shall be unlawful for any person driving, managing or controlling any Express wagon, Wray, Cart, Wagon or other vehicle used for the purpose of transporting any freight, package or other article for hire or pay to station, without the consent of the proprietor of such business house, any such Express wagon, Wray, Cart, Wagon or other vehicle so used upon any street in the city of Crawfordville, in front of any business house therein, any longer than is necessary, to receive and deliver any freight, packages or other articles that they may be immediately employed in transporting to and from such business house. Any one violating any provision of this section, shall, on conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not exceeding twenty dollars.

Sec. 11. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and legal publication.

The ordinance was read a first time. On motion the rules were suspended and it was read a second and third times and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Foote, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdell, Hester and Crier. Total, six. And the ordinance was declared adopted.

* The following Ordinance was reported by Mr. Foote.

An Ordinance defining sundry offenses and prescribing punishment therefor.

Section 1. Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Crawfordville, that any person occupying a house of ill fame or prostitution, or any person visiting a house, part of house or room of ill fame or prostitution in the City of Crawfordville, or within two miles thereof, for the purpose of prostitution or whoredom, or any person over the age of fourteen years found in a house, part of house or room of ill fame or prostitution, without being therein solely for a lawful purpose, shall be deemed guilty of indecency and upon conviction of either of said offenses, before the Mayor of said City shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars, to which imprisonment in the City Prison not exceeding thirty days may be added. Provided, that in prosecutions under this section, the general reputation of the occupants, inmates and visitors to such house, part of house or room in the neighborhood in which such house, part of house or room is situated shall constitute prima facie evidence of the reputation of such house, part of house or room and also of its inmates, occupants and visitors and the purposes for which such house, part of house or room is occupied used and visited.

Sec. 2 That it shall be lawful for the city Marshal, his deputies or any other police officer of said city to arrest, with or without warrant, any persons found occupying any house, part of house, or room in said city for the purpose of prostitution or whoredom.

and to arrest in the same manner, any and all persons found visiting any house, part of house or room of ill-fame or prostitution within said city or within two miles of the corporate limits thereof, for the purpose of prostitution or rhoredom. And for the purpose of making any arrests for any violations of this section or of section 1 of this Ordinance, it shall be lawful for the said Mayor, his deputies or any other police officer of said city, to enter any house or room or part of house, reputed of ill-fame, when any such officer may deem that he has good reason for believing that any person is occupying, using or visiting any such house, part of house or room for the purpose of prostitution or rhoredom, to then and there arrest all persons found occupying, using or visiting such house, part of house or room for the purpose herein named and prefer the complaint of the city against them for the offences for which they have been arrested.

Sec. 3. That any person who shall, within the jurisdiction of the city of Bradfordville, by provoking or insulting epithets, words or gestures attempt to provoke another to quarrel or commit an assault, or who shall by epithets, words or gestures provoke another to commit an assault or assault and battery, or any person who shall make an unlawful attempt, coupled with a present ability to commit a violent injury, on the person of another, shall be deemed guilty of an assault, and upon conviction therefor before the Mayor of said city, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 4. That any person who shall enter upon the premises of another or upon any public grounds or any cemetery, for the purpose of taking away any fruit or vegetable, or for the purpose of injuring in any way, any shrub, flower or vine, or any fruit, shade, or ornamental tree; or any person who shall enter into or take possession of any house or any part thereof within the limits of the city of Bradfordville and occupy the same without a license so to do, from competent authority, or shall fail or refuse to vacate any house so entered and occupied, after being requested so to do, shall be deemed guilty of a trespass and upon conviction therefor shall for either of said offences be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 5. That any person who shall by beating, cutting, bruising, maiming, or mauling or in any other manner maltreat any horse, mare, or gelding or any bull, cow, steer or heifer, any foal, foresh, mule or other animal or any pig or any other animal or having charge of any old, useless, diseased, crippled or disabled beast or animal who shall abandon and turn loose the same, to roam at large in any street, alley, common or public, or vacant grounds within this city, upon conviction before the Mayor, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 6. That any person who shall place any goods, wares or merchandise or any fish, vegetable or fruit stand, any empty boxes, or barrels or any other articles as an obstruction upon any of the side walks or gutters of said city, without having first procured the permission of the Common Council of the city of Bradfordville so to do, except by way of receiving and delivering articles of trade and commerce in the regular course of their trade in front of their business houses, shall on conviction before the Mayor be fined in any sum not exceeding Twenty Dollars. Provided, that dealers with established places of business may occupy immediately in front of their business houses, the side walks not to exceed three feet out from the outer walls of their business houses for the purpose of exhibiting samples and packages of their goods, wares and merchandise in trade.

Sec. 7. That any person who shall erect, build, maintain or use in any way within the city of Bradfordville, any pig sty, pen, or stable for keeping of any swine, boar, sow, henn or pig within the distance of fifty feet from any dwelling house on the same or any other lot or shall keep any such sty, pen or stable in such a manner as to create or cause any offensive or noxious smell or odor; or shall maintain or use any such sty, pen or stable, constructed in such a manner as to permit the contents or filth therefrom to run or wash upon the premises owned or occupied by any other person, or to run or wash upon any street, sidewalk, alley or gutter in said city, shall be deemed guilty of a public nuisance and upon conviction before the Mayor, shall be fined in

any sum not exceeding Twenty dollars.

Sec. 8. That any auctioneer, hawkier or any other person excepting an officer of court in the execution of his duties as such officer [that] shall sell or offer for sale at public auction any article or thing of value in envelopes, boxes, packages or otherwise whether sealed or unsealed without first having exhibited and made known to such purchaser, fully, the contents of such envelopes, box, package or other cover or incasement; Or any auctioneer, hawkier or other vendor shall offer any article of goods, wares or merchandise, or other thing, or article for sale along with the same, hold out any inducement, hope or expectation, that by any number, figure, letter, character, envelope, ticket, sign, trick or device accompanying the same, they will receive, or expect to receive, any money, gift, present, or article or thing of value not fully shown, exhibited and made known at such sale; Or any person, company, firm, troop or association giving any exhibition, theatrical performance, concert, play or performance, or for an additional inducement for persons to attend such exhibition, theatrical performance, concert, play or performance for which an admittance fee shall be demanded, or the purchase of a ticket may be necessary to secure admittance, shall as an additional inducement for the payment of such admission fee, or the purchase of a ticket thereto, hold out the hope or expectation of receiving any gift, present, share in distribution of money or property, by accompanying such fee or ticket with any envelope, number, letter, sign or other badge or design, whereby any article or thing of value, is represented or shall be by any scheme, trick or device lead any one to expect to receive any gift, present, money, article, or thing of value other and additional to the said exhibition, theatrical performance, concert play or performance in return for the money so paid and expended as an admission fee or price of ticket to the same shall be deemed guilty of a fraudulent practice and upon conviction of either of any one of the offences herein named, before the Mayor, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars.

Sec. 9. Any person who shall deposit any wagon, cart, carriage, dray omnibus or other vehicle—any lumber, timber, bricks, building material, or any woods, rails, posts, stone or other materials article or substance whatever, on any of the streets or alleys of said city and thereby create an obstruction to the full, complete and entire use by the public, of such street or alley, except in pursuance of a builders permit) and suffer the same to remain longer than is necessarily employed in immediately transporting the same off of such street or alley, shall on conviction, before the Mayor, therefor be fined in any sum not exceeding Twenty dollars. And it is hereby made the duty of the city Marshal to see that the provisions of this section are complied with.

Sec. 10. That the parent or guardian as the case may be, of any minor or minors and the husband of any married woman, shall be liable for any fine imposed legally on any such minor or minors or married woman for any violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance and whenever offenses against any of the provisions of this ordinance are prosecuted against any minor or minors or any married woman, the parent, guardian or husband, as the case may be, shall, by the Mayor be adjudged liable to pay all fines and costs assessed therefor in consequence of the offenses of their respective wards, wards or Consorts.

Section 11. That it shall be unlawful for any rail road station Agent of any Rail road located in the city of Bradfordsville, to permit or suffer any Rail road locomotive, train of cars, or detached car or cars to stand on any railroad tracks, rail road side track or rail road switch at the crossing of any street, sidewalk or alley, or in front of the junction of any street, sidewalk, or alley with any such rail road tracks, side track or switch in the city of Bradfordsville, or to permit or suffer any locomotive engine, tender, or Rail road train of cars to occupy the same for switching, or any other purpose for a longer period than five minutes without allowing sufficient openings for teams, vehicles, horse

or foot passengers to cross said track. That any railroad station agent in said city who shall be convicted before the Mayor of said city, of any violation of any provision of this section shall be fined in any sum not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Sec. 12. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and legal publication.

The ordinance was read a first time. On motion the rules were suspended and it was read a second and third times and passed. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Post, Hughes, Bryant, Martin and Crist Total 5. Mr Vanarsdale voted no. And the ordinance was declared adopted.

The following ordinance was introduced by Mr. Post

An Ordinance, respecting an Ordinance providing for the appointment of a wood measurer and preventing frauds in the sale of wood and regulating a stand for wood, hay and watermelon wagons.

Sec 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and common council of the city of Lawrenceville, That an Ordinance entitled "An ordinance providing for the appointment of a wood measurer and preventing frauds in the sale of wood and regulating a stand for wood, hay and watermelon wagons, passed January 13th, 1873, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2 This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

The ordinance was read a first time. The rules were suspended and it was read a second and third times and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on its adoption were Councilmen Post, Bryant, Vanarsdale and Martin. Total 4. Councilmen Hughes and Crist voted no. Total 2. And the ordinance was declared adopted.

On motion the following persons were appointed Inspectors and judges of the City election to be held on the Sixth day of May A.D. 1873.

1st Ward	2d Ward	3d Ward
William Campbell Inspector.	Joseph Bassill Inspector	Reuben Smith Inspector
C. E. Vanarsdale Judge.	J. N. Stewart Judge	Joseph Robinson Judge
W. W. Gille Judge.	A. N. Leonard Judge	Wiley Bell Judge.

On motion a warrant was directed to issue to Mrs. E. Fisher for \$2.30 for Rent of Mayor's Office from June 1st 1872 to March 7th 1873.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest
J. D. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson W. Haynes Mayor

Regular Meeting Monday Evening, May 5th 1873
 The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Foot, Vaughan,
 Doyau, Vanarsdall, Warts and Criss.

The minutes were read and adopted.

1st Petition was received from Job Elliott asking the removal of a spring on the
 lot owned by Nathaniel S. Graham. Referred to the committee on Petition and overtures.

2d Petition was presented from sundry persons asking the grading and graveling of
 North street between Washington Street and the Lafayette Pike. Referred to the Committee
 on Petitions and overtures.

The Committee on accounts made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Crawfordsville:

We respectfully recommend the payment of so much of Messrs
 Soekhart's accounts as was contracted by Mr. Duckworth to the amount of \$32.16
 and to ask further time on the additional items.

Signed

R. E. Doyau

P. Hughes.

On motion the report was concurred in and a warrant directed to issue.

The committee on fire department made the following report:

This committee on Fire Department recommend that the sum of thirty
 five dollars be appropriated to the fire company for the purpose of painting
 the engine to 2.

[Signed]

S. A. Foot

William Vanarsdall.

On motion the report was concurred in and a warrant directed to
 be issued for the amount of thirty five dollars.

The committee on Schools and public buildings made the following report:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council,

The undersigned respectfully report that we have awarded to
 Blair, Lybe and Smith the contract for making and hanging the Iron shutters
 on the city hall windows, also for the iron work for the prison department, for the
 sum of two hundred and sixty five dollars, that being the lowest bid received
 by us for said work and which is made a part of this report.

[Signed]

R. E. Doyau,

S. A. Foot,

H. H. Criss,

learn on S. P. B.

Crawfordsville, Ind., April 17th 1873

We will make the shutters and grates for city building and prison for two
 hundred and sixty-five dollars \$265.00

[Signed]

Blair, Lybe and Smith.

The Mayor made the following monthly report:

To the Common Council of the city of Crawfordsville

Gentlemen, I have the honor to report the following business in my

office for the month of April A.D. 1873.

Amount of fines collected

Total collections

\$14.00

14 00

Amount of jail fees assessed

which have been secured

\$ 6.30

All of which is Respectfully submitted

Crawfordsville, Ind.

May 1st 1873

Wilson H. Laymon Mayor

City of Crawfordsville

The City Treasurer made the following monthly report:
Receipts and Expenditures April 1873

Am't in Treas. 1st April		12,752.83
" Recd from Taxes		8,427.62
" " Road Commutation		12.00
" " Peddlers		4.00
" " Shows		12.00
" " Auctioneers		3.00
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		\$ 21,211.45
Expenditures		
Am't paid interest Building bonds	150.00	
" " Board of Health	31.00	
" " On Streets	156.25	
" " Insurance City Building	87.50	
" " Officer's Salary	456.25	
" " Benefits on Streets	9.00	
" " School Trustees	1500.00	
" " Election of Officers	5.00	
" " Commissioners	40.00	
" " Furniture City Building	104.55	
" " Stationery	21.45	
" " Night Police	6.00	
" " Work and lumber on City Hall	56.95	
" " Fire Department	152.75	
" " Light and Fuel for City Building	15.00	
" " Tax erroneously collected	3.00	
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		2,794.70
		\$ 18,416.75

W^m Durbridge
City Treas.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to report that during the last two weeks the wet weather has caused delay in street work and but little has been done. Nothing in fact has been done deserving a report and I will delay rendering accounts for that which has been done until the next regular meeting; I have had no allowance for my services as street Commissioner since entering upon the duties of that office. My services dating from September 9th 1872. My account is as follows:

City of Crawfordsville, To A. S. Duckworth Street Com.

Dr.

For 162 days services as Street Commissioner from Sept 9th 1872 to May 5
1873 at \$2.00

\$ 153.00

All of which is respectfully submitted

Crawfordsville, Ind.,

A. S. Duckworth

May 5 1873

Street Commissioner

The following accounts were presented and allowed under a suspension of the rule:

Share of Goodrich Tax on Ohio for Auction House	70.56
" " William Durbridge for such advanced on Day building	16.07
" " L. E. Vanarsdale Costs on Mayor's judgement	3.00

On motion the Judiciary committee were allowed further time to report on the petition asking the improvement of Franklin street
A request from the city school Trustees asking an appropriation of the sum

One thousand dollars. On motion a warrant for One thousand dollars was directed to be issued in favor of said School Trustees.

The committee on Petitions and Overtures made the following report

The Committee on Petitions and Overtures recommends that the City Engineer be directed to make the necessary surveys for the extension of Pike Street from its present terminus at Mrs Robertson's Sloop Factory to the corporate limits of said city on the west, giving an estimate of the amount necessary to place said street ready for the gravel and that he report at the next regular meeting of the Council.

[Signed]

P. Hughes,
D. Martin,
W. Vanarsdall

On motion the report was concurred in.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet Friday evening May 9th 1873.

Attest:

Edw Brown,

City Clerk

Wilson K. Hazman Mayor

Be it remembered, that on the seventh day of May, A.D. 1873, that the Inspectors of a city election held on the sixth day of May, 1873 filed in the office of the clerk of the city of Crawfordsville, Indiana the following certificate:

"We the undersigned, Inspectors of an election held in the several wards of the city of Crawfordsville, Indiana on Tuesday the sixth day of May, A.D. 1873 for the election of one Councilman each, for the several wards of said city, having met in the office of the Mayor of said city on the day next succeeding said election and having carefully compared the vote certify that the following named persons received the number of votes set opposite their names for the office indicated:

For the office of Councilman of the first ward:

A. F. Ramsay received one hundred and eighty six votes.

John Griffin received one hundred and fifty five votes.

For the office of Councilman of the second ward:

Michael Price received One hundred and twenty seven votes.

Robert E. Bryant received Eighty four votes.

For the office of Councilman of the third ward:

Robert F. Beck received one hundred and thirty votes.

William W. Happersaw received One hundred and thirteen votes.

And we further certify that A. F. Ramsay having received a majority of the votes cast, is declared duly elected Councilman for said first ward to serve for two years and until his successor is elected and qualified. And that Michael Price having received a majority of the votes cast, is declared duly elected Councilman for said second ward to serve for two years and until his successor is elected and qualified. And that Robert F. Beck having received a majority of the votes cast, is declared duly elected Councilman for said third ward, to serve for two years and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Witness our hands this seventh day of May A.D. 1873

John W. Ramsay 1st Ward
Joseph Gaskill
Joseph Robinson

Inspectors

I, S. D. Brown Clerk of the city of Crawfordsville, Indiana, certify, that on the seventh day of May, A.D. 1873, I made and delivered certificates of election to the following named persons: To A. F. Ramsey, Councilman elect for the first ward of said city - to Michael Price, Councilman elect from the second ward, and to Robert F. Beck, Councilman elect, from the third ward of said city.

Witness my hand this 8th day of May A.D. 1873
S. D. Brown
City Clerk.

Adjourned Meeting.

Friday Evening,
May 9th 1873.

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Gayman, Councilmen Foot, Hughes, Bryant, Vanarsdale, Hester and Crist.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The Committee on Public Improvements made the following report:

To his Honor the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Crawfordsville.
Gentlemen:

The Committee on Public Improvements in submitting their final report would say of work commenced and not completed that there is the fill on West Market Street stopped last winter on account of the weather and our not having been able to procure the proper filling and the alley south of the city building stopped for reasons to us unknown.

There have been orders for several sidewalks, but not being able to have them surveyed, so as to give the notices in proper time, new orders will have to be issued.

Our work during the year has not been satisfactory even to ourselves, as for a greater portion of the time we had no Engineer and a part of the time virtually had no Street Commissioner

May 9th 1873

Respectfully Submitted:

[Signed]

S. A. Foot

William Vanarsdale

M. Hester

} Committee

The Committee on Petitions and Overtures returned the petition of Thomas and Reine on Pike Street extension - that of W. A. Posy and others for the improvement of Franklin Street and that of C. E. Vanarsdale for the improvement of North Street between Washington Street and the Lafayette Pike for recommitment

The Committee on accounts made the following report:

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

Gentlemen:

Your committee respectfully report that we have examined the remainder of Messrs Lockhart's account for Lumber furnished the city by S. R. Porter and find the balance of \$8.65 correct and recommend its payment

All accounts heretofore presented and referred to your committee, have been adjusted

wish the following exceptions; the claim of Geo. B. Leanington for services as Surveyor and Architect of the City, Dale, the claim of Messrs Robt. Mahoney for stores furnished the City by Order of Geo. Leanington and the claim of Mrs. Duckworth for services as Street Commissioner. These claims have been reported back to the Council and await its action. There is a balance of \$42. due the city on settlement from Mrs. S. Donnell for former Street Commissioner, which will have to be adjusted by Council.

There is also a claim from Blair, Lytle, and Smith for work done for Fire department amounting to \$9.15 Also a claim for coal furnished the city by D. W. Kilay which was not acted upon by your committee owing to the absence of Mr. Kilay from whom explanations were desired.

This closes all business with which your committee have had anything to do, and yet remains unsettled.

Respectfully,

R. E. Bryant
D. W. Hughes
D. Martin } Committee on accounts.

On motion the foregoing report was received and concurred in.

The same committee approved and recommended the payment of \$33.33 to W. B. Riley as payment for services as Marshal for the month of April 1873. On motion the report was concurred in and a warrant directed to be issued for the amount.

The Committee on Fire department made the following report:

To His Honor the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:

Gentlemen,

The Committee on the Fire Department in submitting their final report would say that during the year we have furnished the Department with all that has been asked for and that it is now in good order. But to make Engine No 2 available at all times and to put the Department in complete order, we would recommend the purchase of at least five hundred feet new hose and a new hose carriage.

Respectfully submitted:

May 9th 1873

S. A. Foote
W. W. Crist
William Vanarsdale } Committee

On motion the report was received and concurred in.

The committee on schools and public buildings made the following report:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:

Gentlemen:

Your committee respectfully report that all claims against the city for materials furnished the contractors to construct the city hall have been transferred to the circuit Court for adjustment, and the different cases will be tried during the fourth week of the present term. It is important that the new committee on Schools and Public Buildings give their personal attention to these suits that the interests of the city may be protected. We would also urge the necessity of providing a way of escape for the water thrown to the rear of the building from the roof as soon as the weather will permit so as to protect the foundation walls and prevent an accumulation of water in the Coal Vault.

Respy
R. E. Bryant
S. A. Foote
W. W. Crist } Com on Schools + P Buildings

The Treasurer made the following final report of the school building bond fund, which was accepted by the Council and concurred in.

To the Hon. Mayor and Council of the City of Bradford, Ind.

The undersigned Treasurer begs leave to submit to you the following report of the receipts and expenditures from the sale of School Building Bonds.

Amt. Recd from Sale of Bonds	\$30,000.00
" " Interest on same	275.00
	\$30,275.00

1872	Expenditures:				
Jan. 19.	Amt. Paid	School	Trustees		\$1000.00
Feb. 3	"	"	"	"	4000.00
March 21.	"	"	"	"	2500.00
April 13	"	"	"	"	3000.00
May 9	"	"	"	"	1500.00
June 22	"	"	"	"	3000.00
Aug. 3	"	"	"	"	5000.00
" 31	"	"	"	"	1000.00
Sept 24	"	"	"	"	3000.00
May 1873	"	"	"	"	375.00 = \$30,275.00

Wm Burbridge, City Treas.

The City Treasurer made the following annual report, which was on motion accepted by the Council

To the Hon. Mayor and Council of the City, Bradford, Ind.

The undersigned Treasurer begs leave to submit to you the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the year ending May 5th 1873.

Receipts

Balance in Treas. 1st May 1872	9,799.65
Amt. from Delinquent tax	3,020.50
" " Peddlers	121.00
" " Shows	151.00
" " Dog Tax	132.00
" " Fines & Jail Fees	214.17
" " Sale of Engine House	60.00
" " Road Receipts	1,015.95
" " Commutation road labor	676.52
" " City Building Bonds	21,000.00
" " Hacks and Express wagons	50.75
" " Liquor License	700.00
" " Auctioneers	35.00
" " Sale Stray Dogs	1.25
" " Dirt sold from streets	69.00
" " Stays Receipt	25.00
" " Taxes for 1872	10,761.10
	\$47,832.89

Expenditures

Amt Paid Fire department	92.10
Material & Labor on Actions	634.63
Material & Labor on Streets	1,940.17
City Attorney (Wilson Law)	25.00
City Bonds & Interest	535.00

Rents	125.00
Standards	38.18
County, City Auditor	100.00
Removing nuisances	1.00
Fire Engine	553.85
City Assessor	50.00
Benefits on Streets	9.00
Estimates on Engine House	8747.24
Sidewalk in front of Engine house	72.63
Books & Stationery	75.90
School Trustees	6875.00
City Lot and Interest	2080.00
Commissioners	40.00
Furniture Marshals Office	18.50
Hoops sold (by Marshal)	1.25
Furniture for Mayors office	104.55
Board Health	31.00
Lights & Fuel City Building	40.54
Insurance on City Building	87.50
Labor and Material on City Hall	56.95
Printing	126.00
Interest on School Bonds	3000.00
Election Expenses	31.00
City Engineer	148.50
Reclamation on Taxes	7.04
Mail Fees	65.60
Night Police	26.00
Officers Salaries	2050.31
Plans & Specifications on Engine House	212.50
Interest on Building Bonds	800.00
Widows Judgement	600.00
Cleaning City Building	10.00
	\$29,416.14
Balance	\$18,416.75

Wm Durbridge,
Treas.

The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department made the following annual report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville
The undersigned would respectfully submit to you the following report for the year ending April 30th 1873:

We have, at present, two first class hand engines, both in good working order. Two hose carts and reels, neither of which are to be considered first class - a new mackintosh - no hooks in first class order - three ladders - about five hundred feet of available hose and no suitable means of conveying our meager stocks of hooks and ladders to a fire.

Niagara No. 1, has on its company roll, thirteen hose and fifty three engine members making a total membership of sixty six

The alarm bell in the tower of the city hall is not so hung as to give its full sound, in fact it is useful as an alarm, to a very small part of the city. This defect in my opinion, can be remedied to some extent, by raising the floor immediately below

the bill hanging, or by removing the blinds in the bell tower.

The expense of the department for the year has been \$ 194.10

The city has been singularly fortunate in the past year in the matter of fires. There having been but one fire resulting in any material loss, and that but slight.

The department has been called out as follows:

- 1872. - June 3 Alarm at Methodist parsonage on Washburn Avenue. - No damage
- July 15. Alarm at Millers carriage factory. - Damage slight
- Sept 17. Fire in Binford's building on Green street Damage \$ 200.00
- 1873. - Feb. 21. Alarm in McClelland's addition Damage slight
- April 22 Alarm corner Main and Water streets No damage

With these facts before you, your wisdom will dictate what is necessary for the re-organizing of the department for the coming year

All of which is respectfully submitted.

May 7. 1873

W. D. Ashley
Chief F. D. C.

On motion, George R. Porter was allowed twenty-seven dollars for services as messenger at Engine house to April 1st 1873

On motion of Mr. Foote the Council adjourned without day.

Attest:
J. A. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Hazen Mayor

Organization.

Friday Evening, May 9, 1873.

A. S. Ramsay, Councilman elect from the first ward appeared and filed his certificate of election as councilman of said first ward endorsed by his oath faithfully to discharge the duties of said office.

Michael Price Councilman elect from the second ward, appeared and filed his certificate of election as councilman of said second ward, endorsed by his oath faithfully to discharge the duties of said office.

Robert S. Beck, Councilman elect from the third ward appeared and filed his certificate of election as councilman of said third ward endorsed by his oath faithfully to discharge the duties of his said office.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Councilmen Hughes, Ramsay, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

The following were appointed as the Standing Committees

- Ordinances:- Crist, Ramsey and Vanarsdall.
- Petitions:- Ramsey, Price and Beck.
- Schools & Pub. Bldgs:- Vanarsdall, Crist and Hughes.
- Fire Dept:- Hughes, Crist and Price.
- Accounts: Price, Beck and Ramsey.
- Printing:- Crist, Hughes and Price.
- Finance:- Vanarsdall, Beck and Hughes.
- Judiciary:- Beck, Vanarsdall and Ramsey.

The accounts of D. W. Delaney for coat and that of Olean, Seale and Smith were referred to the Committee on accounts.

Dr. A. W. Taylor presented an account of seven dollars for vaccination under the direction of the Board of Health and endorsed by the Board. On motion by Mr. Hughes, the rules were suspended and the account allowed.

The petition of W. D. Posey and others, asking the improvement of certain portions of Franklin Street was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The petition of Ruston and Thomson asking the extension of Pike street to the next corporation line and the Petition of E. C. Vanarsdall and others asking for the grading and graveling of North Street were referred to the committee on petitions.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet May 18, 1873.

Attest:
L. B. Brown City Clerk.

Wm. H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, May 19th 1873

The Council met. Present, His Honor Mayor Gaymon, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsay, Vanarsdale, Price, Crist and Beck

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted
A Remonstrance signed by Henry Hummel and others opposing the improvement of North street was read and referred to the Committee on Petitions and overtures

The Judiciary Committee made the following report which was received and concurred in by the Council

To the Mayor and Common Council.

The committee to which was referred the petition for the filling up and graveling of that portion of Franklin street from the crossing of the Danville road east to the S. B. & W. R. R. Depot now report, that from their examination of the subject have come to the conclusion that good faith requires that the S. B. & W. Rail road company should do said work in accordance with this agreement with the property holders. That your committee see no reason why said Railroad company would decline to fulfill their promises to so grade it if they are properly called upon by the city to do so. We therefore recommend that the city call upon the Leul Superintendent of said road to make said fill and grade and that a correspondence be opened with a view of getting them to do this work.

[Signed]

R. F. Beck

William Vanarsdale }
A. F. Ramsay }
Judiciary }
Committee }

The Committee on accounts reported the accounts of J. M. Kelsey of 15.70 for coal and of Blair, Syle and Smith of \$9.15 for blacksmith work correct and recommended this payment. On motion the report was concurred in and warrants directed to issue.

On motion, the committee on Schools and Public Buildings were authorized and directed to have the roof of the city building repaired.

The Street Commissioner made the following report:

To the Common Council of the City of Iowa Falls:

Gentlemen:

Since my last report I have been employed in repairing the streets as far as any work has been done. I have hauled gravel and filled up the hollows and worn out places on Market street from the Brewery to Main street. On Main street from Market to Wabash Avenue - On Main street from Green to S. 4th. & B. R. - On Walnut from Railroad to Corporation line south - On West part of Wabash Avenue - On Green from Market to Pike Street and a few detached loads in other places.

I have the following accounts for work to report and ask that orders be drawn for the same:-

City of Iowa Falls

To A. S. Duckworth	1 Team 4 1/2 Days at 3.20	15.75
" Jacob Stale	1 Team 3 1/2 " " 3.00	10.05
" Mitchell	25 Loads Gravel " 7 1/2	1.87
" Charles Sappenfield	5 Sops at 1.00	5.00
	Total	\$34.57

A. S. Duckworth
Street Commissioner

On motion the report was received and concurred in and a warrant ordered to be issued.

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdale it was ordered that hereafter all claims presented pro-

sented to the Council, shall be sworn to.

The City Civil Engineer reported the completion of a survey for side walks and main street from D. L. Doremus's east line to the Logansport, Crawfordville and Southwestern rail road. Also, a report of survey of the proposed extension of Pike street from Robertson's Factory to the west Corporation line, estimating the cost of construction, exclusive of graveling at two hundred and fifty dollars. Also, recommending the purchase of a Surveyor's Transit. Filed.

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville
I beg leave to report to you the following list of members in good standing in Niagara Fire Company No 1 of said City on May 1st 1873.

1 Wm Ashley	21 A. S. Hughes	41 Geo L. Powers
2 S. D. Brown	22 W. H. Hartman	42 W. D. Ryeke
3 Wm Bonnell	23 Alex Huff	43 W. L. Ramsey
4 Robt F Beck	24 J. W. Kelsey	44 Saml Robinson
5 Nathaniel Beatty	25 Wm B. Hardey	45 J. N. Remyon
6 John Conway	26 Lehas Davis	46 John Robinson Jr
7 H. H. Lester	27 Epsd Joub	47 R. L. Stout
8 J. Childs	28 John Johnson	48 W. V. B. Smith
9 John Clemons	29 John V. Kenaw	49 M. S. Smith
10 Samuel Carrington	30 Henry Kohl	50 Geo. Smith
11 David Dixie	31 D. W. Mitholland	51 Mira Smith
12 John Elliott	32 W. H. McNeely	52 Martin Simpson
13 Wm L. Foy	33 Jacob Metzger	53 Perry Shepherd
14 Abner Girard	34 Perry Martin	54 Austin Sumner
15 Chas Girard	35 Wm Morgan	55 Chas Thurman
16 Chas Galy	36 A. E. Newell	56 W. W. Scott
17 Ed. H. Keller	37 Jos A. Taylor	57 Saml Vanclive
18 John Keover	38 Marion Onshaw	58 Noah Wilkinson
19 James Keator Jr.	39 Geo Porter	59 W. V. West.
20 Paul Hughes	40 Wm Posey	

Total 59 Names

All of which is respectfully submitted

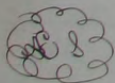
W. W. Scott Rec. Secy.

The following was presented and read

Dale of Niagara No 1 May 7 1873

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville Ind.

This certifies that at a regular meeting of Niagara Fire Co held on the 7th day of May 1873 Warren H. Ashley was unanimously recommended to your honorable body as Chief Engineer of the Fire department for the ensuing year



Witness, my hand and the seal of said Company this 7th day of May 1873.

W. W. Scott Reading Secy

On motion, the Council proceeded to the election of a Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. On the first ballot, Warren H. Ashley received six votes and was declared duly elected Chief Engineer of the Fire department, to serve for one year and until his successor is elected and qualified.

On motion, the Council proceeded to the election of three commissioners to form a Board of Health. On the first ballot Dr. S. W. Purviance, Dr. M. S. May and Dr. W. L. Johnson were elected such Commissioners, to serve for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

On motion, the Council went into the election of two Commissioners to assess damages and benefits. On ballot, John S. Campbell, William Campbell, Taylor Buffington, John W. Bolan and William Apperson were declared duly elected such Commissioners to serve for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

On motion, the Council proceeded to ballot for a Board of Public Improvements. On the first ballot William A. Vanarsdall was chosen. On the second ballot R. F. Beck and A. F. Ramsey were chosen and the said William A. Vanarsdall, R. F. Beck and A. F. Ramsey were declared duly elected Board of Public Improvements to serve for one year.

On motion the Clerk was directed to issue warrants for the election boards of the late Corporation election in amounts as follows: For the Inspectors, three dollars each. For judges and Clerks two dollars and fifty cents each.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of the Indianapolis Journal Co. for Fax lists and duplicates of	\$ 18.00
That of Ed. Binford & Co for Metals for five dept. of	1.50
That of W. H. Richie for tests Map of	6.00
That of Coltra and Babcock for repairs on Washington Street mill of	10.00

The following accounts were referred:

That of McCain & Ballot for Printing of	\$ 34.25
That of S. H. Gregg & son for Standard of	7.00
That of Harris & Braden for Cost of	21.95

On motion of Mr. Douglas the Committee on Public Improvements were authorized to purchase tile for a culvert on West Market Street.

On motion the question of Publishing the Treasurers report was referred to the committee on Printing to report at the next regular meeting of the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. B. Brown
City Clerk.

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Called Meeting.

Saturday Evening, May 24th, 1873.

Upon call of the Mayor the Council convened. Present Mayor Layman, Councilmen Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

Mr. Vanarsdall introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, By the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids.

That the City Engineer be directed to survey Market Street in said City, from N. W. Dunes east line on the south side of said street, to the Corporation line on the west, with a view to making said street sixty feet wide, and that he report his said survey with a plat of the same as soon as practicable.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. Total, five. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. B. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson H. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening June 2 1873
Wm. H. Ramsey

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Layman, Councilmen Vanarsdale, Price, Crist and Dick

The minutes of the two preceding meetings were read and on motion, a copy of the same was ordered to be printed.

The committee on accounts made the following report which was on motion concurred in:-

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Bradfordville: Gentl^{en} We have the honor to report that having examined the Street Commissioners account, we find that he charges his time at the rate of two dollars per day and the late Council having elected or appointed him to serve the unexpired term of his predecessor at a salary of two hundred dollars per year. In order to reconcile this difference (which seems to have been a misunderstanding on the part of the Street Commissioner) we recommend that an order be made for his payment up to the end of the year at the rate of two hundred dollars per year, and that a further order be made to recompense him equal to the amount of his claim of two dollars per day.

On the account of Harris and Prader for coal, we find that Carl Carrington received the two lots of coal delivered Jan^y 10th and Jan^y 20th 1873 which were burned and used during the construction of late Building wharf in his charge. The lot delivered on Nov^r 30th 1872 he also received and says it still lies in cellar of City Building.

I. D. Gregg's Dr's account for Sundries, we find the articles charged for purchased for the use of the Marshals Office except pick and handle which was taken by the Street Commissioner for use of City.

The account of McCam and Talbot for printing was all contracted for and furnished in the time of the late Council and we see no reason to doubt its correctness.

June 2^o 73

[Signed]

Michael Price
A. F. Ramsey
R. F. Dick

The committee on Printing, reported that the Treasurers report could be published in the Review for three dollars and in the Star for two dollars and fifty cents.

On motion of Mr Price the report was directed to be published in each of the city papers at a price not exceeding three dollars to each.

The committee on petitions reported against any improvement of North street at present. Concurred in.

The Mayor made the following monthly report:

To the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen: During the month of May,

The fines collected in Mayors Office were \$ 13.00
" Jail fees collected " " " 4.20
Total collections during May were \$ 17.20 which

Have been paid into the City Treasury as per receipt on file.

During the month of May jail fees were created against the City to the amount of \$ 4.20 Of this amount \$ 2.20 has been secured and \$ 2.⁰⁰ is worthless.

June 2^o 1873.

Respectfully Submitted

Wilson H. Layman Mayor
City of Bradfordville

On motion the Marshal was instructed to have the streets and alleys of the city thoroughly cleaned.

The City Treasurer made the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the month of May 1873

Receipts of City for May 1873-

Am't in Treas 1st May	\$ 18,416.75
" from Tax	1,036.55
" " Delinquent Tax	16.09
" " Road receipts	1,498.70
" " Peddlers	4.00
" " Shows	2.00
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	\$ 20,975.09

Expenditures

Am't Paid interest Building Bonds.	150.00	
" " Officers Salary	108.23	
" " Fire Department	117.36	
" " Commissioners	10.00	
" " Board Health	8.00	
" " Ways Judgments	19.07	
" " Rents	92.30	
" " School Trustees	625.00	
" " Labor and material on streets	86.48	
" " Signs & Fuel	15.70	
" " Books & Stationery	24.00	
" " Election Expenses	10.50	\$ 1,266.74
Less Interest & Sinking funds;		19,708.35
[to date]		<hr/>
		7,892.77
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Balance to draw		\$ 11,815.58

Wm Durbridge Treas

The Street Commissioner made the following bi-weekly report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Crawfordville:

The Street Commissioner makes the following bi-weekly report -

Since my last report

38 men have performed their two days work	\$ 3.	\$ 114.00
2 " Committed " " "	3	6.00
3 " Paid Election Certificates	3	9.00
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Total labor secured		\$ 129.00

The following labor has been hired and used by me

A. S. Duckworth Team 11 1/4 days	\$ 21.12
Jacob Steele " " 10 1/4 "	37.62
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Total liability for work	\$ 58.74

For the above amount orders should be drawn on the city Treasury

I have paid into the city Treasury of money received of the county Treasury

Real tax to the amount of \$1503.

All this work has been done upon near Market Street except 2 days on Washington & College Streets and other places in repairs.

All of which is respectfully submitted

June 2, 1873.

A. S. Duckworth

Street Commissioner

On motion the report was concurred in and warrants were directed to issue for the amounts mentioned as due therein.

Mr. Lister from the Committee on Ordinances reported the following

Ordinance:-

An Ordinance Fixing the Salaries of the Officers of the City of Crawfordville.

- Sec. 1. Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville that the salaries of the Officers of said City shall be as follows:
- Sec. 2. That of the Mayor shall be five hundred dollars per annum and the fees of his office.
- Sec. 3. That of the Clerk shall be three hundred dollars per annum.
- Sec. 4. That of the Marshal shall be four hundred dollars per annum and the fees of his office.
- Sec. 5. That of the Treasurer shall be two hundred dollars per annum.
- Sec. 6. That of the City Treasurer shall be two hundred dollars per annum and the fees of his office.
- Sec. 7. That of the Street Commissioners shall be two dollars per day for time actually employed.
- Sec. 8. That of the City Engineer shall be at the rate of three dollars per day for time actually employed.
- Sec. 9. That of City Council shall be fifty dollars per annum, each.
- Sec. 10. That of the Board of Public Improvements shall be twenty five dollars per annum in addition to pay as member of Council.

Sec. 11. All of said salaries shall be payable quarterly and it shall be the duty of the City Clerk to issue his warrant on the Treasurer of said City on the first day of July, October, January and April for said salaries.

Sec. 12. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passing. The Ordinance was read a first time - the rules were suspended and it was read a second and third times and adopted. Those who voted in the affirmative on the question of its adoption were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdale, Price, Crist and Beck. Total, Six.

The Board of Health presented certain recommendations which were, on motion referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

Mr. Hughes introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville that the City Engineer be instructed to make a survey of Pike Street from Robertson's factory to the Corporation line on the west with a view to opening said portion of said street and that he report his said survey with plats of the same to this Council at the next regular meeting.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Vanarsdale and Crist. Those who voted in the negative were Councilmen Ramsey, Price and Beck. The Mayor voted aye and the resolution was declared adopted.

The Board of Health requested the Council to purchase for the use of the Board, Wilson's hand book of Hygiene and Sanitary Science. Referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery.

The following account was presented:

Crawfordville Ind. Nov 15 1873

The Dow Common Council, Crawfordville, Ind.,
Gentlemen: I paid the following men the prices stated for repair of doors to prepare the City Hall for occupation

J. P. Wiseman Carpenter	11 hours	2.25
L. Wiseman	" 1 1/2 days	3.37
W. Newad	" 11 hours	2.25
W. Mills	" 11 hours	2.25
My expense of trip to Indianapolis to procure contract from C. & M. White		3.00
having no rail road fare to pay was		13.12

Wm. H. O.

Henry B. Leanington

At U.S.C.

Arch. - Supt late in charge

On motion, the rules were suspended and the account allowed.

The Board of Public Improvements a quit claims deed from Frank Henry for 10 feet of ground on the south side of Market street and a similar deed from Alva O. Greist, being land donated for the widening of said street.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of Warner Willite for Jail fees of	\$ 33.60
That of J. M. Sayre for rent of Office for holding 1st Ward Election of	5.00
That of Lowrey & Harris for Blacksmith work of	20.75
That of W. P. Britton for Notary fees in acknowledging deeds from Henry Greist	2.00

The following claims were referred to the Committee on accounts:

That of Geo. B. Porter for repairs about Engine house of	\$ 5.00
That of W. B. Harrington for Superintendence of City Hall	\$ 218.75

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Ramsey:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville, That the Engineer be ordered to establish the grade for a sidewalk on the north side of Mabash Avenue from West street to Marshal and that the same be made of boards 1 1/2 in thick and four feet wide or of brick.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Ramsey, Vanarsdale, Price, Criss and Dick, total 5. Mr Hughes voted no. Total 1.

Mr Vanarsdale moved that upon the sanction of the City Attorney, the Clerk be directed to issue in favor of W. L. Drinn for \$1027.50 being amount of judgment recently obtained against the city.

Mr. Price moved to lay on the table for two weeks. Adopted.

On motion the committee on schools and Public Buildings were instructed to procure a case for the papers of the city Clerk.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. D. Brown
City Clerk.

William H. Raymond Mayor

Called Meeting. June 2, 1873

Upon call of the Mayor, the Council met. Present His Honor the Mayor; Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

The City Engineer made the following report:
To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville

I herewith submit the following report of a survey for the purposes of opening, widening, the Localities, Boundaries, and Area of land to be condemned on West Market Street, South side - Owned by W. A. Dunn and C. Mills.

Beginning at a point (20) twenty feet south of centre of Market Street and running thence four hundred and eighty five feet west to western limit of W. A. Dunn's land, thence south ten point ten (10) feet from said line, thence east four hundred and eighty five feet, thence north to the place of beginning. Said boundaries include a tract four hundred and eighty five feet (485) feet by ten (10) feet. The area of said tract is eleven hundredths ($\frac{11}{100}$) of an acre and contains all that part of land owned by W. A. Dunn to be condemned.

Beginning at a point ten (10) feet south from C. Mills' north line and running thence near eight hundred and fifty (850) feet to west Corporation limit thence north ten (10) feet, thence east eight hundred and fifty (850) feet thence south to place of beginning. Said boundaries include a tract eight hundred and fifty (850) feet, by ten (10) feet. The area of said tract is nineteen hundredths ($\frac{19}{100}$) of an acre and contains that part of the land owned by C. Mills to be condemned.

The lot owned by Mr. Crist is not included in the estimate of C. Mills. The area of said lot is five hundredths ($\frac{5}{100}$) of an acre.

The total of land given in this report is thirty five hundredths of an acre.
S. C. Campbell C. E.

On motion the report was received.

Mr. Vanarsdall offered the following:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville that the report of the City Civil Engineer of the survey for the widening of West Market Street be accepted and Concurred in and that the City Clerk be, and he is hereby directed to issue legal notices to the Commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits by reason of the opening or widening of said part of said street and that he also notify W. A. Dunn and C. Mills of the time and place of the meeting of said Commissioners and of the matters and things there to be considered.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were: almer Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. Total Six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The City School Trustees presented a written request for the appropriation of the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars for the payment of an estimate on the City School building.

Mr. Crist moved to comply with the request. Lost.

Mr. Ramsey introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that the owners of lots along the north side of Nabalb Avenue between West and Marshal streets in the city be notified by the Street Commissioner to make sidewalks within thirty days from the date of the service of such notice. Said sidewalks to be made in all respects according to the order made by resolution of this Council at its last meeting directing the same to be done. On the adoption of which resolution those who voted 'aye' were Councilmen Hughes Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price and Beck. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned

Wilson H. Rogers Mayor

Street
W. A. Brown City Clerk

Called Meeting

Saturday Evening June 7th 1873

Upon call of the Mayor the Council met. Present Mayor Layman Councilmen Hughes
 Ramsey, Vandersale, Price and Beck

Mr Hughes offered the following:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville that the
 chief of F. D. be authorized to purchase five hundred (500) feet of new hose with couplings
 by the adoption of which those who voted "aye" were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey,
 Vandersale, Price and Beck. Total five. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On Motion the Council adjourned:

Attest
 J. D. Brown clerk

Wm Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, June 16th 1873

The Council met. Present His Honor Mayor Raymond, Councilmen Douglas, Ramsey, Ramsdell, Price, Brist and Beck.

The minutes of the preceding meeting, now read and adopted

The Committee on accounts reported as follows:

The committee on accounts recommended the payment of the accounts

Harris and Braden for coal, of	41.95
J. H. Gregg & Son Standard	7.00
W. Cain & Talbot Printing,	34.25

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Michael Price
D. S. Beck
A. F. Ramsey

On motion the report was concurred in.

The City Marshal made the following report which was concurred in and a warrant was directed to issue to David Rie for five dollars:

Crawfordsville, Ind., June 16th 1873

To the Mayor and Common Council,

gentlemen, I have the honor to report that since your last meeting I have cleaned all the alleys running east and west and north and south between Jefferson and Market streets for which payment has been made in full by the property holders

I have also cleaned Washington and part of main streets, for which, there is due David Rie five (5) dollars for ten (2) days labor with horse and cart.

Very Respectfully,
W. B. Riley.

The Street Commissioner made the following bi-weekly report:

To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

gentlemen; The following is the report of the operations of the Street Commissioner's office for the last two weeks.

All the work done during that time has been on the fill at the west end of Market Street excepting a team one day and a half on alley by city building.

22 men have labored there 2 days at \$3. \$66.00

The following labor has been employed by me, for whose accounts as here ordered orders on Treasury should be drawn:

Thomas Ross with team 1 day		3.50
Jacob Steele " " 8 1/2 days	@ \$3.50	29.75
A. S. Duckworth " " 9 1/2 "	\$ 3.50	
	Total	<u>33.25</u>
		\$66.50

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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A. S. Duckworth
Street Commissioner

On motion the report was concurred in and a warrant for \$66.50 was directed to be issued in favor of the Street Commissioner.

By your commission, Col Carrington presented a report on the city building which was directed to be filed.

The City Engineer made the following report which was concurred in:

June 16th 1873.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

I beg leave to submit the following report of a survey for the proposed extension of Pike Street.

Beginning at the present western limit of said street a line coinciding with the present center of Pike street was extended west to west corporation limit. Allowing width of street to be sixty six (66) feet in width, the following is an estimate of land to be condemned.

W. A. Dunn's tract six hundred and thirty (630) feet by sixty four (64) feet containing ninety-one (91) hundredths of an acre.

To complete the intended width of street the remaining two (2) feet occupies the ground owned by W. Kenyon and contains a strip five hundred and eighty feet (580) by two (2) feet the area of which is three hundredths of an acre ($\frac{3}{100}$).

Cemetery tract includes an area bounded by the following dimensions, two hundred and twenty five (225) by sixty six (66) feet and contains forty hundredths of an acre ($\frac{4}{100}$)

Leah's Mill tract continues to Thomson & Ristins addition; is three hundred and six feet (306) by sixty six (66) feet and contains forty four hundredths of an acre ($\frac{44}{100}$)

Total amt of land to be condemned 1 Acre + $\frac{75}{100}$ D. L. Campbell C. E.

The following Resolution was introduced by Mr Hughes.

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville, Indiana, that it is proposed to condemn and appropriate to the public use, for the purpose of extending Pike street from its present western terminus to the Corporation line west of said city, the following described property to wit as shown by report of City Engineer:

"Beginning at the present western limit of said street a line coinciding with the present center of Pike street was extended west to west corporation limit. Allowing width of street to be sixty six (66) feet in width the following is an estimate of land to be condemned.

W. A. Dunn's tract six hundred and thirty (630) feet by sixty four (64) feet containing ninety-one (91) hundredths of an acre.

To complete the intended width of street, the remaining two (2) feet occupies the ground owned by W. Kenyon and contains a strip five hundred and eighty feet (580) by two (2) feet, the area of which is three hundredths of an acre ($\frac{3}{100}$)

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Total amt of land to be condemned is 1 Acre + $\frac{75}{100}$ "

And be it further Resolved that the City Clerk do and he is hereby directed to notify the Commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits to meet at the Mayor's Office in said City on the 25th day of July 1873 to assess the damages and benefits accruing to the owners of land adjoining and upon the line of said proposed street by reason of the opening of Pike street from the present western terminus of said street to the Corporation line on the west and that he also notify Nathaniel A. Dunn, Leah's Mills, Cyrus D. Wilhite Wiley Kenyon D. H. Ristins and the following owners of lots in the Crawfordsville Cemetery: John W. Blair, Robert J. Vance, John Crawford, John V. Newell, W. A. Newton, Joseph Gribb, W. B. Burbridge, Cyrus D. Wilhite John B. Robinson Sr. Henry Williams, Rebecca Newell, Augustus Newell, William Newell, Miss W. Smith, Heirs of Hugh Strickland dec'd. Dr. Lewis, Mary A. D. Lewis Cornelia Cross, the unknown Heirs of Thomas W. Tiley dec'd and the unknown heirs of Joseph Herr dec'd. of the time and place of the meeting of said Commissioners and of the matters then and there to be considered.

The question being on the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Vanarsdale, Lewis and Beck Total 4. Those who voted no were Councilmen Ramsey and Price Total 2. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Hughes:

Resolved by the Mayor and common Council of the city of Crawfordsville

That the owners of property along so much of the alley running east and west between Pike and Main Streets as lies between Green and Washington Streets be notified by the Street Commissioner to grade and boulder said portion of said alley within thirty days from the date of such notice and should such property owners fail or refuse to comply with this order then the Street Commissioner is directed to complete said work at the expense of such property owners.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Prier, Crist and Beck, Total 5. Mrs Vanarsdall voted no. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolved that the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to settle with all persons against whom benefits have been assessed on account of the opening of Jefferson Street by taking their notes due six months after date bearing ten per cent interest from date and that all persons refusing to settle as above provided that suit be instituted as early as possible, to enforce the collection of said benefits.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Prier, Crist and Beck, Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolved that the City Treasurer be directed to purchase with the City school Building sinking fund in the Treasury \$5000.⁰⁰ of City bonds at a premium not to exceed five per cent.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Prier and Beck, Total 5. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules.

That of Geo Deaney for Printing of	\$ 16.90
That of Wm Britton for Sighting rods for City building of	19.50
That of P.S. Kennedy for Legal services in Smiths & City	25.00
That of S.H. Clegg for Repairs on Main St West	4.00

The following were referred:

Hannah J. Hughes for Rent of Stray Pen	\$ 15.00
Wm Klein for Police Badges	5.00

On motion Wm Brinker and Dickison were each allowed four dollars for pumping out Coal vault under City building

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. Q. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson K. Hayman Mayor

Monday Evening, June 30 1873

The Council met. Present the Honorable Mayor Gaynor, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsay, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, adopted.

The Committee on accounts made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Sir: We have the honor to report that having examined the within account of Col. Carrington for superintending the City Hall building we have come to the conclusion that owing to the fact that the contract for the building made him Superintendent and that the City Council having permitted him to act and continued him in that capacity till the building was complete - the City is now responsible to in some measure recompense him for his services. In consideration of the said Col. Carrington having withdrawn part of his claim to about cover the amount expended by the City after receiving the building from the contractors, or in other words he reduces his claim to \$175.⁰⁰ and we therefore recommend its payment.

[Signed]

Michael Price

R. F. Beck

A. F. Ramsey

On motion the report was concurred in and a warrant directed to issue in favor of Col. Carrington for \$175.⁰⁰

The same Committee reported in favor of the payment of the account of Dr. Annals J. Hughes of \$15.⁰⁰ for rent of stray paid to July 1. 1873 which was concurred in and a warrant directed to issue

On motion, the account of W. C. Klein of five dollars for making two police badges was allowed and a warrant directed to issue.

The City Treasurer made the following monthly report:

Receipts for the month of June 1873

Balance in Treas. 1st of June	19,708.35
Am't. Recd. from Taxes	384.25
" " " Delinquent Tax	1.09
" " " Auctioneers	3.00
" " " Shows	23.00
" " " Benefits on Streets	26.25
" " " Signor Science	50.00
" " " Readers	6.00
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	\$20,201.94

Expenditures

Am't. paid Interest on School Bonds	1500.00
" " School Bonds	5000.00
" " Premium on School Bonds	250.00
" " On Streets	323.99
" " Fuel for Office	21.95
" " Printing	16.90
" " Election Expenses	18.50
" " Commissioners on Streets	10.00
" " Fire Department	10.65
" " Hardware	7.00
" " Cleaning Coal Vault	8.00
" " Repairing Public well	4.00
" " City Attorney	27.00

"	"	Lightning rod	19.50	
"	"	Paint Fees	33.60	
"	"	Board Wealth	7.00	7.278.09
				\$ 12.923.85
Sess Sinking & Interest Fund				3.296.09
Balance to draw				\$ 9.327.76
				W. Burbridge Treas.

The Street Commissioner made the following report
 To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen: During the last two weeks, the Street Commissioners operations are covered by the following reports: Work with 2 teams on Masses ditch corner of Washington and Main Streets, and repairing culvert. 2 1/2 days hauling gravel repairing brown Main and North Walnut streets with 3 teams - Worked 15 men on North Walnut Street and parts of the time had two teams on Market Street. I report the following bills for teams and labor on Streets:

A. S. Duckworth with team	10 3/4 days	\$ 37.62
Jacob Steele	8 1/2 "	30.80
Total		\$ 67.42

All of which is respectfully submitted:

June 30, 1873

A. S. Duckworth
 Street Commissioner

As motion the report was concurred in and a warrant directed to issue for 67.42

The Chief Engineer of the fire department requested the Council to purchase a new hose cart and presented a communication on the subject from John S. Stout of Richmond, Indiana. Referred to the Committee on Fire Dept.

The following reports was made:

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

The undersigned Commissioners of the City of Bradfordville, duly elected and qualified to appraise damages and assess benefits accruing to the owners of lands and lots through which any street is proposed to be constructed or altered or any building thereon appropriated to, would respectfully report that on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1873, in pursuance of a notice to us directed, by the Clerk of said City we entered upon and examined the lands and lots lying along and adjoining that portion of Market Street in said City from N. S. Dennis east line on the south side of said street, to the corporation line on the west, with a view to making said street sixty feet wide and we then and there made an appraisement of the value of the lands and lots to be appropriated in making said improvement and of the damages and benefits accruing to the owners of lands and lots lying along and adjoining and through which, said street is to be extended widened and improved. All of which is fully set forth in a schedule hereto annexed, marked "A" and made a part of this report with the amount in dollars and cents of the value of lands and lots appropriated and of the damages and benefits accruing to the owners thereof, each set opposite the name of the owner of such lands and appropriated under the respective head and damaged and benefited by reason of such extension.

The amount of damages accruing to the lands and lots and the owners thereof along and adjoining said street are equal and we are clearly of the opinion that the opening and extension of said street as proposed will be of great general benefit and of public utility largely demanded for the convenience of property owners and resident citizens along said proposed widening of said street and the public at large. That the benefits inure very largely to the owners of real estate along said street and that the

damage done to the owners of the land appropriated should be borne by the owners of lots and lands along, through and adjoining said proposed improvement and that no part of the value of the land appropriated by said opening, widening and improving said street should be borne by the City. That said street should be opened as proposed by your order and the damages and benefits as set forth in the annexed schedule to the real estate described therein by reason of said improvement should be awarded and paid as set forth in said schedule and that such other and further proceedings may be had in the premises as your judgement and wisdom may determine

All of which is respectfully submitted:

[Signed]

John W. Belain
 Wm Campbell
 Wm W. Esperson
 Taylor Buffington } Commissioners

Schedule

Marked "A" referred to in the foregoing report and made a part of said report.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Value of Property Appropriated	Damages to Property	Benefits to Property	Remarks
A. A. Dunn	11/100 Acre	\$110.00	\$110.00	\$ 5.00	
Caleb Mills	19/100 Acre	\$113.00	\$113.00	\$113.00	
John W. Belain	None taken, but fence moved	None Appropriated	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	
Isaac W. Vance	None taken	None	00	\$ 35.00	
Nancy Sowrys Deirs	None taken	None	00	\$ 5.00	
James S. W. Ellland	None taken	None	00	\$14.75	
		\$ 223.00	\$228.00	\$ 228.00	

Assessments on Market Street \$ 223.00

Damages \$ 228.00

Benefits \$ 228.00

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The following resolution was introduced by Mr Vanarsdall:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Lawfordsville That the Council accept the terms of the report of the Commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits, of the assessment of damages and benefits by reason of the widening of Market street in said city, on the south side, from A. A. Dunn's east line to the Corporation line on the west, and that the City Treasurer is hereby directed to tender to the parties named in said report, such damages as may have been awarded them by said Commissioners, after deducting such benefits as have been assessed against them, and that the Clerk be directed to prepare and place in the hands of the City Treasurer an assessment list with warrant attached, directing him to collect the benefits assessed by said Commissioners by reason of said improvement and that after the said Treasurer has made a tender of the damages above mentioned that the Street Commissioners be directed to open said street which is hereby appropriated to the use of the City.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Brist and Beck. Total 6 - and the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr Hughes offered the following resolution:

Resolved That advertisement be made by the city Clerk in one of the weekly papers of this city for the reception of bids until the day of 1873 for the grading and bouldering of the alley running east and west between Main and Pike streets from Chew to Washington streets in said city - the same to be let to the lowest responsible bidder the City reserving the right to reject any and all bids not deemed satisfactory.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Price, Crist and Beck. Total 4. Those who voted "no" were Councilmen Vanarsdall and Ramsey and the resolution was declared adopted.

The City School Trustees presented the following:

T. D. Brown, Clerk of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

The undersigned, School Trustees would respectfully request through you an appropriation from the Finance Committee of the Common Council of said City, of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars for the payment of an estimate or Contract with T. D. Jones for the erection of School Houses for said City.

Given under our hands, this 30th day of June 1873.

[Signed] D. K. Street }
E. C. Griffith } School Trustees.

Mr. Ramsey moved that the request be granted.

Mr. Price moved to amend so that the trustees be directed to make report to the Council of the amount paid out on the School building. Adopted. The question then being on the adoption of the motion as amended it was lost.

Mr. Price then moved that the City School Trustees be required to present to the Council at its next regular meeting, a report of the amounts paid out on the School building by them. Adopted.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of W. J. See for 103 feet of Culvert at 5.00 per foot.	\$ 515.00
That of St. Johns Church for 2, 50 foot Sills	5.00
That of David Pine for 1 1/2 days labor on streets	2.25
That of Edward Conner for 1 1/2 days labor on streets	2.25
That of L. C. Campbell for 14 days service as City Engineer	42.00
That of L. C. Campbell for 9 1/2 days service of Assistant	19.00

The following were referred:

That of P. W. Layne for service on Board of Health	\$25.00
That of David Pine for 7 days labor on streets with cart	17.50
That of Geo. Dinsdale for 25 loads of Gravel	6.25
That of Blair, Seife and Smith for iron shutters for City building	100.75

The following was introduced by Mr. Price:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council, that the City Engineer be ordered to set stakes for grade to make and Boulder the gutter on the south side of Market Street from Cross to Washington Streets and that the property owners on said street be ordered to have the gutters made and bouldered within twenty days of notice.

Those who voted in the affirmative on the adoption of the foregoing resolution were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The following was introduced by Mr. Ramsey

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council that the Engineer be directed to make a survey on Walnut Street from Pike to Jefferson Streets and report at our next regular meeting the most direct and cheapest plan of draining said street and probable cost of same.

On the adoption of which those who voted aye were Councilmen Hughes Ramsey Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck, Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

The City Assessor reported as follows:

(Value of) Real Estate in City	1,532,630.
Personal Property in City	973,390
Total	\$2,506,020.

Signed Jeff. Scott.

On motion, the Finance Committee were directed to examine and distribute

the Five thousand dollars of City Bonds ordered and cancelled by the City Treasurer.

Mr. Ramsey moved that a warrant be issued in favor of V. D. Drwin for \$1,027.50 amount of judgement held by him against the city. There being a tie vote, the Mayor voted 'no' and the motion was lost.

On motion the Clerk was directed to issue a warrant in favor of J. B. Johnson for \$59.95 for bouldering the city's portion of the alley south and west of the City building when approved by the Chairman of the Board of Public Improvements.

The following was introduced by Mr. Ramsey:

Resolved that the City Clerk be directed to advertise in one of the City papers for two weeks for bids for the grading and bouldering of that portion of the alley running east and west from Green to Washington between Main and Market streets from the west line of Discole and Johnsons lot to the west line of Leraig and Adams's lot on said alley. The same to be let to the lowest responsible bidder, the city reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted "aye" were Councilmen Dugley, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion of Mr. Ramsey, the Board of Public Improvements was directed to fence the rear of the City lot.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

Edw. Brown
City Clerk

Wilson K. Hazen Mayor

Monday Evening, July 14th 1873.

The Council met. Present Hon. Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Hughes Ramsey Vanarsdall, Price, Crier and Beck.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion, accepted.

The Committee on accounts reported the following accounts correct and recommended their payment:

- That of David Dine for Labor on Streets, for \$ 17.50
- That of George Driskill for Travel 6.25
- That of Blain, Saff and Smiths for Iron work on City building of \$65.75

On motion the report was concurred in, and warrants directed to issue for the said amounts.

The Committee reported back the account of P. M. Sayne of \$25.00 for services on Board of Health without recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Vanarsdall, P. M. Sayne was allowed fifteen dollars for services on Board of Health.

Mr. Hughes from the committee on Fire Department reported in favor of purchasing a hose cart capable of carrying One thousand feet of hose. Concurred in, and the purchase of a rubber hose by the Chief Engineer confirmed.

The Street Commissioner made the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordsville:

Gentlemen: During the last two weeks the following street work has been done:

2 1/2 days with 2 teams repairing College street.

2 " " " " 3 Shovels in State Ditch

Made one new Culvert by Stals and repaired Culvert near Centre Church.

The net of work has been done on Market Street during the last two weeks in following manner, filling, filling and hauling on hollow.

24 men have worked out their two days road tax.

2 men have paid their road labor tax.

The following bills have been made by the Street Commissioner

Thomas Ross 3 days with teams	350	\$ 10.50
Jacob Stals 8 1/2 days " "	" "	29.75
Mr. Harward 4 " " "	350	13.00
A. S. Duckworth 9 1/4 " " "	350	32.37
Mistake in addition of Account last report		<u>1.00</u>
Total		\$ 86.62

All of which is respectfully submitted

July 14 1873

A. S. Duckworth

Street Commissioner

On motion, the report was concurred in and a warrant for \$86.62 directed to issue.

The following petition was presented and referred to the Committee on Public Improvements:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Bradfordsville:

The undersigned respectfully petition for the draining of the pond on lot No 8 in Mills addition to said City.

And your petitioners represent that said pond is dangerous to the health of the citizens living in the vicinity, and they would further represent that said pond can be effectually drained by a ditch to the ravine on the North East - that a drain some 500 feet in length with draining tile will afford your petitioners and all who reside in the neighborhood the relief desired.

[Signed] Thos. A. Bistric
James H. Johnston
J. S. Hill

Joseph T. Tuttle
Robt. Blair
W. S. Casad.

Dusan S. Richard
J. S. Campbell

We have inspected the grounds referred to in the foregoing petition and fully concur with the petitioners in regard to the condition of said pond being injurious to health, and pray you will proceed to immediately remove this cause of disease

W. S. May }
W. S. Johnson } Board of Health

The city School Trustees reported the receipts and expenditures on the City School Building, which was referred to the Committee on Schools and Public Buildings. The following receipt was filed:

\$ 200.00 Cranfordsville Ind July 14 73
Recd of A. S. Ramsey an order on County Treas. calling for \$ 200.00 for an appropriation on Market St. Culvert. [Signed] Wm. Burbridge Treas.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

- That of Straight & Serring for water box for Washington St Wells of \$ 10.00
- That of Lewis O'Connor for 3/4 days labor on streets of 1.00
- That of Robt & Mahorney for doors for city building of 128.35
- That of Goodrich, New Orleans, for 500 feet of Rubber hose & Rubber pipes of 682.10

The following accounts were ordered

- That of W. B. Riley, for meals for prisoners, sick for paid door and cleaning, prison of \$ 4.80
- That of G. W. Carr for repairing roof of city building of 3.50

The following was presented and laid over until the next meeting, To the Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen: I have appointed Benjamin Sparks a deputy Marshal and solicit his confirmation by Council.

Respectfully Yrs
W. B. Riley City Marshal.

July 14 1873.

Some charges having appeared against the City Marshal, On motion of Mr Ramsey the case was referred to the Judiciary Committee for investigation

Mr Vanarsdall moved that a warrant for \$ 1,027.50 be issued in favor of V. L. Irvine that being the amount of a judgement held by said Irvine against the City. On the question of adoption there was a tie vote and the Mayor voted no, and the motion was lost.

On motion, the Marshal was directed to require the street to be kept clear in front of the carpenter shops of E. L. Griffith on Green Street.

On motion, the Committee on Ordinances was instructed to prepare and present an ordinance to prevent persons from pitching wood across the side-walks.

The following Ordinance was introduced by Mr. Ramsey:

Resolved, By the Mayor and Council that the City Engineer be instructed to establish the grade on Main Street from the S. & L. R. R. East on both sides of said street to the S. & N. R. R. and the property holders on same be notified by the St. Commr. to build a side-walk not less than (4) Four feet wide. Material for same shall be boards not less than one and a half inches thick (1 1/2 in) and that the property holders be given thirty days notice after the grade is established to build said side-walks and if not built in the time given that the Street Commissioners be instructed to build the walks at the expense of the property holders at the earliest possible time

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The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck Stubs, Sr. and the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr. Vanarsdall introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:
That the Street Commissioner be directed to notify Mrs. Jane Galy, David Startis and C. N. Eltzroth to make within thirty days of date of notice a stone side walk in front of their respective lots on the east side of Green Street between Main and Market Street. Such walks to be made subject to the approval of the Board of Public Improvements and should such parties fail or neglect to complete said improvement in accordance with this resolution, then the Street Commissioner is hereby directed to construct such walks at the expense of such property owners.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

Mr. Price introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council that the City Engineer be instructed to establish the grade on the south side of Market Street from Green to Washington Street and the property holders on same be notified to build a side walk not less than 14 feet wide. Material for same shall be boards not less than one and a half inches thick and that the property holders be given thirty days notice after the grade is established to build said side walk, and if not built in the time given that the Street Commissioner be instructed to build the same at the expense of the property holders at the earliest possible time.

On the adoption of which resolution those who voted "aye" were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

J. D. Brown,
City Clerk.



Wilson K. Layman Mayor

Monday Evening, July 21st 1873.
At the unanimous request of the Council, upon call of Mayor Saymon, it was convened. All present.

James Wright Esq, filed the petition of Thos. M. Winton asking the removal of W. B. Riley, for causes set forth in said petition and the charges and specifications accompanying. Which charges, specifications and petition are as follows: (Here insert)

William T. Brooks, Esq, Attorney for said W. B. Riley, appeared and raised the issue and service of summons and asked that a day be set for the hearing of the cause.

On motion of Mr Hughes the time for hearing was set for Friday morning, July 25th 1873. at 8 o'clock A.M.

On motion, Eli Compton was appointed to serve summonses in the case.

On motion, the Council for the defence were permitted to have possession of the papers in the case, for examination.

On motion the Council Adjourned

Attest:

J. D. Brown

City Clerk.

W. B.

Friday Morning, July 25th 1873

The Council met. Present, Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

Present W. B. Riley City Marshal and his attorneys W. T. Brooks Esq, D. D. F. Pierce, Esq, W. D. White Esq and George D. Hurley Esq.

Present also James Wright Esq, Council for the Petitioner, Thos. M. Winton.

The Petitioner filed an additional specification, number 11 which is as follows:

(Here insert)

The Council for the defense filed a motion to strike out the fifth specification, which motion is as follows: (Here insert)

After hearing argument, the Council refused to sustain the motion.

The Council for the defense then filed an answer to the charges and specifications, which answer is as follows: (Here insert)

The Council for the petitioner filed a demurrer to the second paragraph of the answer, which demurrer is as follows: (Here insert)

On motion the demurrer was sustained.

The issue being joined the trial proceeded and the examination of witnesses was continued until 5 o'clock P.M. The evidence not all being heard, On motion the Council adjourned until 8 o'clock Saturday morning July 26th.

Saturday morning, July 26. 1873

The Council met Present, Mayor Saymon Councilmen Hughes Ramsey Vanarsdall Price, Crist and Beck. The examination of witnesses was continued until 12 o'clock M. and the evidence not all being heard, On motion the Council adjourned until Monday morning, July 28th at 8 o'clock.

Monday morning, July 28th 1873

The Council met. Present Mayor Saymon Councilmen Hughes Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. The hearing of evidence was continued until five o'clock P.M. when on motion the Council adjourned until 8 o'clock A.M. Tuesday July 29

Tuesday Morning July 29 1873

The Council met. Present Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck. After hearing the conclusion of the evidence and the argument of Council until 5 O'clock P.M. On motion of Mr Hughes Mr Vanarsdall was appointed President of the Council for the term.

On motion of Mr. Hughes, Mr. Vanarsdall was directed to take charge of the Mayor's docket.

On motion the Council adjourned until half past seven o'clock P.M. to meet in private session, to consult upon their finding.

Wednesday Evening, July 30th, 1873, 9 O'clock

At the request of all the members of the Council, the Mayor called a meeting thereof. Present the Mayor, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

The following was presented:

To the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville:

Gentlemen: With the most profound thankfulness for the kind treatment which I have received at the hands of the good people of the City of Bradfordville, who have twice honored me with election to the Mayoralty for reasons which will be explained hereafter, I desire to thank them the power with which I have been entrusted. I therefore, hereby tender you my resignation of the office of Mayor of the City of Bradfordville.

Respectfully Yrs.

Wilson W. Saymon, Mayor
City of Bradfordville.

Mayor's Office,
City of Bradfordville,
July 30th 1873

On motion the Council adjourned.

Wednesday, July 30th 1873. 11½ O'clock P.M.

At the request of all the members the Mayor convened the Council in special session. Present: Mayor Saymon, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

Mr Price submitted the following finding:

Bradfordville, Ind., July 30th 1873.

We, the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville, do hereby find Mr. B. Riley guilty on the following charges and specifications
Charge 1st: Guilty; 1st Specification, Guilty; 2d Specification, Guilty; 3d Specification, Not guilty; 4th Specification, Not Guilty; - Charge second, Guilty, 1st Specification, Guilty; 2d Specification Guilty; 3d Specification, Guilty; 4th Specification, Guilty; 5th Specification, Not Guilty; 6th Specification, Not Guilty; 7th Specification, Not Guilty; 8th Specification Not Guilty; 9th Specification, Not Guilty; 10th Specification Guilty; 11th Specification, Not Guilty.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville that the penalty for the above named charges and specifications shall be removal from office. On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist, and Beck. Total six. And the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion, the resignation of Wilson W. Saymon, Mayor, was accepted.

On motion Michael Price was appointed President of the Council.

The following resolution was introduced

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Bradfordville that the Mayor's Docket of said City be placed in the hands of John Bursel Esq, a Justice

of the Peace, until the election of a Mayor of said city. On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative, were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsay, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck.

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville: that the City Clerk be directed to give notice that an election will be held in the several wards of the said City on Thursday, the fourteenth day of August, 1873, for the election of a Mayor to fill the unexpired term of Wilson W. Laymon, Resigned, and that William Campbell be appointed Inspector and C. E. Vanarsdall and James Lee Judges of said election for the first ward; and that Joseph Daskill be appointed Inspector and W. Rountree and H. W. Leonard, Judges of said election for the said election for the second ward, and that Josephus Robinson be appointed Inspector and Reuben Smith and John Burt Judges of said election for the third ward of said city. On the adoption of which resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsay, Price, Vanarsdall, Crist and Beck. Total 6.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet August 14th 1873

Attest:

Edw Brown City Clerk

Amos Price
President of the Council

Regular Meetings
Monday Evening July 23^d 1873.
Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey,
Vanarsdall, Price, Criss and Beck.

The Council met. Present Mayor Laymon, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey,
Vanarsdall, Price, Criss and Beck.
The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and on motion
adopted.

The Board of Public Improvements reported the following:
Ordinance July 23^d 1873

To whom it may concern: We have this day contracted with the Board of
Public Improvements of the City of Crawfordville to build a brick wall in rear of Engine
building. Said wall is to be made of good hard brick (13) Thirteen inch malle twelve
feet high above ground. Contractors to dig foundation - furnish all material and
build the wall for eleven dollars per thousand (brick in wall) Said contractors further
agreed to dig a spring well twelve feet deep in rear of said Engine building and of
such size as the Board may direct and to receive as pay for said well (2) twenty
cents per yard for excavating and eleven dollars per thousand brick for malling
same. Also the above work to be under the Supervision of the Board P.I. and subject
to their approval. Said work to begin by the 25th of July 1873 and completed
as early as possible.

A. F. Ramsey }
W. Vanarsdall } Secy }
B. J. Beck }
J. S. Vance } Contractors

As motion the report was accepted and concurred in.
The committee on accounts reported back the accounts of W. B. Riley and
C. W. Carr without recommendation.

As motion the account of W. B. Riley was allowed and that of
C. W. Carr was laid on the table.

The committee on Schools and Public Buildings reported back
the report of the school trustees as not being such a report as was de-
sired.

The Mayor made the following report:
To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:
Gentlemen: I have the honor to make the following report for the
month of June A. D. 1873.

Amount of fines reported collected		\$ 24.65
Amount of jail fees collected	0.00	
" " " Crates	\$ 0.00	
And paid into City Treasury		\$ 24.65
All of which is respectfully submitted		

Wilson D. Laymon Mayor
The Street Commissioner made the following report:
To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville:
Gentlemen

Within the last two weeks the street labor has all been expended
upon the West Market street file excepting one team one and 3/4 days on Jefferson
street and four shovellers one day on the same work.

The amounts due for street labor is as follows:

To Jacob Stule 9 days with team at \$ 3.50	\$ 31.50
William Harwood 8 " " " " 3.25	26.00
Geo. Ross 4 1/2 " " " " 3.50	15.75

A.S. Duckworth 9 1/2 days with team at 3.50

33.25
\$106.50

- 39 Men have labored each two days
- 8 1/2 " " Commuted
- 35 " " have died
- 12 " have paid by Election Certificates

All of which is respectfully submitted

July 28, 1873.

A.S. Duckworth Street Commr.

On motion the report was accepted and a warrant for \$106.50 was directed to be issued in favor of the Street Commissioners.

The Chief of the Fire Department reported and filed the receipt of Goodrich, Smith & Co. for \$682.¹⁰ in full of hire for hose. (500 feet)

Mrs. Rossallen appeared and asked the remission of a portion of her taxes. On motion, the case was referred to the Finance Committee

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of John S Hunt for Horse Cart	\$ 260.65
That of Lemmy Sperry for Sundry	20.12

The following accounts were referred to the Committee as accounts:

That of Verbis Stebbins for Printing of	6.40
That of Geo Kenny for Printing of	9.00
That of J. J. Darton for Sundry of	5.04

The following accounts were laid on the table

That of Eckharbaugh for 2 days services as witness in case of Wicks vs Riley + 14 mile mileage
 " " Eldredge for 2 days services as witness in above case and 1 mile mileage

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Price:

Whereas, The Common Council having at a previous meeting by motion called upon the School Trustees to present the Council with a full report of all the moneys paid out upon the city school building now in progress of erection from its beginning to the present and the school Trustees did at the last regular meeting of the Council present a report, which as far as it goes may be correct but does not touch the subject upon which the Council asked the report; Therefore

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council that the School Trustees be and are hereby ordered to make a further report which not only shows the amount of money paid to the principal contractor of said building but also give an itemized statement of the amount of money paid out to all sub contractors and vouchers for the same and also a statement of the total amount of money in the Treasurers hands belonging to each particular fund.

The question being upon the adoption of the foregoing resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Ramsdall, Price, Lewis and Beck. Total 6. and the resolution was declared adopted.

A communication was received from J. W. Thompson Esq. relative to the purchase of an Engineers Transit belonging to him. On motion the City Engineer was authorized to purchase the said Transit at a price not exceeding one hundred dollars.

J. B. Johnson presented a proposal to boulder the alley running from Crew to Washington Street at \$5.00 per yard. On motion the proposal was rejected.

J. B. Johnson also proposed to boulder the alley south of the city building from Brick Hill Johnsons west line to Millers East line at the rate of 60 cents per yard.

On motion said proposal was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Hughes it is agreed by the Council to grade by the city all alleys directed by said Council to be bouldered by the property owners.

On motion, the Street Commissioner was instructed to thoroughly examine the city and have it effectually cleansed - reporting all cases of neglect to the Mayor.

Mr. Ramsay introduced the following:

Resolved by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Crawfordville that the City Clerk be directed to advertise for bids for the graveling of ^{the} Street in said city between College Street and the Indianapolis Bloomington and Western rail way - the gravel to be washed or River gravel to be put on 16 feet wide - 16 inches deep in the center and 8 inches deep at the edges - bids to state the price per lineal foot - the city reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsay, Vanarsdale, Price, Crist and Beets Total 6. And the resolution was declared adopted.

Attest
J. O. Brown
City Clerk

On motion the Council adjourned

Michael Price
President of the Council

Adjourned Meeting

Monday Evening August 4th 1873

The Council met: Present Councilmen Hughes, Vanarsdale, Price, Crist and Beets.

Mr. Price, President of the Council in the Chair

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Crawfordville that we do now adjourn and make a request that the voters at the polls for Mayor on the 14th instant recommend one candidate for Marshal upon each ticket

On the adoption of which resolution, those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Vanarsdale, Crist, Beets, and the President Total 5. And the resolution was declared adopted.

Attest:
J. O. Brown
City Clerk.

Michael Price
President of the Council

Monday Evening, August 11th 1873

The Council met. Present Mr. Price, President of Council, Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Lister and Beck.

The minutes of the preceding regular and adjourned meetings were read and adopted.

A petition was presented from Moffet & Co., Ltd. Gregg & Co., Samuel Binford and others asking for an order to cut down and pave a certain alley named in said petition.

On motion, the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the Clerk was directed to advertise for the bids for the bouldering of the alley mentioned in said petition.

The Mayor made the following report

To the Common Council of the City of Crawfordsville:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to make the following final report of fines and jail fees collected by me:

Fines and jail fees not heretofore reported \$ 28. 11

The above amount has this day been paid into the Treasury, as per City Treasurer's receipts filed.

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Wilson K. Saymon City Mayor
City of Crawfordsville

The City Treasurer presented the following monthly report:

Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Crawfordsville, Ind.
for the month of July 1873.

Am't in Treas. 1st of July	\$ 12,923. 85
" Rec'd from fines (of Mayor Saymon)	75. 85
" " " Saddlers	6. 50
" " " Taxes	77. 88
" " " Delinquent Tax 1871.	65. 24
" " " County, for Culvert on Market St.	200. 00
" " " Commutation from Road Salvo	9. 00
" " " Liquor Licenses	50. 00
" " " Express wagons	26. 00
" " " Dog Tax	15. 75
	\$ 14,090. 07

Expenditures

Am't paid interest on Building Bonds	50. 00
" " Election Expenses	2. 50
" " Fire Department	1005. 85
" " City Building	458. 67
" " City Engineer	61. 00
" " Stoves for City Building	128. 35
" " Benefits on Market St.	55. 00
" " On Streets	773. 22
" " City Officers	450. 00
	\$ 2,984. 59
	\$ 11,105. 48

Balance due sinking fund on School Bonds

523. 53

Am't of Interest fund " " "

1468. 63

Am't of Interest fund on City Building Bonds

141. 70

Am't of Sinking fund " " " "

1291. 70

3,725. 56

\$ 7,379. 92

Aug. 1st 1873.

Wm. Burbridge
Treasurer

The Street Commissioner made the following report:
To the Honorable Board of Councilmen and Mayor of the City of Brown

for details:

I report the following proceeding as Street Commissioner of said City for the last two weeks ending August 11th 1873.

Worked one team one day and two shovellers one day on College Street - Two shovellers on Washington Street clearing out ditch - one team one day hauling dirt from west end Engine house - balance of labor done on west market Street.

Mr Ross four days with team at \$ 3.50 per day	\$	14.00
Mr Harwood worked 11 1/2 at \$ 3.25	" "	38.65
Jacob Stebbins " team 12 days 3.50	" "	42.00
My own teams 12 days at \$ 3.50 per day		42.00
Amounting to		<u>\$ 136.62</u>

Received of 32 1/2 men \$97.50
 82 men performed their 2 days labor
 18 men paid this time with Election Certificate
 38 " returned to be issued on

A. S. Duckworth Street Commr

On motion the report was concurred in and a warrant directed to issue in favor of the Street Commissioner for \$ 136.62.

The Committee on accounts reported the following accounts correct:

That of W. S. Hollins for printing for	\$	6.40
That of Geo. Devey for printing for		9.00

On motion the report was adopted and warrants directed to issue

The report of the Commissioners of damages and benefits by reason of the extension of Pike Street filed August 1st 1873 was read and laid on the table until the next regular meeting of the Council.

The Chief Engineer of the fire department filed the receipt of John S. Hunt for \$ 248.75 in full for horse carts

A statement from Mrs Huffman relating to an erroneous assessment on her property on Mabash Avenue was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The following accounts were allowed under a suspension of the rules:

That of Wm Burbridge for Cash advanced freight on horse & 2 Blank books	\$	7.45
That of J. W. Thompson for Engineers Transit of		100.00
That of James M. Watson for Real Estate last		50.00
That of Geo Miner for cleaning Mayors Office of		0.75

The following accounts were referred:

That of Eli Compton for services as Marshal of	\$	41.00
That of G. B. Johnson for paving on Market Street of		9.76

The following resolution was introduced by Mr Ramsey.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Brownsville that the City Clerk be directed to advertise for two weeks for the graveling of that portion of west market Street lying between the west line of J. H. Winters lot on said market Street to the west line of High Street. The gravel to be put on Eighteen (18) feet wide - sixteen (16) inches deep in the center and eight inches deep at the edges - to be made or over gravel. Bids to state the price per foot lineal - The council reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

On the adoption of the foregoing resolution those who voted in the affirmative were Councilmen Hughes, Ramsey, Vanarsdall, Price, Crist and Beck and the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion, the bid for the grading of so much of Plum street as lies between the Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western rail way and College street was opened. The following are the prices proposed:

Joseph S. Warrick proposed to do the work at seventy-four cents per lineal foot.

W. Barry proposed to do the work at sixty-eight cents per lineal foot.

John Sullivan proposed to do the work at sixty-five cents per lineal foot.

On motion of Mr. Warrick, the contract was awarded to John Sullivan at sixty-five cents per lineal foot.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Attest:

E. L. Brown
City Clerk.

Michael Price
President
of Council

Be it remembered that on the 15th day of August A. D. 1873 the following certificate was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the City of Crawfordsville, Indiana:

The undersigned Inspectors of a special election held in the several wards of the City of Crawfordsville, Indiana, on Thursday, the 14th day of August 1873, for the election of a Mayor of said city, to fill the unexpired term of Wilson W. Layman, resigned, having met at the Office of the Mayor of said city, on the day next succeeding said election and having carefully compared the votes certify that the following named persons received the number of votes set opposite their names:

John B. Lewis received four hundred and sixty-five votes (465)

Edward C. Snyder received One hundred and ninety-one votes (191)

Charles W. Brown received One hundred and forty-two votes (142)

And we further certify that John B. Lewis having received the highest vote cast, is declared duly elected Mayor of the City of Crawfordsville, Indiana, to fill the unexpired term of Wilson W. Layman, resigned.

Witness our hands this 15th day of August, A. D. 1873

Wm. Campbell

Inspector 1st Ward

J. Gaskill

Inspector 2d Ward

Joseph Robins

Inspector 3d Ward

Called Meeting

Friday Evening August 15th 1873.

Upon Call of the President the Council met. All the members present.

John B. Lewis, Mayor elect, appeared and filed his certificate of election enclosed by his oath of office and was sworn to the office by Mr. Price.

On motion of Mr. Price the Council proceeded to ballot for a City Marshal with results as follows:

1st Ballot

2d Ballot

H. P. Cummings

2

2

W. Barton

2

4

Ed. Conpton

2

William Barton was declared duly elected Marshal to fill the

unexpired term of W. B. Kelly.

On motion the Council adjourned.

John B. Lewis Mayor

Attest
E. L. Brown City Clerk