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WARD ROAD

From Book of Records
Vol. 2, Pages 178, 180, 182, 190 March 11, 1839
TO SEE

State of Maine

Kennebec ss:

To James Black, one of the Constables of Augusta, within said County.

Greeting.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of the said Town of Augusta, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at the Town House on Monday the eleventh day of March instant at ten of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 14 VOTED, To see if the Town will accept of the following roads and streets as laid out by the Selectmen, to wit.

A road commencing at a stump in the south line of Windsor Road thence running southerly to the south line of Joshua Ward's land.

VOTED, At a legal annual meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Augusta qualified to vote in Town affairs, holden at the Town House in said Augusta on Monday the eleventh day of March Anna Domini 1839.

ARTICLE 14 VOTED, To accept a road on the East side of Kennebec river as the same is laid out by the Selectmen and described in their report of the laying out of the same as follows, viz: Commencing at a stump in the south line of the Windsor Road, thence running South 25 1/2 degrees West eighty rods to a stake, thence South 15 1/2 degrees West, Sixty-Six rods to a stake in the north line of Joshua Ward's land, thence South 22 degrees West, Sixty-Two rods to a stone in the South line of Joshua Ward's land at which place the petitioners were willing to stop. All persons interested were notified and damages will be claimed by the owners of the lot adjoining the Windsor Road, said road to be four rods and to lay east of said line.

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PROOFED

WARD ROAD
1851

From Jr. Bd. Ald.
Vol. 1, Page 215 June 14, 1815

In Board of Alderman June 14, 1851 the Board was called to order by the President.

Present: The Mayor, Aldermen Lancaster, Myrick, Hamlen, Townsend, Barrows and Hewins.

The same gentleman from the same committee made a report on the petition of John E. Ward and others, laying a road in continuation of a road leading by Joshua Ward's house as follows, viz: The west line to commence at the termination of the west line of the road leading by the house of Joshua Ward at a stone bound thence South seventy degrees West, thirty-nine rods to a stake; thence South fifty six degrees West, seventy-three rods and nine feet to a stake; thence South twenty-five degrees west, one hundred and twenty eight rods and eight feet, to a stake on the north line of the new Belfast road. Said road to be laid to the east of said line, and to be three rods wide: The report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

NOTE: STREET BOOK NOTES MAY 10, 1851 READ & REFERRED & NOTICE ORDERED IN CONCURRENCE

And the Board adjourned.

Attest: Daniel C. Stanwood, City Clerk

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WARD ROAD

From Jr. Bd. Ald.
Vol.1, Page 222 June 28, 1851

The Board met according to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Present: The Mayor, Aldermen Lancaster, Myrick, Hamlen Townsend, Barrows and Hewins.

The following orders were sent up from the Common Council, viz:

Ordered, that the Street Commissioner for the east side of the river to be directed to contract with some suitable person to build the road across the land of Elijah McFarland as laid out and accepted by the City Council - the letting of the contract to be at auction - also the road running by John E. Wards southerly to the old turnpike so called, distance thirty-nine rods: and the same was passed in concurrence.

And the Board adjourned.

Attest, Daniel C. Stanwood, City Clerk.

PROOFED

WARD ROAD
1852

From Jr. Bd. Ald.
Vol. 1, Page

October 9, 1852

The Board was called to order by the President.

Present: The Mayor, Aldermen Lancaster, Hallett, Freeman, Townsend, Sawyer, McFarland and Hewins.

Alderman Hewins from the Committee on new streets mad a report on the petition of G. Barrows and others laying out a street or way as follows, viz:

Beginning at a stone marked R. in the northerly line of the street leading by the house of Joshua Ward thence running South 57 degrees West 15 rods to the northerly line of land of the said Ward, the above line to be the northerly line of said street and the street to be four rods wide. No land damages claimed and no expense to the City for making the said Ward, agreeing to construct the same at his own expense, and the report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

NOTE: IN STREET BOOK 10/9/52 - ACCEPTED IN CONCURRENCE

And the Board adjourned.

Attest: Daniel C. Stanwood, Clerk of the Board of Alderman

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Name

From Jr. Bd. Ald.
Vol.2, Page 357 April 4, 1857

In Board of Alderman

Present: The Mayor, Alderman Wyman, McFarland, Phinney, Means, Savage, Farrar.

Petition of Joshua Ward and others for a new street, read and referred to Committee on New Streets. Sent down.

Adjourned.

Attest, Edward Fenno, City Clerk

PROOFED

WARD ROAD
1857

From Jr. Bd. Ald.
Vol. 2, Page 385 August 29, 1857

In Board of Aldermen

Present: the Mayor, Alderman Patterson, Savage, Farrar, Means, Phinney

The Committee on New Streets to whom was referred Petition of Jos' W. Patterson and others, made the following report, viz;

Pursuant to written notice of the City Clerk, passed agreeably to an order of the City Council of June 6th, 1857, and in conformity with City Ordinance No. 16 passed May 20th, 1850. The undersigned Committee on New Streets have this day laid out a road as requested by the within petition, as follows, beginning at the line between Joseph and John Lamson and at the east end of the north line of the road as now established, thence, running South 59 1/2 degrees East twelve rods to the east end of a stone wall, thence South 52 degrees East twenty-five rods to a stake and stone, thence South 53 1/2 degrees East thirty rods.

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Name

From Jr. Bd. Ald.
Vol. 2, Page 392 September 26, 1857

In Board of Aldermen.

Present: The Mayor, Alderman Patterson, Savage, Farrar, Means, Phinney

The following report was submitted, to-wit: The undersigned Committee on New Streets, have by direction of the City Council this day laid out a road on the petition of Joshua Ward and others, as follows.

Commencing at a stake in the west line of the road leading southerly from the road near Hiram McFarland's, at the south end of said road and now laid out, then running South 40 3/4 degrees West, 46 1/2 rods to a stake in the line of John E. Ward's field, thence South 34 degrees West fifty one rods to a stake between two stones, thence South 57 1/2 degrees West, thirty rods to a stake in the north side of a field, thence South 55 1/2 degrees West thirty one rods to a stake about six feet west of a large stone or boulder, thence South 49 degrees West 43 rods to the new Belfast Road, said road to be four rods wide, and east of the above described line.

September 17, 1857

Daniel Savage
George W. Macomber
W.T. Folsom

This report was filed in the City Clerk's Office seven days previous to this meeting, was accepted and the road established, as above stated. Sent down.

Adjourned.

Attest: Edward Fenno, City Clerk

1839

James Keene & wife and Francis Coom, both their estates from School District No. 16 to School District No. 13 – Also to see if the Town will set off Lot No. 35 on the 5th Range

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March 11, 1839

TO SEE Ward

State of Maine

Kennebec ss

To James Black one of the Constables of Augusta, within said County.

Greeting.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of the said town of Augusta, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at the Town House on Monday the seventh day of March instant at ten of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles viz:

Article 14. To see if the Town will accept of the following roads and streets as laid out by the Selectmen, to wit.

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Ward Rd

No. 1. A road commencing at a stump in the South line of the Winslow road thence running Southerly to the South line of Parkes Ward's land. **

~~Ward Rd~~

No. 2. ~~Also a road~~ commencing north of William T. Folsom's two Houses ~~and running~~ northerly to the north line of Daniel Foster's ~~land~~

No. 3. Also a road commencing at a Stone bound north of Daniel Foster's barn and running north 41° east about 220 rods to the South line of Dearmot Gilley's land and as far as said road is accepted to discontinue the road as now accepted north of Daniel Foster's land.

No. 4. Also a road commencing at a Culvert in the Belfast road near the house of Charles Clark and running South 66° E. 18 rods to a fence between Joseph and John Lamson's land.

No. 5. Also to accept of Hunter Street as laid out by the Selectmen on petition of Augustus Wreck and others.

No. 6. Also a road laid out commencing at a stone post at

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No 7 Eng. Road

Oakland Rd

No 8 Sewall St

near Combs' Mill, thence running northerly through the gully east of the present road and intersects the present road on top of the hill. And also discontinue the old road from said point to where the new road intersects the same on top of the hill.

Also a road commencing on the south line of the road leading from Lemuel Woodward's to the Belgrade road, thence running southerly on the Rangeway between the first and second miles to the Belgrade road near the house of Jonah Dunn.

Also, to accept of Sewall Street as laid out by the Selectmen on the petition of Thomas Parker and others.

Article 15. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to give his note in behalf of the Town whenever the Selectmen shall consider that the interest of the Town requires a loan to be made and for such terms as the Selectmen shall in writing authorize him so to do.

Article 16. To determine if any alteration is necessary in the manner of notifying Town meetings and if so, how they shall in future be notified.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon unto the Selectmen on or before the said day of meeting.

Given under our hands this second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine.

Loring Bushnell
Rufus Chandler
Joseph W. Patterson
} Selectmen of Augusta

Kennebec ss. Augusta March 4. 1839. Pursuant to this Warrant I notified and warned the freeholders and other inhabitants of the town of Augusta to meet at the time, place and for the purposes within mentioned by posting up true and attested copies of this warrant at the meeting house, at the School house near Nathaniel S. Babcock's, at the School house near John Nason's all in town of Augusta.

James Bleck Constable of Augusta

A true copy. Attest: Daniel Pike Town Clerk

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1836

Voted, That the Selectmen be, and they hereby are authorized to allow Isaac Bailey the sum of one hundred and seventy two dollars in full payment for the building owned by him which was torn down by direction of the Fire Wards during the recent fire on Water Street.

Voted

Voted. To reconsider the vote passed at the meeting of the eleventh day of March last, authorizing the Selectmen to allow Fifty dollars to the owner of the building which was situated between the building occupied by Samuel G. Williams & Daniel Williams, & one story house

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1839

At a legal Annual meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Augusta, qualified to vote in Town affairs, holden at the Town House in said Augusta on Monday the seventh day of March Anno Domini 1839.

~~Recent fire on Water Street.~~

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Article 13. Voted. That this article be dismissed.

(1) Ward Rd.

Article 14. Voted. To accept a road on the East side of Kennebec river as the same is laid out by the Selectmen and described in their report of the laying out of the same as follows viz: Commencing at a Stump in the South line of the Windsor road - thence See Records Vol. 1. p. 21 - running South 25½ degrees West. Eighty rods to a Stake - thence South 15½ degrees West. Sixty Six rods to a Stake in the North line of Joshua Wards land - thence South 22 degrees West, Sixty Seven rods to a Stone in the South line of Joshua Wards land at which place the petitioners were willing to stop - All persons interested were notified and damages will be claimed by the owner of the lot adjoining the Windsor road - said road to be four rods wide and to lay East of said line.

Church Hill R (2)

"Voted - To accept a road on the east side of Kennebec river agreeably to the report of the Selectmen of the laying out of the same - which report is in the words and figures following, viz: "Augusta, December 25. 1838. The undersigned have this day laid out a road on the within petition (of William P. Caldwell & others) as follows, viz: Commencing at the South end of the Stonewall on the east side of the road north of the brook near William S. Folsom's Lime house - thence running north 4 3/4 degrees east 74 rods to the South end of a stone wall on land of Samuel Ingraham - thence north 3 1/4 degrees east 24 rods on said Stone wall to the north end thereof - thence north 33 degrees east 24 rods to a Stone bound - thence north 21 degrees east 23 rods to the north line of Daniel Forter's land: said road to be four rods wide and to lay west of said line. All persons interested were notified and no damages were claimed by any person." Signed by the Selectmen.

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Samson Rd (3)

"Voted - That so much of this article as relates to the 4th or Samson road described therein - be referred to the Selectmen, and that they be and hereby are authorized to cause said road to be made agreeably to their report of the laying out of the same, if they deem it expedient so to do."

Records of roads. Vol. 1. page 23. -

Cochran Rd (4)

"Voted. To accept a road on the west side of Kennebec river agreeably to the report of the Selectmen of the laying out of the same - which report is in the words and figures following, viz: - "The undersigned have this day laid out a road on the within petition (of Abner Coombs and others) as follows, to wit, commencing at a hemlock post in the west line of the road north of the bridge near Coombs' Mill, thence running north 5 degrees east thirty eight rods to a Stakes - thence north 28 1/2 degrees east twenty six rods to a stake - thence north 32 1/2 degrees east thirty two rods to a stake in the west line of the old road - said road to be four rods wide and to be east of said line. All persons interested were notified

Records of Vol. 1. page 23. -

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" and no damages were claimed by any person and no damages
" were awarded by us. Augusta February 21. 1839."
(Signed by the Selectmen.)

Voted. To accept a road on the west side of Kennebec
river, agreeably to the report of the Selectmen of the laying out
Records of the same; which report is in the words and figures following.
viz: "The undersigned have this day laid out a road on the
1. page 24 within petition as follows, to wit, commencing in the south
" line of the road leading from Samuel Woodward's to the
" Belgrade road as far east as the easterly side of an old pine
" stump which is spotted - thence running South 38½ degrees
" West about 175 rods to the north end of a large blow in the
" easterly line of the Belgrade road; said road to be four rods
" wide and to be west of said line. All persons interested were
" notified and no damages were claimed by any person and
" none were awarded by us; said road being the center four
" rods of the surveyed way, between the first and second miles.
" Augusta February 25. 1839." (Signed by the Selectmen.)

Voted: To accept a Street on the West side of Kennebec
river agreeably to the report of the Selectmen of the laying out
of the same; which report is in the words and figures following.
Records of viz: "The undersigned have this day laid out a road or Street on
ads. Vol. 1. the within petition, as follows, to wit, commencing at a Stone
25. bound at the south east corner of Ephraim Littlon's land
" and in the south line of Windsor Street - thence running South
" 28 degrees West about 53½ rods to a stone bound in the north
" line of Greene Street; said Street to be three rods wide and
" east of said line. All persons interested were notified and no
" damages were claimed by any person. Augusta February 23. 1839."
Signed by the Selectmen.

Voted: That so much of this Article as relates to the
Third and Fifth Streets or roads therein described be dismissed.

Voted: That the old road from a Hemlock post in the

the west line of the same, north of the bridge near Coombs' mill to the point on the top of the hill where the new road accepted this day by the town intersects it, be discontinued.

Article 15. Voted - That the Treasurer of this Town be, and he hereby is authorized to give his note in behalf of the Town, whenever the Selectmen shall consider the interest of the Town requires a loan of money to be obtained and for such a term of time as the said Selectmen shall in writing direct.

Article 16. Voted - That in notifying Town Meetings in future, the Selectmen cause one copy of their Warrant to be posted up at least seven days prior to the meeting, at the Meeting House on the east side of Kennebec river in the north parish, instead of causing the same to be posted up as heretofore at the School House (until recently) near Nathan Babcock's.

On motion, Voted - That this Meeting now adjourn without day.

(Signed) Richard St. Rose, Moderator

Attest Daniel Pike, Town Clerk.

A true record, Attest. Daniel Pike, Town Clerk.

August 5: At Town Meeting, March 11, 1839 - Personally appeared Daniel Pike who was duly elected to the office of Town Clerk for the year ensuing and made oath well and faithfully to perform the duties of said office agreeably to law and according to his best skill and judgment.

Richard St. Rose, Moderator

A true record - Attest Daniel Pike Town Clerk.

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on the North line of Dam Street and thence running North twenty-
[illegible] North line of land of the Augusta Water
& land of the heirs of the late
two rods, the road to be laid out
fifty feet wide." The Report was
Sent down for Concurrence
accepted & concurrence.

The following Order was sent up from
the Common Council

Report on J. E. Ward & others

The same gentleman from the same Committee made a report on the petition of John E. Ward and others, laying a road in continuation of a road leading by Joshua Ward's house as follows, viz: "The west line to commence at the termination of the west line of the road leading by the house of Joshua Ward at a stake planted thence South seventy degrees west, sixty-nine rods to a Stake; thence South fifty six degrees west, twenty three rods and nine feet to a Stake; thence South twenty five degrees west, one hundred and twenty eight rods and eight feet to a stake on the north line of the new Belfast road. said road to be laid to the east of said line, and to be three rods wide." The Report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Report on petition of J. G. Phinney & others

The same gentlemen from the same Committee made a Report on the petition of J. G. Phinney and others, praying for the extension of State Street northward, extending said street as follows, viz: "Commencing at the intersection of the North line of Laurel Street and the centre line of State Street, and running North 25½ degrees East, to a point twenty-five feet west of the Southwest corner of the Ellis house, this being the centre line of said extension; the road to

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deceased, and that the Mayor cause a copy thereof to be transmitted to his family.

And these resolutions were passed unanimously.

Adjourned.

Attest, Edward Kenny, City Clerk

In Board of Aldermen

Present the Mayor. Sept. 26th 1857.

Aldermen present. Aldermen Patterson.
Savage.
Forman.
Means.
Phinney.

Petition of Chas. Webb. Petition of Charles Webb, was read, and the use of one third of Court Street, between the Court House and the new Fair was granted him.

A message was received from the Common Council announcing that Benj. Gaslin, had been elected a member of the Board from Ward 3 in place of Freeman Pratt, removed from the City, and that he had appeared, was duly qualified and had taken said seat.

Benj. Gaslin elected from Ward No. 3.

The following order was submitted, to wit;

Ordered, That the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars be, and hereby is appropriated from the Fund for the purpose of paying the expense of building new Streets the current year, and that the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to hire said sum and give his note on behalf of the City for a time not exceeding one year, and at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent.

Appropriation for building Streets.

The order had two several reading and was passed and sent down. The vote being taken by Yeas and Nays. Yeas 5. Mayor none.

The following report was submitted, to wit,
The undersigned commissioners Street Layers
by direction of the City Council this day laid
out a road on the petition of Joshua Ward
and others, as follows. Road
Commencing at a Stake on the laid out
West line of the road leading Southerly from the
the road near Hiram Mc Coys lands, at the
South end of said road as now laid out, thence South
running South 30 3/4° West 4 6/2 rods to a Stake
in the line of John C. Ward's field, thence South
34° West fifty one rods to a Stake between two
Stones, thence South 57 1/2° West thirty rods to a
Stake in the north side of said field, thence South
55 1/2° West thirty one rods to a Stake about six
feet west of a large Stone or Boulder, thence
South 4 3/4° West 43 rods to the new Belfast Road,
said road to be four rods wide, and East of
the above described line.
Sept 17th 1857. Daniel Savage.
George W. Macomber.
H. T. Folsom.

This report was filed in the City Clerks Road
Office seven days previous to this meeting, established
was accepted and the road established
as above stated. Sent down.

A message was received from the Board
Common Council announcing that Mr. Benj appointed
Gatlin had been appointed a member of member of
the committee on School Houses and School Districts in place
and also on Public Buildings in place of
Mr. Pratt removed from the City, and that Mr. Cum
Mr. Cummings had been appointed to the municipal
committee on City Buildings in place
of Mr. Pilsbury deceased. City Buildings

$135.26, and inform him that the balance due to him for his services as Overseer of the Poor for said year being $62.50 will be allowed him on settlement for said money collected, said Ballard having expressed a wish for his letter to one of the Overseers of this year, to have the matter settled.

Adjourned.

Attest, Edward Kenna, City Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen

October 31st, 1857.

Present the Mayor.

Aldermen Present. Aldermen Patterson
Means.
Savage.
Phinney.
Mc Farland.

Report City Solicitor vs E. Ballard. Alderman Patterson presented the report of S. Titcomb, City Solicitor, on the claims vs Ephraim Ballard, which with Mr. Ballard's letter was read, and the further consideration of the matter was postponed to next January. Sent down.

Petition of W. A. Blake and others, came from Common Council, referred to a select committee, was read and referred in concurrence; and Messrs. Savage and Patterson were appointed on the part of the Board of

Petition of W. A. Blake & others

Joseph H. Patterson was declared elected.

The following came from the Common Council.

Ordered. That the committee on Bells and Commitee Clocks, be and they are hereby authorised to employ and employ some suitable person to take charge of the City Clocks, & person for a compensation not exceeding dollars. to take charge of the City Clocks per annum, and also to employ some person to ring the Bell at the usual times, at a compensation not exceeding one hundred dollars per annum, to ring the Bell for the current Municipal Year.

Read, concurred & passed in concurrence.

Adjourned.

Attest, Edward Kenny, City Clerk

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In Board of Aldermen.

April 6th 1857

Present. The Mayor,

Aldermen, Spencer.
McFarland.
Phinney.
Means.
Patterson.
Savage.
Farrar.

Petitions of D. Williams

Communication of Alderman Phinney. The petition of Daniel Williams and others for side walk, was taken up, passed, and sent down.

Report of Superintending School Committee; was again postponed, and 1000 copies ordered to be printed, and sent down.

1000 Copies ordered

Alderman Means, from the Committee on Accounts, Reported Coll. of Accounts No. 1, and read the following order for the payment thereof, viz:

"Ordered, That there be allowed and paid out of any money in the City Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the several persons Roll of named in the Roll of Accounts No. 1, the sums Accounts set against their names respectively, amounting, in the aggregate, to the sum of Two hundred fifty four and 75/100 Dollars, which, when paid, will be in full discharge of said accounts."

Which on being severally read, the Report was accepted and the order passed, and both sent down for concurrence.

Alderman Finning, from the Committee to whom was referred so much of the Mayor's Address as relates to letting out a portion of the highways to repair by contract, Report relating to letting roads by Contract.

Reported, That in their opinion it would not be best to adopt that system at the present time.

Report accepted and sent down.

Petition of Joshua Ward and others for a new Petition of Josiah Street, referred to Committee on Josiah & others New Streets. Sent down.

The Committee on Billiard Tables reported the following order, to wit;

Ordered, That the Committee on Billiard Tables be hereby authorized to comply with the request of Joseph Morrison as Tole Manager, praying therefor the sum of One hundred & fifty dollars, to be paid out of and from said sum of One hundred and Seventy dollars, the expense of the repairs of the Tole, shall first be paid.

Passed and Approved.

Attest, Edward Fenno, City Clerk

Fenno

Aaron Cowen were drawn.

Adjourned.

Attest. Edward Kemmo. City Clerk

Vol 7 In Board of Aldermen.

August 29th 1857.

Present the Mayor.

Alderman Patterson.

Savage.

Farrar.

Means.

Phinney.

Aldermen present.

The committee on New Streets to whom was referred Petition of Jos W. Patterson and others, made the following report, viz;

Pursuant to written notice of the City Clerk posted agreeably to an order of the City Council of June 6th 1857, and in conformity with City Ordinance No 16 passed May 29th 1850. The undersigned committee on New Streets have this day laid out a road as requested by the within petition, as follows, beginning at the line between Joseph and John Lamson and at the East end of the North line of the road as now established, thence running South 59½° East twelve rods to the East end of a Stone Wall, thence South 52° East twenty five rods to the Southerly end of Stone Wall, thence South 53½° East thirty rods

Report of Comm. on New Streets upon the Petition of J. W. Patterson & others.

had 10 and was declared elected.
The convention then dissolved.

Petition of John A. Pettingill and others came from the Common Council, endorsed. Pet. of
" read and referred to Com- John A.
mittee on Schools and School Districts"; non- Pettingill
concurred and ordered the same table on the & others
table. non concurred

Alderman Means from committee on Roll of Accts
Accounts reported Roll No. 5 as follows. No. 5.
Ordered. That there be allowed Order for
and paid out of any money in the City Treasury payment of
not otherwise appropriated, to the several Per- Roll of Accts
sons named in the Roll of Accounts No. 5, the No. 5
sums set against their names respectively,
amounting, in the aggregate, to the sum of
One Hundred and Fifty six 16/100 Dollars, which,
when paid, will be in full discharge of said
accounts. Passed and sent down.

The committee to whom was referred Report
the petition of Joshua Ward and others for a of the com-
new road, made the following report, to wit; mittee to
That the distance between whom was
the two points named in the petition is one referred the
hundred and seventy rods, or thereabouts; petition of
and that Joshua Ward, John C. Ward and Joshua Ward
Samuel Cunningham Jun^r. offered in writing &c.
to make it for 75 cents per rod, and grubbed if Joshua
Ward fail, so as to answer for a Winter road, Ward &
and finish it next fall, and with Fifty others.
next fall for their pay. The road already
made extends about two thirds of the distance
across from D. Mc Causland's to the Belfast
Road, and is of no public benefit unless

their names respectively which when paid to be in full for the same- this communication of the City Marshal referred to in this Order to be kept on file with the same- and the same was passed and sent down for concurrence.

Commun. from the Mayor.

A communication from the Mayor in relation to the appropriation for New Streets &c. was rec'd and on being considered Ald. Lancaster offered the following Order, viz:

Order

"Ordered, That the Treasurer is hereby authorized and [illegible] Commissioner for the West side of [illegible] hundred and twenty two dollars appropriation for Contingent [illegible] as passed and sent down for

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Sent Down for Concurrence

October 7, 1852

Ald. Hewins from the Committee on New Streets &c made a Report on the petition of G. Barrows and others laying out a Street or way as follows, viz:

Report of C.S. Surveyor.

"Beginning at a stone marked R. in the northerly line of the Street leading by the house of Joshua Ward thence running South 5° west 15 rods to the northerly line of land of the said Ward. the above line to be the northerly line of said Street and the Street to be four rods wide. No land damages claimed and no expense to the City for making the said Ward agreeing to construct the same at his own expense" and the Report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

From Bd Ald. date

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Ward Road

In Board of Aldermen June 14. 1851

The Board was called to order by the President.

Mayor Present,

Alderman

Not Sent.

The Mayor

Aldermen. Lancaster,

Myrick,

Hamlen,

Townsend,

Parrows and

Hewins.

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The following Order was sent up from the Common Council, viz:

Order repealed.

Ordered, That an Order passed June 1st 1850 fixing the compensation of the members of the Fire Department be and the same is hereby repealed: and the order was passed in concurrence.

The following Order was sent up from the Common Council, viz:

Order

Order

Ordered, That the Committee on Ordinances be instructed to inquire into the expediency of so amending Ordinance No 10. as to allow the Treasurer and Collector a certain premium per centum on the taxes committed to him and also on disbursements, in full compensation for his services instead of the compensation now fixed by said Ordinance.

Order

The Order was amended by striking out the word

amended. "Ordinances" and inserting instead thereof the word "Finance", and passed as amended and sent down for concurrence.

Ald. Myrick from the Committee on Schools and School

on the North line of Dam Street and thence running North twenty five degrees East on the east line of land of the Augusta Water power Company to the South line of land of the heirs of the late Howard Pettingill, about forty two rods, the road to be laid on the West of said line and to be sixty feet wide. The Report was recommitted and sent down for concurrence.

The same gentleman and from the same Committee made a report on the petition of John E Ward and others, laying a road in continuation of a road leading by Joshua Wards house as follows, viz: The west line to commence at the termination of the west line of the road leading by the house of Joshua Ward at a stone bound thence South seventy degrees west, thirty nine rods to a Stake; thence south fifty six degrees west, Seventy three rods and nine feet to a Stake; thence South twenty five degrees west, one hundred and twenty eight rods and eight feet to a stake on the north line of the new Belfast road. Said road to be laid to the east of said line, and to be three rods wide. The Report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Note: Street Book Note's May 10, 1851 On Read & Referred & Notice Ordered to Concurrence

The same gentleman from the same Committee made a Report on the petition of J. G. Phinney and others, praying for the extension of State St northward, extending said street as follows, viz: "Commencing at the intersection of the North line of Laurel Street and the centre line of State Street, and running North 25½ degrees East to a point twenty five feet west of the Southwest corner of the Ellis house, this being the centre line of said extension; the road to be forty feet wide on the bed when made." The report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Ald Myrick presented the petition of E. Guild Jr and others praying that School District No 5 may be annexed to School District No 12 and the same was refered to the Committee on Schools & School Districts and sent down for concurrence.

In Convention

A Committee consisting of Messrs. Dillingham, Savage and Field to receive, sort and count the votes for Street Engineer and having attended to that duty reported that

The whole number of ballots thrown was 19.
Necessary to a choice 10.
B. F. Chandler had 19

and was declared elected.

The Convention then separated.

A message was received from the Common Council proposing an adjournment of the City Council to Saturday June 28th at 2 o'clock P. M. and the same was agreed to.

Ald. Myrick from the Committee on the Fire Department to which was refered the petition of the Dramatic Club, made a Report which was laid on the table.

The Board receded from their former vote indefinitely by postponing an Order directing the Street Commissioner to set up the bounds on the County road from Coombs' mill to the Brackett Hill &c. and passed the same in concurrence.

Ald Hamlen and Ald Cir Wills were joined to the Committee to superintend the building of an Engine house under the Order passed April 12th.

And the Board adjourned

Attest. Daniel C. Stanwood City Clerk.

Board of Aldermen June 23. 1851.

The Board met according to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Top June 28

Mayor & Aldermen present. Present, The Mayor,
Aldermen, Lancaster,
Myrick,
Hamlen,
Townsend,
Barrows and
Hewins.

Ald. Myrick from the Committee on accounts reported Roll of Accounts No 3 accompanied by the following Order for the payment of the same, viz:

Roll of Accounts No 3 reported with Order for pay't

"Ordered, That there be allowed and paid out of any money in the City Treasury not otherwise appropriated to the several persons named in the report of the Committee on Accounts numbered Three, the sums set against their names respectively, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of Nine hundred and one dollars, twenty five cents in full discharge of their accounts on file with said report."

The Report was accepted and the Order passed and sent down for concurrence.

Ald Myrick offered the following Order, viz:

Order relative to Weighscales

"Ordered, That Samuel C. Gage and Thomas B. Perkins be permitted to construct a Hayscale on the east side of Water Street near the store of Perkins & Co. in such a manner as not to incommode the public travel, and under the direction of the Street Commissioner for the west side of the river: and the same was passed and sent down for concurrence.

Ald. Myrick offered the following Order, viz:

Order relative to Dramatic Club.

Ordered That the Clerk be required to correct and amend his record of reference to the Committee on the Fire Department of the petition of the Augusta Dramatic Club, so that his record shall correspond to the indorsement on the petition which indorsement is in the words following "Read and refered to the Committee on the Fire Department with discretionary powers in the premises" and the same on being considered was refused a passage.

Report Remonst. & Thompson & others.

Ald. Myrick from the Committee on the Fire Department to which was refered the remonstrance of James A. Thompson and others against granting the use of a room in the new Engine house to the Augusta Dramatic Club made a report which was laid on the table.

Ald. Lancaster offered the following Order, viz:

Order relative to Contract roads.

Ordered, That the Street Commissioner for the west side of the river under the direction of the Committee on New Streets, be directed forthwith, to proceed to put the Bond Brook road so called under contract at Public auction, after giving due notice of the intended sale by advertising in such papers of this City and for such time before the sale as they may deem sufficient - also to receive proposals for building any Bridge or Culvert that may be necessary to complete said road: and the same was passed and sent down for concurrence.

The following Orders were sent up from the Common Council, viz:

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Order relative to contract roads formerly laid out.

Ordered, That the Street Commissioner for the East side of the river be directed to contract with some suitable person to build the road across the land of Elijah M. Farland as laid out and accepted by the City Council - the letting of the contract to be at Auction - also the road running by John E. Wards southerly to the old turnpike so called, distance thirty nine rods - and the same was passed in concurrence.

Report on petition of E. Wills

Ald. Townsend from the Committee on Highways &c. to which was referred the petition of Eli Wills and others for a change of water course, made a report granting the petitioners leave to withdraw their petition. the report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

The following Order was presented, viz:

Order relative to Dist on Taxes

"Ordered, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to make a discount of six per cent on all taxes voluntarily paid in within thirty days after the same were committed to him and four per cent on all taxes so paid within sixty days after said commitments and in addition to the notification required by law in such cases, the Treasurer shall publish in the newspapers of the City the notice aforesaid two weeks successively before the expiration of said thirty days: and the same was passed and sent down for concurrence.

And the Board adjourned

Attest, Daniel C Stanwood City Clerk

Ending June 28.

1852

In Board of Aldermen Oct. 7. 1852.

The Board was called to order by the President.

Present. The Mayor.
Aldermen Lancaster,
Hallett,
Freeman,
Townsend,
Sawyer,
McFarland &
Hewins.

Ald. Lancaster from the Committee on Accounts, reported Roll of Accounts No 5 accompanied by the following Order viz:

"Ordered, That there be paid by the Treasurer out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to the several persons named in the Report of the Committee on Accounts No. Five. the sums set against their names respectively, which when paid to be in full for their several bills on file with said report."

The Report was accepted and the Order passed and they were severally sent down for concurrence.

A communication was received from Eri Wells resigning his office of Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

A communication from the City Marshall recommending Nehemiah Ellis as a suitable person for Police Officer and the same was approved.

A communication from J. A. Pettingill former Collector in relation to certain taxes against W. F. Wells and John Shaw was read and the following Order was passed and sent down for concurrence, viz:

their names respectively which when paid to be in full for the same - the communication of the City Marshal referred to in this Order to be kept on file with the papers and the same was passed and sent down for concurrence.

A communication from the Mayor in relation to the appropriation for New Streets &c. was received and on being considered Ald. Lancaster offered the following Order, viz:

"Ordered, That the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Street Commissioner for the West side of the river the sum of three hundred and twenty two dollars and charge the same to the appropriation for Contingent Expenses" and the same was passed and sent down for concurrence.

Ald. Hewins from the Committee on New Streets &c made a Report on the petition of G. Barnows and others laying out a street or way as follows viz:

"Beginning at a stone marked R. in the northerly line of the street leading by the house of Joshua Ward thence running South 57° west 15 rods to the northerly line of land of the said Ward. the above line to be the northerly line of said Street and the street to be four rods wide. No land damages claimed and no expense to the City for making the said Ward agreeing to construct the same at his own expense" - and the Report was accepted and sent down for concurrence.

(Note: In Street Book - 10/9/52 - accepted in concurrence)

The Committee on Highways &c to which was referred the petition of S. Caldwell and others for a side walk on Bridge Street, made a Report which was laid on the table.

Ald. Lancaster offered the following Order, viz:

In Board of Aldermen.

Order relative to Hearses

An Order in addition to Hearses sent up from the Common Council was laid on the tables.

Ord. Order relative to Gardiner Bridge

An Order sent up from the Common Council authorizing the Mayor to institute proceedings to procure an injunction against the Gardiner and Pittston Bridge was laid on the table.

Adjourned.

And the Board adjourned

Attest Daniel C Stanwood Clerk of the Board of Ald.